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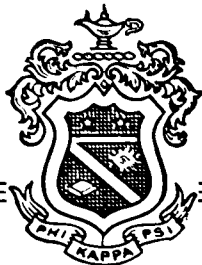


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**FRONT COVER:** Retiring President James C. Addison, left, bestows President's Medallion and congratulates his successor, Robert R. Elliott, 37th President of Phi Kappa Psi.

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Members of the 1956-58 Executive Council at Mackinac Island: Front row, usual order: Attorney-General Webb M. Mize, Secretary R. D. Daniel, Vice President Robert R. Elliott, President James C. Addison, Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, Scholarship Director Dr. J. Fenton Daugherty, Mystagogue John Henry Frizzell. Rear row: Editor J. Duncan Campbell; Archons of the six districts Harvey D. Sanderson (I), Richard R. Butz (II), Charles H. Carabell (III), Albert H. Kishman (IV), Gene A. Mueller (V), Thomas O. Millett (VI); Director of Fraternity Education Robert E. Leber, Extension Director J. Robert Meserve. Archon Mueller was elected at the 1958 GAC.

# The 49th Biennial Grand Arch Council

## Held on Magical Mackinac Island

**I**N the mystical magic of Mackinac Island, far from the bustling crowd, the honking horn and the noise of a busy city, 261 hard-working, happy and harmonious Phi Psis gathered for the Fraternity's 49th biennial meeting of the Grand Arch Council. The weather August 25, 26, 27 and 28 was all the prognosticators said it would be—sunny days followed by delightfully cool evenings. The delegates set about with dispatch and determination to work on their assigned chores and committees. The never-ending social activities kept everyone in a perpetual whirl—and away from sleep. Most important, the deliberations and decisions of the Council gave every assurance that the Fraternity will continue to move forward on course. When all the GAC factors were put into the computer a rapid response came out: "Phi Psi Perfect."

### GAC Officers

Presiding at the business sessions held in the Club Room of the Grand Hotel was SWGP James C. Addison. After the invocation by John Henry Frizzell, he administered the oath to the following:

**SWVGP: Robert R. Elliott; SWP: Clyde M. Joice; SWAG: Ralph D. Daniel; SWBGs: Earle V. Braden, Edwin M. Pomeroy; SWSG: Edward H. Knight; SWPhus: Everett E. Elting Jr., George Brandt, Richard H. Chamberlain; SWHods: J. Duncan Campbell, Harvey D. Sanderson, Richard R. Butz, Charles H. Carabell, Albert H. Kishman, Eugene Mueller, Thomas O. Millett; SWHi: John Henry Frizzell.**

Immediately after a roll call of organizations present, committees and their chairmen were announced. Some committees worked from the first morning to the third afternoon practically on a day and night basis. Committees and their chairmen were:

### Committee Chairmen

**Credentials: J. Duncan Campbell; Resolutions and Grievances: All Past Presidents**

**in attendance; National Headquarters Building: Harlan B. Selby; Manners, John Henry Frizzell; State of the Fraternity: Burns H. Davison; Finance: F. Hal Boettcher; Publications: Hyatt L. Eby; Alumni Associations: Donald K. Weiser; Constitution: W. Lyle Jones; Membership: James Higgins; Extension: Walter Lee Sheppard Jr.; Scholarship: Dr. Louis D. Corson; Fraternity Education: Frederick S. Weiser.**

### Here's What GAC Did

The 49th GAC:

Placed the following four institutions on the accredited list: University of California at Santa Barbara, Florida State University, Oklahoma State University, and University of South Carolina.

Approved the recommendation of the Constitution Committee that the Executive Council appoint a committee to study the proposal of the Southern California Alumni Association, which makes sweeping changes in the administrative organization of Phi Kappa Psi, and to study re-districting the Fraternity.

Heartily endorsed a proposal to increase the Endowment Fund by soliciting funds from Phi Psis which will enable wider use of the Fund. (Fired by President-Elect Bob Elliott's presentation of the plan, \$10,000 was subscribed by undergraduates, chapters and alumni present at the GAC.)

Urged the Executive Council to make available a suitable alumnus recognition insignia and to promote its use.

Re-elected Chicago attorney John J. Yowell, Colo. Alpha '14, to a six-year term as a trustee of the Endowment Fund.

Referred to the Executive Council, for punitive action, the dereliction of duty by Pennsylvania Iota, Pennsylvania Alpha and Illinois Beta in failing to send delegates to the Grand Arch Council.

Unanimously passed a motion that "the undergraduate membership of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity express a desire that the



**Robert R. Elliott, Newly Elected President.**

Executive Council and the Phi Kappa Psi Alumni Associations take an active and definitive stand with regard to our state of fraternity scholarship."

Unanimously approved the action of the Endowment Fund trustees in establishing the Summerfield Memorial Awards of \$100, to be given annually by each chapter to the brother best qualified under the established standards.

Reinstated all of the Opinions of the Attorney General which were discarded by action of the 48th Grand Arch Council at San Francisco in 1956.

#### **Officers Elected**

At the closing session of the Council, August 28, the following were unanimously elected for two-year terms:

**President, Robert R. Elliott, Ohio Alpha '35**

**Vice Pres., Webb M. Mize, Miss. Alpha '30**

**Treasurer, Clyde M. Joice, Ill. Beta '09**

**Secretary, Ralph D. Daniel, Ariz. Alpha '47**

These four constitute the Executive Board of the Fraternity. The Executive Council, made up of the Board members

and the six Archons, appointed the following at a meeting after adjournment of the GAC:

**Attorney General, W. Arthur Batten, Mich. Alpha '33**

**Scholarship Director, Dr. Louis D. Corson, W.Va. Alpha '34**

**Director of Fraternity Education, Robert E. Leber, Pa. Epsilon '46**

**Extension Director, J. Robert Meserve, Calif. Gamma '34**

**Director of Alumni Associations, Donald K. Weiser, Pa. Epsilon '21**

**Mystagogue, John Henry Frizzell, Mass. Alpha '98**

**Editor, J. Duncan Campbell, Pa. Epsilon '34.**

#### **Memorial Service**

Past President J. Bart Aldridge presented a profound memorial to those members of Phi Kappa Psi who have joined the Chapter Eternal since the meeting of the 48th Grand Arch Council. It is reprinted in full elsewhere in this issue.

#### **Social Activities**

The social agenda left the launching pad the very first evening at a casino party in the Grand Hotel's Casino Room. It featured the use of free chips to glean a mythical fortune at various wheels of chance, cubes of chance, blackjack games, chuck-a-luck cages and the like. Not so mythical were the prizes (including some handsome pewter mugs) awarded to those "most in the chips" at evening's end. Also featured was a moderate amount of beer drinking, some good and not-so-good singing, and a full evening of greeting and reminiscing sessions by small clusters of Phi Psis sitting about at the tables not devoted to chance. Last to leave declared it a successful launching.

An informal party night was substituted for the GAC Ball—largely because it was not possible to find a nearby city with a bevy of coed dates to be recruited by local Phi Psi ladies, as has been done in the past. In addition, there was a transportation

problem—except for good swimmers. The informal party night left nothing to be desired. It began right after dinner with a Phi Psi songfest in the lobby, and some declare it never did end. Somewhere in the middle there were several hours of dancing games and informal fun in the Grand Hotel's small night club.

Phi Psi ladies in attendance were entertained with a carriage tour of the Island, bridge and bingo parties, and at their own Ladies Banquet. A highlight of their program was a GAC Tea, when they were guests of Mrs. G. Mennen Williams at the Governor's Summer Mansion on Mackinac Island.

Island regulations which prohibit the use of motor vehicles brought out such odd pastimes as carriage riding, bicycling and *walking*. Bicycles proved to be most popular, and although no casualties were reported there was a persistent rumor that someone, passing by the bicycle racks at 3:00 o'clock one morning, discovered that they were all missing!

The *big* Phi Psi event was the Banquet, and this year's met all the requirements with old-fashioned, friendly singing, outstanding speakers, and a warm and witty Symposiarch, Past President Win Tate. A principal speaker was Ruddick C. Lawrence, Wash. Alpha '21, who remarked that he had returned to Mackinac just 24 years after being a 1934 GAC delegate at the Grand Hotel. He adroitly used this introduction to project the thoughts of the assembled brothers 25 years from now, with many interesting prognostications. The second principal speaker was Past President Andrew G. Truxal, President of Hood College, whose message on fraternities in general and Phi Kappa Psi in particular was both inspiring and challenging.

Although not the biggest, the 49th Grand Arch Council will go into history as one of the best. Everyone in attendance was loud in his praise for the display of unbounded enthusiasm and strong desire to work for the betterment of the Fraternity. Undergraduates and alumni, working side by side, demonstrated once again that the Founders "who builded better than

they knew" have been followed by a generation fully aware of its ancient heritage and future responsibilities.

### **Haines Named Permanent Fund Trustee**

Charles J. Haines, Mo. Alpha '16, president of the Chemetron Corp., Chicago, has been named by the Executive Council as a trustee of the Permanent Fund of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. He replaces Lynn Lloyd, Nebr. Alpha '07, who had served continuously as a trustee since Dec. 29, 1937.

Brother Haines was born in Thomas, Okla., and received his degree in engineering from the University of Missouri in 1917. After he was graduated he went to Chicago where he was superintendent for the American Cotton Oil Co. until 1920 when he moved to Peoria to become superintendent for the Electrox Co. In 1923 he was named vice president of the National Cylinder Gas Co., and held that post until 1937 when he was elevated to its presidency. This is his twenty-first year as president of the firm which changed its name in 1958 to Chemetron Corporation.

He is a director of several large corporations and is a member of Tau Beta Pi, Alpha Chi Sigma, the American Chemical Society and the Institute of Chemical Engineers.

Married to the former Marguerite Fralick, they have a daughter, Heather Haines.

Brother Lloyd, whom he replaces, expressed the wish that he not be reappointed. After many years as a banker in Chicago with the Harris Trust & Savings Bank, he moved to Phoenix, Ariz., in 1954 to become senior vice president and executive head of the trust department of the Valley National Bank. He retired this year and has moved to La Jolla, Calif.

# Grand Arch Council Memorial Address

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Past President J. BART ALDRIDGE, Okla. Alpha '22

**T**HE HOUR HAVING come, let us go into the temple to commune with those who have passed this way and then have gone on to prepare a place for us.

My dictionary defines the word commune as one having confidential, spiritual intercourse, one with another.

Our Senior Past President Shirley Reserve once said on an occasion like this: "We have thus fulfilled in essence an obligation that in Phi Kappa Psi where falls a brother, willing minds and hearts shall symbolically engrave his name upon the scroll of our Memorial, in evidence of the fact that though passed from mortal life, he is not forgotten, and that in influence and spirit he still lives and speaks, and is amongst us."

This hour is a holy hour in our Grand Arch Council. Since World War I, we have observed this tradition in our Council, and to those of us who have attended previous Councils this hour is one of the highlights of the Council. I feel my inadequacy to properly present this Memorial Address as it should be given, but in all humbleness, I trust that my sincerity will compensate for my lack of oratorical brilliancy.

The fact that you are in attendance here today leads me to believe that you do truly believe the Ritual of Phi Kappa Psi: That its mysteries are of divine and spiritual origin, and that we believe that the All-Seeing Eye that dominates the center of our badge does control our destinies. In my study of the Ritual, its founders, and their background, nowhere do I find that either of our founders were students of theology; however, we do know that Brothers Tom Campbell and William Keady both came from very religious families, being the sons of missionaries and ministers of the gospel. A further study of our Ritual will reveal that every expression therein, including the seven foundation stones of Phi Kappa Psi, which, as you

know, are Truth, Honor, Virtue, Conscience, Philanthropy, Wisdom and Fraternity, each and every stone has a direct reference to a scriptural passage found in the Holy Bible.

It is very difficult for me to believe that two young men barely out of their 'teens, sat on a cold February night in a small upstairs bedroom of the Widow Letterman Home, located at 246 Central Avenue in Cannonsburg, Pennsylvania, and in a few moments dashed off the Ritual of Phi Kappa Psi in one evening. Surely there was a divine presence that guided them then, and in the days that followed, that allowed them to build better than they knew.

One of the greatest thrills that comes to a brother in attendance at his first Grand Arch Council is in hearing the roll call that opens each session, and in hearing and seeing brothers like himself answer for their Chapters and Associations. This morning you heard our Secretary as he called the roll of 60 Chapters from every part of the nation, and nearly all responded as present. We glow with pride that we have the largest number of Chapters, the largest number of Associations, and the largest membership ever in our history. Yet our largest Chapter, with a membership of more than 10,000 names on that roll, was not called and no voice was heard to answer present for them.

There is not a brother in this room who has not been touched during his fraternal life by one or more of the brothers who now occupies a prominent place in the roll of our largest Chapter, the Chapter Eternal: In that house of many mansions, that house not made with earthly hands, eternal in the heavens. Many are the names of those brothers who have answered the call of the master during the past two years and have passed to the stars. This is the reason we are gathered here this hour to pay homage to those who have preceded us, and

after making their presence felt here in our earthly Councils, have gone on to prepare a place for us in the Chapter Eternal, if we are found worthy and acceptable.

This is not an hour of sadness or lamentation. Our brothers would not have wanted it that way. It should be an hour of prayerful thanksgiving for the privilege that we enjoyed of having them with us as a part of Phi Kappa Psi; for that association that has so affected our lives that we, too, may influence others in bringing about peace and harmony among all men of good will.

As a mark of our respect and because their lives have so touched us in our fraternal brotherhood, may I, as a symbol of all those who have passed to the Chapter Eternal, mention in a personal way just three or four names. Each has left his mark upon the history of our Fraternity, and the influence of these brothers will be felt for many generations yet to come.

Just two years ago this week the delegates to the Grand Arch Council meeting in San Francisco chose for their leader a brother from the West Coast, Edward Tyler Sturgeon, but to all Phi Psis known by the loving nickname of "Fish." I believe he was first pledged at Illinois Delta, but his Chapter designation was Illinois Beta '08, and later Wisconsin Alpha '09. Brother Sturgeon was a man of boundless energy: his shock of white hair with a clear complexion that even our youngest brothers would have envied. His sparkling eyes, his ready wit, his sage counsel made him stand out among brothers at any meeting. After only four short months as our leader he answered his call to join the Chapter Eternal, but his effervescent spirit is with us today, and his memory will be cherished by all who knew him.

As it must to all men, another call came from our Divine Redeemer to another one of the giants in our Phi Psi forest; this time to Past President Howard Chandler Williams, of New Hampshire Alpha '02, later of Illinois Delta '04. For more than a half century he served his Chapter and his Fraternity as one of the greatest of the great. The first vote that I cast as an under-

graduate delegate to a GAC was for the election of Brother Shirley Meserve as President and Brother Williams as Vice-President of our Fraternity at Boston in 1924; and two years later it was again my privilege to vote for Brother Williams as he was elected President of our Fraternity. Even prior to this time he had served as National Secretary of the Fraternity. For those of you who might not recognize the full name of Howard Chandler Williams, the nickname of "Army" will bring smiles and thousands of memories to his legion of fraternal brothers. Never again will the Grievance Committee report bring the howls of laughter to the floor of our Councils as it has for the past thirty years as Brother Army, as the perpetual Chairman of the Committee, punctured the ego of the mighty, and inflated the ambitions of the uninitiated. Another brother small in physical stature but as big as all outdoors in Phi Psi greatness was Brother Howard Chandler Williams. His great works shall live after him and should inspire us to greater deeds for our fraternity.

As Brother Sturgeon came from the Great Northwest and Brother Williams from the Upper Midwest, another call beckoned to the East and for a third time in two years another Past President emerged to the stars in the person of Harry Lambright Snyder, West Virginia Alpha '20. The brilliant personality of Brother Jack Snyder, as he was so affectionately known, is legendary in Phi Psi history. Elected to the highest office in our Fraternity at the tender age of thirty-three, he served his Fraternity also as Archon, Attorney General, and many other behind-the-scenes offices. In every instance he distinguished himself and his Fraternity with outstanding service and honor. Brother Snyder had one of the brightest minds in our Council's history. His speeches were oratorical gems, landmarks for clear thinking, and his forty years of service to our Fraternity will give him a place few can ever equal or excel.

Two other brothers who served our Fraternity long and faithfully—both members of S.C. as were the three past presidents—and who answered the call during the past



two years were Brother Andrew Leiser, Penn Gamma, the son of a Phi Psi father who served as S.W.G.P. at the 1894 GAC, and Brother Lale C. Andrews, Kansas Alpha '17—a brilliant scholar and great scientist and a great Phi Psi leader. He served as President of the New York City Alumni Association and as Placement Bureau Chairman for the New York area.

One of the earliest records of an address by a President as reported by Brothers Tom Campbell and William Keady, sons of Presbyterian ministers and missionaries, bears out my thought that our founders and our early members felt a divine presence in the designs of our Fraternity when they said about Phi Kappa Psi:

“We know that there are fraternities whose designs are holy, sanctioned by the approving smiles of Diety himself, which strive to teach man that his mission is to his brother: a world wide philanthropy which we fondly dream shall yet unite all nations and tribes in one universal brotherhood. We aim to cultivate among the brothers a feeling of true friendship, to place merit in its deserved position; there are other offices which it shall be our pleasant duty to perform. Where disease lays its heavy hand upon a brother, sickness pales his face, or perhaps the clammy death dew gathers on his brow, our hands shall smooth his pillow, administer the healing balm, or gently close his eyes as his freed spirit leaves its tenement of clay and wings its heavenward flight. Therefore be eager in your pursuit of knowledge, recollecting that ignorance is the curse of God: Knowledge the wing whereby we fly to heaven.”

Our Founder Charles Page Thomas Moore in a letter to Past President Walter McCorkle, once said: “Your letter made my Phi Psi heart roll back through the years of its loyalty to that half century ago when the noble Wm. H. Letterman and I, aided by the Almighty Archon who ruleth and governs all things with a fiat everlasting, made the Phi Kappa Psi to launch forth in its grand career of charity and love in aid of the true civilization of man, and acknowledge the diapason through which man touches Diety. The portals are

opening for me to enter to meet the dear boys who have gone before, and I rejoice that I can report to them that you have all done your duty, and the Fraternity is the noble body they left it: High in character and honored by the world. So may it be to the end of the world.”

Another of our great leaders, the second President of our Fraternity, was Robert Lowry. Many of you know him probably better for the wonderful hymns that he wrote and I am sure that in your churches you have sung many of them in your time, probably not realizing that he was our second S.W.G.P. On the fortieth anniversary of his initiation he wrote the following:

“Phi Kappa Psi has never meant more to me than it does today. It has a drawing power, a sort of rebirth that I have never felt before, it is a growth that cannot stop growing; there is no body of people holding me more strongly to this earth than Phi Kappa Psi: and I am a religious man, a minister of the gospel and appreciate to the fullest what I am saying, and yet I repeat, there is no body of people on this earth that can make a stronger appeal to me, or for who my attachment is greater than the body of Phi Kappa Psi. And when I shall come to die, if you are within reach, will you sing a song there around my coffin: You will find the song in our Phi Psi songbook: I shall hear you and be glad; And on that day I shall like you there with a little bit of ribbon which we so love, that you may drop it on my coffin, and into the grave: For who knows the mystery that is beyond. May be when we shall gather together in that other land, disrobed of our fleshly habiliments, we shall find ourselves again united in so sweet and precious a fraternity that we shall wish to live on forever and forever. So let us live as a Phi Psi ought to live, and die as a Phi Psi ought to die and then reunited, we shall hold up the truth, the banner we carried on the sandy wastes of the earth below. Blessings be on you, blessings from above, blessings from all about you. Lay your heart upon the altar of Phi Kappa Psi, let her principles govern your heart, and when you come to die the angels may join in singing songs

over you, and the whole Fraternity of Heaven stretch out their hands to welcome you when you climb up the beautiful stairway and pass through the gates into the city. My young brothers, if you ever pray, pray that God may keep you in truth, and in sweetness, and fidelity to our beloved Fraternity, and the principles that are involved in that one mystic expression of The Phi, The Kappa, The Psi."

As a token of our love and devotion for all our Brothers who have joined our Chap-

ter Eternal, may we stand for a moment of silent prayer. . . .

Almighty and Eternal God, Creator and Redeemer of all Mankind: Illumine our hearts—give us wisdom to our minds and grace to our souls—that we might carry forward the body of our Fraternity. And when our call shall come to join the Chapter Eternal may we be found worthy and acceptable.

In the name of Thy Son Jesus Christ and to His honor and glory we pray. Amen.

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## Summerfield Awards Announced

**R**EPORTING to the Grand Arch Council for the trustees of the Endowment Fund, Gen. Lawrence H. Whiting, Ill. Beta '09, disclosed that they had completed plans for \$100 annual awards to be made by each chapter, beginning with the current college year. The \$6,000 needed each year for the award program will come from the Solon E. Summerfield (Kans. Alpha '99) bequest to the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. (THE SHIELD, January, 1956.) The delegates, surprised and thrilled by the announcement, unanimously approved it.

In explaining the income from the Summerfield bequest, Gen. Whiting said: "The Summerfield estate is divided into three principal trusts and we are given one-tenth of the income which goes to the University of Kansas. The last three years we have had \$9,500 a year average income from that, which we have added to the principal in the Endowment Fund."

"We propose to have in the second semester each year a recommendation and a vote in each chapter—all chapters now, this is all-inclusive—for an active member of the chapter—freshman, sophomore, junior, senior, or someone taking graduate work in the university—for the man who has shown the greatest ability in the combination of leadership and scholarship activities. You

can be fairly broad in this. In other words, pick out the man whom you would most nearly have your son to be, or you would like to be, or what you think would be for the greatest interest of the Fraternity and the college," he said.

The generous member of the Fraternity who made all this possible was the late Solon E. Summerfield. He was born and raised in a small Kansas town, a son of Marcus Summerfield who was a professor in the law school of the University of Kansas. At the zenith of his business career Brother Summerfield was head of the Gotham Gold Stripe Hosiery Co., of New York, a company which he founded and developed into a multi-million dollar corporation. Under the terms of his will the Solon E. Summerfield Foundation, established as a memorial to his father, divides the annual income from his almost \$7-million estate among those whom he designated. It has been estimated that the Phi Kappa Psi Endowment Fund will receive about \$9,000 annually from his estate, which may be the largest bequest ever made to a Greek-letter fraternity.

The three trustees who administer the Endowment Fund are: Lawrence H. Whiting, John J. Yowell, and Harold A. Moore, all of Chicago. Secretary R. D. Daniel serves as assistant secretary for the Fund.

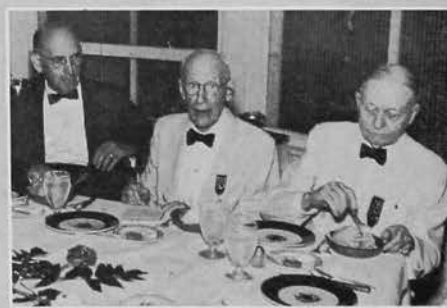
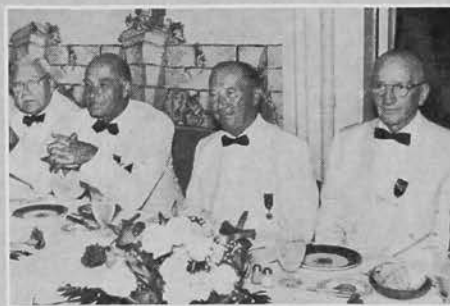
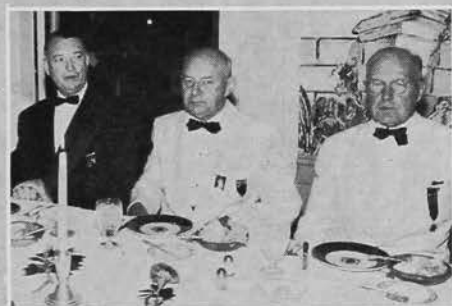


*Candid Camera  
at GAC Casino*





SC  
Banquet



# 1958 Meeting of the Order of the S.C. Society

by C. F. WILLIAMS, III, Delta '06

**S**CERS AND NEOPHYTES met at 6:00 o'clock P.M., Tuesday, August 26, 1958, in the Governor's suite of the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Mich., at a Phi Psi potation, as guests of President Shirley E. Meserve. He was unable to be in attendance because of a coronary. July 13. Those present toasted the health and speedy recovery of their beloved leader, who was compelled to miss what would have been his nineteenth GAC.

The nineteenth meeting, dinner, and initiation of the Order of the S. C. Society, was held at 7:00 o'clock P.M., in the Pontiac Room of the hotel, with twenty-five veterans and five candidates for initiation in attendance. In 1934, twenty-four years previously, twenty-four wearers of the seven-pointed star gathered in the same private parlor, for a similar meeting, conducted by Co-founder Sion Bass Smith.

Presiding at the 1958 event was Louis D. Corson, vice president of the Society. After the invocation by John Henry Frizzell, Vice President Corson asked members to rise to pay tribute in silent prayer to those who had joined the Chapter Eternal since adjournment of the San Francisco GAC in 1956: President Edward T. Sturgeon, Past President Howard C. Williams, Past President Harry L. Snyder, Andrew A. Leiser Jr., and Lale C. Andrews.

At a brief business meeting, upon motion of Winston R. Tate, it was voted to reelect officers, through unanimous ballot, as follows: President, Shirley E. Meserve; Vice President, Louis D. Corson; Secretary, Thomas A. Cookson; Assistant Secretary, and Treasurer, C. F. Williams. Treasurer

Williams indicated that through astute investments and generous friends, the Society might be faced with a credit balance for the first time in his memory.

Aided by J. Bart Aldridge, who served as guide, Vice President Corson unfolded the mysteries of the Society of these five, whose GAC attendance records are recorded in these proceedings: Edmund J. Felt, N.H. Alpha '15; Ralph A. Clark Jr., Nebr. Alpha '30; Ralph R. Haney, Calif. Delta '27; Webb M. Mize, Miss. Alpha '30; and Henry J. Frenzel, Pa. Iota '23.

Attached to these minutes are: The names of the thirty, representing exactly 50 per cent of the living membership, in attendance at the nineteenth meeting of the S.C. and a complete S.C. directory. The meeting was adjourned with the closing of the initiation ceremony, at 10:15 P.M., sine die.

GAC attendance record, of SCers at the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Mich., meeting. The 1958 initiates are indicated with an asterisk (\*).

ADDISON, JAMES C., Iowa Alpha '12: 1916; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 11;

ALDRIDGE, J. BART, Okla. Alpha '22: 1924; '26; '30; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 15;

ANDERSON, GEORGE EDWARD, W.Va. Alpha '96: 1898; 1900; '02; '04; '06; '08; '10; '12; '14; '16; '22; '24; '28; '30; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 21;

BRADEN, EARLE V., Pa. Alpha '01: 1902; '04; '14; '16; '20; '24; '26; '28; '30; '34; '38; '40; '46; '48; '52; '54; '58: Total, 17;

CLARK, H. ERNEST JR., Kans. Alpha '17: 1920; '22; '24; '26; '28; '30; '32; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 19, *consecutively*;

*In Photos Left Page—Members of the SC of Phi Kappa Psi:* In usual order, from top of page—E. J. Felt, C. F. Williams, L. D. Corson, T. A. Cookson, H. B. Selby, J. C. Addison, R. A. Parrett, C. E. Strickland, W. R. Tate, J. B. Aldridge, C. M. Joice, W. A. Staats, J. H. Frizzell, L. W. Voigt, H. E. Clark, W. S. Reed, G. F. Phillips, H. F. Flowers, E. V. Braden, W. L. Sheppard Jr., C. L. Williams, E. M. Pomeroy, E. H. Knight, G. E. Anderson, W. L. Jones, A. G. Truxal, R. R. Haney, R. A. Clark, W. M. Mize, H. J. Frenzel.





New SC members: seated, E. J. Felt, R. R. Haney, R. A. Clark; standing, H. J. Frenzel, W. M. Mize.

\*CLARK, RALPH A. JR., Nebr. Alpha '30: 1930; '32; '34; '48; '56; '58: Total, 7;

COOKSON, THOMAS A., Ind. Beta '02: 1904; '10; '12; '14; '16; '22; '24; '26; '28; '30; '32; '34; '36; '38; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '58: Total, 21;

CORSON, LOUIS D., W.Va. Alpha '34: 1936; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 11, *consecutively*;

\*FELT, EDMUND J., N.H. Alpha '15: 1920; '28; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 7;

FLOWERS, H. FORT, Tenn. Delta '09: 1914; '16; '22; '24; '26; '28; '30; '34; '38; '40; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 17;

\*FRENZEL, HENRY J., Penn. Iota '23: 1946; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 7;

FRIZZELL, JOHN HENRY, Mass. Alpha '98: 1902; '06; '10; '12; '22; '52; '54; '58: Total, 8;

\*HANEY, RALPH R., Calif. Delta '27: 1932; '42; '46; '48; '50; '56; '58: Total, 7;

JOICE, CLYDE M., Ill. Beta '09: 1912; '16; '38; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 10;

JONES, W. LYLE, W.Va. Alpha '27: 1928; '30; '32; '34; '36; '38; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 13;

KNIGHT, EDWARD H. (Charter Member), Ind. Gamma '93: 1894; '96; '98; 1900; '02; '04; '06; '08; '10; '12; '14; '16; '18; '20; '22; '24; '26; '28; '30; '32; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 32, *consecutively*;

\*MIZE, WEBB M., Miss. Alpha '30: 1938; '40; '48; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 7;

PARRELL, ROBERT A., Ohio Alpha '06: 1908; '10; '22; '28; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 11;

PHILLIPS, GEORGE F., W.Va. Alpha '10: 1912; '16; '22; '26; '46; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 10;

POMEROY, EDWIN M., Pa. Theta '93: 1894; 1900; '06; '08; '10; '12; '14; '16; '24; '30; '34; '36; '38; '40; '46; '48; '50; '54; '56; '58: Total, 20;

REED, WARREN S., Pa. Gamma '23: 1928; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 12;

SELBY, HARLAN B., W.Va. Alpha '18: 1928; '30; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 14;

SHEPPARD, WALTER LEE JR., N.Y. Alpha '29: 1930; '32; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 14, *consecutively*;

STAATS, WILLIAM A., N.Y. Gamma '14: 1916; '18; '20; '22; '24; '28; '30; '40; '46; '52; '56; '58: Total, 12;

STRICKLAND, CHARLES E., Kans. Alpha '11: 1934; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 12;

TATE, WINSTON R., Kans. Alpha '18: 1920; '22; '26; '30; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '54; '58: Total, 14;

TRUXAL, ANDREW G., Pa. Eta '16: 1920; '22; '28; '32; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '50; '52; '54; '58: Total, 14;

VOIGT, L. WAINWRIGHT, N.Y. Alpha '17: 1920; '24; '30; '36; '46; '52; '54; '58: Total, 8;

WILLIAMS, CARTER L., Mo. Alpha '13: 1916; '26; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 13;

WILLIAMS, C. F., Ill. Delta '06: 1914; '16; '20; '22; '26; '28; '30; '32; '34; '36; '38; '40; '42; '46; '48; '50; '52; '54; '56; '58: Total, 20.—CFWms

*In Photos Right Page—Speakers Table at the GAC Banquet:* In usual order, from top of page—Mystagogue John Henry Frizzell, Past President Charles E. Strickland, Past President Harlan B. Selby, Edward H. Knight, Past President Thomas A. Cookson, Speaker Ruddick C. Lawrence, Speaker and Past President Andrew G. Truxal, Symposiarch and Past President Winston R. Tate, President James C. Addison, President-Elect Robert R. Elliott, Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, Secretary-Editor Emeritus C. F. Williams, Past President J. Bart Aldridge, Past President W. Lyle Jones, Secretary R. D. Daniel.





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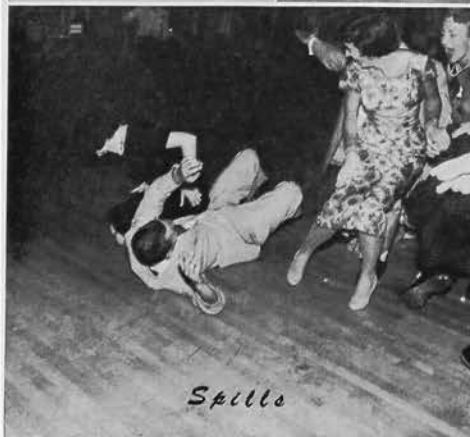
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Winners!

1958

# The Relationship of Rushing to Scholarship

by ROLLYN H. SEAWELL III, Texas Beta '57\*

I WOULD like to discuss with you certain aspects of the scholarship program at Texas Beta. I think many of the aspects could be applicable to your own situation; if not completely, then the approach could be adapted and you could gain much from a searching investigation of just what you are doing in scholarship.

It is obvious that the fraternity system is being attacked from many angles on many points. One of these is scholarship and perhaps justly so. To eliminate this attack I think we should get our houses in order and improve our scholarship. We certainly don't need top scholarship, this is somewhat unrealistic, but we do need good, realistic scholarship.

Realizing the importance of scholarship, last fall I made an investigation of the scholarship of Texas Beta to find out just what we were doing. The dean of men's office has complete records in our school of those who pledge, their grades before pledging, during pledging, after pledging and the like, so our resource material was rather complete. Possibly this situation does not exist on your campus.

Some seven or eight years ago Texas Beta was at the bottom scholastically. It was really in the heap. This induced the brothers to take some definitive action to improve scholarship, so we adopted in our own house a 1-point requirement, modified. An individual should have a 1-point the semester before pledging on a 3-point equals A system. This means he should have a D-plus overall or a C the semester before pledging.

The immediate results were not forthcoming in our improved scholarship because there were individuals in the chapter who were not good scholars to begin with and so it has taken us some time to receive recognition on the campus. Last fall

we were third place, this past spring we were second place, etc., because it takes time to graduate out the poor scholars and to pledge in the better scholars.

Certainly this is not meaning that we should have all A's in a particular group, but it does mean that we should get the individual who has a little above average scholarship—C-plus and B's. This certainly affects the scholarship of a house and, I believe, the activities of the house.

Here are the results of the findings relative to whether an individual has a C the semester before pledging or whether he does not have a C, covering a 4-year period: Those who were initiated into the chapter, had a grade average the semester before pledging of 1.64; their grade average during pledging was 1.53, and their grade average the first semester after pledging was 1.21. This is a drop from pledgeship, but certainly the first semester after being initiated is probably one of the most difficult to adjust to because we note in the second semester after pledging that there is a marked increase, up to 1.3.

Here is a very important point for those participating in delayed rush—we are faced with this problem: Old Joe Blow is a great guy, he is an athlete, he has a way with the girls, he really moves about campus, he spreads Phi Psi's name and everything, but we must face up to the fact that he is not a well-rounded individual. For the semester before pledging he had a grade point average of 0.65, and during pledging, while he succeeded in getting over the hump, he, shall we say, limped out and made a 1.3. This is fine, but the first semester after pledging he dropped down to a 0.185. We can say this is the first semester after pledging and there is an adjustment problem here and he will move back up later on. In the second semester after pledging he moves up to a 0.95, which means he is still not making his grades.

It has been my personal experience to ob-

\* An important and timely presentation made to the 1958 GAC. Read it carefully.—Ed.

serve that these individuals do not graduate from college, which means they are ineffective undergraduates, we are wasting rush energy, and at the same time they become ineffective alumni.

This is interesting to observe on our campus: of those who have a 1-point the semester before pledging, 72 per cent are initiated. This contrasts with those individuals who do not have a 1-point the semester before pledging, of whom only 19 per cent are initiated. *This means when you are rushing a man with low grades you are wasting a lot of energy. You would be doing well yourself to be studying rather than rushing these individuals who are not going to be initiated, or rushing someone who will be initiated.*

These preceding comments on scholarship are part of one of the salient points in rush. *If a man has got it, he has got it; if he doesn't have it, he doesn't have it; and a semester of pledge training or a couple of semesters in the chapter are not going to change his basic behavioral pattern after being indoctrinated in that behavioral pattern for 18 or 20 years. Overall, his man's approach to life, his energies, and his determinations are pretty well set by the time he is 18 years old. Five months of pledgship won't shape him up.*

In your individual scholarship program, I think the first thing that you should do, as shown by the experience we have had at Texas Beta, is *get men with good scholarship to begin with*, and then the chapter can develop good scholarship over a period of time after those with poor scholarship have graduated out. Your rating on campus and your success in campus activities will increase because you will have individuals in the chapter who have learned to do and have the ability to do several

things at that time, and all of them well.

If an individual has to study all the time to make a passing grade he becomes then an ineffective brother because he cannot carry his share of Fraternity activity. This places an extra burden on those others of the chapter who do not have to study as much.

The second aspect of our scholarship program, I think, is the development of our 1-point grade requirement, and group attitude. We had a scholarship award for quite some time. We used various techniques and devices, study halls, and so on and so forth, and these never seemed to be really effective. They never seemed to produce the results we were looking for.

*The adoption of the 1-point introduced into our group individuals with higher grades, which meant that gradually the group acquired a better outlook towards scholarship. This resulted in a group approach to scholarship. We all are very interested in scholarship.* This does not mean that we don't participate on campus. We have our fingers in every activity; sometimes we win and sometimes we don't. This does not mean that we are a bunch of recluses who do nothing but sit around and study all the time. It means that we are approaching this problem as a group and not as individuals, and this is the real success of our program.

I remember one semester when the mid-semester grades came out and well over half of our pledges did not have a 1-point and about a third of the brothers did not have a 1-point or C, and, boy, this really shook up the group. At the end of that semester we came out top in scholarship. Why? Because *the group* had become deeply concerned with scholarship. This is the real clue to good scholarship.

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### **Honorary Degree for Hamilton**

HOWARD L. HAMILTON, Ohio Delta '21, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1948-50, was awarded an honorary LL.D. degree by Parson College, Iowa, at commencement exercises last June.

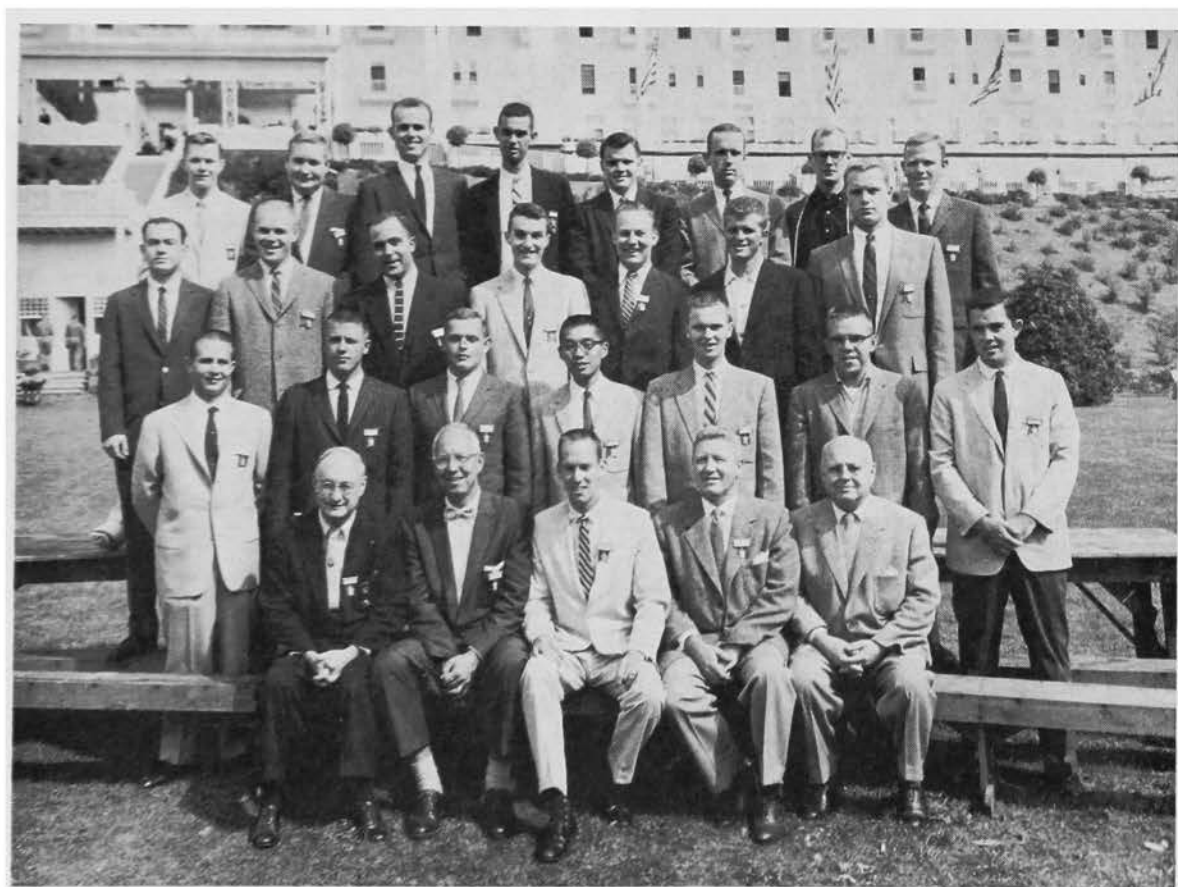
### **Chairman of YMCA Board**

HAROLD F. WHITTLE, III, Alpha '11, president of the Los Angeles YMCA since 1940, has been named chairman of the board.

He is president of the H. F. Whittle Investment Co., mortgage brokers.



**Delegates of Fifth District (above) and Sixth District (below) lingered after the GAC photo was made to have their own group photos taken.**





## A Day at GAC



**T**HE BUSINESS SESSIONS were opened by genial President James C. Addison, who was flanked on the rostrum by Attorney General Mize, Vice President Elliott, Treasurer Joice and Secretary Daniel . . .



Undergraduates were excited and delighted with General Whiting's announcement that the Endowment Fund trustees had established *The Summerfield Memorial Award*, to be given annually by each chapter beginning in 1959 . . .



Two new Archons joined the official family at Mackinac. On left, Bill Kitchel, Ohio Epsilon, named to succeed Chuck Carabell who was graduated last June at Penn State and has moved out of the Third District to Washington, D.C. Genial Gene Mueller, on right, was elected by Fifth District delegates to succeed Texas Alpha's Tom Benner, resigned. Gene is from Iowa Alpha . . .



Miss Judy Morgan and Miss Alice Pfaller, of the Cleveland office, were so busy with registration and a thousand administrative details they rarely had the pleasure of dining together . . .

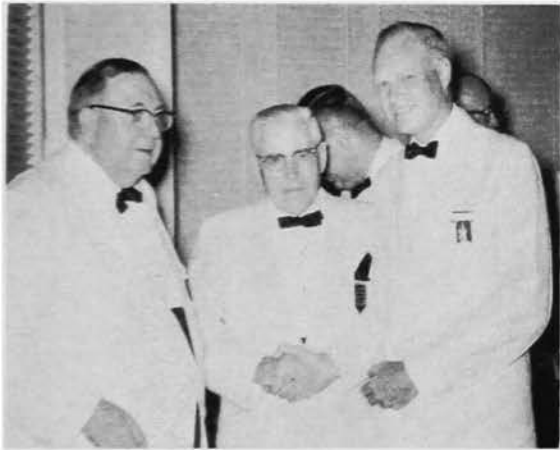


At the end of a busy day, old Archons join new brides at dinner. On left are Jan and Al Kishman (District IV) with Rosemarie and Dick Butz (District II) . . .

Relaxing in the Grand Hotel lobby after dinner, Brother and Mrs. Edward H. Knight, of Indianapolis, enjoy another GAC. This was his 32nd GAC, covering an unbroken span of over 64 years! His gracious wife also has an impressive GAC attendance record . . .



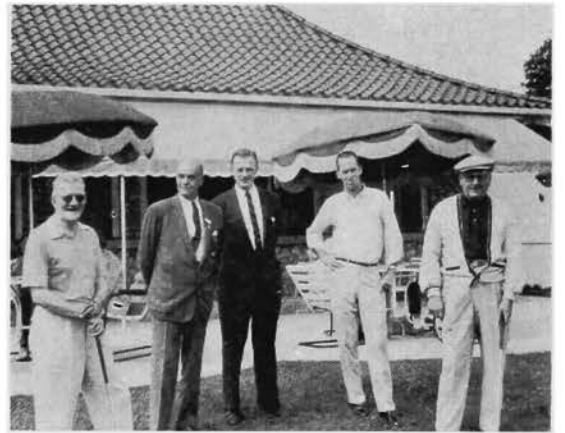
At the GAC Banquet, SCer Links Voigt led the assembled Phi Psis in rousing song between dinner courses and speakers . . .



After the Banquet, President Jim Addison and Dab Williams commend Speaker Ruddick Lawrence, right, for his thought-provoking theme of America, Phi Psi and everything else as they will be a quarter century in the future. Vice president of the New York Stock Exchange, Brother Lawrence opened his remarks with a résumé of the great changes which had taken place since he had last been at Mackinac, in 1934, as a GAC delegate of Washington Alpha . . .



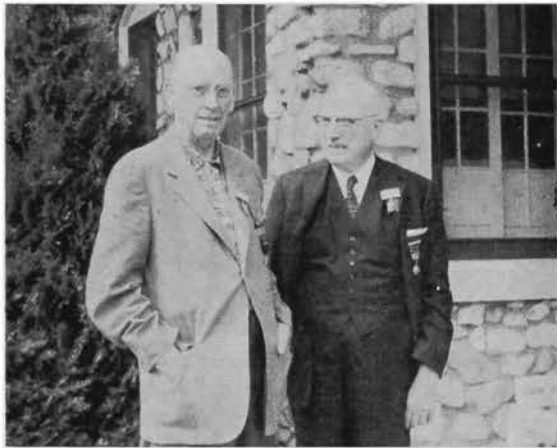
There was lots of outdoor activity, too. Here George Mize, Webb's son, watches golf chairman Frank Whiting, of the Chicago AA, tighten his shoe laces before tackling the eighteen holes ahead. New York AA's Ernie Garbe, in the background, is ready to record the entire proceedings for Phi Psi posterity . . .



It was so sunny on the course, it was hard to tell golfers from spectators. In this mixed fivesome we find, from left—Golfer Hugh Leininger, Chicago AA; spectator Links Voigt, Pittsburgh AA; Bill Hazlett, who flew his Luscombe from Cleveland "on the concrete beam" to attend his fifth GAC in a series which began in 1934 at Mackinac; Archon Tom Millett, a golfer (but this wasn't his day and he didn't win); and Chicago AA's Don Weiser, named at the GAC as Director of Alumni Associations. He didn't win, either. The wayward



cameraman failed to get a shot of any of the winners, who were: Wisconsin Gamma's Bill Hollingsworth, low gross; Archon Dick Butz, Penn Epsilon, low net; Jack Blankenship NYAA, alumnus low gross; Clarence Davis, Illinois Beta, most birdies; and A. M. Eastburn, Penn Kappa, gross-plus-years-out-of-college; and winner-in-reverse Kent Yowell, high gross . . .



Lending moral support to the linksmen, C. L. (Bones) Williams and H. Fort Flowers were on hand to wish everyone well, but decided not to compete in the match . . .



In other lesser outdoor sports, none seemed to give so much for so little effort as coach riding. Here we find Treasurer Clyde Joice, Harold B. Reed, Southern California AA, and Secretary Dud Daniel off for a jaunt about the island. Dud looks somber because they are about to leave, and his jaunting cap has been left behind . . .



(There's nothing new under the sun. Here we see the ladies of the 1908 GAC about to set off in a sight-seeing tour of Denver fifty years ago . . .)



Other guests at the Grand will long remember the night the Phi Psis made the draperies quiver with the mighty swell of Phi Psi songs. Almost everybody sang as loud and long as lungs would permit . . .



But we found this trio behind a pillar, *talking*. The surprised one on the left is Ted Urban; not too surprised were Frank Whiting and his lovely wife Cynthia . . .



When songs ended, the strollers took to the world's longest veranda. Here Bob Meserve is audibly comparing the relative merits of Mackinac and Southern California to a hushed audience on the right consisting of his dutiful (and charming!) wife Dottie, Bob Leber and Bill Hazlett . . .

Sitting this one out in the adjacent lounge, Past President and Mrs. J. Bart Aldridge find it a little quieter here—and less crowded . . .



And when everything else had closed, the delegates from Penn Theta and Penn Epsilon opened the doors of "Club 20," a darkness-to-dawn operation which might well have had a sign on the door—"We Never Close" . . .



Inside, having the time of their lives on the dance floor is a happy Phi Psi gathering. President-elect Bob Elliott, getting a group set for *his* shot, was caught completely unaware . . .



Not all were quitters. This photo was taken shortly after hearing Phi Psi songs rising out of the stones along the beach at 4:00 a.m. Knowing full well that stones give out with sermons only, investigation brought to camera this octet.

And so to breakfast.

### ***Military Advisor to Turkey***

LT. COL. WILLIAM S. CRUMLISH, Pa. Lambda '36, has been assigned to Izmir, Turkey, as U.S. Engineer advisor at the Turkish Army Engineer Training Center. His wife Edna, and their three daughters will accompany him to his new post.





*Ladies Tea at the GAC*  
In center photo: Mrs. J. C. Addison, Mrs. G. Mennen Williams, hostess; Mrs. R. R. Elliott, Mrs. Clyde M. Joice.



# GAC Gleanings

Phi Psi registration at Mackinac Island for the 1958 GAC totaled 261, the lowest number since 1942, when 217 registered for the wartime GAC in Des Moines. Registration at Mackinac Island for the 1934 GAC was 203. Comparative attendance figures for the past 10 GACs are:

1940 Spring Lake . . . . .	275	1950 Old Point Comfort . . . . .	299
1942 Des Moines . . . . .	217	1952 Pittsburgh . . . . .	471
1944 None held . . . . . (war)		1954 Atlantic City . . . . .	314
1946 Columbus . . . . .	366	1956 San Francisco . . . . .	347
1948 Estes Park . . . . .	289	1958 Mackinac Island . . . . .	261

Of ten living past presidents, seven were present for the 49th Biennial GAC: **Thomas A. Cookson, 1932-34; Charles E. Strickland, 1938-40; Dr. Andrew G. Truxal, 1940-42; Winston R. Tate, 1946-48; Harlan B. Selby, 1950-52; J. Bart Aldridge, 1952-54; and W. Lyle Jones, 1954-56.**

*Absent for the first time since 1936 was Past President Shirley E. Meserve, 1924-26, who has attended 18 GACs. In his telegraphic message to the assembled brothers he explained . . . "The eagle eye of a doctor who is an unsympathetic member of Psi Upsilon prevents my attendance, much to my disgust and disappointment. . . . The two other past presidents unable to attend were Leverett S. Lyon, 1936-38, and Howard L. Hamilton, 1948-50.*

With a GAC attendance record *sans peur*, Edward H. Knight, Ind. Gamma '93, signed the register for his *thirty-second consecutive* time. He has attended every meeting of the Grand Arch Council held since his initiation, and also has attended every District Council held in his district during the past 64 years. An attorney at law in Indianapolis, he was accompanied to the GAC by his gracious wife. Their motor trip included a visit to Canada before returning home.

In second place for GAC attendance honors, George E. (Ed) Anderson, W.Va. Alpha '96, of Latrobe, Pa., and Past President Thomas A. (Tommy) Cookson, Ind. Beta '02, of Bloomington, Ind., are tied with 21 each. Ed caught up with Tommy in 1956 when the latter was unable to attend the San Francisco GAC because of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

*With an attendance of 20 each, Edwin M. (Ed) Pomeroy, Pa. Theta '93, of Pittsburgh, and Secretary-Editor Emeritus C. F. (Dab) Williams, Ill. Delta '06, of Cleveland, are keeping the front ranks closed tight. Proving that he is not too young to be a grandfather, Dab was accompanied to Mackinac by his charming young granddaughter, Miss Cynthia J. Rapp, of Racine, Wis. It was Cyndy's first GAC.*

For the second time in the past three GACs West Virginia Alpha took top chapter attendance honors. After leading in 1954 at Atlantic City, they were second to Cal Gamma at San Francisco in 1956. This year they were back on top with 13. Penn Epsilon and Colorado Alpha finished in a dead heat, each with 8. Seven chapters had 7 registrants each, as follows: New York Alpha, Ohio Epsilon, Indiana Beta, Illinois Delta, Nebraska Alpha, Washington Alpha and California Gamma. Those with 6 registered were: Maryland Alpha, Penn Lambda, Missouri Alpha and Kansas Alpha. The three chapters which failed to send undergraduate delegates were Penn Alpha, Penn Iota and Illinois Beta.

**President James C. (Jim) Addison, Iowa Alpha '12, and his wife Irene made the trip from Des Moines by air. It was Jim's 11th GAC, and the fifth for the Fraternity's first lady. He heads his own firm of certified public accountants in Des Moines.**

*Past President J. Bart Aldridge, Okla. Alpha '22, motored from his home in Wewoka, Okla., with his wife Marjory. Attorney, oilman, businessman and SCer, this was his 15th GAC.*

Harvey Andres, Ariz. Alpha '58, whose home is in Regina, Saskatchewan, rode 40 hours on a bus (with no layovers) to register at his first GAC.

**Dick Andrews, Calif. Beta '57, made the trip from Albany, Calif., by plane, train, auto and ferry boat. It was his first GAC.**

*Carville Bevans Jr., Md. Alpha '52, on the Johns Hopkins University staff, drove from Baltimore for his second GAC. En route, he picked up Don Urbancic, Md. Alpha '56 in Sheffield, Pa., then on to Warren, Ohio, where Fred Printz, Md. Alpha '51, joined them for the rest of the trip. This was Fred's 3rd GAC.*

John H. Blankenship, Nebr. Alpha '43, performed yeoman's service at his first GAC by working as acting chairman of the Committee on the State of The Fraternity. A delegate of the New York AA, he is with General Motor's personnel division.

**Hal Boettcher, Calif. Beta '37, flew from Los Angeles to attend his second GAC. An insurance broker, he is currently serving as president of the Southern California AA. He was chairman of the Committee on Finance.**

*William Q. Boyce, Texas Alpha '21, an attorney in Amarillo, Texas, went by air to his first GAC, representing the Texas Panhandle AA. He was accompanied by his wife Ida Mae.*

Earl V. Braden, Pa. Alpha '01, a retired civil engineer specializing in railroad operation, flew to his 16th GAC from his home in Pittsburgh. He represented the Pittsburgh AA.

**Dr. and Mrs. Frederick N. Bussey, Wis. Alpha '19, combined the GAC with a vacation motor trip from their home in Chicago.**

*Archon Dick Butz, Pa. Epsilon '56, was accompanied to his first GAC by his new bride Rosemarie.*

Charles (Chuck) Carabell, Pa. Lambda '56, yielded the District III archonial post to Bill Kitchel at the GAC. Chuck is a management trainee with Woodward and Lathrop, Washington, D.C. department store firm.

**H. E. (Ernie) Clark, Kans. Alpha '17, motored from his home in Decatur, Ill., with his wife Margaret to attend his 19th consecutive GAC. His unbroken series began in 1920. A retired brigadier general, he flew from Paris to Colorado to attend the 1948 GAC; two years earlier, he left the Columbus GAC to fly directly to a new assignment in Germany.**

*Ralph A. Clark, Nebr. Alpha '30, went by air from his home in Lancaster, Calif., to Chicago to join his SC cousin, Ernie, and made the rest of the trip by auto. A 1958 initiate of the SC of Phi Kappa Psi, this was his 7th GAC.*

James H. Coleman Jr., W.Va. Alpha '29, an attorney in Buckhannon, W.Va.,

went by automobile to Mackinac, accompanied by his wife Catherine. This was his 3rd GAC.

**Philip M. Cornelius, Ind. Beta '25, owner of the Cornelius Printing Co. of Indianapolis, represented the Indianapolis AA at his 4th GAC.**

*Dr. Louis D. Corson, W.Va. Alpha '34, an educator of Washington, D.C., went to his 11th consecutive GAC as a delegate of the District of Columbia AA, was chairman of the Scholarship Committee, and was named the Fraternity's Director of Scholarship for the coming biennium.*

Secretary R. D. (Dud) Daniel, Ariz. Alpha '47, who became Secretary when Dab announced his retirement in 1954 at San Francisco, was re-elected without opposition at the 1958 GAC. His unbroken attendance series, begun in 1948, now numbers 6 GACs.

**Dr. J. Fenton (Mike) Daugherty, Pa. Zeta '17, Director of Scholarship 1948-58, attended his 5th GAC with his wife Edna. Mike is head of the physics department of the University of Delaware, at Newark.**

*Burns H. Davison, Ind. Beta '17, insurance executive of Des Moines, was on hand for his 6th GAC, accompanied by his wife Dorothy.*

Hyatt (Pat) Eby, Pa. Kappa '12, attending his 4th GAC, was chairman of the Publications Committee, and acted as "official greeter" for the Detroit Alumni Association. He is an advertising counselor in Detroit.

**President-Elect Robert R. (Bob) Elliott, Ohio Alpha '35, went to his 6th GAC with his wife Libby and their children, Susan and Stephen, via McGregor Bay, Ontario, and five days vacationing in the bush country. He is vice president of Tempo Products Co., Cleveland manufacturers.**

*Lt. Everett (Ev) Elting Jr., Conn. Alpha '56 and USAF '58, flew to his first GAC. He's former Deputy Archon of District I whose home is in Scarsdale, N.Y.*

1958 SCer Edmund J. Felt, N.H. Alpha '15, motored to his 7th GAC with his wife Clara from their home in Buffalo, N.Y., where Ed is an advertising executive.

**H. Fort Flowers, Tenn. Delta '09, and his wife Sara went to Mackinac from their home in Houston, Texas, for his 17th GAC. It was also the 17th GAC for Mrs. Sara Niles Flowers, daughter of the late C. F. M. Niles, President of the Fraternity 1906-08. They have a daughter, Sally, and twin sons, one of whom, Dan, is also a Tennessee Deltan.**

*Henry J. Frenzel, Pa. Iota '23, an Indianapolis banker, attended his 7th GAC and was initiated into the Fraternity's SC.*

Mystagogue John Henry Frizzell, Mass. Alpha '98, retired professor and former chaplain of the Pennsylvania State University, was on hand for his 8th GAC. As chairman of the Committee on Manners, he inspired the delegates with a forceful address on the obligations and responsibilities of all who wear the shield of Phi Kappa Psi.

**Ernest H. Garbe Jr., N.Y. Gamma '40, a New York accountant and past president of the New York AA, signed the register for his 4th GAC.**

*Robert H. (Bob) George, Mich. Beta '54 charter member and first GP of his chapter, went to his 2nd GAC at Mackinac from Detroit, where he is a traffic engineer.*

Fred L. Goss Jr., Ill. Delta '49, used the airlines' family plan to fly to the GAC with his wife and their daughter Kathleen, 6. Their home is in Wilmette, Ill., where he is a sales engineer.

**Bayard M. Graf, Ill. Alpha '44, and his wife Ruthann drove from their home in Wayne, Pa., to their first GAC. The young president of the Philadelphia AA is an attorney.**

*Ralph R. Haney, Calif. Delta '27, retired mining engineer of Los Angeles, flew to Mackinac and his 7th GAC. The new member of the SC has been a tireless worker for Phi Psi as Director of the Tom Platt Fund, Editor of the 1938 Grand Catalog, financial advisor to California Delta, director of the West Coast Placement Bureau and in many other ways.*

William A. (Bill) Hazlett, Md. Alpha '32, flew his Luscombe from Cleveland to St. Ignace in about the same time as it took to complete the journey on the ferry boat to Mackinac. A mechanical engineer attending his 5th GAC, he is a son of Adam J. Hazlett, Pa. Epsilon '06.

**Jim Hickey and Jim French, both Tenn. Delta '56 and both confirmed small car fans, made the trip in one small Renault. There is no truth to the rumor that Jim tried to smuggle the car onto the Island in his overcoat.**

*James W. Higgins, Mo. Alpha '47, who has an insurance agency in Lutesville, Mo., represented the St. Louis AA at his 5th GAC. Jim's report as chairman of the Membership Committee was one of the best. (Ex.—"If you have less than five or more than 150 in the chapter, you have a rushing problem.")*

John R. Holliday, W.Va. Alpha '53, an electrical engineer with Kaiser Corp. at Point Pleasant, W.Va., attended his 2nd GAC with his wife Ramona.

**Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, Ill. Beta '09, chairman of the board of the Don Kemper Co., Chicago advertising firm, attended his 10th GAC with his wife Rebekah. The Joices have a daughter, Mrs. John E. Spiess, a Phi Psi son, John A. Joice, Ill. Beta '39, and seven grandchildren.**

*Past President W. Lyle Jones, W.Va. Alpha '30, an attorney in Clarksburg, W.Va., went to his 13th GAC with his wife Virginia and their two daughters, Callie and Elizabeth. A member of the SC since 1946, he has served the Fraternity as Archon, Director of Fraternity Education, Attorney General and Vice President before his 1954-56 term as President.*

Archon Albert H. Kishman, Ind. Alpha '56, of District IV, and his new bride Janice attended their first GAC at Mackinac.

**J. Edwin Larson, Pa. Beta '20, and his wife made the trip from their home in Tallahassee, Fla., for his 5th GAC. He is State Treasurer of Florida.**

*Ruddick C. Lawrence, Wash. Alpha '31, vice president of the New York Stock Exchange, signed the register at his 3rd GAC. A principal speaker at the GAC Banquet, he is a son of the late Willard C. Lawrence, Wis. Gamma '93.*

Capt. Robert E. (Bob) Lazzell, W.Va. Alpha '42, a former Archon now teaching military science and tactics at Knox College, Galesburg, Ill., made the hazardous journey to his 5th GAC by private auto, taxi, train, another taxi, plane, another plane, bus, boat, carriage, foot.

**Robert E. Leber, Pa. Epsilon '46, general sales manager for Ansbacher-Siegle**



**Corp., of New York, registered for his 6th GAC at Mackinac. A former Archon, he is Director of Fraternity Education.**

*Hugh R. Leininger, R.I. Alpha '25, Chicago insurance executive, attended his 5th GAC with his wife Eugena. He is secretary-treasurer of the Chicago AA.*

Extension Director J. Robert Meserve, Calif. Gamma '34, and his wife Dottie came by airliner from their home in Newport Beach, Calif. An attorney in Los Angeles, this was his 3rd GAC.

**Among those few hardy souls who came from Chicago on a steamer was Charles Y. Milford, Ind. Delta '25, an alumnus delegate attending his 2nd GAC. He is supervisor of traffic studies for the Illinois Bell Telephone Co., Chicago.**

*Archon Tom Millett, Wash. Alpha '55, was the only one among the Archons who had attended two GACs. He was on hand in 1956 when the Council was held in his District VI.*

Attorney General Webb M. Mize, Miss. Alpha '30, went from his home in Mississippi City, Miss. to Mackinac with his wife Virginia and son George. At the 1958 GAC his 7th he was initiated into the SC of Phi Kappa Psi, elected Vice President of the Fraternity—and in September George pledged Phi Psi at Ole Miss. Webb is a partner in the law firm of Mize, Thompson & Mize, Gulfport, Miss.

**Robert A. Parrett, Ohio Alpha '06, vice president of the Cleveland investment firm of Green-Erb & Co., registered for his 11th GAC. He was accompanied by his wife Anne Moore Parrett, a member of Pi Beta Phi. They are parents of two Phi Psi sons: Robert, Ohio Alpha '34, and David, Ohio Alpha '41. Their son-in-law is John P. Fox, N.Y. Epsilon '37.**

*Miss Alice Pfaller, Miss Phi Kappa Psi, of the Fraternity's Cleveland office, again was smoothly efficient in supervising registration, stenographic services and in attending to a thousand administrative details. She has served the Fraternity since 1930. This year she was assisted by Miss Judy Morgan, also of the Fraternity's Cleveland headquarters.*

George F. Phillips, W.Va. Alpha '10 and his wife, Glenn St. Clair Phillips, made the trip to Mackinac from their home in Coral Gables, Fla., where he is a citrus grower. This was George's 10th GAC.

**William Recht Jr., N.Y. Alpha '49, Archon of District I 1951-53, registered for his 5th GAC. A law graduate, he is associated with the Recht Co., a printing supplies firm of New York.**

*Harold B. Reed, Calif. Gamma '14, attended his 4th GAC accompanied by his wife. A Southern California AA delegate, he is an investment banker in Los Angeles and alert West Coast newsman for THE SHIELD.*

Warren S. (Speed) Reed, Pa. Gamma '23, president of the Lewisburg (Pa.) National Bank and chapter advisor to Penn Gamma, motored to Mackinac for his 12th GAC. He has been a member of the SC since 1948.

**Dr. Elmer C. Rossman, Ore. Beta '48, professor at Michigan State University and chapter advisor of Michigan Beta, registered for his first GAC.**

*Archon Harvey Sanderson, N.Y. Beta '55, of District I, made the trip to his first GAC by air from Syracuse, N.Y.*

Coulson M. Scheuermann, Ohio Epsilon '50, an instructor at Case Institute of Technology, motored to his 2nd GAC with undergraduates Bill Orndorff and Bill Thornhill.

**Vernon L. (Vern) Schrimper, Iowa Beta '52, a professional engineer in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was on hand for his 2nd GAC.**

*Past President Harlan B. Selby, W.Va. Alpha '18 and his wife Louise, made the trip from their home in Morgantown, W.Va., where he is a partner in the firm of Laidley & Selby. This was the 13th GAC for Harlan, who has served the Fraternity as Vice President, 1942-46; Treasurer, 1946-50; and President 1950-52.*

Walter Lee Sheppard Jr., N.Y. Alpha '29, went by airliner to Mackinac, where he signed the register for his 14th consecutive GAC. A chemical engineer in Havertown, Pa., he joined the SC in 1942 at the Des Moines GAC. A son of the late Walter Lee Sheppard, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1918-20, he is the first and only SCer, whose father was also a member of the SC.

**John Soller Jr., Ill. Delta '29, comptroller of the Ohio Turnpike Commission, was accompanied by his wife Gertrude and their daughter Nancy to his 6th GAC. The Sollers live in Berea, Ohio.**

*William A. Staats, N.Y. Gamma '14, who retired some years ago and moved from the East to Santa Monica, Calif., was accompanied to the GAC by his wife Florence. A member of the SC since 1930, this was his 12th GAC.*

Past President Charles E. Strickland, Kans. Alpha '11 (1938-40), motored with his wife Esther from their home in Mason City, Iowa, where he is vice president of the Interstate Power Co. Initiated into the SC in 1948, this was his 12th GAC.

**Past President Winston R. (Win) Tate, Kans. Alpha '18 (1946-48), a Kansas City bank president and member of the SC since 1938, added the 14th star to his SC badge at Mackinac. He was the able Symposiarch at the GAC Banquet.**

*Dr. Andrew G. Truxal, Pa. Eta '16, President of Hood College, Frederick, Md., and President of Phi Kappa Psi 1940-42, was a principal speaker at the GAC Banquet. He was accompanied by his wife Deldee to his 14th GAC. Dr. Truxal has served the Fraternity as Archon, Director of Scholarship, and as Vice President before he assumed the Fraternity's highest office in 1940.*

Dr. Theodore J. (Ted) Urban, Ill. Alpha '46, registered for his 5th GAC, accompanied by his wife Sue. He is a biologist and associate professor of biology.

**L. Wainwright Voigt, N.Y. Alpha '17, an investment banker of Pittsburgh, drove down to Mackinac from a Canadian vacation spot with his wife Virginia and daughter Virginia. This was the 8th GAC for SCer Voigt.**

*One of two Phi Psi father-son combinations at the 1958 GAC was Donald K. Weiser, Pa. Epsilon '21 and his son Frederick S. Weiser, Pa. Epsilon '54. Don, who is Chicago manager for Aetna Casualty Co., was chairman of the Committee on Alumni Associations, and after the GAC was named Director of Alumni Associations by the new Executive Council. This was his 5th GAC. Fred, a graduate student in the Lutheran Seminary at Gettysburg, was attending his 2nd GAC. Phi Psi wife and mother, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Weiser, accompanied them to Mackinac.*

Frank S. Whiting Jr., Ill. Delta '45, Chicago investment broker and president of the Chicago AA, motored to his first GAC with his wife Cynthia.

**Gen. Lawrence H. Whiting, Ill. Beta 09, Chicago banker and industrialist, registered for his 7th GAC, where he gave the report of the trustees of the Fraternity's Endowment Fund. He is a brother of Frank S. Whiting, Ill. Beta '13, who is the father of Frank S. Jr.**

*Carter L. (Bones) Williams, Mo. Alpha '13, insurance executive of Kansas City and long-time advisor of Missouri Alpha Chapter, was on hand for his 13th GAC. Inspiring leader of his chapter and its alumni, his younger Phi Psi brothers of Mo. Alpha introduced at the GAC a resolution of respect and appreciation for all his many efforts in behalf of his chapter. It passed unanimously. Bones and his wife Moyne included the GAC as part of a long vacation which included a visit to the Jamestoren Exposition and to Williamsburg, in Virginia.*

**John H. Williams, N.Y. Beta '39, son of the late Past President Howard C. (Army) Williams and Dab's nephew, registered for his 3rd GAC, accompanied by his wife Nancy. He is in the insurance business in Cleveland.**

**Willard O. Wilson, Ind. Delta '14 and his wife Helen, motored to Mackinac from their home in Grosse Pointe, Mich. A Detroit AA delegate, he is on the staff of Wayne State University, Detroit.**

*Harman Yerkes Jr., Pa. Lambda '37, able Secretary of the Philadelphia AA and veteran SHIELD newsman, attended his 3rd GAC, accompanied by his wife Sarah. The Yerkes live in Jenkintown, Pa.*

The second Phi Psi father-son combination at the 1958 GAC was John J. Yowell, Colo. Alpha '14, a Chicago attorney who was re-elected a trustee of the Phi Kappa Psi Endowment Fund. He was accompanied to his 6th GAC by his wife Helen. His son, Kent Yowell, Colo. Alpha '46, also an attorney in Chicago, was a delegate of the Chicago AA attending his 4th GAC. With him was his wife Joyce.



**Formal portrait of the ladies at their 1958 GAC Banquet.**

# 1958 GAC REGISTRATION

ADDISON, JAMES C.	Iowa Alpha	'12	Des Moines, Iowa
AGEE, WILLIAM F.	Ohio Alpha	'56	Cincinnati, Ohio
ALDRIDGE, J. BART	Okla. Alpha	'22	Wewoka, Okla.
ALLAN, ROBERT M.	Wis. Gamma	'56	Oak Park, Ill.
ALLEN, JAMES H.	N.Y. Beta	'56	Binghamton, N.Y.
ANDERSON, GEORGE E.	W.Va. Alpha	'96	Latrobe, Pa.
ANDRES, HARVEY L.	Ariz. Alpha	'58	Regina, Saskatchewan
ANDREWS, RICHARD L.	Calif. Beta	'57	Albany, Calif.
ARATA, RAYMOND J. JR.	Calif. Gamma	'56	San Francisco, Calif.
AUGBURN, GERALD R.	Ind. Gamma	'57	Muncie, Ind.
BAKER, BURDELL W.	Ind. Beta	'20	Chalmers, Ind.
BASSETT, FREDERICK P. JR.	R.I. Alpha	'30	Winnetka, Ill.
BELIASOV, ALEC J.	Pa. Lambda	'53	Columbus, Ohio
BEVANS, CARVILLE G. JR.	Md. Alpha	'52	Baltimore, Md.
BINGHAM, WILLIAM F.	Pa. Eta	'57	Lansdowne, Pa.
BIXBY, ROBERT O.	Ind. Beta	'56	Huntington, Ind.
BLANKENSHIP, JOHN H.	Nebr. Alpha	'43	Westwood, N.J.
BOETTCHER, F. HAL	Calif. Beta	'37	Los Angeles, Calif.
BOHLMAN, HENRY H.	Va. Beta	'56	Arnold, Md.
BOWER, RICHARD C.	Okla. Alpha	'56	Dallas, Texas
BOYCE, WILLIAM Q.	Texas Alpha	'21	Amarillo, Texas
BRADEN, EARLE V.	Pa. Alpha	'01	Pittsburgh, Pa.
BRAMMER, DUANE E.	Colo. Alpha	'56	New Castle, Ind.
BRANDT, GEORGE D.	Ore. Alpha	'56	Klamath Falls, Ore.
BRODIE, ROBERT S. JR.	Pa. Theta	'57	Amsterdam, N.Y.
BROWN, T. BECKLEY	N.Y. Alpha	'56	Watchung, N.J.
BRYANT, TED A.	Mo. Alpha	'57	Carrollton, Mo.
BUCHANAN, GEORGE D. JR.	Pa. Eta	'56	Folsom, Pa.
BULLOCK, FRANK G.	N.Y. Eta	'54	Lockport, N.Y.
BURBRIDGE, GLEN A.	Nebr. Alpha	'58	Omaha, Nebr.
BURR, JAMES G.	Minn. Beta	'58	Edina, Minn.
BUSSEY, DR. FREDERICK N.	Wis. Alpha	'19	Chicago, Ill.
BUTZ, RICHARD R.	Pa. Epsilon	'56	Gettysburg, Pa.
CAMPBELL, J. DUNCAN	Pa. Epsilon	'34	Harrisburg, Pa.
CAMPBELL, WILLIAM F.	Ind. Alpha	'57	Carmel, Ind.
CANDLER, WILLIAM R.	Mich. Alpha	'40	Birmingham, Mich.
CARABELL, CHARLES H.	Pa. Lambda	'56	Arlington, Va.
CARLSON, JAMES A.	Pa. Gamma	'56	Kane, Pa.
CARVER, JOSEPH B.	Pa. Zeta	'56	Beaver, Pa.
CHAMBERLIN, RICHARD H.	Mich. Alpha	'58	Grosse Pointe, Mich.
CHILSON, JOHN H.	N.H. Alpha	'56	Loveland, Colo.
CLANCY, JOHN F.	Ill. Alpha	'56	Kenilworth, Ill.
CLARK, HARRY E. JR.	Kans. Alpha	'17	Decatur, Ill.
CLARK, RALPH A. JR.	Nebr. Alpha	'30	Lancaster, Calif.
CLINE, KENNETH W.	Miss. Alpha	'57	Nashville, Tenn.
COLEMAN, JAMES H. JR.	W.Va. Alpha	'29	Buckhannon, W.Va.
COMER, DONALD W.	Miss. Alpha	'54	Canal Winchester, Ohio
CONWAY, WILLIAM P.	Pa. Epsilon	'56	Bronxville, N.Y.
COOKSON, THOMAS A.	Ind. Beta	'02	Bloomington, Ind.
CORNELIUS, PHILIP M.	Ind. Beta	'25	Indianapolis, Ind.
CORSON, LOUIS D.	W.Va. Alpha	'34	Washington, D.C.
CRANE, TIMOTHY C.	N.H. Alpha	'56	Larchmont, N.Y.
CRISE, JAMES R.	N.H. Alpha	'56	Glenn Ellyn, Ill.
CRONWALL, STANLEY E. JR.	Calif. Beta	'56	Barrington, Ill.
CURRY, MORRIS S.	Okla. Alpha	'56	Dallas, Texas
DALTON, JOHN B. JR.	N.Y. Alpha	'56	Danville, Pa.
DANIEL, RALPH D.	Ariz. Alpha	'47	Cleveland, Ohio
DAUGHERTY, J. FENTON	Pa. Zeta	'17	Newark, Del.
DAVIS, CLARENCE M.	Ill. Beta	'28	Westchester, Ill.
DAVISON, BURNS H.	Ind. Beta	'17	Des Moines, Iowa
DELMONICO, ALFRED E. JR.	N.Y. Beta	'58	Syracuse, N.Y.
DEMARET, RICHARD J.	Pa. Beta	'58	Pittsburgh, Pa.
DENNEY, JON E.	Ohio Alpha	'58	Lincoln, Nebr.
DEVINE, ROBERT F. III.	Pa. Beta	'39	Eric, Pa.
DICK, HALDON C.	Ohio Zeta	'55	Fremont, Ohio
DILLON, MARTIN C.	Va. Alpha	'57	Washington, D.C.
DORN, ROBERT A. JR.	Ohio Beta	'57	Dayton, Ohio
DOWNES, JOHN A. JR.	Pa. Theta	'55	Merchantville, N.J.
DRAKE, MARVIN D.	Ohio Eta	'56	Fostoria, Ohio
EASTBURN, ARTHUR M.	Pa. Kappa	'05	Doylestown, Pa.
EBY, HYATT	Pa. Kappa	'12	Detroit, Mich.
EHRSTEDT, ERROL E.	N.Y. Gamma	'57	Hicksville, N.Y.
ELLIOTT, RICHARD L.	Cal. Beta	'56	Santa Ana, Calif.
ELLIOTT, ROBERT R.	Ohio Alpha	'35	Hudson, Ohio
ELTING, EVERETT E. JR.	Conn. Alpha	'56	Scarsdale, N.Y.

EMBREY, ROBERT D.	Ore. Alpha	'57	Eugene, Ore.
EYNON, ALFRED C. II.	Ohio Epsilon	'57	Canton, Ohio
FELT, EDMUND J.	N.H. Alpha	'15	Buffalo, N.Y.
FERGUSON, LEE H.	N.Y. Alpha	'56	Bradley, N.J.
FERRALL, THOMAS R.	N.C. Alpha	'55	Pittsburgh, Pa.
FISHER, THOMAS K.	Mich. Alpha	'34	Chappaqua, N.Y.
FIX, JOHN N.	Ill. Delta	'58	Evanston, Ill.
FLOWERS, H. FORT.	Tenn. Delta	'09	Houston, Texas
FOX, JOHN JR.	N.Y. Epsilon	'56	Ridgewood, N.J.
FRENCH, JAMES E.	Tenn. Delta	'56	Huntsville, Ala.
FRENZEL, HENRY J.	Pa. Iota	'23	Indianapolis, Ind.
FRIZZELL, JOHN HENRY	Mass. Alpha	'98	State College, Pa.
GARBE, ERNEST H.	N.Y. Gamma	'40	Brooklyn, N.Y.
GEDDES, DONALD C.	Cal. Gamma	'56	Daly City, Calif.
GEORGE, ROBERT H.	Mich. Beta	'54	Detroit, Mich.
GIBBON, CHARLES F.	Kans. Alpha	'58	Hutchinson, Kans.
GIBSON, RICHARD H.	Colo. Alpha	'56	San Carlos, Calif.
GISMERVIG, HAROLD F.	Wash. Alpha	'57	Tacoma, Wash.
GOOD, JAMES W. III.	Nebr. Alpha	'56	Winnetka, Ill.
GOSS, FRED L. JR.	Ill. Delta	'49	Wilmette, Ill.
GRAF, BAYARD M.	Ill. Alpha	'44	Wayne, Pa.
GREEN, RICHARD R.	Ind. Delta	'56	Gary, Ind.
GRENSING, FRITZ K. JR.	Ohio Eta	'55	Toledo, Ohio
GRIFFES, GORDON F.	Mich. Beta	'56	Jackson, Mich.
GUENTHARD, OWEN H.	Calif. Delta	'57	Alhambra, Calif.
GURTNER, GAIL H.	N.Y. Eta	'56	Kenmore, N.Y.
HALL, ROBERT T.	Nebr. Alpha	'58	Elmwood, Nebr.
HANEY, RALPH R.	Calif. Delta	'27	Los Angeles, Calif.
HARRIS, WILLIAM R.	Pa. Lambda	'57	Berkeley Hgts, N.J.
HAVEMAN, KENNETH J.	Mich. Beta	'57	Lansing, Mich.
HAZLETT, WILLIAM A.	Md. Alpha	'32	Cleveland, Ohio
HERBRECHTMEYER, J. RICHARD	Iowa Alpha	'57	Charles City, Iowa
HERSHISER, JOHN J.	Calif. Delta	'56	Santa Ana, Calif.
HICKEY, JAMES C.	Tenn. Delta	'56	Charlestown, Ind.
HIGGINS, JAMES W.	Mo. Alpha	'47	Lutesville, Mo.
HOAG, DAVID H.	Pa. Beta	'57	Pittsburgh, Pa.
HOF, JAMES C.	Nebr. Alpha	'56	Lincoln, Nebr.
HOLLIDAY, JOHN R.	W.Va. Alpha	'53	Pt. Pleasant, W.Va.
HOLLINGSWORTH, WILLIAM C.	Wis. Gamma	'56	Sheboygan, Wisc.
HOLLINGTON, JOHN W.	Ohio Delta	'28	Findlay, Ohio
HOMER, CHARLES C.	Md. Alpha	'20	New York, N.Y.
HOPKINS, JAMES R.	Ohio Delta	'58	Columbus, Ohio
HORSMAN, THOMAS H.	Pa. Gamma	'57	Pittsburgh, Pa.
HOWELL, GEORGE C.	Ind. Delta	'57	Kokomo, Ind.
HOWSON, RICHARD J.	Ind. Alpha	'58	Kalamazoo, Mich.
HUBBARD, ALBERT C. JR.	Va. Beta	'56	Greenville, Del.
JENKINS, THOMAS K.	Ohio Alpha	'56	Marion, Ohio
JOHNSON, JOHN E.	Wash. Alpha	'50	New York, N.Y.
JOHNSON, WILLIAM E.	W.Va. Alpha	'53	Fairmont, W.Va.
JOHNSON, WILLIAM H.	Ill. Delta	'56	Mt. Olive, Ill.
JOICE, CLYDE M.	Ill. Beta	'09	Evanston, Ill.
JONES, W. LYLE	W.Va. Alpha	'27	Bridgeport, W.Va.
JOOR, WILLIAM E. III.	Texas Alpha	'58	Houston, Texas
KAWASAKI, NOBUO	Ore. Beta	'57	Portland, Ore.
KILLION, MEAD C.	Ind. Gamma	'58	Battle Creek, Mich.
KINSTLE, ROBERT B.	Ohio Zeta	'56	Ashland, Ohio
KIRKPATRICK, HARRY D.	Texas Alpha	'57	Borger, Texas
KISHMAN, ALBERT H.	Ind. Alpha	'56	Cleveland, Ohio
KITCHEL, WILLIAM R.	Ohio Epsilon	'55	Ontario, Calif.
KLEINBAUER, WALTER E.	Calif. Gamma	'58	Los Angeles, Calif.
KLOMAN, WILLIAM C.	N.C. Alpha	'55	Washington, D.C.
KNIGHT, EDWARD H.	Ind. Gamma	'93	Indianapolis, Ind.
KOETHER, BERNARD G.	R.I. Alpha	'56	Pelham, N.Y.
KOLLMAYER, KURT J.	Ind. Epsilon	'56	Indianapolis, Ind.
LARSON, JAMES A.	Calif. Epsilon	'57	Claremont, Minn.
LARSON, J. EDWIN	Pa. Beta	'20	Tallahassee, Fla.
LAWRENCE, RUDDICK C.	Wash. Alpha	'31	Bronxville, N.Y.
LAZZELL, ROBERT E.	W.V. Alpha	'42	Galesburg, Ill.
LEBER, ROBERT E.	Pa. Epsilon	'46	New York, N.Y.
LEININGER, HUGH R.	Calif. Delta	'29	Chicago, Ill.
LEWIS, JOHN R.	Pa. Eta	'56	Auburn, N.Y.
LEY, ROBERT L.	Ohio Epsilon	'57	Uniontown, Ohio
LOWMAN, WALTER N.	Pa. Lambda	'53	Lancaster, Pa.
LUNDIN, MARVIN	Wis. Gamma	'55	Deerfield, Ill.
LYONS, DAVID R.	Ore. Alpha	'57	Eugene, Ore.
McBRIDE, BYRON A.	Ariz. Alpha	'58	Denver, Colo.
McCLAIN, MICHAEL F.	Ore. Alpha	'56	Prosser, Wash.
McELHENY, RICHARD L.	Calif. Beta	'55	Long Beach, Calif.

McENIRY, WILLIAM.....	Iowa Beta	'55.....	Melrose, Iowa
McNERNEY, MICHAEL E.....	N.Y. Eta	'56.....	Buffalo, N.Y.
MAHAN, CHARLES S. JR.....	W.Va. Alpha	'57.....	Morgantown, W.Va.
MALIN, RONALD E.....	N.Y. Eta	'57.....	Kenmore, N.Y.
MANSKE, PAUL R.....	Ind. Epsilon	'57.....	Ft. Wayne, Ind.
MATSUSHITA, TATSUO.....	N.Y. Alpha	'57.....	Kearney, N.J.
MATTHEWS, CHARLES H.....	Mich. Alpha	'58.....	Birmingham, Mich.
MAUCK, FRED A.....	Conn. Alpha	'57.....	Danville, Ill.
MAYES, THOMAS K.....	Ill. Delta	'53.....	Maywood, Ill.
MEDENBACH, PHILIP C.....	Md. Alpha	'57.....	Wayne, Pa.
MERRITT, JAMES K.....	Mich. Beta	'57.....	Mountainside, N.J.
MESERVE, J. ROBERT.....	Calif. Gamma	'34.....	Newport Beach, Calif.
MILFORD, CHARLES Y.....	Ind. Delta	'25.....	Chicago, Ill.
MILLETT, THOMAS O.....	Wash. Alpha	'55.....	Seattle, Wash.
MIZE, WEBB M.....	Miss. Alpha	'30.....	Mississippi City, Miss.
MOORE, RAY W.....	Texas Beta	'56.....	Lubbock, Texas
MORESCHI, JOHN P.....	Conn. Alpha	'57.....	Newington, Conn.
MUELLER, GENE A.....	Iowa Alpha	'56.....	San Bernardino, Calif.
MUGLER, FREDERICK D. W.....	Okla. Alpha	'58.....	Lake Charles, La.
NEFF, S. R. (DUKE) JR.....	Mo. Alpha	'56.....	Mission, Kans.
NELSON, CLARKE S.....	Nebr. Alpha	'58.....	Holdrege, Nebr.
NELSON, LARRY C.....	Ohio Beta	'56.....	Elyria, Ohio
NEVINS, JON L.....	Ohio Epsilon	'57.....	Little Rock, Ark.
NEWMAN, ROBERT E.....	Ohio Eta	'58.....	Toledo, Ohio
NEWMARK, KENT P.....	Calif. Gamma	'57.....	Los Angeles, Calif.
NORDLUND, DONALD E.....	Ind. Gamma	'56.....	Waukegan, Ill.
ONG, DONALD R.....	Ore. Beta	'57.....	Lafayette, Calif.
ORNDORFF, WILLIAM J.....	Ohio Epsilon	'57.....	Abovale, W.Va.
OWEN, KENT C.....	Ind. Beta	'58.....	Huntington, Ind.
PARRETT, ROBERT A.....	Ohio Alpha	'06.....	Cleveland, Ohio
PELLER, JAMES J.....	Minn. Beta	'57.....	Minneapolis, Minn.
PERKINS, GEORGE N.....	Kans. Alpha	'56.....	Olathe, Kans.
PHILLIPS, GEORGE F.....	W.Va. Alpha	'10.....	Coral Gables, Fla.
PLATT, ROBERT T. III.....	Oregon Beta	'56.....	Portland, Ore.
POMEROY, EDWIN M.....	Pa. Theta	'93.....	Pittsburgh, Pa.
PRESTON, S. DAVID.....	Pa. Kappa	'56.....	Swarthmore, Pa.
PRICE, PATRICK S.....	Mo. Alpha	'57.....	Maryville, Mo.
PRINTZ, FREDERIC A.....	Md. Alpha	'51.....	Warren, Ohio
PROTSMAN, THOMAS V.....	Mich. Beta	'58.....	Yuma, Ariz.
RADELL, ROBERT R.....	Mich. Alpha	'56.....	Detroit, Mich.
RATLIFF, JAMES R.....	Texas Beta	'58.....	Lubbock, Texas
RAVENCROFT, JOHN A.....	Ill. Delta	'56.....	Skokie, Ill.
RECHT, WILLIAM JR.....	N.Y. Alpha	'49.....	New York, N.Y.
REED, HAROLD B.....	Calif. Gamma	'14.....	Los Angeles, Calif.
REED, WARREN S.....	Pa. Gamma	'23.....	Lewisburg, Pa.
REPP, CARL D.....	Ind. Alpha	'56.....	Huntington, Ind.
REQUIST, C. DENNIS.....	Iowa Beta	'54.....	Stanton, Iowa
REYNOLDS, SAM M.....	Kans. Alpha	'56.....	Kansas City, Kans.
RICHARDSON, GEORGE H.....	Wash. Alpha	'57.....	Waterville, Wash.
RODGERS, ROBERT F.....	Texas Beta	'57.....	Lubbock, Texas
ROSSMAN, ELMER C.....	Ore. Beta	'48.....	East Lansing, Mich.
ROWE, CHARLES.....	Pa. Zeta	'57.....	Columbus, Ohio
RUBY, JON F.....	Ind. Beta	'56.....	Highland Park, Ill.
SANDERS, KEITH P.....	Ohio Zeta	'57.....	Ashland, Ohio
SANDERSON, HARVEY D.....	N.Y. Beta	'55.....	Marcellus, N.Y.
SCHEUERMANN, COULSON M.....	Ohio Epsilon	'50.....	Hudson, Ohio
SCHRIMPER, VERNON L.....	Iowa Beta	'52.....	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
SCHWEITZER, CHARLES N. JR.....	Pa. Lambda	'58.....	Painted Post, N.Y.
SEAWELL, ROLLYN H. III.....	Texas Beta	'57.....	Dallas, Texas
SEIBERT, WILLIAM H.....	N.Y. Epsilon	'56.....	Garden City, N.Y.
SELBY, HARLAN B.....	W.Va. Alpha	'18.....	Morgantown, W.Va.
SHEPPARD, WALTER L. JR.....	N.Y. Alpha	'29.....	Havertown, Pa.
SHRUM, M. CARTER.....	Calif. Delta	'56.....	San Diego, Calif.
SIMMONS, JOHN R.....	Colo. Alpha	'58.....	Grand Junction, Colo.
SIMPSON, STEPHEN W.....	Colo. Alpha	'56.....	Grand Junction, Colo.
SINATRA, RICHARD C.....	Pa. Theta	'57.....	Bellmore, N.Y.
SMITH, GEORGE A.....	Calif. Epsilon	'57.....	Los Angeles, Calif.
SOLLER, JOHN JR.....	Ill. Delta	'29.....	Berea, Ohio
SPAIN, DAVID H.....	Ohio Delta	'58.....	Columbus, Ohio
SPEIL, GEORGE K.....	Ill. Alpha	'57.....	Lake Forest, Ill.
SPRAGUE, GERALD N.....	Wash. Alpha	'57.....	Seattle, Wash.
STAATS, WILLIAM A.....	N.Y. Gamma	'14.....	Santa Monica, Calif.
STEGER, JOSEPH A. III.....	Pa. Epsilon	'56.....	Sharon Hill, Pa.
STRICKLAND, CHARLES E.....	Kans. Alpha	'11.....	Mason City, Iowa
SYPULT, ROBERT P.....	W.Va. Alpha	'54.....	Fairmont, W.Va.
TATE, WINSTON R.....	Kans. Alpha	'18.....	Kansas City, Mo.
TAYLOR, WILLIAM M.....	N.C. Alpha	'56.....	Flossmoor, Ill.



TENZLER, CURTIS R. JR.	Wash. Alpha	'56	Seattle, Wash.
THOMPSON, GEORGE A.	W.Va. Alpha	'57	Washington, Pa.
THORNHILL, JAMES W. III.	Ohio Epsilon	'56	Hubbard, Ohio
TOBIN, JOHN J. JR.	N.Y. Gamma	'58	West Plains, N.Y.
TRUXAL, ANDREW G.	Pa. Eta	'16	Frederick, Md.
TYRRELL, LEO D. JR.	Pa. Eta	'56	Narberth, Pa.
URBAN, THEODORE J.	Ill. Alpha	'46	Omaha, Nebr.
URBANIC, DONALD W.	Md. Alpha	'56	Sheffield, Pa.
VIERREGGER, HENRY E.	Calif. Gamma	'56	Long Beach, Calif.
VOIGT, L. WAINWRIGHT.	N.Y. Alpha	'17	Pittsburgh, Pa.
WAHLERS, DIETRICH F.	Pa. Epsilon	'56	Maplewood, N.J.
WEHRENBURG, RICHARD.	Ind. Epsilon	'55	Ft. Wayne, Ind.
WEISER, DONALD K.	Pa. Epsilon	'21	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
WEISER, FREDERICK S.	Pa. Epsilon	'54	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
WHALING, GEORGE A.	N.Y. Epsilon	'56	Carthage, N.Y.
WHITING, FRANK S. JR.	Ill. Delta	'45	Evanston, Ill.
WHITING, LAWRENCE H.	Ill. Beta	'09	Chicago, Ill.
WILLIAMS, C. F.	Ill. Delta	'06	Cleveland, Ohio
WILLIAMS, CARTER L.	Mo. Alpha	'13	Kansas City, Kans.
WILLIAMS, JOHN H.	N.Y. Beta	'39	Cleveland, Ohio
WILSON, DAVID A.	W.Va. Alpha	'50	Morgantown, W.Va.
WILSON, WILLARD O.	Ind. Delta	'14	Grosse Pointe, Mich.
WILT, ALAN F.	Ind. Alpha	'56	Syracuse, Ind.
WINTER, EDWARD C.	Iowa Beta	'56	Clarinda, Iowa
WITT, ALLAN E.	R.I. Alpha	'56	Stafford Springs, Conn.
YEHLE, KARL.	Mo. Alpha	'57	Maryville, Mo.
YERKES, HARMAN JR.	Pa. Lambda	'37	Jenkintown, Pa.
YOUNG, ROBERT F.	Colo. Alpha	'58	San Marino, Calif.
YOWELL, G. KENT.	Colo. Alpha	'46	Evanston, Ill.
YOWELL, JOHN J.	Colo. Alpha	'14	Glencoe, Ill.
ZINN, GALEN R.	Colo. Alpha	'56	Wheat Ridge, Colo.

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ELLIOTT, STEPHEN R. .... Hudson, Ohio  
ELLIOTT, SUSAN E. .... Hudson, Ohio  
GOSS, KATHLEEN. .... Wilmette, Ill.  
JONES, CALLIE. .... Bridgeport, W.Va.  
JONES, ELIZABETH. .... Bridgeport, W.Va.  
MIZE, GEORGE F. .... Mississippi City, Miss.  
MOORE, THOMAS G.\* .... Canal Winchester, Ohio  
RAPP, CYNTHIA J. .... Racine, Wisc.  
SOLLER, NANCY. .... Berea, Ohio  
VOIGT, VIRGINIA. .... Pittsburgh, Pa.

\*(Pledge—Mississippi Alpha)

# Indiana Betans win "Little 500"



*Bike Exchange*

*Winners Jim Law, Lewis Cook,  
Louis Sharp and Karl Napper  
receive trophy from U. Mc Murtrie*



*First Lap*



*Tina Robin Awards Kisses*

# Phi Psi Wheels Churn to Victory

INDIANA BETANS pedaled to victory and set a new speed record last May in the eighth annual "Little 500" bicycle race at Indiana University.

With a crowd of 15,800 watching, the Phi Psis wheeled out in front at the 10th lap, and for the remaining 190 laps of the 50-mile contest the cinder track glowed as they kept 32 contenders at their backs. When the checkered flag dropped, Phi Psi had set a new speed record for the event—2 hrs., 18 min. and 2 sec. for a blazing average of 21.73 mph. Anchor man Karl Knapper, a senior of Scottsburg, was at the handlebars when Starter Howard Wilcox waved the checkered flag that signaled victory.

There was an added Phi Psi touch to the proceedings when financial broker Uz McMurtrie, Ind. Beta '02, of Indianapolis, represented the Indiana University foundation in presenting the trophy to the team.

Each university class was represented by the winning Phi Psi team. Capt. Jim Law is a junior, of Tipton. Sophomore Lewis Cook lives in Oakland, Calif., and freshman Louis Sharp lives in Indianapolis. Each proved himself a champion by keeping the lead and increasing the lead distance.

The race and all related weekend activities, including a dance, variety show and ice cream social, are strictly for charity. Income is used to provide scholarships

for students working their way through the university.

Second place in the race was won by Sigma Nu, which kept its position throughout most of the race. Phi Gamma Delta was third.

Petite and blond vocalist Tina Robin was on hand to kiss the winners at the finish line. All four Phi Psi cyclists cooperated.

The race got off to a smooth start after a pace lap led by Tony Hulman, owner of the Indianapolis Speedway. Of a different generation, he was not on a bicycle. He rode in an automobile, accompanied by University President Herman B. Wells, Miss Robin and John Young, of the Indiana University Foundation.

There were only two minor accidents to mar the day. Late in the race in the southwest turn, Phi Delt Bill Snapp looked elsewhere and crashed into the bicycle of another team during a rider-exchange. He was borne in a stretcher to the hospital tent where attendants examined his cuts, bruises and scratches. The caution flag went out for one lap on the 108th round for the second mishap. Kappa Sig Bob Perna became detached from his bicycle on an exchange. He had moved into the lane of traffic for a hasty mount, but as he leaped for the seat he missed and hurdled the handlebars. He, too, was quickly taken from the track to the sideline pits and was replaced by a teammate.

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What are PHI PSIs supposed to be?

First, they are supposed to be men of honor. They swore they would be.

Second, they are supposed to be gentlemen, cultured, courteous, scholarly. We kind of drop off on that, I am afraid.

Third, they are supposed to be thoughtful and generous comrades.

One of our Fraternity songs is "Amici," and we sing "*Amici usque*," which means we stick to the other fellow right straight up to the altar even though it means a sacrifice. That is literally what that means. Some of the boys at District Councils asked me and so I found out. That is what it means: we will stick by them, all of them; not just the half dozen or two dozen we know in our own chapter.

We are supposed to work hard; not to see how much work we can get out of, but to work hard and not shirk.

Our Ritual with its charge—and I believe that charge goes back to 1852 almost unchanged—is a code of practical living. It isn't a strait-jacket of "Thou shalt not!" There is nothing in the Ritual which suggests that life in our Chapters or anywhere else should be either monastic, non-social or dull, and as an aged gentleman I would like to tell you a Phi Psi can live up to his Ritual as far as it is humanly possible and to the promises that he swore to keep and still have a grand time in life.—Mystagogue John Henry Frizzell, addressing the 1958 Grand Arch Council.

## Kansas Alpha Rocketeers

**T**HE AIR FORCE has publicized only one ICBM, The Atlas; now the security wraps are off and we can give out some information on three OCBMs (On-Campus-Built-Missiles) developed on the University of Kansas campus by a team of seven Jayhawk Phi Psis. They're called "El Toro," "El Matador," and "El Picador."

Last spring, when some young men's thoughts were turning to other things, the Phi Psis were busy calculating, constructing, testing and firing their homemade rockets. "El Toro" and "El Matador" were real blasts; but (borrowing some phrases from their elders in the same business), "El Picador" was only "a technical success."

Before we blast off with the rocket results, let's meet the Phi Psi rocket team and learn their project titles. Dick Gilmore, of Omaha, is project director; his assistant is Larry Ostertag, of Kansas City. Chief technical consultant is Chuck Gibbon, of Hutchinson; Jerry Brown, of North Kansas City, is the team's propellant expert; Jack McDonald, of Mission, is ballistics and flight calculator; and Craig McKinnis, of Stockton, is ordnance and range safety officer. With fuel costing one dollar



Dick Gilmore, Fred Benson, Larry Ostertag, Jerry Brown.

a pound, the team needed a budget and finance director. He's Fred Benson, of Independence.

"El Toro" hit a calculated speed of 196 mph and gained an estimated altitude of 600 feet. "El Matador" passed the 1,000-foot mark and was calculated to have reached a speed in excess of 250 mph. Both were one-stage rockets made of seamless, high quality steel tubing, powered with a solid fuel mixture which included zinc and sulphur. They were between 18 and 24 inches long with a  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch diameter.

Spurred on by initial successes, the team next put together "El Picador," 30 inches long and  $2\frac{1}{4}$  inches in diameter, with a detachable nose cone to enable fueling from the top. This rocket was loaded with six pounds of propellant in contrast to two pounds used in the smaller rockets. "El Picador" was a success in that the ignition worked and the fuel burned, but there was a slight mechanical failure.

Among many things learned from test firings, the team found that for safety and efficiency the rockets should be electronically fired. For this they use an old neon sign transformer.

The team reorganized this fall for further exploits, but whether this year's plans include a moon shot or not can't be learned. Security wraps again have been put on the project.



Dick Gilmore and "Matador"

## A Phi Psi Tale of Long Ago\*

**I**N A DELIGHTFUL feature article which appeared in the July 7, 1958 St. Louis *Post-Dispatch*, Adele Starbird tells of an exchange of letters between "an impecunious young man in Missouri," Henri Chomeau, Mo. Alpha '70, and his wealthy friends, the Field brothers, Eugene, a member of Beta Theta Pi, and his brother, Roswell Field, Mo. Alpha '69.

The year was 1872, and the Fields were trying to persuade Henri Chomeau to accompany them on a two-year trip to Europe. They would pay all his expenses. First, Eugene Field wrote him that his brother Roswell would need, and relish, Henri's company when Eugene was "flying about the continent." Henri, a man of strong principles, undoubtedly refused, for soon a letter arrived from Roswell Field, imploring Henri to change his mind and go along with them to Europe. In part, he wrote: "Granted that you are a poor boy, that you are now earning money to defray your future expenses, that your parents are old and have no capital to furnish you. Along comes a young man of some means to whom you have become endeared in college. He says, 'Come on, old boy, I have some money. Let's off to Europe and we shall have a common purse.'" Again the firm-principled Henri Chomeau graciously refused his friend's offer.

Roswell Field was as adamant in offering as his friend Henri Chomeau was in refusing. In a second letter to Henri, he wrote: ". . . You haven't presented arguments, but simply expressed convictions. First, that I would lose by acting against my own interests. My dear fellow, am I not consulting my own interests? Is it not to my interest that just on the eve of a long voyage into a strange land I should ask the attendance and friendship of a faithful chum who understands a language almost indispensable to a traveler? Is it not to my interest that I should have one near me to watch over me in sickness and advise me in health? Is it not to my interest to



Lifetime Phi Psi brothers Henri Chomeau, right, and Roswell Field.

see the wonders and delights of the old world with him whose concordant feelings and common home, our native city, would render him the most pleasant companion and truest friend? . . . Thus do I try to overcome your scruples. May I succeed!"

In almost pure O. Henry fashion, Adele Starbird concludes the story with this paragraph:

"Surely no invitation was ever extended more graciously. But the young man did not accept. Perhaps that is why they remained friends all their lives. . . . I am the daughter of the young man, Henri Chomeau, who was too poor and too independent to go to Europe, and I am very glad that it was so."

Henri Chomeau died Aug. 18, 1929 at the age of 81, after a long and successful life as a civil engineer in Missouri. In addition to his daughter, Dean Adele Chomeau Starbird, of Washington University, St. Louis, he had a Phi Psi son, Richard D. Chomeau, Mo. Alpha '20, who lives in Kirkwood, Mo.

\*With a moral for today—Ed.

## It Could Happen to You

**W**EBSTER, in defining nostalgia, indicates it is a wistful or excessively sentimental yearning for return to some past period or irrecoverable condition. Every Phi Psi alumnus who has given any thought to his "good old days" in the chapter house has a touch of nostalgia in him; he'd like to go back to those golden days, if only he could. But he wrongfully dismisses the idea as impossible—that those days have been lived and are gone forever.

The following "case history" is a true one. It is the tale of a Phi Psi who had wandered far afield from the Fraternity, accidentally stumbled back into it, and was ashamed, surprised and sorry that he had ever strayed so far from it. He could be eligible for "Phi Psis Anonymous," for there are many others like him.

For him, the weeks between chapter meetings had lengthened over the years to one annual return to the campus for Homecoming and the football game, followed by a brief meeting at the Phi Psi house with the greying and balding brothers who were his contemporaries. The new generation wearing the shield seemed to him to be *so young*, and the gap between his era and their era so wide that it almost embarrassed him. Two years ago, when invited to stay for dinner and a few hours in the evening, he was on the verge of declining politely with the excuse of a "long trip ahead of him" when he changed his mind and accepted. This, as he reported it, was the turning point. He learned many things that evening. Most important, he thought the undergraduate "youngsters" were very much the sort of fellows his group was in an earlier day. Dinner hour hadn't changed much over the years . . . the food was as good as ever ("it might even have been *better*, but I wouldn't admit it, because we were mighty proud of our meals in those days"), among the songs they sang were many of the old ones, and the natural kinship of one Phi Psi with another was as close as it ever was. He was surprised by the "surplus of maturity" the undergradu-

ates possessed, and was equally surprised by the feeling that he seemed to shed about thirty years in fifteen minutes. (Dab Williams has long termed this "recharging one's Phi Psi batteries.") Long before the desert course arrived he was relaxed, at ease and comfortable—"with the feeling that I was back home again." That's when he was convinced that age means nothing in Phi Psi; that the term *brothers* levels both time and circumstance. He then understood that being a Phi Psi is a lifetime privilege.

Driving homeward the next day, he asked himself where he's been all those years "since that long June speech and handful of parchment?" Well, he reflected, a lot of things had happened to him.

First it was a job, followed shortly thereafter by a new bride, and then a budding family to go with a mortgage "that seemed as big as an atomic mushroom." He was a busy man during those first years, one of those who had to rebuild his business after three years fighting in a very miserable war. Somewhere along the line Phi Psi was gradually eased into a far corner while he was busy establishing himself in his community, busy with new civic and service organizations he had joined, busy raising his family, busy twice building his business. But now he realized that he really hadn't been too busy to spend one day a year at the Phi Psi house, or to go to a Phi Psi luncheon once a month, or to observe Founders Day once a year. He had just plain neglected it.

Although he had to drive fifty miles each way, he has attended the past two Founders Days with the group nearest his small home town. He'll be there again in '59. He's been back to his chapter at least twice each year and looks forward hopefully for any excuse to make a business trip close to the campus so he can get an "extra day" with his Phi Psi younger brothers.

He has seen the light.

It could happen to you. Ask yourself if you are so busy that you cannot attend Founders Day once a year, go to a Phi Psi



luncheon once a month (or more often, as you will once you get started) and make at least two visits to your own—or the nearest—Phi Psi chapter. If you can truthfully say that you are too busy, then you are undoubtedly on the road to amassing a fortune you will never live to enjoy. Will it to the Fraternity.

The Fraternity needs your loyalty and support. You need the sincere friendship and fellowship that Phi Kappa Psi has to offer. The time to do something about it is *now*, and there's no better start than to join the sons of Letterman and Moore who will celebrate the 107th Anniversary of the Fraternity at 1959 Founders Day.

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## THE "GEE-EYE" PHI PSI

LT. BERNARD C. BANKS JR., Pa. Zeta '54, recently completed the airborne course at The Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., and was awarded his parachutists wings. He is a 1957 graduate of Dickinson College.

LT. DALE K. BRUDUIG, Calif. Epsilon '54, recently participated in a Louisiana CON-ARC maneuver. A platoon leader in Troop C, 13th Cavalry, he is a 1957 graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles.

LT. DONALD M. BUCY, Nebr. Alpha '54, has finished a medical service specialty course for newly-commissioned officers at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He is a 1958 graduate of the University of Nebraska.

LT. PHILIP G. COX, Iowa Alpha '54, a 1957 graduate of the State University of Iowa, and—

LT. ROY D. DAVIS, Okla. Alpha '55, a 1957 graduate of the University of Oklahoma, and—

LT. ROBERT R. ENGER, Calif. Epsilon '54, a 1958 graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles, all were graduated this past summer from the officers basic course at The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

LT. PRESTON B. FLETCHER, N.H. Alpha '53, is a pilot stationed at Dover Air Force Base who is currently flying C-124 Globemasters to Europe, North Africa, the Middle East. . . . He is a 1955 graduate of Dartmouth College.

LT. JACK L. IRWIN, Nebr. Alpha '54, finished the basic officers course last August at The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga. He is a 1957 graduate of the University of Nebraska.

LT. RICHARD E. LOWELL, Mo. Alpha '54,

is assigned to Headquarters Btry., 7th Division Artillery, in Korea. He was graduated from the University of Missouri in 1957.

LT. JAMES G. MILANI, Iowa Alpha '52, completed the officers basic course at The Infantry School last July. He is a 1958 graduate of the State University of Iowa.

LT. WALTER MITTON, Pa. Epsilon '53, who received his wings at Ellington Air Force Base in November, 1957, has been promoted "to first" and has completed the SAC advanced navigation training at Mather Air Force Base, Sacramento, Calif.

PFC. WALTER K. PATTERSON, N.Y. Beta '53, is a paratrooper with Company B, 501st Infantry of the 101st Airborne Division, stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C. He is a 1956 graduate of Syracuse University.

LT. FERD J. SAUEREISEN, Pa. Beta '54, recently completed the motor officer course at the Army European Engineer-Ordnance School in Murnau, Germany. He is regularly assigned to the 12th Transportation Company, in Boeblingen.

LT. LAWRENCE E. STOCKETT, Tenn. Delta '49, is in Vietnam as a member of the Military Assistance Advisory Group at Saigon. He attended Vanderbilt University and was graduated from the U.S. Military Academy in 1955.

LT. HUGH G. WAITE, Ore. Beta '51, is assigned as a recreation officer at Special Troops Headquarters, 7th Army, at Vaihingen, Germany. He is a 1954 graduate of Oregon State College.

LT. RICHARD C. WINCHESTER, Pa. Zeta '54, was graduated from the basic officers course at The Infantry School last June. He is a 1957 graduate of Dickinson College.

# PHI PSIS . . . .

## *going places . . . . doing things*

### **Commissioner of Internal Revenue**

DANA LATHAM, Ohio Alpha '17, a law partner in the Los Angeles firm of Latham & Watkins, has been named new commissioner of internal revenue by President Eisenhower.

Born in Galesburg, Ill., in 1898, he was graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors from Ohio Wesleyan University in 1920 and was later graduated from Harvard Law School. After practicing in Chicago he went to Los Angeles in 1927, where he has become well known as a tax expert.

A former president of the Los Angeles Bar Association and a former trustee of Ohio Wesleyan University, he is a trustee of Occidental College and the John Tracy Clinic. He is also a former head of the Los Angeles Traffic Association.

A Los Angeles *Times* editorial said of him: ". . . Latham has ideal qualifications for the job; long experience in the practice of tax law in Los Angeles, service as a special attorney for the Internal Revenue Service in Washington and San Francisco and in 1954-55 further government service as special adviser to Herbert Hoover Jr., then serving as Undersecretary of State."

### **Phi Psis in November Elections**

Two Phi Psi candidates in elections of national interest went down in defeat this November as Democrats seemed to stage a nationwide comeback. In Kansas, the son of a former Kansas governor, CLYDE M. REED JR., Kans. Alpha '35, publisher of the *Parsons (Kans.) Sun*, was defeated by his Democratic opponent in the gubernatorial race. In West Virginia, Republican JOHN D. (JACK) HOBLITZELL, W.Va. Alpha '31, named to fill the Senate vacancy occasioned by the death of the late Senator Matthew Neely, was unsuccessful in his bid to return to the United States Senate for a full term (*THE SHIELD*, March, 1958).

### **New Reserve Chief**

LT. GEN. HERBERT B. POWELL, Ore. Alpha '23 charter member, has been assigned as the new Deputy Commanding General for Reserve Components, U.S. Continental Army Command, with headquarters at Fort Monroe, Va.

General Powell's previous assignment was at Fort Benning, Ga., as Commanding General of the Infantry Center and Commandant of the Infantry School.

### **Named to Hall of Fame**

FRED W. BUCK, Minn. Beta '05, active in Duluth, Minn., civic affairs for over half a century, was recently named the 34th member of Duluth's Hall of Fame. He retired last year as president of a Duluth real estate firm.

### **Phi Psis Win Improvement Award**

Ohio Epsilon Chapter has won the 1957-58 President's Improvement Award, given annually to that fraternity on the Case Institute of Technology campus which shows greatest improvement or achievement in scholarship, participation and spirit, service to Case and community, general decorum and fraternity management. When the \$250 award was made, it was pointed out that Phi Psi was far ahead of its nearest competitor.

Case Tech, campus student publication, made this editorial comment: ". . . "When the award was first suggested last year there were comments in some quarters that it would prove nothing, that inequities in the rating system would cause less deserving houses to score well. Undoubtedly there are fraternity men today who do not agree with the decision of the committee. These men should examine their fraternities more closely, for the Phi Psi margin of victory was so great that it cannot be disputed."

### **Awarded Silver Buffalo**

JOHN R. DONNELL, Ohio Epsilon '31, vice president of supply and transportation of the Ohio Oil Co., was awarded the Boy Scout Silver Buffalo for "distinguished service to boyhood," at the annual meeting of the Scout National Council in Chicago. It is the highest award bestowed by the National Council.

Brother Donnell entered scouting as a tenderfoot in 1924. He has been a member of the Put-Han-Sen area council executive board since 1936 and has served as its president from 1950 to 1952. He has been a member of the Region IV executive committee since 1941 and was chairman from 1953 to 1956. He has served as a member of the national executive board since 1953 and this year is national camping chairman. Put-Han-Sen council awarded him the Silver Beaver in 1950 and the Silver Antelope award in 1949 for outstanding service to Region IV.

He is a trustee of Case Institute of Technology, chairman of the board of the First National Bank of Findlay, and a director of the Toledo Trust Co.

Brother Donnell is a son of OTTO D. DONNELL, Ohio Epsilon '07, a member of the SC of Phi Kappa Psi; his Phi Psi brother is OTTO D. DONNELL JR., Calif. Beta '35; and soon the family will boast three generations of Phi Psis, for the current newsletter from Ohio Epsilon announces the pledging of John Donnell, Findlay, Ohio.

### **Mississippi Judges**

In the Mississippi primary elections, three Phi Psi alumni of Ole Miss were named by the Democrats for judicial posts, which is tantamount to election. They are: J. F. GUYNES '96, of Hazelwood, and WILLIAM H. ANDERSON '30, of Ripley, who were nominated as Chancery Judges; and TAYLOR H. McELROY '30, of Oxford, nominated as a Circuit Judge.

### **Joins Law Firm**

RICHARD J. STEINBERG, Ind. Epsilon '53, has joined the Milwaukee law firm of Jerome D. Grant, as an attorney at law.

### **Commands Naval Forces, Korea**

ADM. EUGENE B. MCKINNEY, Ore. Alpha '23 charter member, has been assigned as Commander Naval Forces, Korea, and Naval member of the United Nations Military Armistice Commission.

Active in the District of Columbia Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi when in that area, his brothers there sent him the following communication:

"By resolution, unanimously approved, the District of Columbia Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity wish you the heartiest of congratulations on your most recent promotion to so vital a Command. We are justly proud of one of our most illustrious Brothers who is ever moving closer to the pinnacle of his chosen profession. Our only sorrow is, that the Navy's gain is our loss. We are waiting patiently for your return to the District of Columbia."

### **Promoted by Diamond Alkali**

C. C. BRUMBAUGH, Pa. Mu '27, director of engineering for the Diamond Alkali Co. since 1954, has been appointed a vice president of the firm.

A veteran of twenty-one years with the Diamond Co., he has played an important role in developing the company's research and engineering program. He is the inventor of five important processes used by Diamond, and holds a number of minor patents.

A graduate of Carnegie Institute of Technology, he lives with his wife and two children in Painesville, Ohio.

### **President of J. C. Penney Co.**

WILLIAM M. BATTEN, Ohio Delta '29, who began his career with the J. C. Penney Co. as an extra salesman in 1926 at Parkersburg, W.Va., recently was named president of the department store chain which has 1,689 stores throughout the country.

In 1940 he joined the company's personnel department, and eleven years later was named assistant to the president. Prior to his most recent promotion he had been a vice president of the company for five years.



Frank Kelley, N.Y. Gamma '28, foreign correspondent for the New York *Herald Tribune*, returned to New York for re-assignment after completing a three-year tour of duty as chief of the *Herald Tribune's* Paris Bureau. After a three-month leave, Brother Kelley will join the paper's City Staff where his experience and world background will be put to use clarifying major news events of both national and city scope. Frank joined the European Edition of the *Herald Tribune* in 1933 fresh out of Columbia College ('31) and Columbia's School of Journalism. He joined the New York paper in London in 1937. One of his assignments was covering the Nazi blitz of London. From there he shifted to Washington to cover the State Department, White House and other beats. A desire to be where there's action led to a tour of duty in the Pacific in the company of the U.S. Marines making their many amphibious landings en route to Tokyo. He returned to Europe in 1952 and successive assignments sent him to the Soviet Union, Yugoslavia, London, Geneva and Rome prior to Paris. Brother Kelley has agreed to share some of his personal experiences with the New York Alumni Association at their fall luncheon to be held at the Architectural League, 115 East 40th Street. RH.

### On Executive Board

H. E. (Ed) KNACHEL, Ohio Alpha '22, a Cleveland attorney, has been named to the executive board of the National Association of Railroad Trial Counsel.

### Iowa State Athletes

DWIGHT NICHOLS, Iowa Beta junior, who won last year's award as the Fifth District's Outstanding Athlete, finished the 1957 football season with third national honors in total offense. A tailback, Dwight is again outstanding on this year's Iowa State team.



Nichols



Powell

FRANK POWELL, Iowa Beta '55, was named Iowa State's Athlete of the Year, 1957-58. An outstanding linebacker and blocking back on the 1957 gridiron, he was also captain of the varsity wrestling team. He placed second in the NCAA 177-lb. class.

### Fifty Years Ago . . .

An alert Phi Psi news scout sent in the following clipping from a May, 1958, issue of the Delaware, Ohio, *Gazette*:

#### "Hatless Fad Stirred Wesleyan"

"Today a hatless student body might be classed as normal, but 50 years ago, when Ohio Wesleyan students adopted the fad, it caused considerable commotion. There was even apprehension among merchants who had stocked an abundant supply of straw hats.

"How does a fad get started? An ingenious student, a Phi Psi named Manley (Louis Kenneth Manley, Ohio Alpha '05?), who had lost his hat, cleverly maneuvered this one.

"At the Pan-Hellenic banquet attended by representatives of all the fraternities, Manley presented a well prepared resolution calling on all students to discard hats and acquire a healthy tan for the balance of the term. Thus a hatless minority became a hatless majority."

# PHI PSIS . . . . on the campus

## District I

### New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 19)

We are off to a great start with a refurbished house and twenty-five worthy pledges acquired from a most successful and enjoyable rushing period. In the list we find varsity wrestlers, swimmers, and baseball and soccer players along with the many who will bolster the various athletic teams of the house. Anticipating initiation to the Brotherhood are Jim E. Alfaro, Thomas E. Allen, Donald S. Baker, Henry J. Baum, Frederick R. Baumann, William B. Berneking, Stephen D. Bickel, Jerry M. Cantril, Jonathan L. Cohen, Richard T. Craig, Joe B. Dean, Ivar A. Jozus, Gregg B. Millett, Bruce A. Molinaroli, John S. Moxon, Charles A. Peterson, David L. Petrie, John K. Prescott, Abraham S. Ross, Gordon C. Wentworth, John W. Wilhelm Jr., Peter Farquhar, Paul F. Kaplan, William J. Kupinse Jr., and Thomas C. Wood. Pledgemaster Ben Parish sees to it that the neophytes complete their constructive tasks in a well-mannered way.

Whether the pledges make up for our losses remains to be seen. Pablo Lozano, Marsh Morgan and George Hampton have taken a leave of absence, and Pete Richmond finds his charming wife better company than the brothers. Rick Hite is the chapter's ambassador to Spain, where he is studying this year. Although we miss last year's seniors, several of them are still in the neighborhood and visit us on occasion.

Speaking of occasions, we all "lived it up" on the long-to-be-remembered football weekends. We even played host to a multitude of alumni October 4 who, I am sure, had a great time at our cocktail parties and dances. They were delighted to see the amazing accomplishments by the House Improvement Committee whose support depends on the generosity of the alumni. However, a new automatic washer and dryer were installed and paid for solely by the undergraduates, with thanks to Bill Steck.

Summer activities varied immensely for the brothers. GP John Chilson, Tim Crane and Jim Crise represented us at Phi Psi's Grand Arch Council. Pete Farquhar traveled to Alaska in order

to complete some geological studies (and came back with an unkempt beard). Social chairman Dave Sammons took one of the greatest steps in his life by getting married. John Cook had an exciting time doing archaeological work in North Dakota, and Tony Monzo spent much time in riding down to his home in South America by motor scooter. Then there were those who took cruises and went to summer camps to fulfill ROTC requirements. Craig Jameson took his vacation in Europe. Most of us strived to avoid the consequences of the recession.

SHELDON A. LIPPE, *Correspondent*

### Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—12 in 16)

The start of another academic season at Brown finds Phi Psi engaged in intramural sports, rushing and social functions. On the intramural scoreboard, our football team has made a five and two record with one game to play. Directed by Pledge Montgomery and Brother Goebel the program is moving fast, with volleyball, tennis and basketball being played this fall.

Informal rushing, under the direction of Charlie Chaffee, started earlier than ever this year. Although formal rushing does not start until February, the house is holding seven open houses for the freshmen before that date, as are the other fraternities. At our first open house we had close to one-third of the entire freshman class.

Hal Lardaro has given us some great events as social chairmen. Aside from the house battles over what kind of cocktails will be served, the parties have been a great success. Parents Weekend will be held Nov. 7-8.

Homecoming Weekend featured Friday and Saturday night parties and a cocktail party after the Dartmouth game. While speaking of Homecoming, have you ever seen a twelve-foot bear do the hula-hoop? For the annual poster contest that is just what the Phi Psi genius did. After weeks on planning boards on the part of the house engineers (reminiscent of the war effort), the mechanics were mastered and artist Montgomery took over the coordination and completion of his gigantic "baby."

Many alumni have returned to the house this fall after football games. Among others Brothers Wilson, Young, Quint, and Grey have returned to see how the other half still lives. And while we're on the subject, we want to thank those kind alumni

This first issue of Volume 79 marks the 89th time every chapter has responded with a newsletter, covering more than a quarter-century. And we pause to note with amazement (and raised eyebrows) that Cal Beta's AG, Ivan Ruby, is establishing his own little record by promptly forwarding his *eleventh consecutive newsletter*. He began in March, 1956.

who have sent us donations. They are the most welcomed and most gratefully received. Brothers Jones, Marshall and Hastings are lost (to bachelorhood), all engaged . . . Brothers Barnes had his pencil and paper taken away . . . someone has been heard telling submarine stories . . . bruise marks are seen on Pledge Stanford's head, apparently from a scrub brush . . . thanks to a great pair of parents from the house for Homecoming Weekend . . . a certain Providence laundry reports that they are unable to handle all his white shirts . . . rules club met last week on the third floor . . . and so Phi Psi rolls on to even greater accomplishments.

ROBERT A. HASTINGS, *Correspondent*

#### **Connecticut Alpha—Trinity College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—3 in 9)*

Since our last newsletter, Connecticut Alpha has been very busy with an amazing variety of projects and activities. In the latter part of May, the entire house, under the tireless (and tiresome) leadership of the seniors, undertook a project of magnanimous dimensions. We constructed a retaining wall for our front lawn which for the past several years has been lashed by wind and rain with the result that all topsoil has disappeared down the street. On May 2 the last brick was laid into place and the job was completed.

On May 1 two new members were initiated into the brotherhood in an early morning ceremony with a champagne breakfast. The new brothers are Gordon Martin, New York; and Bruce Stone, Hamden.

That same evening the girls started to arrive for the senior ball weekend, and on Friday the weekend officially started. That night Phi Psi had a large houseparty featuring Ralph Stuart's orchestra. The party was a huge success. Saturday afternoon the annual soapbox derby was run with Phi Psi represented by fearless Mike Lieber in an antiquated version of a baby carriage. Dressed in diapers and a baby bonnet, Mike was truly the hit of the afternoon, even though his vehicle failed to finish. (It fell apart right in front of the chapter house.) Saturday evening the Senior Ball was held. Sunday, various jazz concerts provided the entertainment and Sunday evening another unforgettable weekend came to a close.

On May 14, after many years of trying and narrowly missing, we finally managed to win the annual IFC sing, and the huge cup now occupies our mantel. Also in May, we were blessed with a new legacy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen See.

In softball, led by Ev [whirlwind] Elting, we managed to salvage three games from our seven game schedule. Brothers Swift and Gladfelter ably represented us on the golfing scene.

On the varsity level we had several brothers holding positions on spring teams. In lacrosse, Dick Lomnitzer and Gordy Martin figured prominently. Gordy, in the season opener against Brown, scored

the tying goal in a game which Trinity eventually won in overtime. Dick Perkins was a member of the golf team for his third straight year. And on the baseball scene, Myles McDonough, one of the outstanding athletes on the Trinity campus, led the Bantam pitching staff to another highly successful season.

Over the summer, Dusty McDonald was married to Miss Ruth Jones, and Al Krupp was married to Miss Judy Peck.

We are proud to present sixteen very fine pledges after a very successful rush week. They are: Bob Dinsmore, Hartford; Art Gregg, Darien; Bill Handler, Manchester; John Herzig, New York City; Pete Kreisel, Jenkintown, Pa.; Phil Lovell, Bronxville, N.Y.; Peter Lue, Kingston, Jamaica, N.Y.; Mark Lyndrup, Clifton, Ill.; Gilbert Mackin, Groton; George Pare, Thompsonville; Jack Perry, Bridgeport; Gene Refalvy, Califon, N.J.; Don Rotenberg, Fall River, Mass.; Les Schoenfeld, Haverhill, Mass.; Tom Swift, Brooklyn, N.Y.; and Tom Wilson, Norwich.

On September 27, Lyman Hoover, Scarsdale, N.Y., and Robert Thibeault, Medford, Mass., were initiated into the brotherhood in an early morning ceremony.

We would like to thank Illinois Beta and California Gamma for the hospitality shown to Bruce Stone on his trip this summer.

TIMOTHY HORNE, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Alpha—Cornell University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—30 in 50)*

From the warmth and sunshine of summer to Ithaca and its infamous rain came NYAlphas on September 19 with unbounded enthusiasm for our annual fall work session. After four days of hard labor the coal bin had been replaced by an extended bar and recreation area, rooms renovated, and the grounds improved considerably.

The most important event so far this year, however, was initiation held September 25. As a result, New York Alpha can boast of twenty fine, new members. A week following this came the annual initiation banquet and we were honored to have Secretary Dud Daniel with us for the occasion. Dean of Men Frank Baldwin, as toastmaster, introduced alumnus Ho Ballou who in turn introduced GP Lee Ferguson who welcomed the new initiates. As the outstanding pledge, Bob Cunningham received a copy of the *Centennial History*.

At Cornell's Homecoming football game we were glad to make and renew acquaintances of those alumni who were able to return. We regret more could not make it but expect to see additional ones in the coming weeks.

Speaking of football, two NYAlphas are members of this year's Big Red. Both tackles, Tom Revak is a regular starter and Woody Sponaugle also strengthens the line for an improved team.



Very much to our credit and reflecting the leadership of Phi Psi on the Cornell campus, five brothers were elected to Sphinx Head, senior men's honorary. The recently-elected are: Jim Coatsworth, president; Jim Mitchell, Tatsy Matsushita, Dick Cole and El Moger.

As a final note, Rushing Chairmen Bob McDermott and Al Foose would greatly appreciate names of prospective rushees for the spring term.

JOHN P. WRIGHT, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Beta—Syracuse University**

*(No Scholastic Report)*

All the Betans are back and looking forward to a good year scholastically and socially. Our first party is planned for Cornell weekend and should prove "interesting."

Last spring we won the golf trophy through the efforts of John McFall, Harvey Sanderson, Don Reid, John Powers and Art Bradley. We also went up nine places in scholastic standing among fraternities.

News from the alumni shows Gale Worstill stationed at Hancock Field. Jim Young married three weeks ago and now flying jets for Uncle Sam, Oz Winters also married three weeks ago, and Harvey Sanderson working at Radio WONG in Oneida.

Don Reid proved himself militarily and was cited as "distinguished" at summer camp and also earned expert marksman rating with the highest score among Syracuse University riflemen.

Rushing is now taking place smoothly except that Bob Doettling is going crazy keeping us together on Friday nights. Guess Bob doesn't like girls the way the rest of us do.



**New York Beta officers, in usual order: Fred Delmonico, AG; John Powers, VGP; and Pete Buddelli, BG.**

Our new officers are Jim Allen, GP; John Powers, VGP; Pete Buddelli, BG; and Fred Delmonico, AG. Don (Scoop) Harding was appointed official photographer.

It seems a new annex was added to our house during the summer. Parties and get-togethers were held at Fred Delmonico's home with as many as twenty in attendance. One of the more astute members even spent the whole summer there. That's okay, John—the McFalls' will have visitors next Easter.

ALFRED DELMONICO, *Correspondent*

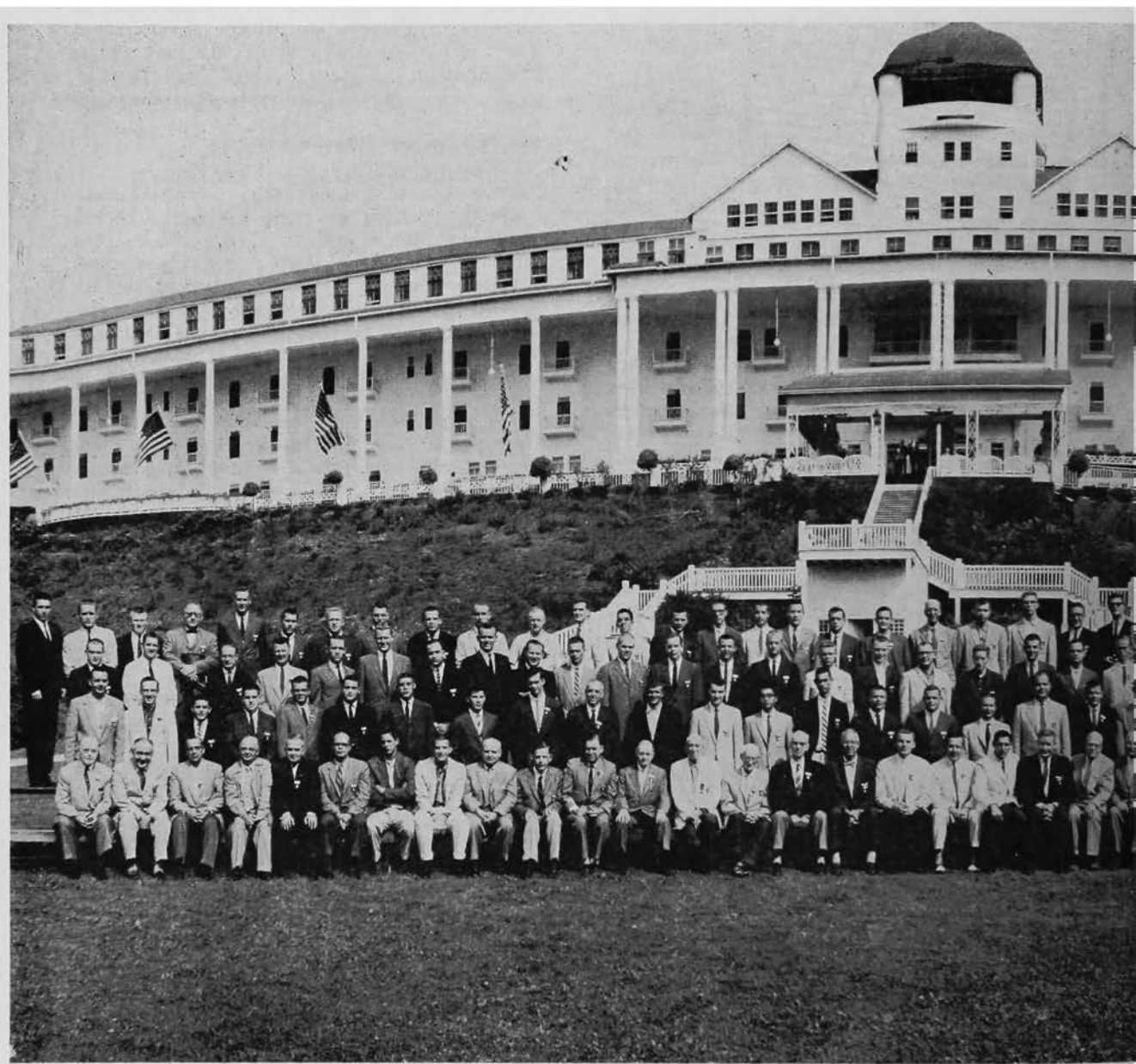
#### **New York Gamma—Columbia University**

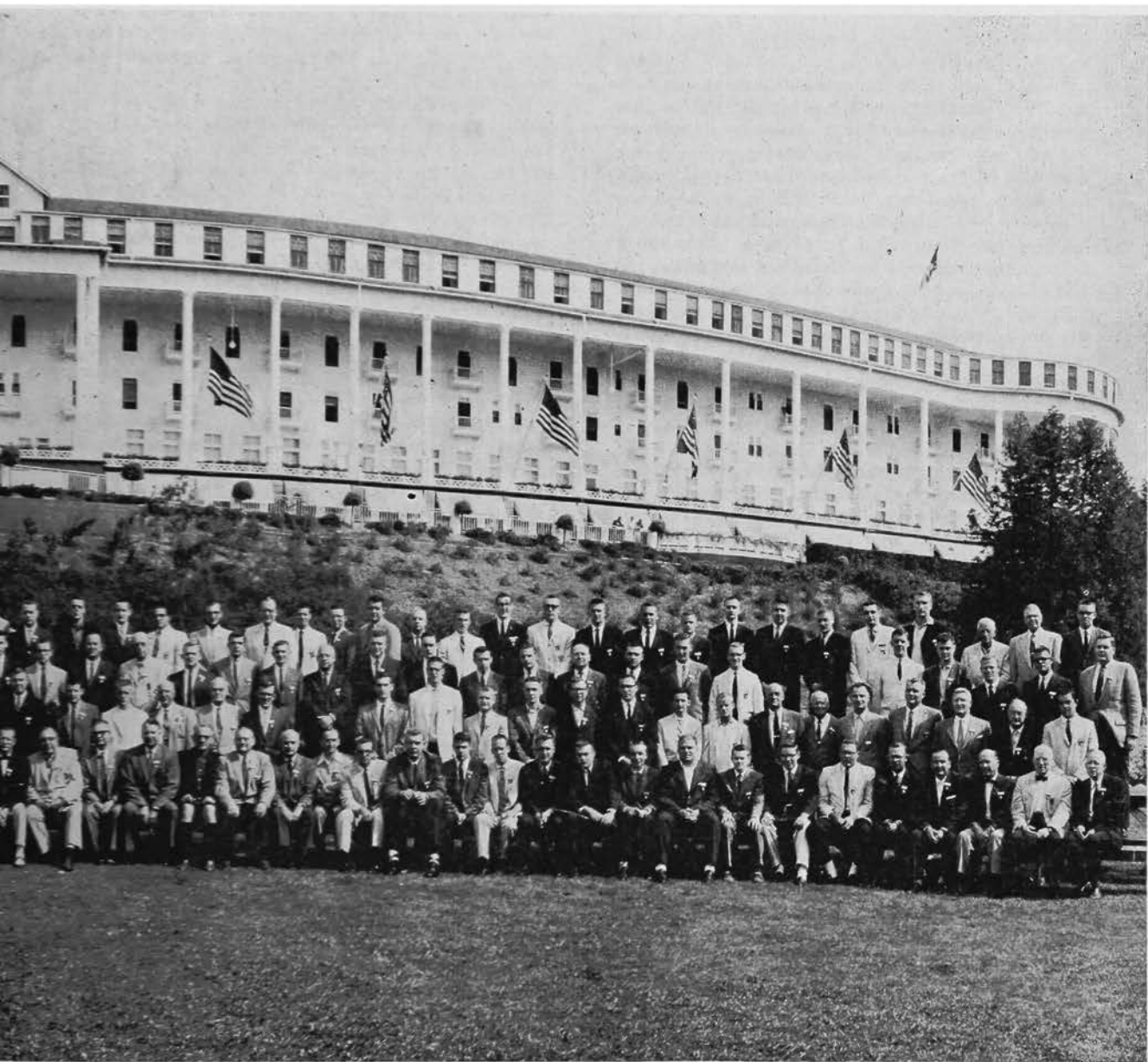
*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—14 in 18)*

Up, up, and up we climb the ladder of improvement with a new surge of fraternal spirit which is here to stay. Two weeks before school resumed we started giving the house an interior face lifting which will be completed before rushing. It's amazing what paint and a lot of hard work can do to not only better the house but instill the brothers with a new pride in the house. William Firth and William Bell have done an excellent job in decorating their room to standards unheard of in New York Gamma's history. Errol Ehrstedt and Jim Collins also did a very good job on their room. I would now like to glorify the name of Jack Tobin and also give credit to his assistant George Larsinos for their guidance, direction and hard work in this clean-up campaign. Just as everyone is settling down in his room along comes the new sprinklers for each room. I think the men who put them in studied road drilling before turning to plumbing, and I have the holes in my ceiling to prove it.

On arriving at the house this fall I found that five new brothers including myself, William Bell, Errol Ehrstedt, Jim Collins and George Larsinos were moving in. Our fine new pledge, Channing MacFadden, was also there to greet me. On top of this good news I was informed that three of the brothers had been married during the summer. Having met all three of their wives, I can say without hesitation that they showed good taste. Not only is Val Lavalley married, but he is also out for football. Jim Collins, another athlete in the house is on the lightweight crew team.

On September 29, we had our first meeting of the fall semester. At this meeting we had the privilege of having several of the New York alumni and also Secretary Dud Daniel listen in and give advice when needed. Ernie Garbe, who was present, received a vote of thanks from everyone for his outstanding help and guidance. Our scholastic improvement last semester was discussed with pride. In two years we went from 17 in 17 to 14 in 17, to 9 in 19. After impressing the alumni with this point we went on to make substantial plans for rushing, and are hoping for a large pledge class this fall. The initial plans for Homecoming on the 18th were also started.





**49th BIENNIAL GRAND ARCH COUNCIL  
THE PHI KAPPA PSI FRATERNITY  
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Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island**

At the final meeting of last semester, elections were held, and the results were as follows: Jim Collis, GP; Val Lavalley, VGP; Errol Ehrstedt, P; William Firth, AG; Bob Montgomery, BG; Jack Tobin, SG; Jim Collins, Hod; Lennie Nusser, Phu; and Bill Bell, Hi.

WILLIAM FIRTH, *Correspondent*

**New York Epsilon—Colgate University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 14*)

With unbelievable summer experiences to relate, the New York Epsilons are preparing for another highly successful year. For a change we'll be starting out on our right foot, having climbed the academic ladder two notches. That doesn't sound like much, but for a house full of weekend excursionists that's quite an accomplishment!

Upon our return we noted that some much needed improvements were made in and about the house. We now have a new roof (with insulation!). That should mean we can keep the heat on over the weekends, possibly cutting down the aforementioned excursions! In addition, we have new curtains adorning the living room, dining room and card room, cheering up the atmosphere of the most frequently used areas of the house.

Three Phi Psis lead the Colgate Varsity football team into another rough season. Heading the team is Bob Conklin, this year's very able captain, with Ray Harding handling the operations on the field from the QB spot. Fran Rowen rounds out our representatives as a mainstay in the guard position.

To give the football team added support Phi Psi sends along four cheerleaders to get sore throats. Besides Bill Cashman, head cheerleader, we can expect to see Rick Lyon, Al VanBeuren, and Pete VanBeuren [Al's brother] jumping up and down along the sidelines, with odd-shaped tubes in their hands.

To round out fall athletics we turn to soccer where we find four Phi Psis on the squad. Kicking that poor little ball into that strange cage are: Mike Norton, Leo Dalzotto, Vic Cino and Steve Fulton.

We have already celebrated one event on our social calendar for the current campaign, Alumni Weekend. It was a very enjoyable weekend as Phi Psi copped first place in the Poster Display contest. Commendations go to Frank Bessell who led the pledges in constructing this prize winning "monstrosity." Never was there so much enthusiasm from the brotherhood as was put into the making of the display. It's encouraging to see that the brothers can break away from academic pursuits for a change!

Two Phi Psis made the Dean's team, a distinct aid in our academic ladder-climbing. Making the squad were: Dave Shailer and Paul Beardslee.

Facing a revised, but experimental (we hope), rushing program the Phi Psis at Colgate are bound to be busy this fall. It should prove to be a prosperous semester despite added duties for all.

I must close now as it's time to go hunt up our set of horseshoes. One of the seniors last spring hid them so they wouldn't be lost!

PAUL BEARDSLEE, *Correspondent*



New York Epsilon varsity gridiron trio, left to right: Ray Harding, senior quarterback; Capt. Bob Conklin, senior guard, and Frank Rowen, junior center.



(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 15)

This year we have three brothers in the student government: Jim McPherson, business administration treasurer, and Gregory Pollock and Harry Spillman, student senators. The UB-ite party, of which we are members, swept the election.

Again this year Phi Psis have maintained control over the campus yearbook which we have dubbed the "Phi Psi Annual." The officers of that group are Mike Sullivan, editor; Bob Mickienzi, assistant editor; Skip Pollock, associate editor; Gene Mahaney, business manager; Jerry Jeris, social editor; Chuck Kurucz, publicity; Jim Urbanski, advertising; Al Harrington, sports; Jerry Moore, circulation; Mike Suhalla, ROTC editor; Art Bevilacqua, dormitory editor; Bill Daniels, layout editor; and Don Uhrich, production manager.

Last semester we finished second in IFC sports. At present we are leading our league in football with a 26-0 and a 12-0 win over local fraternities.

In varsity sports, Jim Urbanski is No. 1 on the golf team currently sweeping the W.N.Y. colleges. Bill Johnson finished as No. 2 man on the fencing team in Epee. Dick McKeever went to the nationals in wrestling accompanied by Pledge Gary Fries. Both finished high in the scoring.

The chapter mourns the loss of two brothers, Art Cholwinski and Jim Dygert. Drafted.

Congratulations go to Gary Hauser and Gail Gurtner on their acceptance to medical school, and to Alex Drapanas on his acceptance to dental school.

Married over the summer months, Eta gives its hearty congratulations to: Bob Meer and Judy Nailer; Bob Mickienzi and Sue Marsden; and Paul Samulski and Pat Dodswell.

Our annual formal dinner dance was held last spring at the Transit Valley Club. Brothers initiated that evening were Bill Farner, Hank Hueber, Bill Johnson, Art Bevilacqua, Wes Euler, Jerry Jeris, Fran DeYoung, Jerry Moore, Al Harrington, Earl Fowlston, Chuck Kurucz, Bob Boyce, Charles Smith, Dick Leneord, Jerry Lucachik, Herm Sapio and Tim McMullen.

Eta Chapter also welcomes transfers Dave Perin, from Syracuse, and Bill Zacker, from Bucknell.

The outstanding pledge award went to Jerry Lucachik, and the Dunning award to Mike McNerny as our outstanding brother.

New officers installed last spring were Mike McNerny, GP; Clark Videan, VGP; Sam Lauricella, P; William Johnson, AG; Bill Daniels, BG; Skip Pollock, SG; Jim Urbanski, Hod; Tim McMullen, Phu; and Harry Spillman, Hi.

Ron Mailen was nominated as a candidate for the annual Ugly Man contest.

WILLIAM R. JOHNSON, *Correspondent*

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## District 2

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### Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—8 in 12)

Pennsylvania Gamma is proud to begin the new academic year with the announcement of two sophomores recently pledged. They are Skip Cannon, of St. David's; and Vic Hendrickson, of Warren. Skip has promptly assumed his position as center forward on the IM soccer team, having played for the freshman team last year. The soccer team has tied its first game. Our tennis and handball teams are winners so far this year. The tennis team, particularly strong, is a heavy favorite to win the trophy.

Homecoming is coming up three weeks from this writing. We are teamed with Delta Delta Delta on a float this year, and hope to repeat last year's victory in the contest.

Having recently gone through hell week, and now awaiting initiation are the following sophomores: William J. Addenbrook, Vic Bellace, Phil Easterly, Dave Evans, Norm George, Tom Gillespie, Rick Glantz, Warren Grill, Jim Hand, Herb Hoffmeier, Denny Runey, Dave Schultz, Wally Seward, president of the class, Lou Slife, Roy Sommer, and Walt Smith.

Once again we can point with pride to the performances of Pledge Roy Sommer and Dick Hunn on the Bucknell Bison football team. In addition to the many offices he holds on campus, which were given in the May newsletter, Dick Hunn has been made cadet commander of the Army ROTC unit at Bucknell. He is immediately superior in rank to Brother Don Ferrara, who is a Battle Group commander.

Two of the brothers were married over the summer: Bruce Hutchinson to Dee Anthank of Greenwich, Conn., and Al Lynn to Pat Kazasnak of Hazleton.

SAM G. WAYMER, *Correspondent*

### Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 12)

Fifty members arrived on campus for rushing early in September from all corners of the U.S. and as far off as Africa. Summer jobs carried brothers as far away as Maine, Florida, and California, including Al [Bongo] Kiem to Africa and the middle east. The house went all out during rush week, supporting Chairman Joe Steger's active program. Our efforts were not in vain, as seventeen top men accepted pledge pins the following

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## PLAN NOW FOR 1959 FOUNDERS DAY



Monday. Those pledged include: Larry McCutcheon, Bethesda, Md.; Bob Simms, Philadelphia; Tak Sugimura, Bridgeton, N.J.; Jim Johnson, Lewisburg; John Friling, Milford, N.J.; Jerry Morris, Woodbury, N.J.; Peter Moss, Kew Gardens, N.Y.; Tom Archipley, Linden, N.J.; Richardson Bainbridge, Merion; Hal Casey, Maplewood, N.J.; Don Myers, Dover; Lew Graff, Audubon, N.J.; Rick Burchell, Mamaroneck, N.J.; Bill Duncan, Philadelphia; Harold Chelgren, Du Bois; Joe Wang, Philadelphia; and Chet Knight, Lancaster.

GP Dee Wahlers leads a new slate of officers elected last spring. Those serving with him this semester include: Walt Melnik, VGP; Dave Denman, P; Bob Grele, AG; George Gunnell, BG; Hank Abbott, Hod; Jim Moyer, Phu and Jack Perrine, Hi.

As in previous years, Phi Psi has some prominent men playing important roles in the success of this year's football and soccer teams. Dick Stravolo has been outstanding at quarterback, leading the Orange and Blue to an opening win over Bucknell, a 14-14 tie with Lehigh, and a decisive victory over Drexel. Jim Flood, at halfback, is the second Phi Psi on the first eleven with Ron Venturini, Frank Temme and Bill Davies on the second club. Jack Perrine, Gary Pflug and Jim Moyer figured prominently in the soccer team's first outings as Bullet booters turned back the University of Baltimore and Lehigh.

The all-sports trophy, which slipped from our grasp last year, is a major objective for the entire house. Our IM football team has already posted three big wins including a decisive victory over arch-rival Phi Gam. With veterans Jon Kosty, Pete Sinnott, Billy Conway and Hap McClure, our club should be tough to stop in its bid for the big cup.

Our social committee, headed by Reiny Ludin and Jeff Dobson, has kept things moving in true Phi Psi fashion, and not as described in the recent issue of *Holiday* magazine in which Gettysburg fraternities were compared with Dartmouth and our brothers at New Hampshire Alpha. Said article gave the college administration a pat on the back, the co-eds a laugh, the innkeepers a greater profit and the Phi Psis the occasion for another blast. A large delegation is looking forward to a weekend at Penn Theta when Gettysburg meets Lafayette. Plans are incomplete, but a history-making venture seems to be in the wind according to all reports. Everything is set for Homecoming on October 25 and for IFC weekend, November 7.

The new school year saw the initiation of four new brothers: John Perry, John Lapiere, Bill Batting and Ted Mixell.

This past summer many brothers became pinned and Walt Melnik became engaged to Marcia White. Our congratulations to Archon Dick Butz, our past GP, and Rose Marie Becci who were married during the summer. Rose Marie proved to be a most charming asset to our rushing program, and we all appreciate her gracious help.

BOB GRELE, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—9 in 10)*

The brothers of Penn Zeta have returned in a small, composite force ready to rise again. Stagnant beverage bottles of last year have been refunded for an appropriate cause, the purchase of college texts. Another change—every suite in the house has been redecorated much to the satisfaction of grade-conscious parents.

Penn Zeta again has its elegant cast of varsity athletes participating in many of the varied physical endeavors. Brother DeMarino has instigated signal-calling in Latin, while Pledge Whitelaw merely starts every Saturday. Flash Arters, per usual, is seen sprinting his four and a half miles for the harriers. Knute Morrissey coached the IF team to a winning season, spoiled only by a defeat in the playoffs.

We do indeed have some new brothers in the lodge who, upon receiving the badge, vowed that each would bring into the house, under our new rush program, five pledges each. These braggarts are: Pete Andrews, Bob Carton, Jerry Arters, Mike Morrissey, Bruce Wilkinson and Mike Avakian. And of course, the usual congratulations go to Brother Morrissey, Lt. Ray Weaver and John Focht who were married this past summer. We would also like to announce the pledging of B. D. Gibbs, of Somerset.

Social prestige on campus is climbing immensely (as is our order list to Balfour for treasured sweetheart pins). One wild and furious weekend was endured as we celebrated the end of a certain probation period, with Parents Day. Phi Psi Moms and Dads were seen checking for cobwebs on bookshelves. This was climaxed by a banquet, more than adequately preparing the Dads for the newly-constituted "Fathers Advisory Council." All in all, it's the best we have seen.

In all sincerity we wish to express our gratitude to Archon Dick Butz whose time and interest have been and will be invaluable in aiding Penn Zeta this year.

Time to retire to the fireside with our texts in hand . . . and we do.

JOE CARVER, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—8 in 10)*

After clinching the IM softball championship with a perfect record, Penn Eta was assured of the coveted IF All-Sports Trophy for the second straight year. The Red and Green racked up 391 markers in league play to cop the cup by almost 100 points. One more championship to go before the chalice becomes a permanent Penn Eta possession!

In Stunt Nite competition last spring, Phi Psi made it two in a row, too. Choreographer Edwin Rosas and le Ballet D'Eta presented a poignant and moving dramatization of Tchaikovsky's "Sleep-



ing Beauty," with the title role delicately interpreted by lovely Cliffie McClain. College and city critics acclaimed Bobby Houston's daring act of carrying 240-pound Cliffie into the hereafter as "fantastic."

Scholarshipwise, the house as a whole did poorly while several individuals distinguished themselves with Dean's List (or better!) averages. Charlie Havens and John Irwin nabbed positions on the Honors List. Jack Baker, Dean Crystle, Murphy Gorenberg, Bob Nagy and Bill Bingham all made Dean's Team.

Phi Psis on the football team include Co-captains Bill Pettigrew and George Darrah, Vic Freda, John Kooser, Nelson Brenneman, Erwin Klein, Sam Martin, Denny Nolan, John Irwin, Bill Mathesius, and Pledges Jon Litvany, Dave Reese and Norm Bell. Brad Baker and Bill Hobbs are starring on the soccer field.

Eta Items: Wain Dawson & Co. are back. . . . Lou LeCalsey and John Greenleaf are transfers from Swarthmore and Washington and Lee, respectively. . . . New brothers in the fold are Charlie Gorenberg, Bill Mathesius, Brian Kern and Bobby Houston. . . . First semester pledges are Bob White, Norm Bell, Bob Sullivan and Dave Reese. . . . Archon Dick Butz paid us a visit in early October; we hope he enjoyed himself. . . . Homecoming Weekend was October 24-26. . . . Winter Weekend is December 5-7. We sincerely hope that any brothers or alumni in the area will contact us to share in the festivities.

BILL BINGHAM, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College**

(Scholarship Standing, 1956-57—16 in 18)

Once again we start another rousing year at the Old Grey Lodge, high atop College Hill. The brothers, returning from summer vacation, pitched in collectively to ready the house for first semester rushing. And what a terrific job they did! Led ably by Chairman Mike Wilson, this correspondent is proud to announce the pledging of twenty-seven excellent men. They are: Tony Bater, Broomall; Bob Farmery and Tom Burns, Drexel Hill; Gil Brownstone, New York, N.Y.; Tony Capraro, Bronxville, N.Y.; Jack Chaplick, Allentown, N.J.; Bill Craig and Bruce Clancy, Jenkintown; Tom Corwin, Massapequa, N.Y.; Hugh DeFazio, Dover, N.J.; Mike Dill, Massapequa, N.Y.; Jay Geiger, Allentown; Zoltan Gilanti, Roebbing, N.J.; Dick Gray, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Pete Lehr and Bob Gursky, Clifton, N.J.; Bob Kauffman, Upper Darby; Herb Langanke, Newburgh, N.Y.; Terry Lutz, Haddonfield, N.J.; Tom Malatesta, Pompton Lakes, N.J.; Dennie Noviello, Pelham, N.Y.; Mike Powell, E. Haven, Conn.; Kemp Reynolds, Corbettsville, N.Y.; Fred Ruggles, Dallas; Fred Smith, Schenectady, N.Y.; and Barry Yoder, Perkasio. All these men are of a definite contribution to Penn Theta, and will help us keep our number-one spot on campus secure.

Fritz Muench, Bob Brodie and George Bendere

are all battling for starting positions on the Maroon football eleven, while high-scoring Richie Kohler returns to pace the Lafayette soccer team.

Our IM football team captained by John Ziegler showed excellent form in defeating SAE in their opener and appears to have the ability to recapture the campus title we have held so often in the past. Last spring the Thetans, behind the hurricane hurling of Mike Okola battled their way to the finals of the softball league only to lose in a squeaker to Theta Xi.

The list of prominent Phi Psis on campus is a long one. President of the Student Council, one of the highest offices in school, is Tom Norton—also a member of the KRT senior society. Greig Culley and Bob Brodie are members of Maroon Key, junior honorary society and Harry Boyko and Mike Okola are members of Calumet, sophomore honorary society. Dick Wright is president of the Radio Club, and Mike Wilson is president of the Formal Ushers.

The first home football game, always a large social event, was made even more so by our pledge party. Following the game, in which the Maroon eleven thumped Muhlenberg, the house assembled at the Savoy Club to partake in a little refreshment and enjoy the jazz concert especially arranged for us by Charley Joe, a long-time friend of Penn Theta. This was followed by a buffet dinner and party at the Phi Psi Lodge.

Penn Theta elected the following to office last spring: Richard C. Sinatra, GP; Thomas Norton, VGP; James Haering, BG; Bob Miller, AG; Bob Brodie, SG; Jay Hill, Hi; Jim Hurst, Phu; and Rich Kohler, Hod.

ROBERT G. MILLER, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania**

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—19 in 36)

According to the official ritual of September, the brothers returned to 3641 Locust Street, situated on the swamps of the Schuylkill. We were greeted by the sad truth that all our rugs and draperies were burned in a local Philadelphia warehouse. This lack of rugs, etc., gives the old lodge the charming look of a tenement house.

Since the last note was sent to THE SHIELD, we have had elections, initiations and other occurrences of world-shaking impact.

Our new oligarchy consists of Bob McClure, GP; John McCarron, VGP; Lynn Purnell, AG; Adrian Bronk, BG; and Bob Bateman, SG. Jim LaCava still holds the P's slot.

Four new brothers have been initiated: Gordon Zaks, John Byrnes, Woody Waddinger, and Randy Luke.

We are very proud to welcome Jerry Pachard, a transfer from Penn Epsilon.

This year Jim Trimble leads the power clique known as the social committee. Among the activities planned to fill the Philadelphia Blue Book schedule is a grain alcohol party for Princeton

Weekend. The following week, Jim plans a German Beer Blort.

Secretary R. D. Daniel paid us a call last week and was impressed with the changes that had been made in the house since he had last been here.

Woody Woolinger donated to the house a very expensive television set. All the brothers are sincerely grateful to him for his generosity, since the set that the house had last year was in need of extensive repair.

Thanks to the constant work of Ashley Roach the house is in very good condition and little had to be done to it for fall rushing.

Andy Anderson should be commended for the fine job he is doing in supervising the kitchen. Even though the brotherhood disagrees with his cutting seconds on dinners, he seems to be using his ability to save money to great advantage.

This fall, Pennsylvania had fall rushing on a formal basis for all sophomores and other upperclassmen. This was started mainly to enable last year's freshmen who had been ineligible before or who had not rushed, to rush fraternities. As this letter is being written, it appears that we have a very good chance to get more men than the average on campus.

Dick Snider is congratulated by all for obtaining the highest average for the house—a straight A.

ADRIAN BRONK, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—2 in 5)*

The brothers returned for the new academic year to find that there had been quite a few changes evident. Congratulations to Pete Kroon '60, who married his high school sweetheart on September 13, and also to Vernon McCabe '57, who took the vows of matrimony on August 23.

As Penn Kappa settled down to resume its active participation in campus life, we find ten brothers on the varsity football team including Captain Nate Price, chapter GP; Paul Guthrie, Scott Hildum, Vic Ludewig, Herman Feldhusen, Dave Griffiths, Paul Meisel, George Ward, Tim Tweed and Jerry Schick. The soccer team has four very fine players in Dick Quarles, Kim Colket, Benny Wu and Bill Boehmler. As the year progresses, Penn Kappa can insure an active role in each varsity sport by the brothers, which include captains of basketball, swimming, baseball, lacrosse, track and wrestling. A surprise was in store when the brothers returned to find the chapter had become the top fraternity scholastically among the five present on campus.

The greatest and most noteworthy change was that of the addition of a new recreation room to the present one. The plan was initiated at the end of the 1958 spring semester through the help and approval of the chapter Alumni Association.



**Penn Kappa's squad on Swarthmore varsity, usual order: Paul Guthrie, Jerry Schick, Tim Tweed, George Ward, Nate Price, Herman Feldhusen, Scott Hildum, Paul Meisel, Dave Griffiths and Vic Ludewig.**

All work was done by the industrious efforts of several brothers who arrived at school two weeks early to begin work on the room. During this time the brothers on the football and soccer teams ably assisted in the room's completion. They also painted all of the interior woodwork of the lodge. New curtains and lamp shades were purchased, which improved the lodge's appearance enormously.

Penn Kappa was honored with the visit of Secretary Ralph [Dud] Daniel to the Swathmore College campus on October 3. We were sorry that plans did not permit him to stay with us for more than a few hours.

As for the rushing season we have a full and busy schedule ahead. The brothers are in high hopes for another top-notch pledge class. Officers of the chapter, elected at the end of the spring semester, are: Nate Price, GP; George Ward, VGP; Gene Higashi, AG; Jim Forrester, BG; Woody Fleisig, SG; Tom Stevenson, P; Ed Stainton, Phu; and Jerry Schick, Hod.

GENE I. HIGASHI, *Correspondent*

#### **Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 13)*

Once again Maryland Alpha finds herself with the task of beginning a new academic year. Many brothers were able to return a few days early, and thanks to their efforts, the chapter house is in fine condition. Some new additions this year include a few pieces of furniture and much to the resident brothers' satisfaction, the return of the food plan under the direction of Bill Devoe and Bob Harrington.

The chapter looks forward to a successful rush period this fall in order to fill in the gaps left by the graduated seniors of last semester.

Our officers for the fall term are Don Urbancic, GP; Jerry Smolinski, VGP; Phil Medenbach, AG; Bill Devoe, BG; Guntis Elksnis, P; Anthony Keating, Asst. P; Pete Merchant, SG; Stuart Dixon, Hi; Dennis Donahue, Phu; John Belt, Hod; and Peter Doyle, IFB representative.

Recently returned from Mackinac Island, Michigan, where they were the chapter's representatives, are Don Urbancic and Phil Medenbach, and also alumni Fred Printz and Carville Bevans. Each of the representatives to the past GAC gatherings had a grand and worthwhile experience.

PHIL MEDENBACH, *Correspondent*

#### **Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—23 in 28)*

September rolled around as it inevitably does this time of year. Some of the brothers returned to Charlottesville (some with the intention of returning to the University) as they inevitably do this time of year. On the other hand, others (of the brothers, that is) didn't (return, that is). Their absence was noted. Some pledges also returned, painted the house, said "Sir" occasionally for a few days, and were duly initiated on Oc-

tober 9. Since THE SHIELD is often read by fond and loving parents, we shall list their names and home towns: James Durkin, Dallas, Pa.; Stephen Malkmus, Los Angeles, Calif.; James Brooks, Solebury, Pa.; Walter Scott, Richmond; and James Welles, Lake Forest, Ill.

Brother Dillon represented Virginia Alpha at Mackinac this summer. Unfortunately he is the one brother in the house who does not partake of alcoholic beverages. So that was a typical waste of time and money. It is generally agreed that the University is continuing in a downward trend toward "State U-ism." Without going into repulsive details, suffice it to say that the "National" may now relent in its attempts to close down Virginia Alpha. The efforts of the University will probably be more than sufficient.

Brother Taylor was married this summer, Brother White is planning same next month, and Brother Frazier is reporting for duty in the Armed Forces next week. All of which fascinating news just goes to show that these letters are generally a waste of both your time and mine. And so life goes on at Mr. Darden's "U" (formerly, Mr. Jefferson's University).

LAWRENCE G. TURNER, *Correspondent*

#### **Virginia Beta—Washington & Lee University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—9 in 17)*

Virginia Beta is off to another fine start this year with an eighteen-man pledge class which makes us the largest house on campus. Pledged were: Pete Agelasto, Virginia Beach; Wayne Bradshaw, Ellicott, Md.; Hal Bredell, Indianapolis, Ind.; Jim Carty, Frederick, Md.; Wally Cox, Rockford, Mich.; Ward Ellsasser, Washington, D.C.; Bill McMillen, Baldwin, N.Y.; Bryan Miller, Houston, Texas; Ray Miller and Bart Mitchell, Baltimore, Md.; John Poynor, Birmingham, Ala.; Frank Smith, Bethesda, Md.; Reese Smith, Lynnhaven; Jim Stoup, Camp Hill, Pa.; Jim Russ, Hollidaysburg, Pa.; Paul Munyon, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Clark Valentin, Havana, Cuba; and George Van Sciver, Bethlehem, Pa.

Under the fine leadership of IM Chairman Dick Riddle, the house brought home the IM Championship Trophy last May from the sports barbecue. Another rush week lure of which we are equally proud is the Combined Athletic Championship Trophy (which takes into consideration varsity participation as well as intramurals) brought home at the same time. We look forward to another fine athletic showing this year. We have five pledges playing freshman football and the house is also well represented on the soccer field. Bob Loutit is finishing up his fourth season of varsity soccer.

Hearty congratulations to new chapter officers: A. C. Hubbard, GP; Hank Bohlman, VGP; and Davis Reed, AG.

We gladly welcome back two wayward ex-service-men, Dan Leonard and Stubby Seegar, and Pittsburgh Pirate pitcher Dick Newberg.

Wedding bells rang for Joe Craycroft this summer. Despite honeymoon pajamas tied neatly in knots by Brother Esperian, Joe and Frances are back and settled nicely. Joe holds two key campus positions this year: he is president of the Dance Board and president of the Student Service Society (Brother Ray "Tank" Wooldridge is secretary-treasurer of the same organization). Frances tells us that Joe also is an excellent dishwasher.

Brothers active in key activities on campus are too numerous to name. Bart dePalma has one of the more interesting positions: he takes beauty pictures for the campus humor magazine, *The Southern Collegian*. J. J. Smith is business manager of the same organization.

Despite the new puritanical social regulations, and a secret police organization to back them up, we are planning another big social year. Led by one of our first-string party boys, social chairman George Lockie, and his faithful—if unhousebroken—St. Bernard "Timmy," we are having our first house party October 11. The 17th and 18th are Opening Dances. Other parties will follow through the fall. After the great success of our faculty-parents cocktail party of last year, we are planning a similar one for Parents' Day this year.

TOM BROADUS, *Correspondent*

#### **North Carolina Alpha—Duke University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—2 in 19)*

Once again the brothers have returned to the Gothic walls of Duke University. We would like to welcome back Tom Baldwin and John Herrington who were unable to be with us last semester. All the brothers have returned in high spirits and are looking forward to another successful semester.

A great deal of the chapter's time has been devoted to the construction of our new card room and chapter room. This construction has consisted of knocking out walls and chipping plaster. Although the operation has created a rather messy situation, the brotherhood has taken this opportunity to instigate a new social function on the campus. North Carolina Alpha for the last several weekends has held "Refugee" parties on their rubble heap. These parties have been discontinued, however, due to the anger of John L. Janitor. It seems that John L. was disturbed greatly because his trash barrel was being used as the punch bowl at these infamous functions.

On the IM scene, we have commenced the season on the gridiron with an illustrious victory over the Teps. Many long weeks of preparation and practice preceded the encounter. The Big Red and Green came through in typical Phi Psi fashion and crushed their opponents 1-0. The Teps forfeited.

Congratulations go to Tom Baldwin and Stan Gump. Tom exhibited tremendous courage on the weekend of October 5: facing almost insurmountable odds, he saw his duty and performed it. Stan, a little older and a little wiser, thought discretion the better part of valor and made a tacti-

cal retreat. The situation—two blind dates from Virginia. More seriously, we would like to congratulate John Harrington, Byran Thiessen, George Webber, and Tony Grimm. Harrington assumed the leadership of the Campus Party, the leading political organization on campus; Thiessen was recently elected president of APO; Webber was elected treasurer of the Student Union; and Grimm was elected treasurer of the Varsity "D" Club.

BOB LANE, *Correspondent*

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#### **Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington and Jefferson College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—9 in 10)*

After three months of hard work during the summer we were glad to be back. By June graduation we lost two seniors, Dick Loos and Dan Maloney; also, two of our brothers transferred, Bill Jackson to Pitt dental school and Jerry Molica to Ohio State. During spring semester we rose three places in our scholastic standing. We are now sixth of ten.

Homecoming at W & J is on November 1. We have just finished sending invitations to our alumni and are expecting a large turnout. In previous years the fraternities have made floats, but this year we have decided to have house decorations. The alumni will have one big surprise when they see the house—we panelled the basement in pine to make it the nicest game room on campus.

W & J has lost its first four games, but they have been very close. We have two varsity starters, John Bedick, a senior fullback; and Mike Pivar, a junior right halfback.

We initiated six new men on September 14. They are: William Clark, John Garlitz, Jerry Dalrymple, John Taylor, Peter Goulden and Sheridan Truesdale. Beginning October 10, we had a Pledge Weekend in honor of our new actives. It consisted of a dance at the George Washington Hotel on Friday night and a party with the brothers from Ohio Epsilon on Saturday night.

In IM sports last year we took five trophies. The last two were for track and for highest varsity participation. This year we are again off and running. We are undefeated in volleyball and are going into the finals this week. The team, led by Ron Saliviete and Pete Goulden, consists of Steve Mihalik, Jack Garlitz, Ivan Breckbill, Jerry Dalrymple and Stan March. Last year we took the tennis award but this year the freshmen are just too strong for any of the fraternities.

BILL GRIFFIN, *Correspondent*



### **Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—6 in 7)*

Penn Beta took its first "break" from the same old scholastic grind two weeks ago when an unusually early Homecoming Weekend took place. Joining the active brothers in a "break" were a large number of returning alumni glad to be able for a few hours to lose their worldly pressures in their old halls of ivy.

With barely a week of recovery after Homecoming, Penn Beta took its second "break" with an enthusiastic if slightly wet Harvest Dance. The brothers, in a spirited enthusiasm, corralled a collection of the college's most attractive coeds and proceeded with the evening's festivities. The strumming of Banjo Bill McCateer and the oration of fellow Greek, Marcus Harrison Smith, were the highlights of a wieners and beans dinner. Next a scheduled hayride was carried out in spite of threatening skies. As if by plan when the square-wheeled wagons were at the point of no return, the skies grabbed their opportunity and fulfilled their threat—the rain became a wet reality. Other than a few dislocated backs from the wagons and some scattered cases of pneumonia the brothers had a fine time.

Penn Beta is glad to be back in the old grind of the classroom recovering for its next "break," a rapidly-approaching Fathers' Weekend.

Seriously, Penn Beta is proud of its classroom work. Last semester found the chapter in a second place tie with SAE in scholastic rating among the Greeks on campus. Effort is being made to overcome the scholastic leader by next semester. One example is the construction of a quiet study room by last semester's pledges.

In IM football Penn Beta's coach is blessed with a lightning fast pony backfield led by Part Fleming and Ray Watson. A hard charging line spearheaded by Roosevelt Beatty and Dino Stephenson, along with an impregnable defensive backfield have combined to keep the Red and Green undefeated.

In varsity sports this fall Penn Beta is again well represented with Ron Steiner, Dick Schneiman, Bert Shollenberger, Dave Blauch, John Wingerter and Harry Larimer on the football team. In soccer, Tom Bastian, Bill McCateer, Vic Kress and Shvew Cagge ably represent Phi Psi.

FRANK MALDONADO, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Lambda—Pennsylvania State University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—21 in 44)*

A new semester finds the Lambdans again broadening their scope through campus activities and industrious study. All the brothers and pledges are ringing with enthusiasm over our new resolution for scholastic improvement.

In the field of campus activities we have four brothers who recently received recognition for achievement by being initiated into honorary hat

societies. Howie Maierhofer, Lanny Dey, Jim O'Connor and Dave Williams were those given this honor of BMOC.

October 11 was a day of celebration for Lambda for both active brothers and visiting alumni. This special day commemorated the forty-sixth birthday of our chapter as well as the initial start of Homecoming Weekend.

On October 1 the secrets of Phi Kappa Psi were revealed to Lanny Dey, Canfield, Ohio; Larry Garrett and Bill Russ, both of Altoona; and Bill Sabatino, Upper Darby.

We are now enjoying weekend parties and sorority mixers after having spent last semester on social probation. Probation ended June 4 with the Phi Psis treating the campus to a four-hour jam session.

This semester brings hopes of a high ranking IM squad for both football and basketball as well as active participation in minor sports.

With football season here at last, Norm Neff has been busy on first-string preparing for tough competition against Army, Syracuse and Pittsburgh. All-America soccer captain Howie Maierhofer brought a real loss to Penn State when he suffered a broken leg early in pre-season drills.

Eight new men are pledging Phi Psi this semester. They are: Charles Suhyda and Dick Gross, both of Johnstown; Ron Evelhoch, Carlisle; Chet Lucido, Pittsburgh; Nick Freeman, Strafford; Tom Morris, Scranton; Don Piatt, Hartford, Conn.; and Jim Staman, Columbia.

September found the following newly-elected officers in the following positions: Howie Maierhofer, GP; Chuck Schweitzer, VGP; Dave Williams, AG; Bill Scott, BG; Bill Tucker, Hod; Pete Wanser, Phu; Bob Passmore, Hi; and Glenn Rosenberger, SG.

DAVID F. WILLIAMS, *Correspondent*

### **West Virginia Alpha—West Virginia University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—16 in 20)*

On September 14, West Virginia Alpha initiated six more pledges into the brotherhood of Phi Kappa Psi. These six added to the twenty-one who were initiated the first semester of last year brings the total to twenty-seven initiates from last year's pledge class. The initiation ceremony was conducted in the Memorial Chapel by Past President Harlan Selby, 1950-52. Those initiated were: Fred Watkins Dickinson Jr., Oak Hill; Steven James Dodd, Spencer; Thomas D. Dotson, Summersville; Richard Frank Jennings, Vienna; Danny Wade McClure, Beckley; and Robert Kent Withers, Huntington. A banquet followed the initiation ceremony with William Johnson as principal speaker.

This past summer the chapter slightly changed its rushing tactics. Previously, we had always had several town rush parties and one state-wide party. However, this year we had two sectional parties. The first one was in Clarksburg, for the boys from the northern part of the state. The second

party was in Charleston, for the boys from the southern part of the state. Several weeks later we used for the first time "progressive rushing." On successive days there were rush parties in Charleston, Parkersburg, Morgantown and Weirton. The brothers attended as many of these parties as possible with the home town Phi Psis arranging the parties. This proved successful since the IF Council had placed severe restrictions on rushing at school. This semester we have twenty-six pledges. They are: Howard Preston Boggess, Fairmont; Clai Elton Bryon Jr., Oak Hill; John Baker Carrico, Harvey J. Simmons III, Gary Joseph Tilton, Thomas Henry Wall, all of Charleston; Jerry Arnold Hammett, Parkersburg; John Carskadon Hart, Clarksburg; William Turner Kump and Robert Beaty Moore, Elkins; Thomas Myles Lutz and John Samuel Vance, Weirton; Samuel Edward McClure, John Robert Pyles and William

Robert Wills Jr., all of Beckley; Charles Edward Mullarkey and Kirk Bernard Nolte, Wheeling; Bernd Hans Naumann, Bluefield; Eddie Lee Powers, Belle; Haven Roy Shuck Jr., Fayetteville; Ward Day Stone Jr., George Phillips Trotter and Raymond Karl Yagle, all of Morgantown; Jerry Ralph Sturm, Belington; and Harold Stanford Yost, Paden City.

On October 5 we had our annual pledge-active football game. The actives bruised out a 14-0 victory, celebrated with a beverage party that evening.

Phi Psi showed definite improvement in its scholastic standing on the campus. Of twenty fraternities, Phi Psi moved into fourth place in the race for the scholarship cup the second semester.

At the chapter meeting on October 1 elections were held. Thomas Goode was elected SG and George Bowers Vieweg III was elected AG.

GEORGE B. VIEWEG III, *Correspondent*



Ohio Alpha begins its 98th year on the Ohio Wesleyan University campus with this outstanding pledge class of 24 men.



## Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—4 in 14)

Ohio Alpha is proud to announce another improvement in scholarship. The chapter was second of fourteen fraternities for the school year of 1957-1958.

Another bright spot in the beginning of a good year is our acquisition of twenty-four pledges. They are: Eric Anderson, Southwick, Mass.; Thomas Cassell, Kalamazoo, Mich.; Fred Crist, Washington, D.C.; George Davidson, New York, N.Y.; Robert Detweiler and Bill Harper, Pittsford, N.Y.; Jack Eddy, Springfield; Richard Ellenberger, Erie, Pa.; John Gilmore, Lancaster; John Ginaven, Akron; Charles Howard, Harlan, Ky.; Steve Jenkins, Marion; Brian Johnson, Norwalk, Conn.; George King, Livonia, Mich.; Wayne Kutz, South Euclid; Doug Levi, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Edwin Metzger, Rochester, Pa.; Frank Middleton, East Aurora, N.Y. (pledge president); Frank Nairne III, Davenport, Iowa; Drew Peacock, Pittsburgh, Pa.; James Perrin, Wilmette, Ill.; David Price III, Ridgewood, N.J.; Jim Stoycheff, Ostrander; and Bill Vigor, Brecksville.

On the same trend of thought, five men were initiated on September 20, 1958: James Sulzycki, John Opdycke, Thomas Eibel, Robert Walker and John Rohrer. All of these men are sophomores except John Rohrer, a junior. We offer our heartiest congratulations to these men and are very happy to be able to add them to our roster.

The chapter is in a unique position regarding one of the varsity sports at Ohio Wesleyan. Nine men, pledges and actives, are out for soccer this fall. They are: Larry Lays, Bob and John Ginaven, Dave Price, Bob Detweiler, Jim Perrin, John Yanikos, Jim Stoycheff and Dick Clark. Of the eleven starters on the field, six are Phi Psis! The starters are Captain Larry Lays, Bob and John Ginaven, Dave Price, Dick Clark and John Yanikos.

Along with soccer Phi Psi is also represented in the other fall sports. Fred Fri and John Price are playing football, and Lee Grabski is serving his second year as manager of the football team. Don Bourquard is running cross-country again this year and has been finishing second for Ohio Wesleyan in all of the meets.

The whole chapter participated in a civic project this fall. The United Community Fund Drive of Delaware was held during the middle of October. Every place of business in Delaware had to be contacted for contributions. The chapter volunteered to do the job for the city. Each individual solicited money from at least one, and sometimes two, business establishments.

Here's the latest news on our new chapter house! Ground was broken on Homecoming Weekend, October 19. Construction began soon after Homecoming Weekend and the house is to be finished sometime next year. The present juniors are especially anxious because they would like to live in it at least for part of a year.

RON OCHES, *Correspondent*

## Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 8)

Ohio Beta has a start on what we hope will be one of the finest years Phi Psi has ever seen on the Wittenberg Campus. As the first indication, Ohio Beta ended a nine-day rush week with a total of thirty-four pledges. This is the "biggest and the best" pledge class on the campus and it is also the largest we have had since before World War II. New pledges wearing the "grave bowl" are: Bob Bayer, Bob Myers and Gerry Perry, all of Toledo; Dave Beach, Gene Haberman and Tom McCracken, all of Dayton; Joe Bender, Bellville; Al Castle, Elyria; Dick Evans, Hartsville; Dick Fagley, Allen Park, Mich.; Bill Heideloff and Bob Kekelik, Cleveland; Kent Kasmair, Troy; Steve Kistler, Clyde; Phil Loudon, St. Paris, Ohio; Fibber Maddux, Lancaster; Gary Marsh, Dick Peard and Tom Stofer, all of Mansfield; Bill Martin, Detroit, Mich.; Dave McClintock, Larry Morford, Larry Strome, Dick MacLean and Dave McKinney, all of Springfield; Gary Monrad and Pete Yachel, Rochester, N.Y.; Dave Oliver, Versailles; Bob Paine, Greenwich, Conn.; Larry Palmer, Waynesboro, Pa.; Paul Pretsch, Queens, N.Y.; George Scheerer, North Manchester, Ind.; and Cal Starz, Buffalo, N.Y.

Upon return to school Ohio Beta initiated three new men into the bonds of Brotherhood: James Mitchell, Springfield; John Ackerman, Jersey City, N.J.; and John Bauerle, Avon Lake.

Immediately following initiation, elections were held to fill vacancies left by graduating brothers. We elected Tim Masten to the office of BG; Jim Mitchell as Hi; and Bob Dorn to the enviable position of pledgemaster.

Social life started off with a bang during our rush week. On the night before rush was over we had a Hawaiian Party in our parking lot, complete with luau torches, orchid leis, direct from Hawaii; a 40-foot waterfall off the back of the house; and a nine-piece dance band. Of the 300 men who went out for rush, we had approximately half of them at our rush event.

We wish to take this opportunity to extend our thanks to Ohio Alpha for their help during our rush week.

Now that rush is over we can return our attentions to such vital things as studies and women. Somewhere between these two things is the big gala event we always look forward to—Homecoming. We have started work on our display and anticipate the return of alumni in force. Our star football player, Jim Kunde, starting center for the Conference Champs, has given us his word that the football game will leave little to be desired.

Nelson and Dorn attended the GAC and brought back a fine report on the proceedings. If the report was half true the whole chapter will be clambering to attend the next GAC!

BOB DORN, *Correspondent*

## Ohio Delta—Ohio State University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—19 in 40)

Ohio Delta is back in full swing after an eventful summer for everyone. Vacation time was mixed with important fraternity events including rushing parties at Lake White, Washington Court House, and Cleveland, and the GAC in Michigan. We would like to thank Bob and Harry Vallery, Grove Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fisco, for permitting us to use their facilities for the rush parties.

Fall activity started with a bang on September 17, when all the brothers returned to the house for three days of slave labor known as "Work Week." Thanks to our alumni the outside trim on the house had received a new coat of paint, we had a new refrigerator and stove, and new study chairs for the rooms. The Mothers' Club had also purchased new curtains for the study rooms. Our elation over this addition was temporarily dampened as some of the brothers were not expert curtain hangers.

Rush began September 23, and thanks to Chairman Bob Cummins and our alumni, we acquired twenty-two new pledges. They are: Ross Austin, Bowling Green; Carl Berke, Jon Boyes, Bill Cummins, Dave Holstein, John Justus, Fred Thomas and Dick Winegarner, all of Columbus; Mike Carbin and Dave McDonald, Fostoria; Dick Brandon, Jim Brown, Dave Leopard, Doug Norris, Dick Southard and Ed Zinc, all of Cleveland; Bruce Ewing, Barberton; Dick Gilbert, Ferndale, Mich.; Pete Minges, Cincinnati; Jerry Nissen, Toledo; Don Welch, Belpre; and George Atkinson, Mansfield.

Also, we were happy to welcome three transfers to the chapter—Matt Kolb, Ohio Eta; Jerry Mollica, Penn Alpha; and George Overholt, Ohio Beta. These new additions are especially welcome as the chapter was riddled by six marriages this summer. Lost to the fairer sex were Wayne Ireland, Sonny Forsythe, Charles Stoup, Dave Sanderson, Paul Bertram and John Herringhaus.

Under the leadership of GP Steve Boynton, we are looking forward to an excellent fall season. Assisting Steve will be VGP Clint Teegardin; Jim Hopkins, P; Tom Stone, BG; Bill Kern, AG; Dave Spain, SG; Bob Renz, Hod; Dave Leiser, Phu; and Dick Leiss, Hi. Jim Hopkins and Dave Spain brought back many suggestions from the GAC which will be of great value to the chapter.

Our fall social calendar includes exchange dinners, a hayride, week-night parties with various sororities, and terminates with our fall formal. Last year we were happy to see many brothers from other chapters come down to Ohio Delta on weekends. We hope the same will happen this year.

BILL KERN, *Correspondent*

## Ohio Epsilon—Case Institute of Technology

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 11)

Quality was the key word as Ohio Epsilon rushed, bid, and pledged fourteen fine freshmen. Our new pledges are: Michael Babinec, Shelby, Mich.; Jim Bullis and Phil Meeker, Davenport, Iowa; John Brownlee, Ingomar, Pa.; John Donnell, Findlay; Gerry Draper, Cleveland; Ed Ducayet, Fort Worth, Texas; Mike Grozdanoff, Mansfield; Steve Hale, Zanesville; Hal Jordan, Angola, N.Y.; Rich Shernit, Steubenville; Jim Ott, Victor, N.Y.; Flaccus Stifel, Wheeling, W.Va.; and Dale Unruh, Wichita, Kans. Chuck Rohde and his committee did a fine job of coordinating our rushing under an entirely new system. Our customary two to three-and-one-half weeks rushing period was changed to one-and-one-half weeks of rush. In addition, many of the rushing functions were modified.

New officers elected this fall are: Bill Thornhill, GP; Jim Kish, VGP; Al Eynon, AG; Dick Larson, SG; and Dick Buta, Phu.

Phi Psi is well represented in the varsity sports now being played—soccer, football and cross-country. Starting for Case's Rough Riders football team are Leo Enggasser and Glenn Avis. Overwhelming the soccer team are Dick Larson, Nelson Maken, Jim Humphrey, Amilio Rodriguez, Dave Nelson, and Wally Krewdl. Ken Schumate is running cross-country.

Ohio Epsilon was especially honored this fall by winning the President's Award, given to the most outstanding and improved fraternity chapter on the campus. Our big improvement came in scholarship, moving from eleventh place to fourth place in eleven fraternities.

Looking back upon last spring, we realize that we have quite a job retaining the campus position that we then enjoyed. As of May, the following awards were given to our brothers: Outstanding Seniors: Buck Tuppeny, John Sattelle, Dave Hartman, Joe Duncan, and Bob Haas; Pi Delta Epsilon Medal of Merit: Joe Duncan, for starting Case's engineering magazine; Honor Keys: Jim Hildebrand, Bob Haas, and Dave Hartman; Honor Certificates: Bob Lamb, Bob Leeper, John Sattelle, and Buck Tuppeny; IFC Keys: Andy Morris; Tech Key: Bill Messenger; Diff Key: Joe Duncan and Bob Lamb; Glee Club Key: Tony Babich; Speech Key: Joe Duncan; Tau Kappa Epsilon: Tony Babich; Blue Keys (activities): Dave Hartman, Buck Tuppeny, and Tony Babich; Eta Kappa Nu: Tony Babich; Tau Beta Pi: Tony Babich; and Pi Delta Epsilon: Bill Kitchel.

Under Fritz Beaumont's splendid direction, we walked off with first place in the IFC Sing-off. Dressed as "chain-swinging dandies," we sang "Standing on the Corner" and "Neath the Lamp." (We still sound professional at our local college bar.)

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## CELEBRATE PHI PSI'S 107TH ANNIVERSARY

Bob Haas, Joe Denk, and Ron Weber did a fine job as varsity golfers, rounding out last year's program.

We are looking forward to the weekend of October 18 when many of us will be the guests of the Penn Alphans at Washington and Jefferson College.

A. C. EXON, *Correspondent*

#### Ohio Zeta—Bowling Green State University

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 13*)

Ohio Zeta is entering into the fall semester of 1958 with a very enthusiastic spirit. The chapter will harmonize under the leadership of its newly-elected officers: Bob Kinstle, GP; Keith Sanders, VGP; Dave Hindall, AG; Don Nott, BG; Mark Deerwester, SG; Tom Myers, Hod; Larry Shine, Phu; and Jerry Thomas, Hi.

GP Bob Kinstle was recently tapped for ODK, national leadership honorary. In addition to this, he was elected to the student council.

Joe Cloutier was given the lead in the first major production, *A Visit to a Small Planet*, presented by the Bowling Green State University speech department.

Newly-initiated brothers are Ron Strause, of Port Clinton; and Bud Koontz, of Ashland.

Bob Kinstle, Keith Sanders and Hal Dick attended the GAC at Mackinac. They returned with much valuable information of benefit to the chapter, and reported having a fine time.

Former GP Ron Mainous, now attending law school at Ohio State University, was married to Miss Rosemary Cipiti this summer. Also married this summer, and now serving in the United States Army, was Gary Whitbeck.

Ohio Zeta wishes to extend its congratulations to Bob Ferguson on the birth of his son, Robert H. Ferguson III.



The Four Sighs, Ohio Zeta quartet, from left: Jerry Ammons, Mark Deerwester, Joe Cloutier, Floyd Figgins.

The chapter quartet, "The Four Sighs," composed of Jerry Ammons, Mark Deerwester, Joe Cloutier, and Floyd Figgins recently won a talent show on station WHIO-TV. For their efforts they received a trophy and a substantial amount of money. Congratulations, fellows!

DAVE HINDALL, *Correspondent*

#### Ohio Eta—University of Toledo

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—8 in 9*)

Since our last newsletter, Ohio Eta has been enjoying many activities. The annual Spring Formal was held at Cedar Point again, and every brother had a very "refreshing" time. We also chose our new officers for the fall term by throwing all names into a hat and pulling out Fritz Gensing, GP; Joe Traudt, VGP; Dave Barkenquast, P; Bob Newman, BG; Jim Connors, AG; Norm DeMars, SG; Denny DeMuth, Hod; Ed Thompson, Phu; and Tom Culler, Hi.

We had some adding and subtracting to do when Matt Kolb left for Ohio Delta, and two of our servicemen, Willy Schmidt and Stan Walkowiak, returned from the wars. Of course this left the nation's defense in great danger, but the chapter will benefit.

We have an excellent rushing program directed by chairman Chuck Farrell. We have given a number of roast, and stag, and just plain mixers, with the new rushees.

Homecoming is just around the corner, and our float is receiving the expert artistic talents of Norm DeMars. Last week we got into formal rush parties on campus. We put on a little "Mad Doctor" skit with some of the more intellectual brothers, and served sandwiches and snacks. The party was a success, according to the rushees. We hope so, because it cost a fortune. Last weekend a party was held at the Stork's Nest for just ourselves, and we really had a great time. Everyone was trying Jack Britton's formula for successful parties, which was to "loosen up." By the time the party was over everyone had the formula pretty well learned.

Our athletic program under the direction of Charlie Warr started off in pro style when the football team won two big games right away. We shut out last year's champs, PiKa, 13-0, then whipped another tough team, Theta Chi, 14-0. After winning our third game in the last two minutes of play, with a long pass from Slinging Sammy Britton to John [Sticky Fingers] Waidelich, we lost the fourth game. But we are going to win the rest of the games and still take the championship. Our second annual Phi Psi alumni golf tournament was held two weeks ago. This tournament is played under a handicap system so that duffers and golfers have an equal chance. But when Ed Thompson won with a 127 that converted into a 74, Charlie Warr almost resigned as athletic chairman. He actually had a share honors with other fine handicappers, and Denny DeMuth

even might be serious when he says he also got a 74. It was a lot of fun despite the dirty politics and low scoring alums.

The house has been receiving some constructive work, to keep it up to top condition. Bart Welch, Ed Thompson, Ken Stemmermann and Dick Shipman painted the walls of the basement, and Larry Forderer and Jim Bowles helped with the walls and floor.

JIM CONNORS, *Correspondent*



Ohio Eta pledges stand proudly with Miss Linda Johnson and Tri Ad trophy after winning skit contest. From left, Rick Baker, Charlie Warr, Milt Schmidt, Joe Traudt, Den-ny Demuth, Larry Fordeded, Dick Shipman, John Bortner, Bart Welsh.

## District 4

### Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—29 in 42)

After the dust settled and the hammers ceased to pound, nine new brothers emerged from the depths of pledgship's "Help Week" into the glorious mysteries of our Fraternity. Initiates of September 28 are: James Ballard, Ferndale; James Gibson and John Kendall, of Detroit; John Risk and James Jones, of Birmingham; Frank Rote and Brent Smith, of Albion, and John Graham, Toledo, Ohio.

Immediately following initiation, Brothers Kohler Champion and Dick Chamberlain coordinated a very successful fall rush. Our new pledge class consists of nineteen men: Donald Gillis Jr., transfer pledge from Brown, Ann Arbor; Gaer Guerber, Birmingham; David Kibler, Mansfield, Ohio; Rob-

ert Litten, Lansing; David Lucas, Westlake, Ohio; Fredrick Meyer, Islip, N.Y.; Perry Morton, Arlington, Va.; Donald Meyers, Detroit; Alfred Nickles, Bridgeport, Ohio; Wallace Newcomb, Painted Post, N.Y.; John Parker, West Orange, N.J.; Eugene Rubin, Westbury, N.Y.; Richard Schaus, Shelbyville, Ind.; Richard Small, Benton Harbor; Arthur Smith, Toledo, Ohio; Robert Stefan, River Rouge; Henry Stine, Ashtabula, Ohio; Kenneth Strohmeyer, Erie, Pa.; and Karl Weihman, Plymouth. Many thanks to the alumni who sent in their recommendations.

Michigan Alpha concluded its spring semester with two more successes, which included rising fifteen more rungs on the scholastic ladder. We are now 14th of 42 fraternities. During the spring Michigras festivities, Phi Psi and Delta Gamma placed third in the float contest with our entry, "Campus Wheel." The theme was a large, luxurious bicycle for campus VIPs, complete with telephone, chauffeur, bar and bartender. With the taste of success still haunting us, we are enthusiastically preparing our Homecoming display for October 25, when we meet Minnesota in Ann Arbor.

Through the generosity of our alumni, our living room is now sporting new grey tweed carpeting. This and other small improvements, along with many individual room improvements ranging from paint and drapes to false ceilings and pine paneling, have made 1550 Washtenaw one of the most fashionable addresses on Fraternity Row.

We were very pleased to see the fine alumni turnout at the Navy-Michigan game. Our alumni are welcome for our Saturday buffet luncheons, which include everything from shrimp salad to roast beef. We wish to thank all of you for your attendance and hope to see many more of you some Saturday in the near future.

Several days ago, Dr. John Patterson '29, of Fort Worth, Texas, stopped at the house with his two lovely daughters. We enjoyed the visit very much, Brother Patterson.

AL DICKERSON, *Correspondent*

### Michigan Beta—Michigan State University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—21 in 24)

Michigan Beta joined Kappa Kappa Gamma in working on a float for spring term's water Carnival. The theme for our presentation was based on Barcelona, Spain. A nebish, which flew into the air nearly thirty feet at the height of the continuity, was described by bystanders as being "unique."

Our spring term activities included our winning fourth place in the annual IFC Sing. Directed by Fred Kinnamin, the brothers presented a specially prepared rendition of "The Crucifixion."

The usual cleaning job on the chapter house was completed during the summer by brothers equipped with scrub brushes and buckets. A new lawn was planted which has since been augmented

by planting shrubbery along the front and sides of the house. Other improvements to the house include paving our parking lot and a complete interior paint job.

An extensive summer rushing program has resulted in a chapter record being set for the number of rushees through on a first rush night. Open rush was climaxed with an outdoor dance welcoming Alaska as the 49th state. Fall rush is headed by Robin Murray, who is also IFC rush chairman.

Ken Haveman recently has gained distinction both for his appointment as IFC extension director, and for being the first in the house to become pinned this year.

The IM bowling team downed Delta Upsilon, 4-0, in its first match of the season. Dick Seroka, Fred Kinnamin, Don St. John, John Kipley and Al Botamer compose the team.

Michigan Beta and the Michigan State chapter of Delta Tau Delta hosted our two respective UofM chapters at a combined victory (?) dance on the night of the annual State-UofM gridiron clash. Additional social functions include several desserts scheduled later in the term.

Returned from a short sojourn in the Army to resume studies are Keller Doyle and charter member Garrett Turell.

During the summer months, Michigan Beta was visited by brothers from Arizona Alpha, New York Eta, Washington Alpha, Maryland Alpha, Pennsylvania Beta, Pennsylvania Gamma, Pennsylvania Lambda and West Virginia Alpha.

TOM PROTSMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Alpha—DePauw University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—4 in 19)*

Indiana Alpha got off to a bang up start with the selection of a pledge class of sixteen, including two sophomores. They are: Jim Zerface and Ron Randall of Monticello; Jim Dillon and Tom Abel of Noblesville; Bill Vesey of Fort Wayne; Dave Talley of Winter Park, Fla.; Don Ake of Richmond; Jim Stringfellow of Huntington; Mike Evans of Blue Island, Ill.; Jim Lashley of Charleston, W.Va.; Ed Van Riper of Indianapolis; Fred Roberts of North Manchester; Bill Floring and John Holdeman of South Bend; and Dick Schinnow of Mason City, Iowa.

The freshmen have banded together to form a tremendous musical combo. Jim Lashley, who plays both piano and trombone, was first in the Ohio state trombone contest. Fred Roberts, on trumpet, was first in the Indiana state trumpet contest. Mike Evans, who plays a modern swinging guitar and flute, played in the "Under 21" club in Chicago all summer. To round out the group there is Dick Schinnow, cornet; Dave Talley, piano; and Jack McCutchan, drums. They have played at numerous social functions and exchanges and have planned a few dance jobs.

Our social plans have begun at a full tilt with exchanges, faculty guests, and a house blanket



**Phi Psis at the 1958 Chicago Beautillion were Dick Hirsch and Jim Trees, of Indiana Alpha, and George Hollingberry, Kansas Alpha.**

party or picnic already under our belts. A house party with a Monte Carlo theme is scheduled later.

It should be noted that two of the brothers were elected by the juniors' activities honorary, Gold Key. They are Al Wilt, vice president of the IF council and GP of the chapter; and Rip Ripley, president of the student body and chapter VGP.

In scholarship we advanced to about a 1.7 from a 1.6. Since they no longer publish fraternity standings on scholarship at DePauw, we don't know where we are exactly but we think in the upper two or three. As far as IM's go we will be as strong as usual. Last year we placed second out of all the fraternities on campus.

BILL CAMPBELL, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Beta—Indiana University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—5 in 27)*

With the passing of the last days of summer, the brothers are again resuming that back-breaking task of studying. Among the old returning brothers are twenty-six new pledges who are about to learn the ways of college life. They are Bob Arnold, Shelbyville, Ky.; Larry Ballinger, Jerry Coon, Lee Hunt, and John McQuire, all of Anderson; Ron Brown, Bill Harris and Ralph Pact, all of Marion; Bill Hahn, Monticello; Dick Hetler and Ron Miller,



Goshen; Roy Inman, Boonville; Steve Casey, Geneva, Ill.; John Mahan, Bloomington; Tom Martel, Jeffersonville; Mike Troy, Fred Wilson and George Quigley, all of Indianapolis; Lowell Richcreek, Swayzee; Jim Roy, Fort Wayne; Mick Harris, Arlington Heights, Ill.; Jim Messick, Lance Hinchman and Tom Kaiser, all of South Bend; and Jerry Swisher, Hammond.

In order to get Indiana Beta's efforts directed in the right direction, Barnes Lathem has been elected as the new GP. The other members of his regime are Jon Ruby, VGP; Edgar Bill, BG; Martin Granholm, Phu; John Button, Hi; Richard Crosser, Hod; Tom Spackman, AG; Bob Bixby, P; and Bob Bratton, SG.

Last spring, Beta wound up one of its most successful years in Phi Psi history. Four brothers, Karl Napper, Lew Cook, Jim Law and Lou Sharp, rode to a record-victory in the "Little 500," the major part of the "World's Greatest College Week-End." Our team moved from eleventh starting position to first in only ten laps and then remained there to the 200th lap to set a new record of more than 21 mph for the 50-mile race. Marty Flynn brought additional honor to Phi Kappa Psi when he was elected the new President of the Student Body. Marty has served with almost every committee and organization in campus government besides doing fine work in positions held in the chapter house.

The spirit of the brothers has picked up right where it left off last spring with every brother doing his best to make Phi Psi tops on campus. Our scholarship program under the direction of Andy Hays, senior law student, has made great strides in promoting pledge class scholarship. Beta's entry in this year's Fall Carnival, "Never, Better Land," looks like a sure winner—but more about this in the next issue. Even the IM picture looks brighter as both our "A" and "B" teams have won their first games.

I would like to congratulate Jon Ruby and Kent Owen for their excellent job of reporting the events of this year's GAC. Kent, a very prominent brother at the convention, deserves special acclaim for his fine work in drafting several important resolutions. As a reminder to the alumni, it looks like Indiana might have a football team that's going to win a game or two. If you can come down for a game or a weekend be sure to drop in at the chapter house.

TOM SPACKMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Gamma—Wabash College**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 8*)

This fall marks the tenth anniversary of Gamma's reactivation. After a 48-year absence, Indiana Gamma got her charter back on October 17, 1948. More than one hundred alumni are expected to return for the anniversary celebration, to be held during Homecoming weekend. Secretary-Editor Emeritus C. F. (Dab) Williams will be on hand to keynote

the program. This promises to be the biggest Homecoming yet for the men of Phi Psi at old "Bash."

The fall rush program was very successful, and a fine pledge class of fourteen is testimony to the hard work of the rush committee. The new pledges are: Stanley Miller, Canton, Ill.; Leslie Gilkerson, Monticello; Joseph Conly, Plainville, N.J.; Jon Stamp and Richard Hummel, Elkhart; Diederick Kanning, Allendale, N.J.; David Olson, Mishawaka; William Racey, Syracuse, N.Y.; Terry Fewell and Richard Alexander, Indianapolis; Terry Post, Plymouth; Charles Wilson, Mooresville; Robert LaRue, Western Springs, Ill.; and Zachary Lazar, East Chicago.

Last June, four new brothers were initiated into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. The new brothers are: Jim Mewhinney, Cleveland; Jon Pontzius, Columbia City; Jon Nicosia, East Chicago; and Doug Rogers, Attica.

Once more Phi Psi is making her presence felt on the Wabash campus, with men in nearly all campus activities. GP Don Nordlund was elected president of Blue Key, and Chris Johnson was elected its treasurer. Ed Sidor was also named to Blue Key. Don Nordlund was also elected secretary-treasurer of Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary journalism fraternity, and Scarlet Masque, school dramatics honorary. Chris Johnson is the new president of Pi Delta and chairman of the Board of Publications. Mike Silbert is vice-president of Scarlet Masque, an organization whose membership is predominantly Phi Psi.

Mead Killion and Brian Fry are now members of America's oldest Speakers Bureau, and Fry, Larry Souders, and Pledge Dick Kanning are in the Glee Club. Brian Fry also participates in the college band, with Jon Nicosia and Doug Rogers.

John Tresch is currently carrying on a position of long standing in the house; he is circulation manager of the *Bachelor*, the college paper. Pledge Chuck Wilson was elected secretary of the Freshman Board, and Lynn Kelley is serving as treasurer of the IFC.

The new officers for this semester are: Don Nordlund, GP; Mike Silbert, VGP; Lynn Kelley, AG; Jon Templin, BG; John Tresch, P; Bill Harvey, SG; Jerry Augburn, Hi; Ken Hapner, Hod; and Mike Misch, Phu.

Congratulations go to three brothers who were married recently: Ron Stasch to Margo Coffman; Ed Sidor to Delores Cinal; and Tony Dowell to Nancy Mitchell.

Gamma was pleased to welcome three brothers this fall. Chuck Sanders and Bob Evans have returned after being absent for several years, and Bill Harvey is back from Freiburg, Germany, where he studied last year.

The fall social season opened with a rug dance on October 4. The dance went off very well, and we plan to stage more of these informal dances throughout the year. In a men's school, any excuse



to bring a girl on campus offers a welcome break in the routine.

The Phi Psi IM football team moved out fast by defeating the league-leading team, which went undefeated last year, and hopes are high for another championship trophy.

Pledges Skip Gilkerson and Bob LaRue are playing freshman football, and Pledge Dick Alexander is on the varsity cross-country squad.

Bill Lovett '53, returned for initiation last June and brought news of several of the alumni. We would appreciate hearing from more alumni in the near future, to revive interest in an alumni newsletter.

LYNN KELLEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Delta—Purdue University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—24 in 37)*

The brothers returned to find a beautifully decorated downstairs waiting for their inspection. Ever since we first knew of our House Association's decision to go ahead with the decoration project we had all been anxious to see how the "Great Hall" would look when the work had been done. We certainly weren't disappointed. We all appreciate the hard work of planning and financing the project that all the members of the association donated to us so willingly, and would like to take this time to say thanks for everything.

When we returned we also found co-rush chairmen Jim Harger and Ted Long hard at work on our rush program. As a result of this well set up program we pledged fifteen outstanding men. They are: Larry Adams, Peru; Frank Alan, Knox; Greg Baur, Carmel; Jerry Beeker, Ted Ricks and Al Rusk, all of Lafayette; Tom Beety, Jerry Jackson, Chris Kellum and Bert Fridlin, all of Kokomo; Jim Hansen, Batavia, Ill.; Jim Hill, Park Ridge, Ill.; Jon Nelson, Wheaton, Ill.; Dick Sowerwine, Noblesville; and John Winters, Golf, Ill. Congratulations to Jim and Ted for their fine job. We would like to thank all of the alumni for their recommendations. Without them our rush program could not have been so successful.

Since our last newsletter, four men have been initiated and the chapter has selected new house officers. The initiates are: Jim Harger, Noblesville; Dick Pigman, Glen Rock, N.J.; Paul Conwell, Kokomo; and Al Heffner, Indianapolis. Don Stuart took over Nate Wilson's place as GP. The other officers are Dick Green, VGP; Dave Evans, AG; Don Dalzell, P; Bruce Smith, SG; Brad Wirth, Hi; Roger Miller, Hod; and Hank Stewart, Phu.

Phi Psi is well represented in activities this year. Dick Green, senior class president, did a fine job in planning the campus senior "cord" weekend, while Don Stuart has been busy as circulation editor for the campus newspaper. Bob Eberhart is a member of the senior cabinet and George Howell is the assistant photography editor for the IFC. We were also proud to hear that Dave Everhart

and Steve Johnson were tapped for Gimlets, an upperclassmen's activities honorary for fraternities. Dave is a member of the varsity swimming team and Steve is the senior basketball manager. Ed Heidenreich and Greg Baur represent us on the Boilermaker football squad, and have been doing a fine job.

DAVE EVANS, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Epsilon—Valparaiso University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—4 in 7)*

A bit of pride in the budding grandeur of our new campus swelled in us as we returned to campus this fall. With the Chapel nearly completed, a dorm to house three hundred men to be finished this winter, and the green steel framework of our new library jutting out of Mother Earth just a few rods north of the Chapel, we're forced to admit that the "Valpo of the future" is not as far off as we thought.

Not much physical change has taken place at 801 Mound since last spring. The new lawn planted by the spring pledge class looks as though it really means to stay. Perhaps the brick walk out to the driveway constructed this summer by Brother "Panda" has been instrumental in keeping everyone off the lawn.

Bob Oesterreich, Mel Hall, and Dick Schroer all have MR. & MRS. under their doorbells. Paul Manske and Dean Kell now wear the traditional blue gowns of the Junior Honor Guard at chapel services. Five of the '58 class are doing graduate study: Gus Eifrig at Northwestern; Bob Moellerling at Harvard; Dick Wehrenburg at Indiana; Herm Meyer at Stanford; and Bruce Wachholz at Rochester. Larry Goeglein was given honorable mention on the all ICC 1958 baseball team. Bob Pace, Dick Puffpaff, Larry Goeglein, Buzz Doeffer and Dean Kell are all playing regularly on the Crusader football team, while harrier Max Eby runs a mean cross-country race.

Our nine spring pledges are: Russ Bishop, Sudbury, Ontario; William Clark, LeRoy Bach and LeRoy Fehrenkamp, all of Chicago; Fred Garrard, Griffith; Raymond Henricks, Niles, Ill.; Fred Reddel Jr., St. Joseph, Mich.; Don Riegelman, Racine, Wis.; and Richard Wing, Bolivar, N.Y.

George Reinhardt has transferred to Washington University where he rooms with Dich Stelter. They boast of starting a new chapter there.

DEAN KELL, *Correspondent*

#### **Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—22 in 26)*

Spring quarter was an active and profitable one for Illinois Alpha. The social highlight of the quarter, and probably the year, was the annual spring formal held at Nippersink, Wis. It was an all-day party with activities ranging from waterskiing and horseback riding to ping pong and volley-

ball, climaxed with a formal dinner and dance and the announcement of the Sweetheart of Phi Kappa Psi. This year's Sweetheart was Liz Jacox, who was married to Jim Warner this June. Another brother, Larry Van Dusen, was married this summer to Sue Wood.

Other features of the spring quarter were the annual May Week serenades for the brothers who were pinned during the year, and the conclusion of the IM sweepstakes competition, winding up with softball and volleyball. Last spring also saw the election of Keith Emge to Norlegamma, a junior men's honorary. Keith was also elected treasurer of the IFC. Still another highlight was the selection of Dean Smith as Delta Gamma "Man of the Year." Dean was also a member of the varsity golf team. Scholarship was another bright point. Illinois Alpha climbed ten places in the scholastic ratings last quarter.

A vigorous week of rushing was culminated by the formal pledging of seventeen men. Following the ceremonies was a banquet and that night we held the annual pledge-active party in Chicago. Considered one of the finest on the campus, the new pledge class should get the chapter off to a fine start. Members of the new pledge class include: George Alexander, Aurora; William Brown, Sullivan, Ind.; Keith Crane, Evanston; Thomas Duncan, Martinsville, Ind.; Robert Erdmann, Manitowoc, Wis.; James Jackson, Des Moines, Iowa; George Liebrock, Wheaton; John MacDonald, South Bend, Ind.; Stephen Mass, Chicago; John

Mehalic, Streeter; Henrik Moe, Fort Atkinson, Wis.; James Morton, Birmingham, Mich.; John Polk, San Carlos, Calif.; John Riley, Kenilworth; Robert Sullivan, Millbrae, Calif.; Michael Vuchnich, Toronto, Canada; and Thomas Wonders, Blackstone.

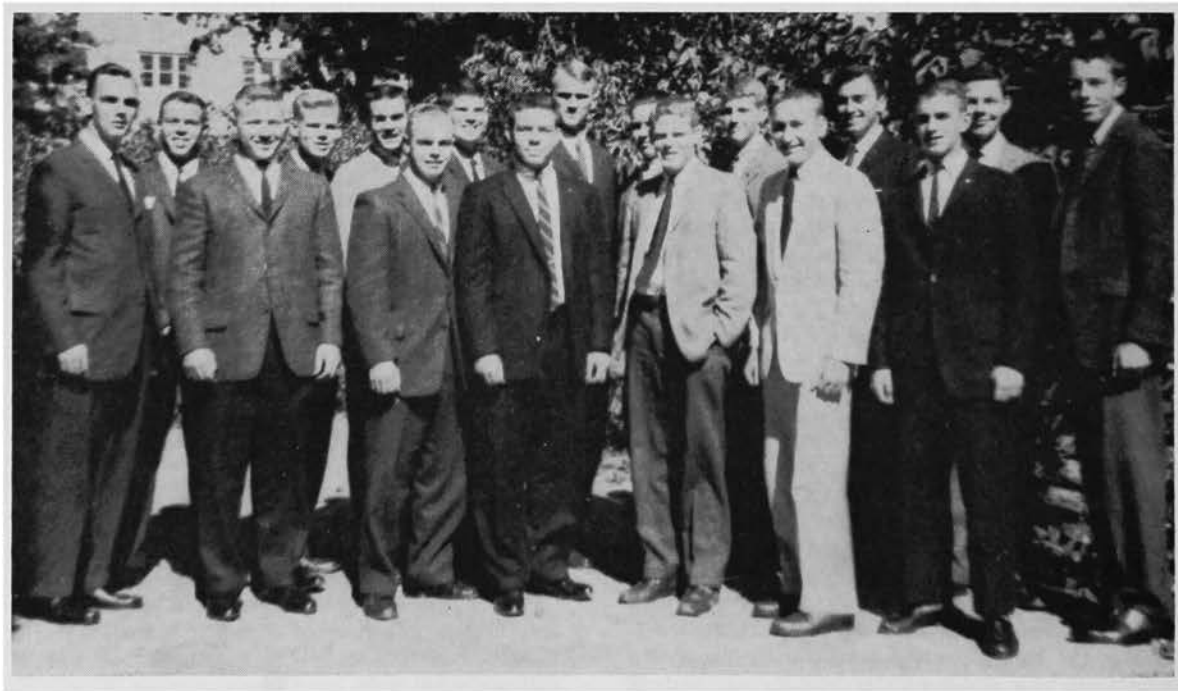
Illinois Alpha is very well represented on the Northwestern varsity football team. Joe Abbatiello, guard; Doug Asad, end; and Gene Gossage, tackle, have earned starting roles and have already become stalwarts of the Northwestern line. Other brothers on the team include seniors Doug Hoopes and Larry Van Dusen, and sophomore Don Mnichowicz.

The IM season is now in full swing, starting off with football, tennis, and golf and later wrestling. Prospects look bright for a few championships and possibly the sweepstakes trophy.

Another big project this fall will be the annual Homecoming parade. Preparations are now under way for the construction of a float to represent the house.

The social season gets rolling with a "Gay Nineties" party, a Bermuda shorts party to be held with DU, and a "Charles Addams character" party. A theatre party, when the brothers and their dates will attend a show like "My Fair Lady" in Chicago is also scheduled for later in the quarter. Mixed in with these will be a number of informal exchanges with various sororities.

HUNTLEY BALDWIN, *Correspondent*



These 17 fine young men ended their rush week at Northwestern wearing Phi Psi pledge pins bestowed by Illinois Alpha.

## **Illinois Beta—University of Chicago**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—3 in 8)*

The brothers have found welcome relief in returning to a normal academic routine after being subjected to the perils and hazards of registration's confounding red tape. Don Guy found himself unusually enmeshed in the unending tape when he discovered he was locked in the administration building and had to wait for the night watchman to let him out.

The IM football championship is a cinch this year with the return of Crazylegs Kaufman to spearhead a fantastic offense. Sy Lazumbras and Pete Werner will undoubtedly win a couple more varsity letters this season. Benny Moosky turned down an offer from the Chicago Cubs farm system this summer, and is back at Phi Psi to help us bring back another IM softball trophy.

There should be no cogs in our social wheels this quarter. Pat Mohane has already scheduled several parties for the next few weeks. John Lamb has taken over as house manager, and the great results of his work can already be seen. Harvey Flaumenrod is the new GP, and Don Guy is filling the vacancy in the IF Council left by Seymore Hirsche who finally graduated and is now at the law school. Ira Nelson has been re-elected P. Other new officers are: Don Guy, VGP; Dale Pace, AG; Bob Lawler, BG; Crazylegs Kaufman, SG; Bird Budnick, HD; Sy Lazumbras, PHU; and Byron Enwright, HI.

Although we lost such scholars as Bud Dorin, Marty Gouterman, William H. Poe, Len Springduck and David Zimmeroff this past year, we are all certain that we will better last year's academic standing from third on campus to first.

A recent initiate, Ron Blake, was drafted this summer and is now at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Both Ralph Underhill and Al Gaines were married this summer.

One thing that has been bothering most of us here is the fate of Oodles Keseau. Not having received any information recently, our concern has mounted, and we would like to know what has happened to him.

DALE PACE, *Correspondent*

## **Illinois Delta—University of Illinois**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—50 in 51)*

Rush week was very successful with Phi Psi taking eighteen good men from the battlefields of formal rush. With informal rush going on now and several sharp men on the string, "911" is bulging at the seams. Our congratulations and thanks go to Ted Pristash and Alex Jankowsky for the tireless work they did as rush chairmen. Also, our thanks to the alumni headed by Frank Whiting and Fred Lindstrom for the big boost they gave us. The pledges are: Roger Ahroon and Dave Boge, Bloomington; Ron Apperson, Champaign; Ron Baker and Gene Stuart, Elgin; Paul Cleary, Dave

and Dick Dandurand, and Walt DeBolt, all of Chicago Heights; Bob Hill and Bill Johnson, Kansas City, Mo.; John Janes, Flossmore; Tim Kirkby, Decatur; Bob Rigdon, Ridge Farms; George Staudt, Whitefish Bay, Wis.; Dick Corbet, Evanston; Ross Webb, Chicago; and Kurt Youngstrom, Prairie Village, Kans.

During rush week we added four brothers. Don Day and Bill Workman, second semester pledges last year, were initiated, and Bill Ayton of Texas Alpha and Bob Stava of Maryland Alpha have transferred here. A sincere welcome to all four!

"Phi Psi-Theta, Phi Psi-Theta . . .!" This was the yell that raised the roof of Bidwell's after stunt show tryouts. The enthusiasm was high because even without the official announcement the Phi Psis and Thetas knew we had a winning group that would make the finals of Homecoming Stunt Show. Next day the announcement came . . . you're right, we made it. On the Phi Psi end of things, John Ravencroft and Ron Fink have done a terrific job of directing.

Sports-wise, Phi Psi has started off the year at full speed. Our IM football team, quarterbacked by Ben Waldie is still undefeated. We beat our toughest competition, Phi Delta, to clear the way to league, and, we hope, All-IM championships. On the varsity football team, our Phi Psi threesome of first stringers, Rich Kreitling, Dave Ash and Bob Hickey, plus Jim Brown, have kept house spirits high with their gridiron performances. We're hoping their good playing will lead Illinois to some victories after the near-misses of the first games.

With the Robinhood Pledge Dance leading the way, social life is in full swing. The pledges were all set to shoot the bids to the various sororities by way of arrows; but, after consultation with the pledges, the arrows were handed, not shot.

BOB TELLEN, *Correspondent*

## **Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—15 in 15)*

As the smell of hay began to fill the green Tennessee countryside and the atmosphere became charged with expectations of coming football games, falling leaves and cooler days, the brothers found their way back to Nashville to begin another year of scholastic endeavor. As in past years a note of optimism pervaded the actions of the brothers as they went about organizing the house and planning for the forthcoming rush season. Among those in whom the optimism is plainly evident is the recently-elected GP, Tom Davidson. He also has working with him a team of interested and optimistic officers: James French, VGP; Dick Neil, AG; and Walter Murphy, P.

We have two problems facing us again this year. The foremost at the present time is rush, which will begin November 11 and last until the beginning of the next semester. There are high hopes that this year will again yield a fine group of men

worthy of the Phi Psi brotherhood. Second in the minds of GP Davidson and the brothers is the acquisition of a permanent house. Due to the fire which destroyed our original house on Terrace Place in 1955, we have been situated in a rented building. Since this building is not at all adequate, Tom, like many recent GPs, has committed himself fully to the quest for a permanent and satisfactory residence.

Among other factors which have served to heighten the marked optimism was the fine report given by our delegates to the GAC, Jim Hickey and Jim French. It is clear that their enthusiastic review of the happenings at Mackinac Island has given all the brothers a fresh insight into the fraternal spirit that is traditional of Phi Kappa Psi.

A tremendous responsibility rests on the committees this semester and particularly on the entertainment committee, since the most important aspect of rush this year consists of four parties to which we may invite freshmen. The social season got into full swing on October 4 with the annual hayride which began at the house and ended beside a roaring fire over which we roasted marshmallows. Our thanks go to the Mothers' Club for supplying hot chocolate and doughnuts. On October 18 we will host the Chi Omega Sorority. The brothers are looking forward to this with particular enthusiasm and are working hard on play skits and group singing.

For the Homecoming game, October 25, we are planning a buffet supper immediately following the game to which all alumni will be invited.

All the brothers extend thanks to Fort Flowers, who served as our alumnus representative at the GAC; and to the Mothers' Club which is working hard to provide refreshments for the forthcoming rush.

RICHARD R. NEIL, *Correspondent*

#### **Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 16)*

During formal rush we pledged seven good men. They are: James Culpepper, Rochelle, Ga.; John Davis, Pelahatchie; Walter Lewis, Pascagoula; Percy Lovorn, Rolling Fork; Charles May, Pascagoula; George Mize, Mississippi City; and Eugene Windham, Mayersville. Tom McPherson, of Chicago, Ill., has been pledged during open rush. With many more prospective rushees, we are looking forward to our biggest rush season in many years.

The social season began with a bang this semester with a "House of Blue Lights" party. Eddie Cash and his band (from Memphis) supplied the music and, needless to say, "a good time was had." Ken Cline's parents came from Nashville for the party weekend.

The house has never looked better. We have bought several pieces of furniture for the living room and have converted one room downstairs into a chapter room, where we keep all fraternity papers and do all chapter business. Richard Ja-

cobson's parents donated two lamps for the living room and Ken Cline's parents gave us two lamps and two end tables. They add very much to the room and we truly appreciate them.

We plan to start remodeling the house and adding a new addition for a dining facility in February.

Scholarship is now definitely on the rise. We were fourth on campus among fraternities last semester and to see that we rise even higher this semester, we have begun house quiet hours and have a study hall for the pledges during the week.

We want to express an invitation to all of our alumni to come by and see us during the Homecoming game between Ole Miss and Mississippi State.

DAVID SHURDEN, *Correspondent*

#### **Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 7)*

On our return to school this fall we were greeted by a new face on the house. Not only was the house freshly painted, but also the alumni had paid for a complete reupholstering of the house furniture. We also have the alumni to thank for their loyal interest and helpful advice; this year they additionally made a substantial financial contribution to the chapter. Working closely with us this year are Sam Guerrero, alumni association president; Plato Leeson, chapter advisor; and Ed St. Peter, financial advisor.

On September 27 the following were pledged: Robert Anderson, La Grange, Ill.; Stuart Ahrens, Dave Morgan and James Van Der Velde, all of Skokie, Ill.; James Campbell, Rochester, Minn.; Doug Davis, Plainfield, Ill.; Ken Griswold, Joliet, Ill.; Gus Hangiandreou, Beloit; Walt Rink, Park Ridge, Ill.; and James Tonry, Northbrook, Ill. We are happy to announce that Terry McGuire has transferred here from Penn Kappa, at Swarthmore College, and that old vets Tom White and Kris Albright have recently returned.

Our scholarship chairman regrets to announce that we ended up in last position last semester, but he added hopefully, with an eye to the future, that our pledges ended up in fifth place.

Good times were had this summer at Brother Lou Caster's farm, near Rockford, when the alumni were hosts at a summer rush party. There was also another rush party at Ed Arkema's summer home on Pistakee Bay. Everyone went swimming and some even attempted to water-ski.

With all the fun and enjoyment of the summer, we were all struck with a somber note when we learned of Brother Richard Shanahan's fatal automobile accident. Shan, Beloit's most-valuable football player in 1956, graduated last June. The chapter and alumni gave substantial donations toward the Richard J. Shanahan Memorial Fund.

Many helpful suggestions were brought back from the GAC this summer by GP Bob Allan, BG William Hollingsworth and Marvin Lundin.

Bill Hollingsworth brought back the low gross trophy from the GAC golf tourney.

We are all looking forward to the coming year in sports, as well as in our studies. We have five men on the varsity football squad: Bob Allan, Ed Jakab, Skip Davis, Ken Griswold and Bill Biederman. With these five bruisers helping us as advisors, our IM football team should have no trouble winning the trophy.

RICHARD L. SHERIFF, *Correspondent*

#### **Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—18 in 31)*

The school year is in full swing; the house is filled with brothers back from their summer vacations and new pledges ready to pitch in and strive towards the day they become initiated. The thirteen new men in the house are Bob Hearn; Jan Haugen, Walt Christenson and Walt Rev, all of Minneapolis; Walt Smith and Burt Benson, Orlando, Fla.; John Malakowsky and Kieth Putt, Mound; Bob Howe, Fulda; Jack Park, Aitken; Wally Carlson and Bob Sillerud, Pelican Rapids; and Scott Cairns of Redwood Falls. Even in the short two weeks they have been here, the spirit shown by these pledges has been tremendous. We are looking forward to the day when they become active.

On October 10, four new brothers were welcomed at initiation ceremonies. Taking the oaths of Phi Psis were Ralph Foster, Charles Benson and Terry Ottenweller, all of Minneapolis; and Gary Jones, Owatonna. Welcome aboard!

Before spring quarter closed last June, elections were held for chapter officers. The following brothers are our new officers: Marvin Midthun, GP; James Hewett, VGP; Bernard Grootwassink, P; James Peller, Asst. P; James Burr, BG; Benny Grosz, SG; Duane Pogue, Phu; Dick Gaudette, Hod; John Sherman, Hi; and Richard Wilson, AG. Our new counselor is Jim Voss, who comes to us from the Marine Corps. Jim is a graduate law student from Carlton College where he was a full-back on the football team. He later played in the Marines.

Speaking of football, we are anxiously watching the Gophers and Norman Sixta, starting left tackle, and Pledge Jack Park, who is seeing service at end for Minnesota. Both are anticipating a good season for themselves and the Gophers. In IM sports, we anticipate a fine season in touchball and hope to retain our All-University cross-country championship from last year. Not too long ago we received our wrestling trophies for again winning the All-U championship last April. Returning "veterans" plus new pledges make our football and cross-country teams stronger than ever.

Plans are in the fire for our Homecoming with Illinois on October 18. We will have Open House at 1609 after the game and a party that night at the Radisson Hotel, Italian Room, mezzanine floor. Later in the quarter, we will probably join the Phi Gams for a "Jeff Duo."

RICHARD WILSON, *Correspondent*

## **District 5**

#### **Iowa Alpha—State University of Iowa**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—2 in 19)*

Iowa Alpha is very proud of our start this year at the University of Iowa. With our new officers, Phil Bartlett, GP; Dave Bradbury, VGP; Dick Herbrechtmeier, P; and Tom Flickenger, BG, we look forward to one of our best years of leadership.

With approximately \$15,000 spent on house improvements this summer, including new furniture, new chapter room, new stairs and graded landscape, we were well prepared for rush. This, plus the fact that we have a large sophomore and junior class to rush with helped us a great deal.

As we expected, we came out first on campus with a fine pledge class of twenty-four. They are: Bruce Allen, La Canada, Calif.; Bob Barnes, Ottumwa; Kent Besley, Bowen Campbell, Joe Harkness, Bob Mulder and Bob White, all of Des Moines; Jeff Brody, Ottumwa; Jon Burns and Tom Burns, Carroll; Mike Carr and Jim Turner, Manchester; Tim Cote, Eldora; Terry Connor, Centerville; Brian Gauler, Muscatine; Joe Hladky, Al Maly and Dave Mojonier, all of Cedar Rapids; Chuck Jons, Sac City; Doug McAuley, Mason City; Randy Mathers, Storm Lake; David Nairn, Ames; Ed Thompson, Bedford; and Bob Winders, Emerson.

With pledge ceremonies over, our pledge class is enthusiastically looking forward to the next few months of pledge training. Many actives are happy with one new pledge training rule covering the house as a whole. This is the first year that the pledges help the actives clean up the house.

Intramurally speaking, the past year was quite successful. We won All-University swimming, Interfraternity football, basketball and golf.

Scholastically, we placed third of twenty houses. We recently acquired the Fifth District Plaque for scholarship in addition to our other awards.

Three new brothers were welcomed into our Fraternity on September 28. They are: Fritz Keefner, James Jones and Stewart Fuller, all members of last year's pledge class. It was obvious they were just a little more pleased after the ceremonies than we were.

One of our GAC delegates, Gene Mueller, was elected to the office of Fifth District Archon. The fact that Gene is entering law school this fall at Iowa assures his continued close association with Iowa Alpha.

Soon after school got underway, the house was happy and surprised to have Jim Addison drop in to see some old friends. Jim, an alumnus of Iowa Alpha, is the recent Past President of the Fraternity. Jim's visits to the chapter are especially

enlivened by his fresh supply of witty stories and news of other chapters.

As this correspondent closes this report, his ears are shattered by the raucous sound of "Noble Fraternity" being sung by twenty-four new pledges as they help our actives clean up the house.

TYLER MARSHALL, *Correspondent*

#### **Iowa Beta—Iowa State College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—21 in 30)*

Iowa Beta felt the effects of the national recession this fall as pledging progressed very slowly during rush week. Nevertheless, under the guidance of membership chairman Con Short, we are carrying on a very extensive informal rush program this fall. At the present time we have eleven pledges. They are: Bob Short and Dave Crosley, Webster City; Gary Cuttell, Spencer; Arlo Lien, Clear Lake; Joe Riding, Des Moines; Blaine Johnson, Woodhull, Ill.; Jim Hagemeyer, Burlington; Bob Williams and Ray Benton, Iowa City; Mick Stewart, Webster Groves, Mo.; and Dick Pattschull, Mason City.

On the social side the Sportsman, our annual fall party, will highlight the fall quarter. In addition, the chapter has planned a special Homecoming party to be held in Boone. We are looking forward to welcoming many alumni to Homecoming. The main topic of discussion will be the building project which we are planning for the summer of 1959.

Last year we won the IM sweepstakes trophy for the ninth time in ten years. As a result many other houses are gunning to take the trophy away from us this year, so we are really going to have to work to hang on to it. At the present time, both of our football teams are fighting to gain berths in class A. In volleyball, team one has yet to lose. Team two has lost once but hopes to make the class B tournament. Bowling looks hopeful. We'll just have to wait and see.

Frank Powell was named Iowa State's Athlete of the Year for 1957-58. Frank captained the wrestling team and finished second in the NCAA 177-lb. class tournament. In addition, he played linebacker and blocking back on the varsity football team.

In varsity football three Psis hold key positions. Ardie Esslinger, a sophomore, plays center on offense and holds down a key linebacking position on defense. At tailback is Dwight Nichols, a junior, who last year won the Fifth District Athlete award. In addition, Dwight finished third nationally in total offense. Senior Bob Harden starts at fullback. In the first two games, Bob scored four touchdowns.

This year we welcome a new housemother, Mrs. Lurene Greer, of Des Moines. Coming to us with very high recommendations, Moms Greer is doing much for our house.

WALTER KUEHN, *Correspondent*

#### **Missouri Alpha—University of Missouri**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—23 in 29)*

Missouri Alpha was again declared the winner following the successful conclusion of the 1958 rush week. The new pledges are: Dick Brigham, George Herman, Jack Prather, George Mansfield, Bill Rutledge, Bob Hoy, Jerry Huston, Mike Seibert, and Willis Baker, all of Kansas City; Bill Osthoff, Kent Turner, John Gibson, and Joe Allen, all of Independence; Dave Blank, De Soto; Bob Evans and Charlie Newberry, Hannibal; Paul Coverdell, Decatur, Ga.; Jack Talbott, Ottumwa, Ia.; Stewart Prentiss, Harrisburg, Pa.; Gary Tatlow, Carrollton; Lloyd Banks, Ladue; Gordon Stuck, Mission Hills, Kans.; Chuck Smith, Fulton; Pat Norris, Owensville; Dave Ledbetter, Sedalia; and Roy Parker, Joplin.

On November 8, the campus will be "invaded" by the largest number of Phi Psis ever to congregate on one campus. On this date, Phi Psis from all over the world will gather to help celebrate the fiftieth continuous year of operation for the Missouri Alpha Chapter. At this same time, for many, it will be the first opportunity to see the newly-completed Phi Psi wing addition to the present property. This is a time to renew old friendships and to meet the newest Phi Psis at the University of Missouri. For old timers this will be an occasion for reminiscing and reliving those undergraduate days with former classmates and friends.

The following pledges were welcomed into the Fraternity during initiation ceremonies on June 8: Don Doxsee, Prairie Village, Kans.; Gus Sample, St. Louis; Dave Clow, Independence; Larry Coates, Columbia; Barry Bruton, Brentwood; and Jerry Waters, Kansas City.

On September 6, just two days before rush week, Missouri Alpha opened its doors to the new \$100,000 addition. A dream for many decades, the new house represents the cooperative efforts of all 650 Phi Psi alumni and now stands as a memorial for all Phi Psis who have passed through her doors in the last fifty years. With a dining room capacity of more than one hundred and rooms for forty-four men in two- and three-man rooms, nothing should stop the Missouri Alpha men from achieving greatness during the months and years ahead.

TED BRYANT, *Correspondent*

#### **Texas Alpha—University of Texas**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—11 in 29)*

September 13 found the end of a highly successful rush week for Texas Alpha. Thirty-two men from all parts of Texas and two from out-of-state

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signed Phi Psi pledge cards at the close of rush. These "new faces" around the house are: Richard Stephen Bagby and Larry Curtis Hilley, Dallas; Emerson Banack Jr., Clarence Edward Lathan Jr., Jerry Pat Gibson and Gerald Lee Wood, all of Odessa; Thomas Scott Cantine, Amarillo; Robert Carl Demler Jr., Port Arthur; William Sherman Feazell Jr., New Boston; Jerry Walter Gunn, Ft. Worth; Norman David Jarrell, Texas City; William Lucas Young, Corsicana; William Harold LaFont, Ronald Gene Bumpus, Jack Temple Cayce and John Michael Huggins, all of Plainview; Robert Lynn Paterson, Shreveport, La.; George Edward Ramsev III, Brooksville, Md.; Roland Ross Thompson, Sweetwater; Hugh Francis West and John Paul Wilkinson, Midland; Samuel Everard Kinch Jr., Bruce John Knierim, Charles Hobert Owens Jr., John Shary Shivers, Donald Oliver Nelson, John Robert Babcock, Andrew Gregory Gannaway and Jay Hoyland Arnette, Austin; William Omar Logan Jr., Palestine; Emory Clifton Camp, Cameron; and Robert Burton Reese, San Antonio. In addition to these men, we are now in "open rush" and expect to pick up several more good pledges before mid-semester.

Shortly before rush began, Texas Alpha initiated six men into the brotherhood of Phi Kappa Psi. The new brothers are: Michael Ross Cooper, Winslow, Ariz.; John Joseph Eikenberg, Dallas; Joe Bob Hall, Winnie; David Earl McDonald, Houston; and Alton Ernest Greeven and Coley Ronald Platt, Austin.

Over the summer our front yard finally began to take shape. By the time the brothers started coming back for rush our new house was set off by what we proudly claim to be real grass. After more than a year of struggling to make it grow it surely is a welcome sight! Also over the summer months we got nine sets of sterling silver settings for the dining room, a new table and lamp for the entrance hall, a new television set, and acquired a gas lamp for the front yard to serve as a beacon for bleary-eyed brothers.

Although the year is still young Phi Psi is socially already quite mature. During registration two closed parties were held with the Zetas and the Alpha Chi Omegas. Following the start of school, football games came. This got Texas Alpha's traditional before-game buffets and after-game dances in the basement underway. This coming weekend is the infamous one when Texas and Oklahoma meet in Dallas for their annual game. Our two chapters have planned parties both Friday and Saturday nights for this holiday.

Further social activity includes a bus trip to the Rice game in Houston for about forty brothers and their dates, more buffets and cocktail parties after games; a German Beer Garden costume party, a Shantytown costume party and Friday afternoon clubs with several sororities.

With many pledges and brothers on campus committees and others in work on student publications, Texas Alpha is well represented. Also on

the agenda for fall semester is the annual Sing-Song. Phi Psi has entered under the direction of Gage Van Horn and Kenneth Vernon and practice has already started for the November 16 performance.

BOB MOORE, *Correspondent*

#### **Texas Beta—Texas Technological College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—3 in 9)*

Rush, party, study . . . these seem to be the bywords of Texas Beta this fall.

Through the diligent and extensive work of Robert Rodgers, our summer rush chairman, we now have several months' advantage over our competition. He and his fine committee have done a wonderful job in combing the surrounding areas this summer.

Our social calendar is stuffed to the rupture point due to our ambitious social chairman, Bill Pittman. The semester ahead will certainly be an active one with more and better costume mixers, lodge dances, rush parties, float stuffings and "ice cream" socials. You would think we were farm hands the way everyone is scurrying about collecting, shelling and delivering 1,500 corn cobs as invitations for our Li'l Abner Dance.

Due to our many parties and functions last spring our scholarship standing plummeted to second place. We have already taken strides toward correction and intend to regain the top under the gentle guidance of our able scholarship chairman, Cam Cunningham.

September 28 was the day of days for our 16 new brothers. Those united into the mystical bond of Brotherhood are: Royce Bruce, George Dawson, Gordon Graves, Robert Johnson, Tex Long, George Phenix and Steve Witcher, all of Lubbock; Don Emory, Robert Southerland and John Charles Stickel, all of Amarillo; Stanley Scott and Dan Webster, Dallas; Charles LeBus, Vernon; Bill Barr, Clyde; Glenn Cope, Big Lake; and George Wal-drop, Odessa.

We are happy to welcome Tommy Beard back to the circle this fall. He has held a position (?) as a protective agent for our Uncle until recently.

Notable events of the past few months include the marriages of: Gilbert Finnell and Amanda Ward (Theta), Don Rambo and Sara Smith (Zeta), Sammy Ribble and Judy Hightower (DG), Frank French and Lorraine Gustafson, and Web Sharp and Joanna Usry.

Congratulations go to Robert Rodgers for being elected president of the Tech Singers. Bill Pittman is a recent addition to the Tech Union Program Council, raising the number of Phi Psis on the Council to six of the twenty-three total.

This year Texas Beta added a pre-school planning and recreational retreat to the calendar. Much of the year's planning and work took place at this event. In addition it gave the brothers an opportunity to relax and enjoy their last bit of freedom before the term began.

We extend hearty thanks to Arizona Alpha for the honor of visiting in their home during their rush week in September. However, after seeing Thomas Holeman's skit and hearing Rolly Seawell's speech twenty-two times in four days, we're frankly sold on our deferred rush system. We are looking forward to Arizona's visit with us in the near future.

CLAUDE ROGERS, *Correspondent*

#### **Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—6 in 25*)

This fall's chapter officers at Kansas Alpha are: Sam Reynolds, GP; Neil Perkins, VGP; Corney Boersma, P; Ken Gray, AG; Bruce Brient, BG; Jim Brownfield, SG; Fred Gifford, Hi; and Jerry Brown, Phu.

Chuck Gibbon has been elected rush chairman, succeeding Charles Hydeman. After a successful rush week, we unveiled a pledge class of twenty-seven young men at our annual yell-in on September 20, 1958. They are: Allan Hedrick, Marvin Evilsizer Jr., John Ward, Jerry Ostertag, Bert Johnson, Doug Mayor, John Boyd, Mark Dull, and Ben Blackshire, all of Kansas City; Bob Brooks, Robert Davenport, and Herb Proudfit, all of Kansas City, Mo.; Dennis Allen, Raytown, Mo.; Jim Tergin, Jefferson City, Mo.; David Perce, Evanston, Ill.; John Van Bloom, Lincoln, Nebr.; Ben Allen, Alton, Ill.; John Tillotson, Norton; Par Maloney, Hutchinson; Richard Bowman, John Askew, and Billy Kentling, all of Wichita; William Goodwin, Independence; Thomas McIntire, Oregon, Mo.; Charles McKinnis, Stockton; John McFarlane, Newton; and Gary Jones, Parsons.

No major improvements were done to our house this summer due to the fact that we bought an option on a one and seven-tenth acre lot, which may well be the site for a new house in the near future. The number of men the house is accommodating this year is sixty-one.

IM football, tennis and golf have begun and many of the brothers and pledges are feeling the aches and pains of the season.

The loss of Bill Burnison due to torn ligaments in his knee will be sorely felt on the injury-ridden Jayhawk football team. Bill was outstanding last year as a sophomore and was voted honorable mention Big Eight center. Stan Kirshman, a sophomore, is playing second team and is a promising prospect. Paul Rearick and Bruce Brient will figure greatly in Coach Bill Easton's track plans this spring. Both are sprint men. John Book, defending Big Eight javelin thrower, will be back. Jerry Williams will be swinging a racket on the tennis team and will be a top contender for the Big Eight singles championship.

Pete Anderson and Ken Gray are varsity cheerleaders this year and are supporting Jayhawker teams on the road and at home. Our annual fall party, the Phi Psi Shipwreck, will be held October 11. We are expecting the brothers from Nebraska

Alpha to be migrating for the Kansas-Nebraska game November 8 and likewise we are planning a migration to Missouri Alpha when we go to Columbia for the KU vs MU game.

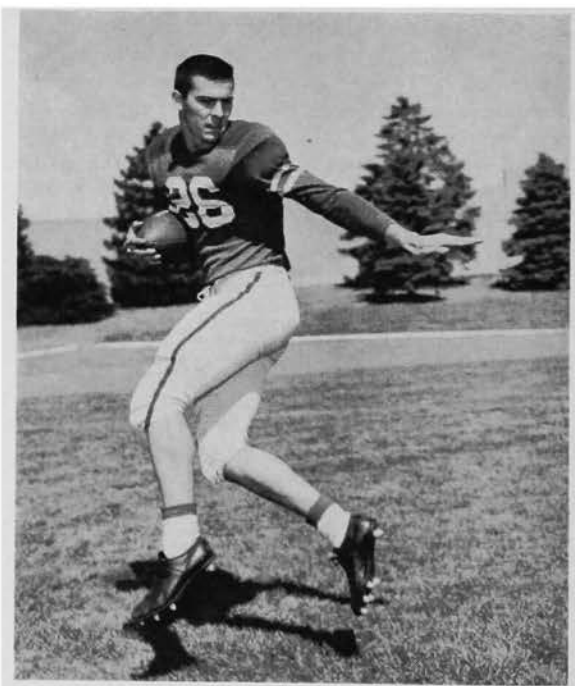
KEN GRAY, *Correspondent*

#### **Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 23*)

With the close of the school year, Nebraska Alpha found itself honored with two Innocents (men's activity honorary)—Larry Schrag, first semester GP, and Dick Shugrue, first semester editor of the *Daily Nebraskan*.

While Phi Psi combed the state with its extensive rushing program headed by Chuck Stacey and Bob Eyth, the old homestead was redecorated professionally by an interior decorator and the final touches were put on our new \$50,000 addition. With the house practically new the brothers settled down to rush week Sept. 5. We pledged twenty-eight top men: Enis Alldredge and Curt Plaster, Scottsbluff; Steve Beachler and Craig Wanamaker, Grand Island; John Christensen, Paul Christensen and Larry Cole, all of Nebraska City; Rusty Clark, Phil Johnson and Ed Van Vliet, all of Omaha; Byron Dillow, Beatrice; Neil Ferguson, Jerry Bodine and Cliff Fullhart, all of North Platte; Jerry Gale, McCook; John Henkle, Jerry Overgaard, Dave Higgins, Dave Myers, Dennis Taylor and Tom Laging, all of Lincoln; Pat Anderson, Keith Nelson, Jim Huge and Louis



Phi Psi points with pride to Max Martz, athlete and scholar who plays varsity halfback at Nebraska. He's a junior, majoring in geology.

Titus, all of Holdrege; Sid Stacey, Weeping Water; Neil Swartz, Hildreth; and Ned Totman, Elm Wood.

Able led by Al Kitzelman, GP; Jim Good, VGP; Jay Rester, BG; and Rod Clifton, P, we are looking forward to another great year. Again Phi Psi is heavily entrenched in campus activities. Kosmet Klub actives are Bill Ashley and Clark Nelson, and Joe Knoll, Glen Burbridge and Jess Adkins are workers. Corn Cobs (men's pep club) is led by Larry Schrag, president, and Ron Voss, actives, with Dave McConahay and Larry Long as workers. Steve Schultz is president of Masquers, theater honorary, and Dick Shugrue is once again debating the question on the debate team. In varsity football Max Martz, outstanding junior right half-back, and Tim Barnes, recovering from a wrist operation, are carrying out the Phi Psi gridiron tradition. Pledges Huge, John Christensen and Carmody are playing freshman ball. While we have no varsity basketball players, three pledges are out for basketball—Sid Stacey, Dave Higgins and Ed VanVliet. Phi Psi has fielded two IM football team this year. The "A" team captained by Ron Svoboda has split their games 1-1 while the "B" team captained by Herb Meyer has a 2-1 record.

Phi Psi is participating again in the Homecoming decorations contest and hopes to win the Best Display trophy. We also are planning to participate in the Kosmet Klub Fall Show. We have been chosen to participate the last two years.

Although Phi Psi lost its high scholarship rating last semester, one brother did prove Phi Psi's scholastic ability. John Haessler, after completing one year of law school at Nebraska, earned twenty-six hours of nine (highest grade point) and became the first student at Nebraska to ever make that record.

Two pledges from last year were initiated October 5. We congratulate Joe Knoll and Merritt James.

C. G. WALLACE III, *Correspondent*

#### **Oklahoma Alpha—University of Oklahoma**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—20 in 25)*

The first semester has started out with enthusiasm at the Brown Palace on Elm. Work week was flavored with the stories of the returning brothers and late hour singing bouts at the local pub.

Six new brothers have been initiated into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. They are: Jim Fletcher, Tulsa; Gerald Kursar, Konawa; Lyle Tudor, Muskogee; Jared Rowe, Ponca City; Tom Moore, Dallas, Texas; and Bob Garrett, Oklahoma City.

Officers elected for this semester include Richard Bower, GP; Allen Paine, VGP; John Powell, P; Larry Wilder, BG; Phil Sisney, AG; Mervin Clements, Phu; Fred Mugler, Hod; and Hardy Windham, SG.

Rush Week was a complete success with thirty-six pledges wearing the Red & Green. They are Bill Applewhite, Bill Asbury, Tom Everly, Dick Hensley, Richard Parker, Mike Taylor and Jack Brabits, all of Tulsa; David Downing, Sid Musser and Everett Walker, all of Oklahoma City; Dick Baker, Reg McClish and Cleve Park, all of Okmulgee; Bob Pickens, Mark Roberts, Jim Schutts, Baker Slayback, Barry Taylor and Bruce Warden, all of Dallas, Texas; Clark McManus and Claude Williams, Muskogee; Ted Beaky and Bill Rhees, Perry; John Brunk, Frederick; Paul Calvert, Midwest City; Gary Dotson, Ardmore; Richard McClain, Wynewood; John McClure, Bartlesville; Ben McDermott, Nashville, Tenn.; Gordy Moore, Guthrie; Clark Nash, Guymon; Mike Neville, Ponca City; Jack Powell, Quanah, Texas; Lonnie Schmitt, Dorchester, Texas; Jim Zongker, Wichita, Kans.; and Jim Lloyd, Laverne.

Scholarship took a big jump upward last semester with Phi Psis missing Scholarship Improvement Trophy by only three-hundredths of a point. Along with the scholarship jump came many honors to the men in the house. GP Richard Bower was elected to Omicron Delta Kappa, Sigma Tau and Arnold Air Society. Bill Rhoades is president of Trident Naval Society. Dan Beaky and Fritz Heinke were elected to Scabbard & Blade, military honorary. Helping the Big Red this year are Jared Rowe, varsity quarterback, and Pledge Ben McDermott, freshman guard.

The most successful person around the Phi Psi House this summer was Dan Cupid. Succumbing to the wiles of the opposite sex: Barry Smith, married to Mary Winchell, Gamma Phi Beta; Bill Nichols, married to Diane Perkins, Pi Beta Phi; and Dan Beaky, married to Novie Lee Bittman, Gamma Phi Beta.

The Phi Psi IM football team, picked to finish in the top four, has been preparing for a tough season. Tailback Smith has the able assistance of returning players: Nichols, Tillman, Paine and Nolte.

Lyle Tudor, Frank Ingram, and Pledges Bill Applewhite, Wade Lippard and Jack Brabits round out the strong Phi Psi squad.

The party season is in full swing on campus and social chairman Larry Lyon has several spectacular parties already on the calendar. Dates to the Phi Psi Halloween party are expected to receive their invitations from the mysterious Headless Horseman, seen around the campus since early October. A few weeks ago, the chapter gave a dessert for the Chi Omegas.

We would like to invite all the alumni down on weekends to visit the chapter, to visit old friends and to see what has been accomplished by our redecoration this summer. The brothers thank Coach Bud Wilkenson, who made it possible for another skin to be placed on our walls through the generosity of our brothers from West Virginia Alpha.

PHIL SISNEY, *Correspondent*

## Colorado Alpha—University of Colorado

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—17 in 24)

Under a new roof and under the leadership of our newly-elected officers, Colorado Alpha is off to a promising start. The new officers are: Duane Brammer, GP; Steve Mitchel, VGP; Dick Gibson, P; Bob Young, AG; Jim Hick, BG; John Lacher, SG; Rich Becker, Phu; Mike Wakefield, Hi; and John Simmons, Hod.

The brothers are extremely proud of the new pledge class just gained through rush week. Fifty per cent of our bids were returned and are as follows: Bill Baldry, Bill Kammerer, Steve McWilliams, Bob Richards, and Ray Wells, all from Colorado. Those from out of state are: John Dicaro, California; Richard Kelsey, Texas; Jim Kroyer, Wisconsin; Tom Pepper, Kansas; Kieth Sandvos, Illinois; Mil Sartin, Nebraska; and Craig Tennis, Iowa.

Our success in rush week can be attributed to good rushing on the part of the brothers under the capable leadership of Steve Mitchel, and our new house. Although the house was not completed for rush week, we were able to use our new recreation room for rushing activities. The new house, nearing completion, looks better every day. It will be my privilege to give you a detailed description of our pride and joy in the next issue of *THE SHIELD*.

Initiation ceremonies are to be held October 11-12 for spring semester pledges. With so much to be done on the new house, the assignment of tasks for "Help Week" should present no problem. In connection with formal initiation, we are all looking forward to the arrival of Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, who will be an inspiration to those exposed to the Ritual for the first time.

Congratulations go to Brothers Ron Shaw and Dick Stratton who both just announced the start of new families.

BOB YOUNG, *Correspondent*

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### Washington Alpha—University of Washington

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—11 in 36)

Here it is, school-time once again! All the brothers returned to the good old "club house" at 2120 E. 47th on September 23, prepared for a week of hard work getting the house into shape for the coming quarter. Following "work week" was rush week, which is always a very frustrating occasion, but as usual we came through with an excellent pledge class of thirty-one, all top men from throughout the state. The pledges are as follows: Jim Coleman, Ron Johnson, Ken May, Steve

James, Clarke Hurlbut, Dave Poot, Dave Pistole, Harry Shaw, Bill Rogers, Jerry Oflock, Herb McManus, Paul Fleenor, Gerald Mowat, Jerry O'Leary, David Thatcher, and Richard Goff, all of Seattle; Patrick Hart, Longview; Roger Rickdall, Burlington; Bob Beebe, Bellevue; Doug Bromley and Roger Wolfe, Sunnyside; Dave Suter and Bob Haines, Tacoma; Larry Spelhaug, Everett; John Bingman, Blaine; John Brownfield, Chelan; Bill Gillam, Monroe; Wray Bartroff, Cashmere; Neil Botting, Sultan; and Bill Filter and Lee Lippert, Yakima.

Last summer was a particularly good one for many of the brothers. Thirteen lucky Phi Psis spent two unforgettable weeks on the Seafair Guard during Seattle's world famous Seafair celebration. They lived like kings at the Olympic hotel and had the pleasure of escorting some of the Northwest's prettiest girls to the different Seafair functions. What a life! The members of the Guard were: Ron Hartz, Gary Mapes, Dick Troyer, Doug Galer, Ron Ubaghs, Dick Jackling, Curt Tenzler, Tony Chase, Fritz Hayes, Chuck Olmstead, Duane Olson, Jerry Sprague and Kerry McMahan.

Jerry Sprague, Harold Gismervig, Curt Tenzler and George Richardson attended the GAC as representatives of Washington Alpha, along with Sixth District Archon Tom Millet. From their reports it looked as though the GAC was a big success. The knowledge they acquired at the meetings will be a big asset to our chapter during the coming year.

Weddings seemed to be very popular this past summer, and six of the brothers took the "big step." Terry Hamper is now married to Maxine Roberts; Pete Porosky to Karen Copple, Kappa Alpha Theta; Corey McMillan to Donna Boyle, Alpha Gamma Delta; Rollie Bernth to Marla Rugh, Chi Omega; Bruce Cargill to Marji Allen, Delta Gamma; and Kerry McMahan to Barbara Caldwell, Alpha Delta Pi. Doug Galer announced his engagement to Miss Joan Holloway, Kappa Delta, at dinner last Monday night.

With our outstanding pledge class and our strong active chapter we are looking forward to a very prosperous year. Our parties will once again be the biggest, and of course the best, on campus. Social chairman Tom Treece has been very busy planning the future parties, which include the Pledge Dance, the Fire Party, and several other enjoyable functions. We have already had two firesides here in the house, both of which were very successful. Our dates were especially impressed by the Phi Psi quartet that sang at both functions. "Tom Dooley" and "Scotch and Soda" seemed to be the favorite selections sung by Ron Ubaghs, Curt Tenzler, Clint Viebrock and Don Edgers.

Recently initiated into Phi Kappa Psi were Ron Hartz, Don Edgers, Jim Walker, Tom Joslin and Eldred Smith. Congratulations to all of you.

In athletics, Phi Kappa Psi will be well represented this year. Pledges John Bingman and Roger Rickdall are competing for positions on the frosh crew, and last year's frosh star Jim Bingman is work-

ing toward a position on the varsity crew. Pledge Gerald Mowat has been turning out with the frosh football team and has an excellent chance of making the starting lineup. Track stars Bill Moser and Gary Mapes have been working out in the pavilion for the past few weeks, keeping in shape for next spring's season. Oh yes, small but mighty Phil Wamba is making a strong bid for the coxswain position on the varsity crew this season. Pledge Jerry O'Leary will do a lot of swimming on the frosh swimming team this winter.

GP Fritz Hayes has been admitted to law school here at the University of Washington. Down on lower campus Ben Simkins, Roger Meyer and John Sahr are hard at work in dental school, and Gerry Barker is finishing his last year in pharmacy school.

Our IM football team is rounding into shape and will be ready for action in the near future. The chances of winning the championship this year look very good, since our line averages around 200 lbs. and our backfield is extremely fast (Gary Mapes, 9.6 seconds in the 100-yd. dash!!). The newest addition to our trophy collection is the IM horseshoe trophy won last spring by Gerry Barker and John Sahr.

GERALD BARKER, *Correspondent*

#### **Oregon Alpha—University of Oregon**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 20)*

Oregon Alpha is finally settling down to normal after a hectic two weeks of pre-class activity. The first week was spent house cleaning and making our new addition liveable. The old white house above the odorous millrace now has twelve new rooms, a new shower, a new head, a revamped kitchen, an oil heater and many other modern conveniences, including a new cook.

All this beauty and luxury, and the friendly brothers, snowed many freshmen during rush week and we carefully selected seventeen of them as Phi Psi pledges. They are: Gerald Kraft, Wade Newbegin Jr. and Theodore Pattee, all of Portland; Dan Guthrie, Robert Kraus and Mike Stone, all of Eugene; Steve Reeder, Klamath Falls, William Carter, Medford; Donald Baldwin, Salem; John Carbone, Berkeley, Calif.; Merrell Jordan, Carpinteria, Calif.; Steve Millikin, Vallejo, Calif.; Ray Haroldson, Billings, Mont.; Frank Guisti, Fallon, Nev.; Richard Darling, Geneva, N.Y.; Pete Robinson, Cleveland, Tenn.; and Cappy Huleen, Seattle, Wash.

Although school has barely started, the members are already moving out on campus. We won the award for having the largest percentage of men attending the annual "Bunion Derby," a get acquainted progressive dance. We also had a listening party and cheered Oregon to a moral victory over Oklahoma.

As for the future, social chairman Bob Napier has planned many desserts, exchange dinners, firesides, a fall term house dance and numerous townie parties. The brothers have an interesting

term ahead of them, but it's not going to be all fun and frolic. Study chairman Bob Embrey, fired up with plans and theories he got at the GAC, is clamping his iron hand down on any activities which interfere with profitable studying; so, the boys may get better grades this term.

Phi Psi individuals are also moving on campus. John Lindstrom was initiated into Asklepiads, a pre-med honorary, and is in charge of photography for the Oregana, student annual. George Brandt is in the Student Senate and various activities, including Scabbard and Blade, ROTC honorary, and is the proud owner of a new Corvette. We also expect a pinning announcement from George, but as yet he isn't talking.

A few of the brothers got married during summer vacation: John Ruberg, Doug Knecht, Rich Urie and Ron Conner. Engagements were announced by Larry Wilson, Dave Cass, Roger Hagglund, Bill Rose and Lee Bumford. Buck Winston, Dan Christensen and Wayne Pounds have joined the ranks of the pinned men.

During the summer military enthusiasts Ken Hart, Larry Kerr, Larry Collins, George Brandt, Farley Maxwell and Ellis Olson attended Army ROTC summer camp. Ellis received a distinguished military student award. Jim Stafford attended Air Force summer camp.

Oregon Phi Psis are also doing well in the field of sports. Pledge Donn Taucher is a junior half-back for the great Oregon football team, and Frank Guisti is on the frosh team. Sophomore pledge Max Gerlt (who eats nails for breakfast, mainly due to his ill temper at sleeping in beds which are too short for him) is going out for the basketball team, as is Cappy Huleen, boy mountain climber. Carl Burnham is up and running every morning at 6:00 in an attempt to make the Oregon swimming team. He has even stopped smoking.

And, of course, Oregon Alpha is proud of the one and only Ellis Olson. The round man was the only unanimous choice for the Northern Division all-star baseball team, was voted the most valuable player of the Oregon squad, and last year the chubby catcher batted a resounding .440! During the summer Ellis played for the Drain Black Sox in the National Baseball Congress at Wichita, Kans., where he did a lot of catching.

Since our last report, we elected some new officers. Mike McClain is still our Big Daddy, and Carl Squires remains as AG. Dave Lyons is now VGP; Bruce Nicholson, BG; Jim Gowdy, Phu; Buck Winston, Hod; Tom Jakobsen, Hi; and John Lindstrom, SG.

CARL SQUIRES, *Correspondent*



## **Oregon Beta—Oregon State College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—19 in 30)*

The brothers returned from their various summer wanderings to find the dirt lot previously surrounding the new house completely landscaped with grass, trees, shrubs, flowers and a parking lot.

With alarming speed we organized ourselves for the annual rushing war. When the dust cleared we were stronger by eleven; this included a liberal sprinkling of scholarships and honors at entrance men. The new pledges include: Ken Ashman, Bill Platt and Larry Smith, all of Portland; Richard Bjelland, Woodburn; Jim Crabtree and Lynn Curtis, Coos Bay; Roger Coggburn, Vallejo, Calif.; Scott McNall, Gladstone; Bill Parsons, Albany, and Curt Wells, Encino, Calif.

As well as new pledges, the membership gained two new sophomore brothers transferring from the University of Oregon. They are: Gary Van Orman, Klamath Falls and Dick Roberts, Redding, Calif. New also this year is our housemother, Mrs. Eugene Spencer Herron, and our cook, Mrs. Cora Kirstetter.

Academically, the house made tremendous improvements by garnering a 2.54 grade point; 0.04 above the all men's average and good enough for 19 in 31.

The football team started the season on the right note with a 6-2 victory over Delta Chi. Next week looms the big test with the ever potent Phi Delta Theta.

Phi Psi residents are readying themselves for the fall term house dance. This year's theme, "The Two Yard Hop" (each man buys two yards of material and presents it to his date; she then makes a costume, as large or as small as weather and modesty permit), may draw a frown or two from some members of the faculty, but light opposition will make the dance just that much more enjoyable. This house is built so that we can utilize 3000 square feet of floor space for wonderfully uncrowded dancing. Already the brothers and pledges are out looking for textiles that are both cheap, and shear.

JOHN W. GROTEFEND, *Correspondent*

## **California Beta—Stanford University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—5 in 24)*

Enthusiasm was the keynote as fifteen pledges returned to Cal Beta a week early this fall, intent on repairing the damage done to the house over the summer when a vicious tong war was fought on the premises, apparently between the tenants and a rival faction living down the street. Under the able leadership of VGP Tab Elliot, both pledges and actives worked heroically and soon had the house back in its usual shape. Out of gratitude the house staged a gala lawn party for the pledges, climaxed by a memorable banquet and the presentation of awards to each man.

Immediately following this week, on September 28, sixteen men were initiated into the mysteries of

Phi Kappa Psi: Pete Barnhisel, Klamath Falls, Ore.; Dick Bartlett, Hong Kong, China; Bill Bennett, Long Beach; Bob Pharisee, Pasadena; Mike Grant, Cold Springs, Colo.; Bruce Hanson, Seattle, Wash.; Alan List, Carson City, Nev.; Keith Milner, Phoenix, Ariz.; Don Norquist, Altadena; Harry Palmer, Simi; Stan Sweeny, Pasadena; Scot Massey, Moorpark; Jim Nagler, Greenville; William Tillinghast, Verga Pequeña, Ariz.; Jerry Hicks, Los Gatos; and John Wideman, Cortland.

Two of the brothers were recently married: Ex-GP Brad Cook to Miss Jodie Thatcher and long-time Pledge Bill Till to Miss Barbara Payne. Brother Till met his bride while on a field trip in Brazil and won her hand by defeating five of her father's warriors in hand-to-hand combat. Our congratulations and best wishes to both these couples. Also along this same line, Jim Nagle announced his engagement to Miss Ann Steinbaugh and your correspondent to Miss Dorothea Geary.

Due to Brother Cook's marriage, new elections were held at the first house meeting and Jeff Morby was elected GP for the coming year. At this same meeting Ham Royds was voted the coveted position of social chairman. Ham promises that the house will once again fly to Reno for the Big Game overnight. Besides Big Game the fall social calendar includes the gigantic Halloween Party to be held this year at the Cow Palace with Count Basie, Ella Fitzgerald and Lonnie Donegan providing the entertainment and comedian Ed Snete as master of ceremonies.

As far as scholastics go, the Dean's office informs us that we retained our high position in the latest rankings; placing third among fraternities. Under the zealous guidance of Rick McElhenny, a Cum Laude graduate last year, the house should do even better in the future.

Two of the brothers, Ray York and Tom Jones, were honored by being chosen as freshman sponsors. Brother York, a politician and influence peddler since his arrival on campus, narrowly missed being elected Student Body President last spring, to the vast relief of all who know him.

In sports, Cal Beta has a diversified representation. Tom MacDonald is an outstanding end on Stanford's rampaging football team; Jeff Morby and Dick Bartlett should star in soccer, Pete Barnhisel in wrestling, Bill Bennett in gymnastics, Keith Milner in baseball, Don Norquist in tennis, Bob Pharisee in golf, and Jim Weersing in basketball. Daryll Henderson is doing a fine job as assistant manager of the fencing squad. Unfortunately, Daryll is unable to compete himself because of a rare nervous condition which causes him to turn a bright pink whenever he exerts himself. Intramurally, too, something ought to be accomplished.

In closing, we might add that our guest room has recently been repainted fuschia and stands ready for any indigent brother who might be in the neighborhood.

IVAN RUBY, *Correspondent*



## California Gamma—University of California

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—17 in 42)

As usual, Cal Gamma started off the fall semester with magnificent success during rush week. Due to the 24 hour per day vigilant effort put forth by the brothers, we were able to secure the following nuggets: Red Toland, Walnut Creek; Zeke Watts and Woodrow Lee Covington, Las Vegas, Nev.; John Henning Lynch, San Francisco, Calif.; Harry Summers, Vallejo, Calif.; Brown Williams, Straight Arrow, Colo.; Thomas Dutton, Rodentville, Ariz.; D. Pangloss McNicoll, Sausalito; and Ura Spear, Emeryville.

The house is filled to capacity now, as aside from our new pledges, the following brothers returned to school after a brief absence: Don Goddess, San Francisco; Leon Wagner, Alviso; and John Schwobeda.

Although we are somewhat hampered by our University probationary status, we will not be without our usual social functions this semester. We have received permission from the Dean of Fraternity Men, James Burden, to hold eight parties during the fall. Among these will be included our annual off-campus exchange with the Bobby Hunter Nursing Home and our Winter Formal at the Irvington Hotel in Alvarado. After the Big Game between Cal and Stanford, many of the brothers and their dates are flying to Yerrington, Nevada, for a week-end of good fun. Some of our sorority exchanges this semester include functions with the Delta Gammas, Pi Phis, and Kappas. Last Saturday morning we entertained the Gamma Phis with a gin fizz breakfast and swim party at Pete Hayward's house in Oroville.

We will now move forward into the athletic news, which is always of great importance to the brothers of Cal Gamma. The house is really looking forward to a successful year in intramural sports. Our entire football team is returning this year and will be strengthened by the addition of Zeke and Woody, our all-around athletes. Most of our basketball team is also returning and will be led by center Kent Newmark who has had two successful summer seasons playing on the Trotters.

As far as University sports go, we have several brothers taking part on varsity teams this year. Among these athletes are included: Pete Brown, who looks very promising in the shot-put and hammer throw; Tom Innes and Butch Fitzpatrick who look to be the starting forwards on the basketball team; and Ray Arata who is playing second string quarterback on the Cal Bears squad.

Scholastically, Phi Kappa Psi at the University of California, will not participate this year. Last semester we finished eighth of fifty-two and the brothers appear to be sick and tired of this type of program. We have decided instead to put forth an all-out effort in acquiring support for the Dixie Party, a party designed explicitly for the support of Orville Faubus for President in 1960. Any brother requesting additional information about

this program will please write "Dixie Party," 2625 Hearst Street, Berkeley. Thank you,

R. F. LABARE, Correspondent

## California Delta—University of Southern California

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—16 in 28)

California Delta returned from a highly successful spring semester to plan an even more successful fall one. Last spring, Cal Delta swept SC's Fifth Annual Songfest by walking off with three trophies. Under the direction of Barry Freeman, we won sweepstakes and first prize in mixed division for our "Disneyland Medley," singing with Delta Delta Delta sorority and first prize in men's division for our rendition of "Roger Young." As a result of our singing "Disneyland Medley," we were invited to sing at Disneyland, where the brothers were given free passes to all the rides and sights. To end up the semester with a bang, Scott Fitzrandolph was elected student body president and Garry Short was named sports editor for the *Daily Trojan*.

Our capable new officers for the semester are: Carter Shrum, GP; Mike Fiore, VGP; Owen Guenthard, P; Jack Loustaunou, AG; Roger Ogilvie, BG; Bob Hansen, SG; Steve Morris, Hi; Pat Altnow, Hod; and John Hershisier, Phu.

Paul David and Errol Stevenson did excellent jobs as co-rush chairmen this Fall. We pledged a class of seventeen outstanding men. They are: Paul Bennett, San Marino; Tony Bond, Michigan; Joe Bugdonovich, San Pedro; Bill Brown and Don Neal, Glendale; Ben Charles, Pennsylvania; Joe Elgin, Pennsylvania; Dave Ellsworth, Van Nuys; Bob Griffith, Burlingame; Dennis O'Connor, San Francisco; Gary Ottoson, San Gabriel; Dave Prince and John Nootbar, Pasadena; George Seitz and Richard Collier, Los Angeles; Mike Smith, Arcadia; and Don Dixon, North Hollywood.

Representing Cal Delta on the rejuvenated SC football team are first string guard Dan Ficca and quarterback Ben Charles.

Returning from summer vacation we learned of the marriage of Larry Hauser to Judy Phillips, and the engagements of Owen Guenthard to Carol Duckwall and Bob Allan to Mary Tobin.

JACK LOUSTAUNOU, Correspondent

## California Epsilon—Univ. of California at Los Angeles

(No scholastic report)

After a seemingly short summer vacation, the brothers are off and running into what could easily be one of the finest years the house has ever seen.

New officers this semester are John Cranston, GP; Harry Jefferson, VGP; Jeff Baus, P; Jerry Stevens, AG; Mike Sanson, BG; Chuck Kloes, SG; Neil Holt, Hi; Jim Harris, Hod; and Don Ward, Phu.

Initiated on October 5 were Tony Aable, Dave Farlee, Bill Logan, Tony Longo and Jerry Quigley. This brings our active membership to nearly 40.

Rushing proved to be very competitive this fall, because most of the houses on the row were low in membership and eager to get large pledge classes. But when the smoke finally cleared on bid night, we had again proved ourselves, with a total of 19 excellent pledges wearing the Phi Psi pin. Those accepting the pin were: Frank Macari, Gary Wadsworth and Joe Zino, all of Los Angeles; Ron Allenbach, Gary Lorge and Scott Robeson, all of Long Beach; Chuck Boag and Bill Gilbert, Redondo Beach; Bill Ayer, Santa Clara; Gordon Engle, San Marino; Steve Mack, Whittier; Bob M'closkey, Encino; Jim Reach, Monterey Park; Terry Reckas, La Canada; Barry Schaffer, El Monte; Marshall Shirk, Anaheim; Jerry Smith, Fullerton; Don Haze, Pasadena; and Don Christian, Kewanee, Ill.

Phi Psi at UCLA is again well represented on the football team. Harry Baldwin is first-string center, and Tony Longo and Dave Dabov are

strong contenders in the line. Ross Robeson is out for water polo, and pledges Macari, Schaffer, Shirk, and Zino all are on the frosh football squad. Leading the way in student activities is George Smith, IFC executive secretary. IM football is off to a winning start under the leadership of Chuck Kloes.

Social Chairman Mike Sanson has planned some great parties that should again keep us on top of the row socially. Already scheduled are exchanges with the Delta Gammas, Tri Deltas and Alpha Chi Omegas, and a Christmas Formal with the Kappa Kappa Gammas. Also planned is an alumni cocktail party at the house on October 26.

We extend our appreciation for the many letters of recommendation received during rushing. We were fortunate to pledge many of those recommended and hope you will keep the letters coming.

*JERRY STEVENS, Correspondent*



Cal Deltans proudly display three trophies won at Songfest. Singing with Delta Delta Delta sorority, they won sweepstakes, first place in mixed division and first place in men's division.

## Arizona Alpha—University of Arizona

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—15 in 21)

After a fine rush, a pledge class of nine men has been added to the roster of Arizona Alpha. Much of the credit goes to the eight brothers from Texas Beta who donated a week of their time and effort to make a 700-mile trip to Tucson and lend a needed hand in rush. Although only five pledged in the formal program, four more have since decided in favor of Phi Psi, and a goal of eighteen men has been set by the chapter for the semester. Within a month the house should be filled to capacity.

Much credit is also due Archon Al Kishman of the Fourth District, who happened to be traveling through the Southwest and spent several days helping the brothers reorganize their program for the coming year. Appreciation was obvious as, on Al's last night, a mass migration to the airport resulted in a group sing of Phi Psi songs, culminating with Al being carried to the plane on the shoulders of all the brothers.

Even California Delta got into the act. Bruce McMahan and John Hershiser made a 500-mile trip to bring brotherly help (or was it that girl John is engaged to in Tucson?).

The pledge class now consists of: Fred Borchardt, Wilmette, Ill.; John Salvatori, LaGrange, Ill.; Van Courtney Crane, Springfield, Ill.; Phil Hendron, Hinsdale, Ill.; John Gould, Allentown, Pa.; Bob Anderson, Laramie, Wyo.; and Lee Christenson, Carl Easter and Al Johnson, all of Tucson.

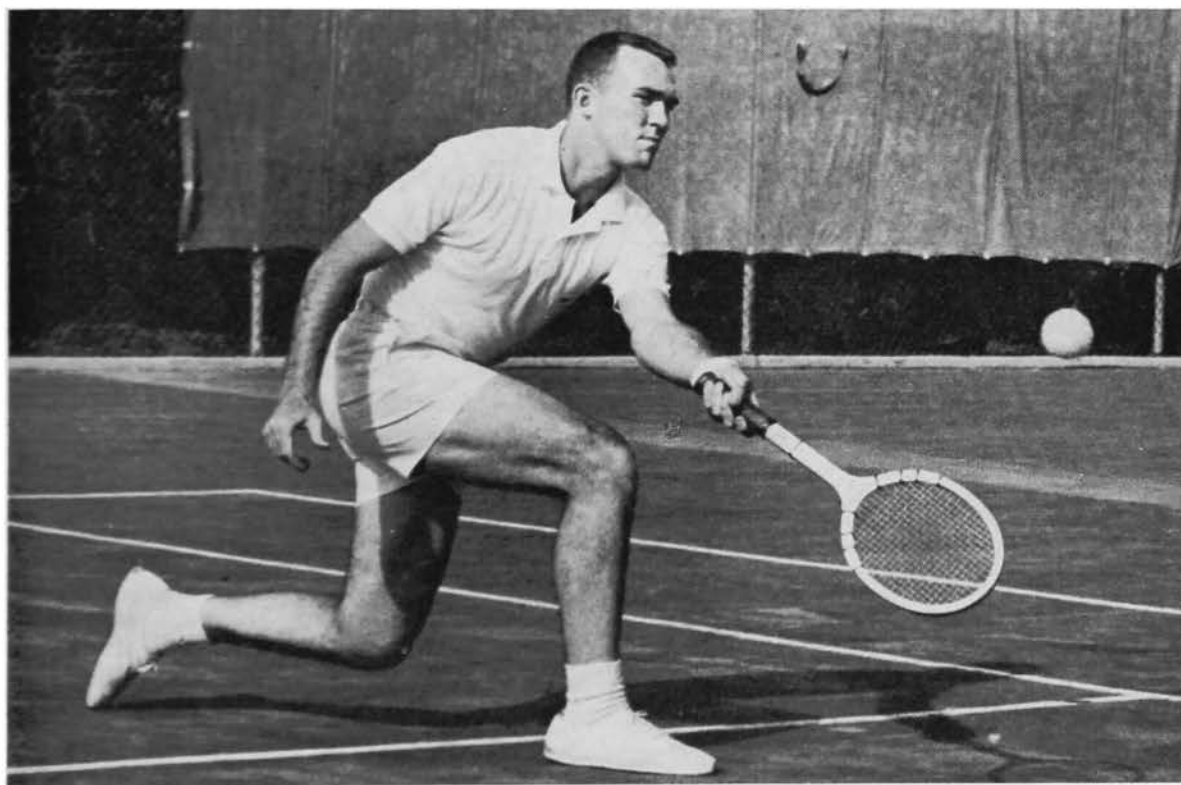
A full semester of activities is planned, starting with a Mom and Dad's day dinner at the house this weekend. Work has already begun on our float for the Homecoming festivities in November, and the week after Homecoming, a trip to Texas for the Arizona-Texas game is planned.

Scholarship has improved, with the house moving up several notches to eleventh in twenty-four.

At a Sunday initiation ceremony in the house last week, two more men took the shield. Dick Nickey, a former pledge at Indiana Delta, and Bob Segerstrom, of Tucson. Dick is presently applying his Army training as this semester's pledge trainer, while Bob is acting as rush chairman for the year.

New chapter officers are: Tom Beedy, GP; Sam Blakesley, VGP; Harv Andres, P; Emil Franzi, AG; Bill Hunzeker, BG; Dick Nickey, Hod; Jim Casey, Hi; and Bob Segerstrom, Phu.

EMIL FRANZI, *Correspondent*



John Cranston, GP of California Epsilon, recently was selected as a member of the American Davis Cup Team. An outstanding tennis player at UCLA for four years, he played 1958 summer circuits in the East and in Europe.

## **New York Alumni Association**

On September 6 the New York Alumni Association had an outdoor outing and dinner at the Athletic Club in New Rochelle. It was a very pleasant event and everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

We want to thank Robert Leber, Penn Epsilon '46; John H. Blankenship, Nebr. Alpha '43; John E. Johnson, Wash. Alpha '50; for their splendid job of representing us at the GAC. Speaking of the GAC, we were pleasantly surprised by having Secretary R. D. (Dud) Daniel visit us at our recent Board of Governors meeting. Between Dud Daniel and our representatives we received a very enlightening report concerning the GAC held at Mackinac Island.

It was brought to our attention that William Windfield was appointed President of Allied Chemical Corporation, International Division. Also, that Frank Kelley, N.Y. Gamma '28, has returned to New York for re-assignment after completing a three-year tour of duty as chief of the *Herald Tribune's* Paris Bureau.

There are two interesting meetings for Phi Psis in the New York City area to look forward to—the Fall Luncheon and, of course, Founders Day Dinner. There will be excellent speakers at both of these events.

A notice will be sent to all paid members of the New York Alumni Association concerning the time, place and dates of the above activities. Any person who is not a paid member may receive a notice by notifying the undersigned at 18 Hall Avenue, Tuckahoe, New York (SPencer 9-6638).

DONALD C. TUERS, *Correspondent*

## **Philadelphia Alumni Association**

Our delegates at the GAC held at the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Michigan, were our president, Bayard M. Graf, and Harman Yerkes Jr. The outlook over the Straits of Mackinac between Lakes Huron and Michigan was beautiful. We enjoyed everything as to the meetings and entertainment. Our former active member, Ed Pomeroy, Pa. Theta '93 who moved to Pittsburgh, was there for his 20th GAC. Walter Lee Sheppard Jr. gave his report as Chairman of the Extension Committee. At the dance held in the Terrace Room, it was a lot of fun watching the dances. Bayard and his wife almost won the Broom Dance and she was second in the Knee Dance. At the Banquet all entered into the singing and the speakers were all appreciated. At our last luncheon in September at the Engineers Club there was a

good attendance. Our oldest member, Oliver R. Parry, Penn Iota, died last April.

HARMAN YERKES JR., *Correspondent*

## **District of Columbia Alumni Association**

Following a brief summer suspension of activities, the Washington area alumni resumed their regular monthly luncheon meetings September 10. Of major interest at this "kick-off" luncheon was the thorough report of Louis D. Corson on the activities of the recent GAC.

The Association officers have begun a program to revise its current membership list with the hope of ultimately being able to publish a full listing on the whereabouts of local alumni. Those who recall the excellent directory put out several years ago, largely through the efforts of Joe Seeley, know that it is a valuable aid in maintaining a closely knit area alumni association. An obstacle in the way of getting together a complete listing is finding out the names and addresses of alumni who have recently moved into the area and for whom, of course, we have no previous records. I would appreciate it if those of you who fall into this latter category would write or call me at 1420 S. 28th St., Arlington, Va.—Tel. OT 4-6167.

An equally acceptable way of making your presence known is to attend our monthly luncheons (the second Wednesday of every month at the University Club—12:00 noon).

RUSSELL THRALL, *Correspondent*

## **Cleveland Alumni Association**

Cleveland alumni were well represented at the 1958 GAC. Attending were Robert R. Elliott, Ohio Alpha '35; Ralph D. (Dud) Daniel, Arizona Alpha '47; C. F. (Dab) Williams, Ill. Delta '06; Robert A. Parrett, Ohio Alpha '06; William A. Hazlett, Md. Alpha '32; John M. Soller Jr., Ill. Delta '29; John H. Williams, N.Y. Beta '39; and Coulson M. Scheuerman, Ohio Epsilon '50.

Two Cleveland alumni were elected to office at the 1958 GAC. Robert R. Elliott was elected President of the Fraternity and Ralph D. (Dud) Daniel was re-elected Secretary. Dud is also President of the University of Arizona Alumni Association in Cleveland.

Official delegates to the 1958 GAC were Dab Williams and Bob Parrett, who represented the Association ably and well.

News of other Brothers in the Cleveland area: Former Archon Thomas D. (Tim) McDonald, Ind. Alpha '48 (Mich. Alpha '46), has been elected pres-

ident of the Ohio State University Club of Cleveland. Tim received his law degree from Ohio State.

The new acting president of Case Institute of Technology is Kent H. Smith, Ohio Epsilon '15. He is also chairman of the board of Lubrizol Corp., and recently was named to the Distribution Committee of the Cleveland Foundation which allocates more than a million dollars a year for health, education and welfare.

A new member of the Executive Board of the National Association of Trial Councils is Edwin Knachel, Ohio Alpha '22.

Association Treasurer Peter E. Wile, N.C. Alpha '43, was married this past summer.

Coming and going: Coming—Edward C. Stevens, Tenn. Delta '55, and his wife are now in Cleveland. Ed, a former football star at Vanderbilt, is now with National Malleable and Steel Casting Co. Going—a regular "Monday Luncher," Arthur S. Schai, Pa. Mu '31, has returned to Syracuse, his residence before Cleveland.

Our annual Christmas party for undergraduates will be held, December 22 at the Mid Day Club. Everyone invited.

Each Monday at noon, the Brothers gather for lunch at the Mid Day Club, atop the Union Commerce Building. Hope to see you there!

HOWARD E. KITTELBERGER, *Correspondent*

#### Chicago Alumni Association

The Chicago Alumni Association continues with its many activities. A successful golf outing was held July 12 at the Old Orchard Country Club with the usual alibis and, happily, some unusual humor. Bob Purcell was conceded the championship cup.

John Pleck has arranged a mixed gathering after the Northwestern-Michigan game and even arranged for good goal line seats for the non-Big Ten Brothers. It is a new activity and despite the off-key soprano singing, should be most successful.

Don Weiser was chosen by new SWGP Bob Elliott to be National Director of Alumni Associations. Don has the capacity to aid any group, large or small, that wants to aid the growth and continued strength of Phi Kappa Psi during these times of increasing chapter costs and faculty indifference. Those of us who were at the GAC know our undergraduate members are outstanding.

The Chicago Alumni Association, feeling that there was much of value in the *Amendment to the Constitution* proposed by the Southern California Alumni Association, plan to create a framework of alumni support to provide our nearby chapters with the benefits of alumni experience and the available varied talents.

Our alumni Undergraduate Luncheon is to be at Henrici's Restaurant, 71 W. Randolph Street, Tuesday, December 30. All undergraduates in the area are urged to attend.

PATRICK G. ANDERSON, *Correspondent*

#### Kansas City Alumni Association

As we go to press this time, several significant events are in the pending. By the time this is in print our predictions of things to come will be scored—we'll know it:

—Clyde Reed Jr., Kansas Alpha and Republican candidate for Governor of Kansas has been elected. Meanwhile we are wishing him the best!

—The entourage to Columbia will require more than one Greyhound bus to carry KCAA members and wives to see the KU-MU game, visit Mo Alpha's enlarged house, and recover from the merriment, cheering and singing we now anticipate. Also, we'll know if we took enough ice and mix on the bus!

—The 50 Year Anniversary at Mo Alpha was the success we all anticipate. November 7 and 8 marked the two-day celebration of the re-establishment of their chapter house. Bones Williams and several KCAA members were anticipating seeing brothers from near and far during the celebration.

—Judge Bill Randall and Floyd Gibson were successful at the poles in the Missouri election.

In the "Congratulations To" Department, recipients are:

—F. Ashley Benson, Mo Alpha '20, upon his return to Kansas City with Hardin-Stockton Real Estate. Home address 7924 Cambridge.

—Chalmers Wood upon opening offices at 4550 Main and representing the "Bassick" caster equipment line here.

—Kenneth Fligg, Kansas Alpha, upon passing the Missouri Bar in April and taking up practice in Kansas City.

—Ralph Smith, Missouri Alpha, for passing the Missouri Bar also. We hear his offices will be located in Joplin.

—Dick Mackey for his work as sports writer and the articles we see with his by-line in the *K.C. Star*.

—James L. Dehoney, Mo Alpha '18, upon opening his own Real Estate Office, 7205 Troost.

—Don Olson, Missouri Alpha, for entering graduate work at Harvard—two years of chemistry. Also for middle aisle plans with Pi Phi Ann Rumsey, in December. Our best wishes for both!

—Bill Brewster, KCAA exprex, and Phil Toll Brinkman upon becoming men of the cloth . . . Bill is Presiding Elder of the R.L.D.S. Church in suburban Grandview. Phil has left the lumber industry to become the minister of the Episcopal Church at Branson, Mo.

—Floyd E. Gibson, Mo Alpha '27, for further acclaim. Floyd represented the State of Missouri at the National Legislative Conference in Boston in September, presiding at the general session of the Conference. He is a director and member of the executive committee of that organization, as well as many other endeavors, principal of them being President protem of the Missouri Senate. Floyd was principal speaker at the

Phi Psi Fiftieth Anniversary Reunion at Columbia this month also!

—Bill Gilges, New Hampshire Alpha, upon engagement to lovely KKG Jane Denni, and a December main aisle march.

—Jack Darrow, Iowa Beta '51, upon entering the foreign car owner, billed-cap "we-all-wave" society. He acquired Bruce Brown's Healey and is ready for a "challenge" race at any time!

—Dick [Bones] Gambin and wife Sue, on being stationed now at Hutchinson Air Force Base, address at home, 5 Swarens. Also, for getting to KC to visit us occasionally.

—E. Stanley Field Jr., Missouri Alpha, and his teen-age son upon the boy's recovery from serious injuries in an auto accident. Understand he is greatly improved and we're glad for them.

—Warren R. [Deacon] Anderson, Kansas Alphan of the 30s, now in the Legal Division of Phillips Petroleum, and now located at their Houston offices.

—R. C. [Bob] Brodd, Indiana Delta, who now is District Manager of the Louis Allis Company in Kansas City district. Bob already has season tickets for K.U. home games about used up.

—W. R. [Win] Tate and C. L. [Bones] Williams for ably representing KCAA as our Delegates to the GAC. We are fortunate to have such capable men working and planning the future of Phi Psi!

Activity and participation have been wonderful at our noon luncheons each Thursday at the University Club. National President Bob Elliott was in our fair city in September and passed some very interesting national news of Phi Psi to a large gathering. Early in October, James [Tiger] Thompson was in town and dined with us. It is good to have the out-of-towners drop in. Good to have in-towners too! Any Thursday noon—University Club. No dues card necessary, but dues are coming due and Treasurer Jerry Jurden, 442 West 69th Street, Kansas City, Mo., is accepting checks this season!

Remember our Christmas Cocktail Party, December 23, 4:00 to 6:00 P.M., Pine Room, University Club. Last year saw a grand turn-out, and what a fine time to slip the grip to a seldom seen Phi Psi!

JOHN A. PEARMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **North Texas Alumni Association**

Under the able guidance of George McLean, Okla. Alpha '34, members of the North Texas Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi have been meeting with the usual "regularity" the first Tuesday of each month at the Baker Hotel in Dallas.

Your correspondent, only recently arrived from Hoosierdom and the banks of the White and Wabash Rivers, was immediately "put to work" by energetic Brother McLean. However, your correspondent is not alone in this effort to keep the North Texas Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi a purposeful group of the brethren. "Consistent meeting attenders" and "hand-lenders" are

Pete Baldwin, Theo Jones, Peter Bernays, Al Emrick, Tom James, Howard E. West and many others.

As far back as May, plans were being made for the famous Oklahoma-Texas game and week-end which is *the* highlight of the Southwest Conference. At the time of this writing, the big game and attendant festivities are one week away. Great plans have been made for the annual buffet luncheon and cocktail party at the Baker Hotel in Dallas, along with arrangements for buses to transport the brothers and their wives or dates to the Cotton Bowl.

Looking back over the summer, month by month, the July meeting was taken up with "making of plans" for a rush party for undergraduates which was financially underwritten by the North Texas Alumni Association. This was a very wonderful outing held at the home of the father of brothers Turner B. Baxter and R. P. Baxter in North Dallas. One hundred and thirty-nine undergraduate brothers with dates and rushees and their escorts attended this function.

The gracious Baxters made their swimming pool available for an afternoon swimming party, and a Texas Barbecue dinner was served buffet style on the terrace that evening, followed by dancing to a very progressive jazz combo which works out of Dallas. The undergraduate brothers commented that they felt the goodwill created by such a rush party placed them in a very good position to "follow through" with a fine group of rushees from Dallas and environs.

Some of the alumni on hand for the affair included Howard West, Turner Baxter, Austin Rinne, and George McLean. Other brothers who attended the July meeting at the Baker were Howard Trilson, Jack Steele, Ivan Sorensen, Al Ruebel, Algie Choate, Frank Shannon, Rev. Edward Tate and Henry Fulcher.

Eddie J. Stern, Penn Lambda, everloyal alumnus of our great Fraternity and a founder of the North Texas Alumni Association, was the principal speaker at the August meeting of the alumni at the Baker Hotel in Dallas. Eddie, who is regional manager for the Armstrong Cork Company in the Dallas area, talked on the "History of Cork and the Armstrong Story." In attendance at this meeting were Frank Ingram, an undergraduate from the University of Oklahoma and W. L. (Bill) Pickins, from the University of Oklahoma, as well as Dave McDonald, rush captain of the University of Texas.

On the political front, we are happy to announce that Tom James was successful in the Democratic Primary, and is the candidate for State Representative.

We urge all good brothers in the Dallas area, who might be in the Dallas vicinity on the first Tuesday of each month, to stop by the Baker Hotel and check the "Daily Events Board" and join us for a lot of good fellowship. Howard West promises to tell nothing but fresh, new gags!

AUSTIN D. RINNE, *Correspondent*



### Montana Alumni Club

Vacations are over for those who take them during the summer. Irving W. [Jerry] Church, N.Y. Gamma '10, spent his in his native state, Wisconsin, and visited two sisters in Milwaukee. Leigh A. Wallace Jr., Iowa Beta '17, and his family spent a week at Lake Placid in the western part of this state and report a very enjoyable trip. Ted Prater, Okla. Alpha '46, and his family spent three weeks in Glacier Park hiking and taking pictures. He said they hiked 86 miles, took some fine color pictures and is anxious to show them on color TV when we get it. Ted was recently re-elected president of the Camera Club. Dr. Geo. M. McCole, Ind. Alpha '00, our leading osteopathic physician, and his wife visited their daughter in Oradine, Idaho, for two weeks, then spent two weeks at the Flathead Lake Ranch, a beautiful "dude" ranch on Flathead Lake.

HUGH I. SHERMAN, *Correspondent*

### Southern California Alumni Association

First our appreciation to retiring President Jim Addison for his capable, sincere and friendly leadership of Phi Kappa Psi during a difficult period. Then our best wishes to our new leader Bob Elliott and the other national officers.

On September 11 some thirty-five brothers gathered at a special GAC luncheon to hear the observations of those who were present at Mackinac: Bob Meserve, Hal Boettcher, Harold Reed, Ralph Haney and Bill Staats of our Association and the two delegates from California Delta. Especially admired by all was the brand new SC badge displayed by Ralph Haney.

Morgan Cox, our workhorse, and other members of our committee were gratified to learn that our proposals for National and District reorganization of the Fraternity had been given courteous and interested consideration. We hope that certain of these proposals will be incorporated in the committee report on constitutional revisions presented to the DCs and the 1960 GAC. Other fraternities seem to solve serious chapter problems more satisfactorily and more quickly. Modern fraternity life and organization are different.

We were also glad to learn that expansion on the Santa Barbara campus is still well thought of. Our local there, Phi Psi Zeta, is starting its all-important year with fourteen pledges, a place in the IFC, and an option on a lot in a near-campus fraternity area. There is much interest in the success of this local among the alumni brothers living in the Santa Barbara territory.

One customary GAC report was missing. Past National President and great Phi Psi Shirley Meserve couldn't convince his doctor that a trip to Mackinac Island would be beneficial. We'll bet that we will have his report of the 1960 GAC! Also taking orders from a heart specialist is Hugo (Pappy) Burgwald, a past president of our Association.

This is the first year for some time that we have not had a "big" summer party. It is regrettable that none of the proposed affairs was able to get airborne. Anyone with a sharp idea for a party next summer should communicate it to us.

Again we continued our Thursday luncheons through the summer with good attendance. We were pleased that several undergraduates found their way to these gatherings. From his home in San Bernardino Gene Mueller of Iowa Alpha came in two or three times. We congratulate him on being selected to take over as Archon of the Fifth District.

H. Allen (Pat) Kelley, Cal. Gamma '20, long time faithful member of our Association, sent in his dues this year from Manila, P.I., 3rd floor, Soriano Bldg., Plaza Cervantes. He is working as chief geologist for the Philippine Oil Development Co. He would like to hear from Phi Psi friends.

Newspaper items: CRAIG HOSMER, Calif. Gamma '34, Long Beach, will no doubt be re-elected to Congress from California's 18th District; GEORGE V. RUSSELL, Wash. Alpha '25, is president, Southern California Chapter, American Institute of Architects; E. AVERY CRARY, Iowa Alpha '25, is president of the Los Angeles Bar Association; DANA LATHAM, Ohio Alpha '17, is the newly-appointed U.S. Commissioner of Internal Revenue. All these brothers are dues-paying members of our Association. Just a happy coincidence.

NEWMAN DORR, *Secretary*

### Arizona Alumni Association

With one of the hottest summers in history behind us, Arizona Phi Psis are welcoming the blessed relief of winter. Despite the blazing heat our weekly luncheon meetings continued through the summer with attendance records setting a new high. The fine turnout was due in part to the strategic location of our table which offered an unobstructed view of the hotel pool, and assorted bathing beauties. Fortunately alumni activities were not limited to luncheon meetings alone. The annual summer cocktail-and-swim party produced and directed by President Scott Parsons was a big hit, and a real smash for Dean Olsen who became the party's only casualty when a 25-lb. block of ice slipped and mashed his good foot. Due to careful budgeting Scott was able to clear about \$20.00 on the party for distribution to our chapter at the University of Arizona.

The month of June saw treasurer Ben Cravens married to Joan Gage, a former stewardess with Capitol Airlines. Ben's marriage created a vacant spot in the ranks of alumni eligibles, and poses the question who will be the next Phi Psi to co-star in the wedding ceremony?

Agitation for the first cocktail party of our winter season is strong. With a committee chosen but undecided as to when, and where, the latest idea calls for a gathering following one of the November football games. Plans are also underway for

the second annual Christmas cocktail party inaugurated so successfully last year. With good reports coming in from our chapter at the University this appears to be the start of a particularly active and enjoyable season for Arizona Phi Psis. As usual

a standing invitation is extended traveling brothers to drop in and join us Tuesday noons at our new meeting place, the Concho Room of the Hotel Westward Ho.  
JIM WARBASSE, *Correspondent*

**PHI PSI LUNCHEONS**

ARIZONA (PHOENIX)	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Concho Room, Westward Ho
BALTIMORE	.....First Wednesday, 5 p.m.	.....Hopkins Club, College Campus
CHICAGO	.....Third Tuesday, Noon	.....Union League Club, Fifth Floor
CLEVELAND	.....Monday, Noon	.....Mid-Day Club, Union Commerce Bldg.
DENVER	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Daniels & Fisher Tearoom
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	Tuesday, Noon	.....Chapter House, 113 Vernon
HOUSTON, TEXAS	.....Fourth Wednesday	.....Houston Club
INDIANAPOLIS	.....Call Austin D. Rinne	.....4130 No. Meridian St.
KANSAS CITY	.....Thursday, Noon	.....University Club, 918 Baltimore
NORTH TEXAS	.....First Tuesday, Noon	.....Baker Hotel, Dallas
OMAHA	.....First Thursday, Noon	.....Call Dave Noble, WEBster 3344
PHILADELPHIA	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Engineers Club, 1317 Spruce
PITTSBURGH	.....First Monday, Noon	.....West Room, Penn Sheraton Hotel
PORTLAND, OREGON	.....Friday, Noon	.....University Club
SANTA BARBARA (CALIF.)	..Call Dr. Luin K. Thatcher	.....1525 State Street
SEATTLE	.....Last Wednesday, 6 p.m.	.....College Club
SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Hotel Hoffman
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	.....Thursday, Noon	.....Clark Hotel, Los Angeles
LONG BEACH, CALIF.	.....Friday, Noon	.....University Club, 1150 E. Ocean Blvd.
TOLEDO	.....Friday, Noon	.....Golden Lily, 812 Madison Ave.
TWIN CITY, MINNESOTA	.....Thursday, Noon	.....Johns Place, 28 South 6th St.
WASHINGTON, D.C.	.....Second Wednesday, Noon	.....University Club
WESTERN NEW YORK	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Carl Meyers Hof, Court St., Buffalo

Alumni are urged to attend Phi Psi luncheons listed above to meet their Phi Psi neighbors and to find out what plans have been made to celebrate 1959 Founders Day. The January issue is received too near the time of the Fraternity's Anniversary to make last-minute plans to attend. Go now, and make first-minute plans to be present to honor Founders Letterman and Moore, "who builded better than they knew."

# OBITUARY

## LALE CLARK ANDREWS

*Kansas Alpha 1918*

Lale C. Andrews, engineer in charge of the development and operation of the M. W. Kellogg Engineering Co., died July 29, 1958, at Saint Luke's Hospital, Kansas City, following a heart attack. He was 57 years old. Brother Andrews had been in Kansas City in connection with his recently-established model test laboratory at Stella, Nebraska. Mrs. Andrews went to Kansas City from their home in Jackson Heights, N.Y., when he was hospitalized.



Andrews

A native of Kansas City, Lale was a graduate of Westport High School and the University of Kansas, where he received his bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. After working for several corporations as an engineer, he joined the M. W. Kellogg Co. in 1935. Five years later he was named engineer in charge of the development and operation of the firm, the post he held at the time of his death.

An original thinker, a mathematician and a scientist of considerable repute, the Kellogg firm had constructed a research laboratory for him, spending over a quarter-million dollars for equipment. Anticipating his retirement in a few years, the laboratory was placed in the little town of Stella, Nebraska, which had become a second home for him, having been the area where his grandfather and several uncles had practiced medicine in the latter years of the past century.

Brother Andrews was a specialist in the field of stresses and strains on pipes and tubes. Much of his work was classified by the federal government; he held a "Q" classification with the Atomic Energy Commission.

A lifetime Phi Psi, Lale was a member of the SC of the Fraternity, having attended ten meetings of the Grand Arch Council. For many years he was director of the New York Placement Bureau of the Fraternity, and was active in the New York Alumni Association.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Leary Andrews, of 83-12 35th Avenue, Jackson Heights, N.Y. He was predeceased by his son, Lale Jr., who received his degree as a doctor of medicine at the age of 22 in June 1950, and died the following year.

Burial services were conducted in Nemaha, Ne-

braska, with interment in the family plot at that place.

## CHARLES RUSSELL OVERHOLSER

*Iowa Alpha 1919*

Charles R. Overholser, vice president and general manager of Admiral Credit Corporation, Chicago, died June 4, 1958, in Lombard, Ill. He was 58 years old.

Born in Ireton, Iowa, he was a graduate of the State University of Iowa and of the University of Chicago Law School. A resident of Glen Ellyn, Ill., for twenty-seven years, his community interests centered around the Glen Ellyn library. He served as a member of its board, and in 1947 organized a Great Books course. He was also active in St. Mark's Episcopal Church, where he served as warden and as a member of the vestry.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Aimee Foster Overholser, a daughter, Kathleen Overholser; a sister, Mrs. Maxine Brammer, of Minneapolis; and a brother, Craig L. Overholser, of Omaha.

## FREDERICK HENRY GABBI

*Rhode Island Alpha 1902*

Frederick H. Gabbi, charter member and first GP of Rhode Island Alpha Chapter, died Aug. 9, 1958, in Portland, Me.

A former general manager of the Colonial Silver Co. of Portland, he had served for twenty-one years before his retirement as manager of the Portland office of Paine Webber & Co., an investment firm.

At the time of his death he was the oldest living alumnus of the Rhode Island Alpha Chapter.

Among his survivors is his widow, Mrs. Mary A. Gabbi, 140 William St., Portland, Me.

## GORDON KINCAID NIGH

*Pennsylvania Iota 1915*

Gordon K. Nigh, sales manager for Brooks-Daugherty Company of Los Angeles, died May 17, 1958 in that city.

During World War I he was trained at the School of Military Aeronautics, University of California at Berkeley, from which he was commissioned in the Air Service after serving as a senior cadet officer of the cadet regiment. Following the war he returned to California and was engaged in several businesses before joining the Brooks-Daugherty Co. He was a member of the Aviators Post 350, American Legion District of California.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Beverly Nigh, and a daughter, Mrs. Jane Nigh Baker.—HBR

**ABEL CHARLES THOMAS McCREA, D.D.**

*Pennsylvania Zeta 1889*

The Rev. Dr. Abel Charles Thomas McCrea, Methodist clergyman, World War I chaplain and retired banker, died Dec. 24, 1957, in a nursing home at Harrisburg, Pa. He was 92 years old.

Born in Federalsburg, Md., he prepared for college at the Wilmington Conference Academy. He received his A.B. degree at Dickinson College in 1892 and his M.A. degree in 1895 the same year he received his B.D. degree at Drew Theological Seminary. The honorary D.D. degree was conferred upon him by Dickinson College in 1908.

Dr. McCrea held charges in the Newark Conference of the Methodist Church until the outbreak of World War I, when he served as a YMCA chaplain with the First Division, AEF. Returning from this service, he was pastor at Ridgewood, N.J. for four years.

In 1921 he became national director of Near East Relief. When he completed that work he moved to Carlisle, Pa., where he was employed by the Carlisle Trust Co. until his retirement.

He is survived by two sons, Frank G. McCrea, Pa. Zeta '26, Carlisle, Pa., and Donald McCrea, West Islip, L.I., N.Y.; and four grandchildren.

**JOHN CULLER BOWERS, D.D.**

*Pennsylvania Epsilon 1890*

Dr. John C. Bowers, pastor emeritus of Salem Lutheran Church, Catonsville, Md., died Jan. 5, 1958. He was 90 years old.

A native of Jefferson, Md., Dr. Bowers was graduated with the 1893 class at Gettysburg College and received his B.D. degree at the Gettysburg Seminary. In 1916 Wittenberg College conferred upon him the honorary D.D. degree.

Dr. Bowers served as pastor of St. Mark's Church, Washington, D.C., and Calvary Church, Baltimore, before assuming the Salem pastorate, which he served from 1910 until his retirement in 1947. He was secretary of the Maryland Synod of the Lutheran Church from 1904 until 1917.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Dwight Wahaus, and a son, Dr. John Z. Bowers, Pa. Epsilon '30, dean of the University of Wisconsin Medical School.

**GRANT EMERSON BENJAMIN**

*Pennsylvania Kappa 1918*

Grant E. Benjamin, vice president and treasurer of the Robane Dental Supply Co., Springfield, Ill., died July 4, 1958, in a Springfield hospital. He was 58 years old.

Born in Lowell, Mass., he settled in Swarthmore, Pa., after he was graduated at Swarthmore College until 1943 when he moved to Illinois.

He is survived by two daughters, the Misses Gail and Betsy, of Springfield; and a sister, Mrs. Carl Painter, of New York City.

**CRAY JAMES SCARLETT**

*Michigan Beta 1956*

Cray J. Scarlett, an undergraduate member of Michigan Beta Chapter, was fatally injured in a traffic accident which occurred in East Lansing, Mich., June 6, 1958. He was en route to the chapter house after a meeting when the brakes on his car failed.



**Scarlett**

A member of the junior class, Cray was active in both fraternity and campus affairs. He participated in the Interfraternity Council, Spartan Roundtable and Spartan Spirit. He was president of his dormitory and president of the University Dormitory Council during his freshman year.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scarlett; a brother, Michael; and a sister, Mrs. C. P. Kokott, all of Toronto, Ontario.

Cray was one whose opinions were highly respected and often sought in dealing with fraternity affairs.—TP

**JACOB JOHN VOEGTLY**

*Pennsylvania Alpha 1894*

Jacob J. Voegtly, retired partner of the Pittsburgh law firm of Johnson & Voegtly, died July 20, 1958, in Philadelphia. He was 83 years old.

A descendant of a pioneer family in Pittsburgh, he lived in that city until two years ago when he moved to Philadelphia. He was a graduate of Washington and Jefferson College, and of the University of Pennsylvania Law School.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lillian Voegtly; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth McClung; and two sisters, Miss Flora Voegtly and Mrs. Annie Eggers.

**JOHN KENNETH LEIGHOW**

*New York Alpha 1954*

John K. Leighow, a graduate student in the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine, died Apr. 13, 1958, at Geisinger Memorial Hospital in Danville, Pa., the city of his birth and residence.

After serving as GP of his chapter, John was graduated in 1957 with a bachelor of science degree and a lieutenant's commission in Army Reserve. That fall he entered the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine, but was forced to withdraw in October on account of the illness which later proved fatal.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a Phi Psi brother, Dr. George M. Leighow, also a member of the New York Alpha Chapter. All are residents of Danville, Pa.

## **RICHARD JAMES SHANAHAN**

### ***Wisconsin Gamma 1955***

Richard J. (Shan) Shanahan, a 1958 graduate of Beloit College, was fatally injured in an automobile accident which occurred in Highland Park, Ill., on Aug. 22, 1958.

After he was graduated last June with a degree in economics and business administration he took a position with Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Chicago.

An outstanding athlete at Beloit, he was a three-year varsity football player, named in 1956 as *Most Valuable Player* by his teammates. He was both a halfback and a fullback whose exceptional tackling and blocking ability earned him the respect of both his teammates and his opponents.

In intramural sports, Shan was equally outstanding as a wrestler, and as a sprinter and broad-jumper.

As an undergraduate he served as a chapter officer and on various house committees.

The Wisconsin Gamma Chapter has begun raising funds to establish a Richard J. Shanahan Memorial Trophy, to be awarded to future players named *Most Valuable* by their teammates.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Shanahan, of Wilmette, Ill.; and a brother, Robert Shanahan, Wis. Gamma '52, of Wheeling, Ill.

## **GEORGE EDWARD HETHERINGTON**

### ***California Epsilon 1952***

George E. Hetherington, a geologist for Standard Oil Company, died Aug. 30, 1958, in Walnut Park, Calif. He was 25 years old.

After receiving his master's degree at the University of California at Los Angeles, he began a promising career with Standard Oil Co. which ended abruptly when he became stricken with cancer about a year before his death.

He was a member of the American Association of Geologists.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hetherington, of Huntington Park, Calif.; and a brother, John Hetherington, of Redding, Calif.

## **DAVID BRIGHT REGER**

### ***West Virginia Alpha 1908***

David B. Reger, a noted West Virginia consulting geologist, died Sept. 8, 1958, in Morgantown, W.Va. He was 76 years old.

Immediately following his graduation from West Virginia University, he joined the West Virginia Geological Survey in 1909 as a field assistant. He served until 1930, when he resigned as an associate geologist. During the time he was with the survey, he wrote geological reports on fourteen West Virginia counties, and was a frequent contributor to scientific journals.

In 1926 he discovered the Tygart Valley Devonian Fossil Tree Forests of Randolph County. Found there are trees that are probably 250-300 million years old, the largest of that age which have been discovered.

Brother Reger served as president of the Pringle Run Coal Co. from 1919 until 1938 and was vice president of the Columbia Coal and Coke Co., 1918-1922. He also served as secretary-treasurer of the Reger Oil Co.

Since 1919 he had been a consulting geologist for oil, gas, coal and water supplies, with offices in Morgantown.

A member of many civic and scientific organizations, he had served for many years as a director of the James Cochran House Association of Phi Kappa Psi, the corporate body which administers West Virginia Alpha chapter properties.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ella Mattingly Reger; two daughters, Mrs. Helen Armentrout, Pittsburgh; and Mrs. Jane Cruise, of Charleston, W.Va.; a son, Joseph E. Reger, of Philadelphia; and ten grandchildren.

## **EDWIN BURNHAM YOUNG**

### ***Rhode Island Alpha 1907***

Edwin B. Young, a retired high school science teacher, died at his home in Middleboro, Mass., Mar. 20, 1958.

After teaching in schools in New Hampshire and Rhode Island, he joined the faculty of the Plymouth (Mass.) High School, where he taught for many years before his retirement.

He is survived by his widow, and a brother, Arthur L. Young, R.I. Alpha '02, of Provo, Utah.

## **WILLIAM ROLAND HOUSE**

### ***New York Beta 1915***

William R. House, manager of the Rochester, N.Y., branch sales office of Owens-Illinois Glass, Inc., died at his home in Lyons, N.Y., Sept. 7, 1957, following a heart attack. He was 62 years old.

He joined the old Owens Bottle Machine Co. in 1923 and two years later went to Chicago as a company salesman. In 1929 he was named district sales manager in Buffalo, N.Y., and eastern sales manager in 1931.

In 1935 he returned to Toledo, Ohio, as assistant manager of the Owens-Illinois pharmaceutical and proprietary division and remained in that position until 1942 when he was named branch manager at Buffalo, N.Y. Six years later he was transferred to Rochester, and the position he held at the time of his death.

A veteran of World War I, he was commissioned in the Air Service and served as a pilot.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mercedes House; a son, William R. House Jr., N.Y. Alpha '47; a daughter, Mrs. Norman Wallen, and six grandchildren.

## **JOHN LAWRENCE SHELLEY JR.**

### ***Pennsylvania Epsilon 1907***

John L. Shelley, who retired in 1954 as head of the legal bureau of the Pennsylvania Department of Highways, died August 24, 1958, at his home in Carlisle, Pa. He was 68 years old.

Brother Shelley established the Pennsylvania Highway Department's legal bureau in 1916, following his graduation from the Dickinson Law School, and headed it for more than thirty-eight years.

He was a son of John Lawrence Shelley, Pa. Zeta 1868.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mae Singiser Shelley; a son, Dr. William L. Shelley, Pa. Epsilon '41; two granddaughters; two brothers, Dr. Paul W. Shelley, Pa. Epsilon '18, and Daniel H. Shelley, Pa. Zeta '13; and two sisters, Miss Elizabeth Shelley and Mrs. Russell Stetler.

## **PAUL N. BELL**

### ***Indiana Beta 1936***

Paul N. Bell, owner-operator of Bell Air Service at Santa Monica (Calif.) Municipal Airport, was one of five persons who died as a result of a mid-air collision of two privately owned aircraft Feb. 2, 1958, over Yorba Linda, Calif.

Born in Chicago Sept. 18, 1914, he spent his childhood in Indianapolis where he attended Shortridge High School before entering Indiana University in 1934. He later transferred to the University of Pittsburgh where he received his degree in economics and business administration in 1940.

Soon after receiving his pilot's wings and lieutenant's commission he flew a bomber to Chungking, China, early in World War II, requesting assignment as a fighter pilot to Gen. Claire Chennault's Flying Tiger squadron. He joined the Flying Tigers in July, 1942. During his eighteen months overseas he was shot up twice, shot down once, three times declared missing in action, and emerged from combat as a major commanding the 74th Fighter Squadron of the 14th Air Force. Returned to the United States with a severely-injured leg, he met (and married) Lt. Ann Wade of the Army Nurse Corps after she returned from a tour of air evacuation in China, Guam, the Philippines and other Pacific areas.

In December, 1945, he was retired from the Army as a lieutenant colonel, having won numerous decorations including the Silver Star with clusters, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart with clusters, the Air Medal, and the Chinese Fourth Order of the Flying Cloud. (THE SHIELD, May, 1944.)

After the war he settled in California, engaged in aircraft sales and flight service.

Among his survivors are his widow and three young children: Chazanne, 9; Paul Scott, 5; and Bradford, 4, all of North Hollywood, Calif.

## **DWIGHT HARRISON SHEPERD**

### ***Indiana Alpha 1909***

Dwight H. Sheperd, former oil company executive and operator of a large farm in Vincennes, Ind., died July 18, 1958, following a heart attack.

He had been an executive with Standard Oil Co. of Indiana and Shell Petroleum Corp., for many years before returning to Vincennes to manage the large Jordan farms in Vincennes county.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Susan Sheperd Woessner, of Dayton, Ohio; a son, Jordan M. Sheperd, Ind. Alpha '40, of East Grand Rapids, Mich.; a brother, Howard C. Sheperd, Ind. Alpha '13, of New York City; and seven grandchildren.

## **JOSEPH J. NOVAK JR.**

### ***California Delta 1948***

Joseph J. Novak Jr., a partner in a law firm at Agana, Guam, died at that place Aug. 10, 1958. He was 31 years old.

A graduate of the University of Southern California and of its Law School, he was a member of Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity. As an undergraduate he was named a Trojan Squire and a Trojan Knight.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Patricia Novak; three daughters, Pamela, Jenifer and Jerilyn; and his mother, Mrs. Joseph Novak. His father died suddenly of a heart attack less than a day after attending funeral services for his son.

## **WALTER SHIRTS**

### ***Indiana Beta 1897***

Walter Shirts, an attorney in Noblesville, Ind., for more than fifty-seven years, died Aug. 27, 1958, at Riverview Hospital in that city. He was 79 years old.

A native of Noblesville, he was an attorney for the Indiana Conservation Department from 1921 to 1933, and once headed the department's fish and game division.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Crete Shirts.

## **HERBERT FRANK REINHARD**

### ***Indiana Delta 1916***

Herbert F. Reinhard, a consulting engineer for Union Carbide and Carbon Corp., died at his home in Great Neck, N.Y., May 23, 1958.

After he was graduated at Purdue University he began work as a chemist for the Indiana State Board of Health. In 1923 he joined the Prest-O-Lite Co., and three years later was named chief engineer for J. B. Colt Co., of New York City. At the time of his death he was an immediate past president of the New York City Purdue Club.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Inez Hill Reinhard, and a daughter, Mrs. Nancy R. Ericsson.



## **TAYLOR ELLIS GRONINGER**

*Indiana Beta 1891*

Taylor E. Groninger, a retired attorney and one of the founders of the Indianapolis Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi, died at his home in Indianapolis on July 29, 1958. He was 87 years old.

A graduate of Indiana University and the Indiana Law School, he taught and was superintendent of schools at Harrisburg, Ill., before opening his law practice in Indianapolis with his brother, Frank C. Groninger, Ind. Beta '81 (who died in 1948), and his sister, Miss Ella Groninger. They formed the law firm of Groninger, Groninger & Groninger, with offices in the Indiana Trust Building.

During the early part of his life he was a deputy prosecutor in the old City Court. He later became chief deputy Marion County prosecutor. At one time he was corporation counsel for the City of Indianapolis, and was author of a book on public utility rate formulation.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mabel R. Groninger, and a sister, Miss Daisy Groninger, both of Indianapolis.

## **WILLIAM AUGUSTUS GIFFHORN**

*Ohio Epsilon 1924*

William A. Giffhorn, industrial engineer and yachtsman, died in St. Luke's Hospital, Cleveland, Aug. 9, 1958, after a long illness. He was 53 years old.

At the time of his death he was vice president and chief engineer for Albert Raymond and Associates, of Chicago. His offices were in Cleveland.

Although born in White Plains, N.Y., he was a member of an old Cleveland family, and made his home in suburban Chagrin Falls. He was a graduate of Culver Military Academy and of Case Institute of Technology.

Brother Giffhorn was 1957 commodore of the Mentor Harbor Yachting Club, and was honorary commodore at the time of his death. He was also a member of the Hillbrook Country Club and the Hermit Club.

Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Mildred Wagner Giffhorn; a son, William A. Giffhorn III, Ohio Epsilon '49; a daughter, Ann Giffhorn; and three grandchildren.

## **JAMES BREINIG RILEY**

*West Virginia Alpha 1912*

Judge James B. Riley, of the Supreme Court of West Virginia, died suddenly in Charleston, W.Va., on June 29, 1958. He was 63 years old.

Judge Riley, a native of Wheeling, was elected to two terms on the West Virginia Supreme Court. He was re-elected to a twelve-year term in 1948, after having served since 1936.

He was a son of Attorney-General and Mrs. Thomas S. Riley, of Wheeling. After he was graduated at West Virginia University in 1916 he entered Georgetown University Law School, but his studies were interrupted by World War I. After serving as a captain in the Marine Corps, he finished his law studies at Columbia University and received his I.L.B. degree in 1921.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Frances Wood Riley; a daughter, Mrs. Frances Riley Ruffner; a son, James B. Riley Jr.; and a brother, Robert J. Riley, W.Va. Alpha '21.

## **JOHN DAVID HOGUE**

*Indiana Alpha 1918*

J. David Hogue, general manager of the Utica (N.Y.) *Observer-Dispatch*, and *Press*, died Sept. 12, 1958, in Rome while on a European tour with his wife. He was 60 years old.

General manager of the two Utica newspapers since 1937, Brother Hogue last year was elected a director of the Gannett Co., which operates twenty other newspapers plus radio and television outlets in five states.

A native of Vincennes, Ind., he was formerly with the Chicago office of J. P. McKinney & Son, national advertising representatives for Gannett, and previously had published newspapers in Vincennes and Orange, N.J.

He was a director of Mohawk Airlines and was a former president of the New York State Publishers Association.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mildred Robinson Hogue, and a daughter, Mrs. Margaret H. Cady.

## **HERBERT J. DAVIES JR.**

*Pennsylvania Iota 1941*

Herbert J. Davies Jr., treasurer and comptroller for the Swank Hardware Co., Johnstown, Pa., died July 25, 1958, following a heart attack suffered at his home in that city. He was 37 years old.

Soon after his initiation in 1941 he entered the armed forces, serving more than three years in World War II. He was active in strengthening Penn Iota in the postwar years, serving as GP the semester before his graduation in 1947.

A certified public accountant, he left the employ of the firm of Davies, Silverstone & Co., to become comptroller of the Swank Co. following the death of his father in 1957. Later that year he was named treasurer for the company.

He was a trustee of the Johnstown Savings Bank, and was a deacon in the Westmont Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nancy Sloman Davies; two daughters, Elizabeth Jane and Carol Louise; his mother, Mrs. Phoebe Davies; and a brother, Lt. Edwin C. Davies, Wichita Falls, Texas.

**LT. (j.g.) GLENN L. ERICKSON**

**Washington Alpha 1954**

Lt Glenn L. Erickson was one of three Navy men killed recently when the helicopter he was piloting crashed and burned at Imperial Beach, near Long Beach, Calif. He was 24 years old.

A native of Seattle, he was a 1952 graduate of Queen Anne High School there, later attending Stanford University and the University of Washington.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sandra Seagale Erickson; his father, Arthur F. Erickson; his mother, Mrs. Byrne Sherwood; and a younger brother, Mark Erickson.

**OLIVER RANDOLPH PARRY**

**Pennsylvania Iota 1893**

Oliver R. Parry, retired architect, soldier and clubman, died Apr. 22, 1958, at New Hope, Pa. He was 85 years old.

A lineal descendant of an old Colonial family, he was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1896.

During his active career he designed numerous schools, churches, bank buildings, residences and apartment buildings in the Philadelphia area.

He served in World War I as a captain in the Army Corps of Engineers, and was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Military Order of the World War, and the Society of American Military Engineers.

He was a member of the Pen and Pencil, the Art Alliance, the Penn Athletic, Army and Navy, and Plays and Players clubs, and was a charter member of the Old York Road Country Club.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Parry Lang, of Honeybrook, Pa.; and a sister, Miss Gertrude R. Parry, of New Hope, Pa.

**HERBERT CLINTON GERLACH**

**New York Beta 1911**

Herbert C. Gerlach, Westchester County (N.Y.) Republican chairman and a lawyer, died Aug. 28, 1958, in Phelps Memorial Hospital, North Tarrytown, N.Y., following a heart attack. He was 67 years old.

A lifetime resident of Ossining, N.Y., he attended Syracuse University from which he received his law degree in 1915. While in college he began a fifteen-year association with Judge Frank L. Young of the New York State Supreme Court, first as a secretary and later as an assistant. In 1930 he was elected supervisor of the town of Ossining and a member of the Westchester County Board of Supervisors. One year later he was named chairman of the board, serving for four two-year terms.

In 1939 he was elected attorney for both the town of Ossining and the village of Briarcliff Man-

or. He held that post until 1941 when he was designated Westchester County Executive by the Board of Supervisors. After serving twelve years he resigned to enter private law practice. He was elected chairman of his county's Republican Committee in 1951.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Helen Carpenter Gerlach; a daughter, Mrs. John J. Frey; a brother, Alton Gerlach; and five grandchildren.

**JOHN EDWARD SMITH**

**New York Gamma 1917**

John E. Smith, a former vice president of the McCall Corporation and advertising director of *McCall's* magazine, died Apr. 19, 1958, in the New York Infirmary. He was 59 years old.

Brother Smith joined the advertising sales department of *McCall's* in Chicago in 1924. He was assistant to the vice president of the McCall Corporation in New York from 1930 to 1935.

He served as *McCall's* eastern advertising manager for the next eight years and as advertising director from 1943 through 1949, when he was named a vice president of the corporation. The next year he was appointed executive vice president of the McCall Corporation magazine, *Better Living*, now defunct. He retired in 1953.

A founder and director of the Advertising Council, he served also as a director of the Magazine Publishers Association and of the Periodical Publishers Association.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hildegrade Fillmore Smith, of 15 Gramercy Park South, New York City; and a sister, Mrs. H. D. Batterton, of Los Angeles.

**ARTHUR SIDNEY MANN**

**Illinois Delta 1911**

Arthur S. Mann, Pima County (Ariz.) industrial engineer, died Aug. 13, 1958, in St. Mary's Hospital, Tucson. He was 67 years old.

Brother Mann was born in Kankakee, Ill., where he attended public schools before entering the University of Illinois. As a college undergraduate he earned varsity letters in football and gymnastics. After graduation he served in World War I, and in 1920 returned to Kankakee to become mill superintendent of Kroehler Manufacturing Co. In 1932 he became plant manager for Paramount Textile Machinery Co. in Kankakee. Thirteen years later he moved to Arizona, and in 1951 was named Pima County industrial engineer, as a liaison engineer between the county and prospective industries. During his term in this office Douglas Aircraft and many other smaller industries established plants in Tucson.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mona Mann; three daughters, Mrs. Emerson C. Scholer, of Tucson; Mrs. R. C. Hemphill, of Jacksonville, Ill.;

and Mrs. Ronald Caffin, of Anaheim, Calif.; a sister, Miss Bertha Mann, of Kankakee, Ill.; and eight grandchildren.

#### **EDWARD RICHARD RAYHER**

**New York Beta 1906**

Edward R. Rayher, a lawyer and former New York Assemblyman, died May 12, 1958, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Paterson, N.J. He was 74 years old.

After receiving his degree at Syracuse University in 1909 he was graduated two years later at Albany (N.Y.) Law School and began his career as a clerk for an Albany law firm. Later in 1911 he went to New York, where he began a general practice of law.

After representing New York's Ninth Manhattan District in the State Assembly, 1921-22, he was named a referee in the Appellate Division, New York State Supreme Court, serving in this capacity until 1949. He retired in 1955 and had made his home in Hartsdale, N.Y. until his death.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Agatha Rayher; a son, Edward Rayher, N.Y. Gamma '36; a sister, Mrs. Anna Cummings; and two grandchildren.

#### **HENRY SLOVER PEGUES**

**Kansas Alpha 1914**

Henry S. Pegues, president of Pegues-Wright Dry Goods Company of Hutchinson, Kans., died July 1, 1958, at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn. He was 62 years old.

Born in Topeka, Kans., Aug. 10, 1895, he served in World War I following his graduation from the University of Kansas. After the war he went into retail merchandising, and became manager of the Pegues-Wright Co. when his father retired in 1933.

He was senior warden of Grace Episcopal Church, a member of several civic organizations, and was a director of the Salt City Federal Savings & Loan Association.

In an editorial, the Hutchinson News said this of him: *"He carried the practice of religious and civic virtues into his everyday activities which made his business and his life so successful. . . ."*

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ada Pegues; and two daughters, Mrs. George Oldham, of Hutchinson, and Mrs. Charles Oswald, of Owatonna, Minn.

#### **WILLIAM HENRY McCLANE**

**Pennsylvania Alpha 1890**

William H. McClane, a business executive and prominent Presbyterian church leader, died recently in a Washington, Pa. hospital. He was 88 years old.

At the time of his death he was president of the Fort Pitt Coal and Coke Company, successor to the McClane Mining Company which operated coal

mines in Washington and Allegheny counties, Pa. He was also vice president of the Pyramid Oil Company.

Brother McClane had served as a Presbyterian elder since the early 1920s, and was for many years a director of the Young Men's Christian Association and on the board of advisors for the Young Women's Christian Association, both of Washington, Pa.

Among his survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Robert L. McCarrell and Miss Rebecca D. McClane, both of Washington.

#### **LAURENCE AMBROSE HENDERSON**

**Pennsylvania Gamma 1909**

THE SHIELD recently has learned of the death of Laurence A. (Patsy) Henderson on July 11, 1957, as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident four days earlier. He was 54 years old at the time of his death.

Born May 8, 1893, in Montgomery, Pa., he attended Bucknell Academy and Bucknell University, and later Cornell University.

In World War I he served as an ensign in the then-infant Radio School at New London, Conn. and subsequently at the Great Lakes Radio School.

After World War I he moved to Montgomery, Pa., where he became a member of the insurance firm of Hartranft-Henderson Co., serving as its president and treasurer. In 1952 he moved to Long Beach, Calif., and joined the National Screw & Manufacturing Co. until his death.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Pauline B. Henderson; a daughter, Mrs. Joseph H. Prather, of Kansas City; two Phi Psi sons, William A. Henderson and Donald W. Henderson, both of Missouri Alpha; and eight grandchildren. He was a brother of the late Joseph W. Henderson, Pa. Gamma '05.

#### **CHARLES WILLIAMS DENISON**

**Ohio Alpha 1902**

Charles W. Denison, president of the Delaware Clay Co., died suddenly at his home in Delaware, Ohio, Aug. 21, 1958.

Brother Denison was also president of the Fidelity Savings & Loan Co., and the Oak Grove Cemetery Association. He was secretary of the Delaware Realty Co., and served as a director of the First National Bank of Delaware.

He was a member of the vestry of St. Peter's Episcopal Church for many years and was a 32-degree Mason. Last spring he was awarded a life membership in the Delaware County Historical Society.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Gwen Marriott Denison; two daughters, Charlotte Denison and Mrs. Homer Wilson; two grandsons; a brother, Lonnis Denison, Ohio Alpha '12; and a sister, Mrs. Harry L. Taite.

# ***The Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity***

was founded February 19, 1852, at Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa., by

**WILLIAM HENRY LETTERMAN**

Born Aug. 12, 1832, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania

Died May 23, 1881, at Duffau, Texas

**CHARLES PAGE THOMAS MOORE**

Born Feb. 8, 1831, in Greenbrier County, Virginia

Died July 7, 1904, in Mason County, West Virginia

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

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## GRAND CHAPTERS

Pennsylvania Alpha (1852-56)	Pennsylvania Zeta (1869-75)
Virginia Alpha (1856-61)	Ohio Alpha (1875-78)
Pennsylvania Delta (1861-66)	Pennsylvania Theta (1878-81)
Virginia Delta (1866-69)	District of Columbia Alpha (1881-84)
	Pennsylvania Epsilon (1884-86)

## PAST PRESIDENTS

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| 1—Joseph Benson Foraker (1886-88)<br>died May 10, 1918             | 16—Henry Hale McCorkle (1916-18)<br>died March 21, 1929      |
| 2—Robert Lowry (1888-90)<br>died Nov. 25, 1899                     | 17—Walter Lee Sheppard (1918-20)<br>died October 16, 1943    |
| 3—John Patterson Rea (1890-92)<br>died May 28, 1900                | 18—Dan Gardner Swannell (1920-22)<br>died April 11, 1939     |
| 4—William Clayton Wilson (1892-94)<br>died May 17, 1925            | 19—Geoge Duffield McIlvaine (1922-24)<br>died Sept. 28, 1928 |
| 5—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1894-96)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 20—Shirley Edwin Meserve (1924-26)                           |
| 6—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1896-98)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 21—Howard Chandler Williams (1926-28)<br>died March 3, 1958  |
| 7—George William Dun (1898-1900)<br>died Dec. 19, 1914             | 22—Harold Guyon Townsend (1928-30)<br>died October 25, 1953  |
| 8—Ernest Milmore Stires (1900-02)<br>died Feb. 12, 1951            | 23—Edward Morris Bassett (1930-32)<br>died Aug. 2, 1941      |
| 9—Edward Lawrence Fell (1902-04)<br>died September 26, 1943        | 24—Thomas Aubrey Cookson (1932-34)                           |
| 10—George Bramwell Baker (1904-06)<br>died May 2, 1937             | 25—Harry Lambright Snyder (1934-36)<br>died March 26, 1958   |
| 11—Charles Frederick Mather Niles (1906-08)<br>died Sept. 20, 1933 | 26—Leverett Samuel Lyon (1936-38)                            |
| 12—David Halstead (1908-10)<br>died Nov. 19, 1940                  | 27—Charles Edwin Strickland (1938-40)                        |
| 13—George Smart (1910-12)<br>died May 16, 1925                     | 28—Andrew Gehr Truxal (1940-42)                              |
| 14—Orra Eugene Monnette (1912-14)<br>died Feb. 23, 1936            | 29—Harry Stewart Gorgas (1942-46)<br>died September 23, 1954 |
| 15—Sion Bass Smith (1914-16)<br>died Jan. 30, 1954                 | 30—Winston Rousseau Tate (1946-48)                           |
|  | 31—Howard Leeman Hamilton (1948-50)                          |
|  | 32—Harlan Bovell Selby (1950-52)                             |
|  | 33—J. Bart Aldridge (1952-54)                                |
|  | 34—Willis Lyle Jones (1954-56)                               |
|  | 35—Edward Tyler Sturgeon (1956-57)<br>died December 30, 1956 |
|  | 36—James Colburn Addison (1957-58)                           |

## CHAPTER DIRECTORY

*The following directory gives the name of each chapter with the college in which it is located, the year of founding, and the mailing address.*



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New York Gamma—Columbia University (1872), 529 W. 113th St., New York 25, N.Y.  
New York Epsilon—Colgate University (1887), Hamilton, N.Y.  
New York Eta—University of Buffalo (1950), Norton Union Box 11, Buffalo, N.Y.



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**Archon: Richard R. Butz, 243 No. Washington Street, Gettysburg, Pa.**

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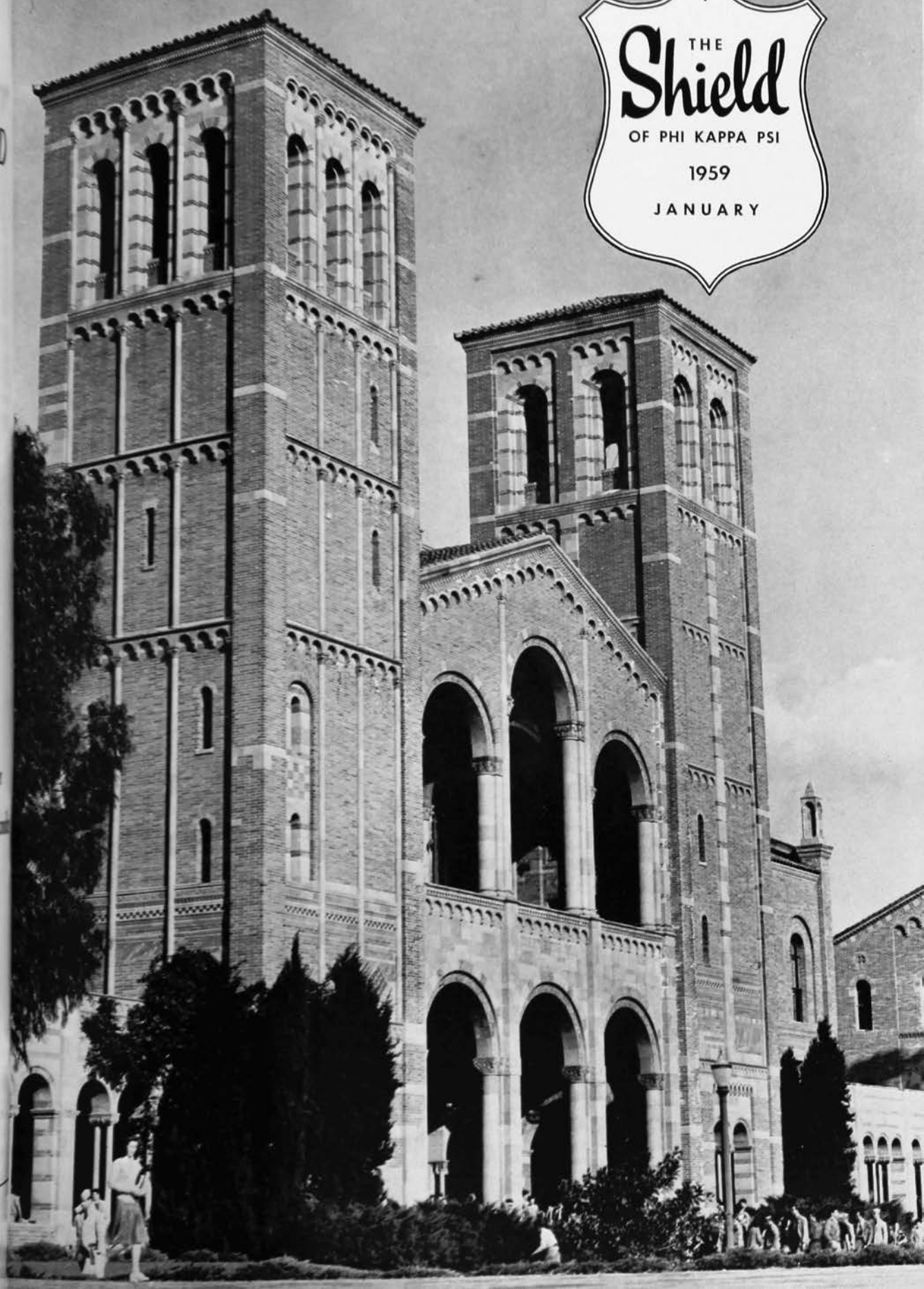
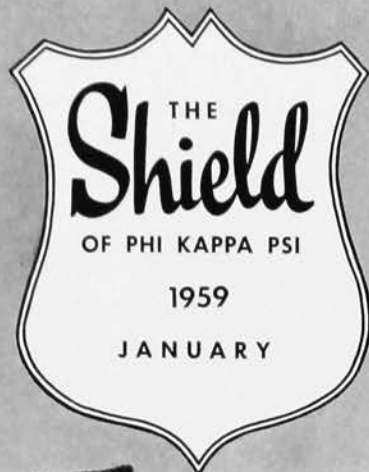
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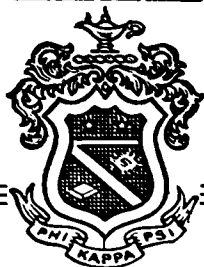


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Fire, coming in the dead of night and accompanied by the explosion of a gas line, transformed the beautiful home of Tennessee Delta into a hollow shell of stone (Oct. 27, 1955). If any good can be learned from this sad experience, it would be this: *There is no such thing as too much effort in fire prevention* (The Shield, January, 1956).

# Fire in the Chapter House

by JOHN MORRIS\*

**W**HEN FIRE STRIKES the average chapter house the occupants are in real danger, because most chapter houses are "built to burn." This conclusion must be drawn from frequent reports of fraternity fires and the heroic measures needed to get people out of the buildings. It is not often that we read about a night fire in a chapter house in which the students left their bedrooms and went calmly down stairways or down a fire escape stairs out of the house.

More typical is this Alabama incident, as reported in the April, 1957 *Fire News*, of the National Fire Protection Association:

Careless smoking was the probable cause of fire that originated during the night in the first story living room of this 3-story brick, wood-joisted fraternity house. When the fire was discovered at 4:15 a.m. by one of the 15 occupants asleep on upper floors the fire was spreading up the open stairway that extended from the living room to the third story. Since there were no other interior stairways and no outside fire escapes the 14 boys and their housemother escaped by dropping from windows.

In 1943 state and local fire officials had recommended to the University president that adequate fire escapes be installed on the 36 fraternity and sorority houses. So far only four have installed outside fire escapes.

It was much the same when the Deke House at Mississippi burned on December 12, 1957. As reported in the fraternity's *Quarterly* for May, 1958, the fire damage was \$35,000, only partly covered by insurance. Nine actives asleep upstairs were forced to jump from second story

windows. Four were unhurt and five suffered minor injuries as they landed on the frozen ground. *The Palm* of ATO also for May, 1958, reports a fatal fire at North Dakota State. The Emory chapter of Phi Delta Theta lost the use of their house for several months when the upper half of the building burned May 13, 1958 in the middle of the night; a previous home of the same chapter had burned in 1931. These are typical chapter house fires, and no fraternity exists which does not have local problems of fire safety in its houses.

What is wrong with fraternity house construction? The one worst feature is the open stairway all the way from the first floor or basement to sleeping areas. This is unfortunately typical; it is exceptional to find a fraternity house which has a properly enclosed main stairway or other stairway leading directly outside the building. Yet the danger can hardly be over emphasized. If you can walk upstairs from the living room of the house to the sleeping quarters without passing through one or more substantially constructed, self-closing fire doors, then fire originating in the lower part of the house will certainly follow the same path and carry deadly superheated gases and smoke right to the bedrooms or dormitory.

Here is what happens when fire breaks out downstairs in a house in the night.

. . . As an undetected fire gathers headway downstairs, that heat is flooding up the stairway to the topmost hall. Blocked there by the ceiling, it spreads horizontally with rapidly mounting pressure. Or, as the firemen say, it "mushrooms" until the hall and any rooms opening on it are surcharged with the withering gases, then it begins to bank downward.

In a very short time these gases become hot enough to ignite all combustibles within reach, thus giving you

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\* Vice Chairman, Campus Safety Association; Member National Fire Protection Association.

a second fire—for remember that even heavy oak planks will burst into flame if bathed in air at 800 degrees for 30 seconds. This is how fire spreads; not by patiently burning its way up the stairs one step at a time, but by sending its task force, rising heat, ahead to soften resistance.\*

This chimney action of fire was dramatized by wholesale loss of life in a series of hotel fires at Chicago, Dubuque and Atlanta in 1945 and 1946, when fire raced upward in the buildings through unprotected vertical openings. These and other tragedies of fire and panic are the source of construction fire safety principles of the *Building Exits Code* of the National Fire Protection Association, a nationally recognized code for fire safety in buildings.

Although fraternity houses do not have the extreme height of multi-story hotels, they are none the less vulnerable. A fire which demonstrated this destroyed the S.A.M. House at Illinois during the early morning hours several years ago. When firemen arrived at the scene, they had to spend the first valuable fifteen minutes at the fire taking students off the roof. Fire starting in the basement had filled the ornate vaulted living room and upper floors with heat and smoke. There was no place to go except out the windows.

It is not enough that a chapter house is equipped with a good fire escape on the outside of the building. If occupants are to be able to reach it, the inside stairways must be so constructed as to prevent the upward spread of fire. To make alterations providing this sort of protection is not an insurmountable problem. At the Second National Conference on Campus Safety at the University of Minnesota in 1955, John J. Ahern, Director, Fire Protection and Safety Engineering, Illinois Institute of Technology, said:

It would be more serious if this were an impossible problem to solve, but ac-

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\* "Fire—The First Crucial Minutes," Paul W. Kearney, National Fire Protection Association, 1958.

tually it is very simple. Even in our oldest buildings, the stairways can be enclosed using either a metal lath and plaster type of partition with good self-closing doors, or the more ornamental type of wired glass in metal frame enclosure. . . . In a recent survey of a typical fraternity house it was found that a three-story stairway could be enclosed using these movable partitions for approximately \$1500. . . . Please understand that a treatment of openings as outlined above will not provide a completely fire safe building, but it will slow down the progress of the fire and smoke long enough to enable the students to reach the emergency exits. . . .

Enclosed stairways are, of course, not the only thing to be considered in fraternity house fire safety. Automatic fire detection devices strategically placed will ring bells or send out horn blasts when fire occurs. An automatic sprinkler system will quench a fire as soon as it begins. Fire escapes are useful if interior stairways are equipped to hold back fire until people can get to them. Rope ladders, ropes, and vertical ladder fire escapes for any type of student housing are poor provision against fatal fires and are below the minimum essential acceptable under the NFPA standards.

It would be a worthwhile project for every chapter of every fraternity to take stock of its fire safety. Here are some of the points that weigh heavily:

1. Good housekeeping in basement and storage areas.

2. Adequate wiring brought up-to-date, to avoid overloading of circuits, and proper fuses of fifteen amperes maximum capacity in fuse boxes.

3. Sensible decorations for the party—including flameproofed paper. Christmas trees are almost explosive if neglected; follow the special fire prevention precautions.

4. Smoking safety; large ashtrays; don't tolerate careless disposal of cigarettes.

5. Provide a second way out from every part of the house, especially from sleeping areas and large public rooms.

# Executive Council Midwinter Meeting

**T**HE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL of Phi Kappa Psi opened its annual midwinter meeting Saturday morning, December 27, 1958 at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago, site of the 1960 Grand Arch Council.

New members in attendance were: Attorney General W. Arthur Batten, Mich. Alpha '33; Scholarship Director Louis D. Corson, W.Va. Alpha '34; Director of Alumni Associations Donald K. Weiser, Pa. Epsilon '21; and Archons William R. Kitchel (III) and Gene A. Mueller (V).

Highlight of the meeting was the unanimously approved resolution regarding the Fraternity's scholarship, a direct action approach suggested by the 1958 Grand Arch Council. It reads:

**Failure of any chapter to raise the chapter average to a point equal to or higher than the All-Fraternity average for its campus (as reported by the NIC Scholastic Reporting Service) within a period of one semester, beginning Feb. 1, 1959, said chapter will be warned in a letter by the Secretary that the chapter's standing is not satisfactory; and further, that unless the chapter average equals or exceeds the All-Fraternity average by the end of the next academic year (June, 1960), the chapter may be placed on probation by the Executive Council. (Probation means no social events, no lady guests in the house at any time, etc.). Continued low scholarship standing may result in charges leading to the possible suspension or revocation of the chapter charter.**

Among other important actions, the EC: Adopted the budget for 1958-59, one of the largest in the Fraternity's history due to rising costs in everything, increased visitations to chapters by the Fraternity's officers, reprinting of the Rush Booklet, District Council expense, and the like;

Fined each of the chapters not represented at the 1958 GAC \$100 (Pennsyl-

vania, Pennsylvania Iota, Illinois Beta) but because of extenuating circumstances remitted the fines, if certain future conditions are met;

Reviewed the urgent need for housing at Mississippi Alpha and initiated an immediate program of financial assistance in conjunction with the Chapter's own alumni;

Appointed a committee to study the Southern California Alumni Association's proposals for reorganizing the Fraternity, as mandated by the 1958 GAC;

Approved a reduction in price from \$7.50 to \$5.00 per set for *The Centennial History of Phi Kappa Psi*, to sell out the remaining volumes as suggested by the 1958 GAC Committee on Publications;

Discussed a proposal to adopt the 1867 pattern of badge ("Newman Die") as the standard badge of the Fraternity, with a decision to publicize this badge through *THE SHIELD* for comment and criticism by alumni and undergraduates;

Requested Editor Campbell to undertake a cost analysis for a new Grand Catalogue of the Fraternity, which has not been published since 1939;

Urged that all chapters and alumni promote alumni interest through increased activity in clubs and associations, chapter visitations, and establishment of new organizations.

In his report to the Executive Council, President Elliott stressed that "the whole Fraternity System is in a 'showcase' on every college campus," and that "we must do our part to show both our willingness to cooperate and effectiveness in years to come, where it appears scholastic requirements will be the number one factor in the higher educational system."

The feeling permeating the three-day meeting was that this is an energetic and enthusiastic Executive Council, full of zest and competence, ready with "shirt-sleeves rolled up" to tackle the Fraternity's problems in a strong and able manner.



# Colorado Alpha in New Home

by BOB YOUNG, AG, Colorado Alpha

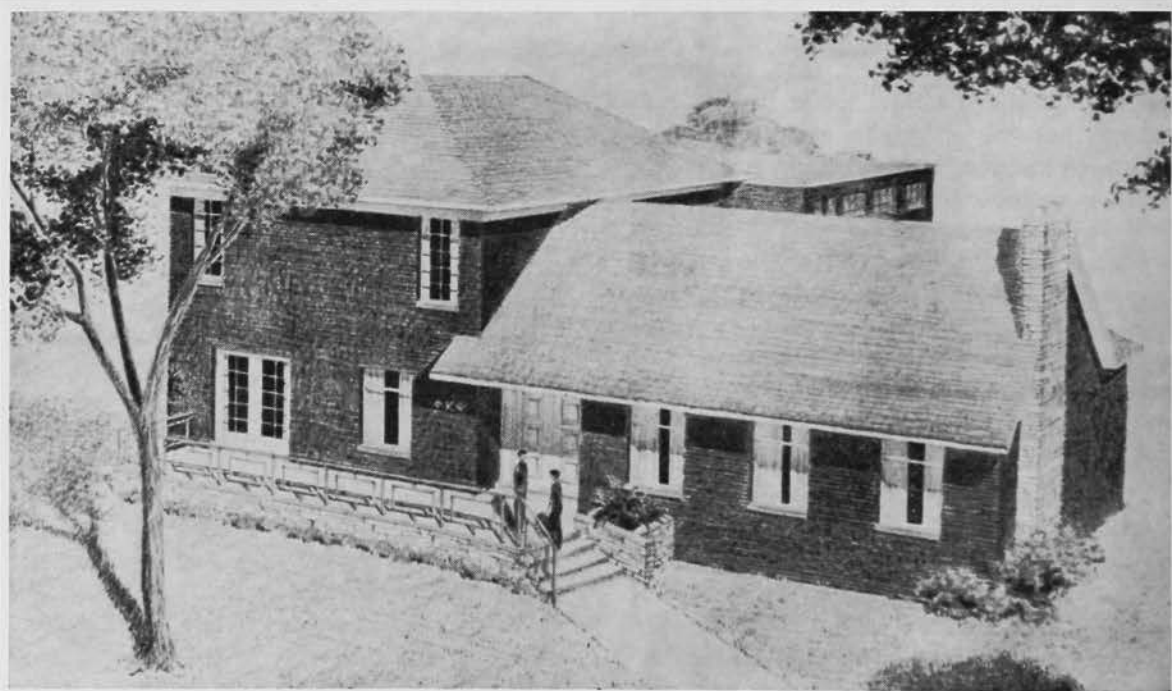
**W**ITH THE assistance of the National Fraternity, the splendid work of the Rocky Mountain Alumni Association, and the loyal support of many Phi Psis throughout the country, the dream of a new house for Colorado Alpha was made a reality last summer.

The dream started in 1955 when the house next to 1131 University Avenue was bought with the intention of combining the two houses. However, it was not until the spring semester of 1958 that our plan started to take concrete shape. Brother Wayne Mackinitch, Denver architect, drew the plans for the remodeling combination of the two houses and the new addition. Brother Bod Grayson, Boulder contractor, agreed to do the work, and

the building was started in June.

Some of the features of the new house are: the largest recreation room on campus, the Philippine mahogany paneling in the dining room, the oak-beamed ceiling in the living room, the flagstone entry hall, and the Viking Oak paneling in the bedrooms. The exterior of the house is painted gray with white trim, and, without a doubt, it is one of the sharpest looking houses on campus.

We of Colorado Alpha wish to thank each individual brother who contributed time and financial support to our new house. Although there is still more to be done to finish the interior, we know that further contributions will make this work possible.



Colorado Alpha's new house, now a reality, has become a campus showplace and has brought a new surge of spirit to the chapter.





# Baker Awarded First Space Science Doctorate

**R**OBERT M. L. (BOB) BAKER, JR., Calif. Epsilon '50, wrote his first paper on space travel when he was an eighth-grader at the Los Angeles Emerson Junior High School. Last spring he submitted a 296-page thesis on space navigation to complete the necessary requirements for the first doctorate in space science awarded by the University of California at Los Angeles.

His interest in space travel and navigation intensified in high school (Harvard School in North Hollywood) so much that a cartoon in his graduation yearbook showed him astride a rocket bound for Mars. And that, too, was prophetic in a sense, for Bob went through his undergraduate courses at UCLA like a rocket, gathering honors all the way. Entering in 1949, he was initiated into Phi Kappa Psi in 1950, and in 1951 he was business manager of the UCLA yearbook and was elected to Pi Delta Epsilon, journalistic honorary. The next year he was elected representative-at-large on the Student Council, was promoted to major in the ROTC and finished his junior year as a member of Phi Beta Kappa. As a senior he was elected president of the UCLA branch of the YMCA and of Sigma Pi Sigma, physics honorary; won the Phi Kappa Psi scholarship prize and the UCLA physics prize for the highest scholarship. On graduation day he received his A.B. degree in physics *with highest honors*, and was designated a distinguished graduate in military science.

Deciding to continue in graduate study, Dr. Baker was guided by Dr. Samuel Herrick, professor of astronomy and one of the world's leading authorities on rocket navigation. Dr. Herrick advised him to shape his work around the new engineering-astronomy program in astronautics, rather than concentrating on astronomy.

"I can't guarantee that the field of astronautics will be ready for you when you graduate," Dr. Herrick told Baker, "but I think it's worth the gamble."

For his master's degree, Brother Baker



**BOB AND JAN BAKER**

... to get into space takes lots of down-to-earth work

carried a heavy load of physics and astronomy courses, was elected to Sigma Xi, scientific honorary, but still found time to be representative for physical sciences on the UCLA Graduate Council and to become a consultant at Douglas Aircraft in missile research.

In 1955 he met Miss Janet Munch, of Scottsdale, Ariz., who was spending part of her summer vacation in California. A graduate of the University of Arizona with a B.S. degree in business administration, Jan was a freshman queen, vice president of her chapter of Delta Gamma, and was elected to Alpha Epsilon, women's business honorary. They were married in August, 1956.

After receiving his master's degree in 1956 he decided that, with Jan's help, he would "fire the third-stage" and go on to a Ph.D. degree in his chosen field. He had already received recognition for his published technical articles. The British In-

terplanetary Society had named him a Fellow; among his published papers on various aspects of missile and space technology were those in *Astronautica Acta* concerning satellite stability, and those on astronomical constants published by the American Rocket Society.

Now a senior scientist at Aeronutronic Systems, Inc., a subsidiary of Ford Motor Company at Glendale, Calif., Dr. Baker is working in the realms of high-altitude drag, meteoritics, and studies of the interaction of space vehicles with the atmospheres of

the earth and planets. He is also associated with the department of astronomy at UCLA, where he instructs courses in astronautics and general astronomy.

"I am not so much interested in getting to the moon as to how to get back," he says. "If your navigation is off, you may never get back to earth, or you may hit too close and burn up."

And that, coming from an expert, would make a round-trip to the moon seem about as risky as driving on the Los Angeles Freeway.

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ARIZONA (PHOENIX)	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Concho Room, Westward Ho
BALTIMORE	.....First Wednesday, 5 p.m.	.....Hopkins Club, College Campus
CHICAGO	.....First Tuesday, Noon	.....Toffenetti's, 65 W. Monroe
CLEVELAND	.....Monday, Noon	.....Mid-Day Club, Union Commerce Bldg.
DENVER	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Daniels & Fisher Tearoom
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Chapter House, 113 Vernon
HOUSTON, TEXAS	.....Fourth Wednesday	.....Houston Club
INDIANAPOLIS	.....Thomas M. French	.....5941 Hillside West Drive
KANSAS CITY	.....Thursday, Noon	.....University Club, 918 Baltimore
NORTH TEXAS	.....First Tuesday, Noon	.....Baker Hotel, Dallas
OMAHA	.....First Thursday, Noon	.....Call Dave Noble, WEBster 3344
PHILADELPHIA	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Engineers Club, 1317 Spruce
PITTSBURGH	.....First Monday, Noon	.....West Room, Penn Sheraton Hotel
PORTLAND, OREGON	.....Friday, Noon	.....University Club
SANTA BARBARA (CALIF.)	.....Call Dr. Luin K. Thatcher	.....1525 State Street
SEATTLE	.....Last Wednesday, 6 p.m.	.....College Club
SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Hotel Hoffman
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	.....Thursday, Noon	.....Clark Hotel, Los Angeles
LONG BEACH, CALIF.	.....Friday, Noon	.....University Club, 1150 E. Ocean Blvd.
TOLEDO	.....Friday, Noon	.....Golden Lily, 812 Madison Ave.
TWIN CITY, MINNESOTA	.....Thursday, Noon	.....Johns Place, 28 South 6th St.
WASHINGTON, D.C.	.....Second Wednesday, Noon	.....University Club
WESTERN NEW YORK	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Carl Meyers Hof, Court St., Buffalo

### BE ON HAND FOR FOUNDERS DAY

# A Visit With Miss Mai Moore

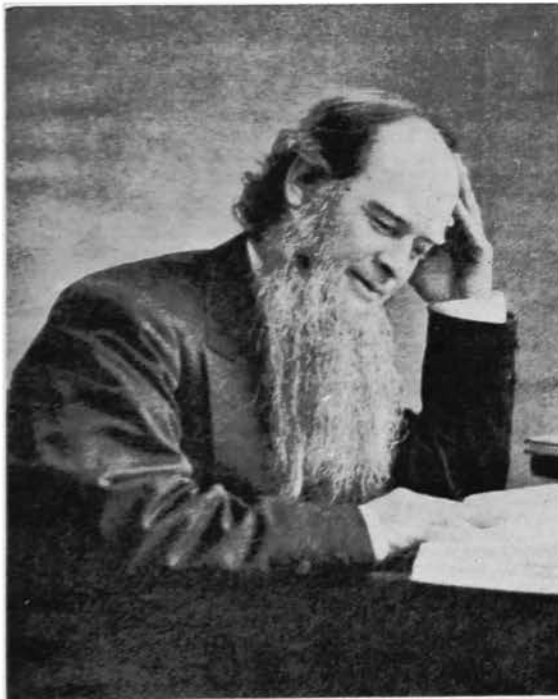
by J. DUNCAN CAMPBELL, Pa. Epsilon '34

ON THE EVE OF Founders Day 1959, marking the 107th Anniversary of the Fraternity, it is fitting to report a recent visit to Miss Mai Moore. One of two living daughters of Founder Charles P. T. Moore, she lives a few miles south of Point Pleasant, W.Va. in a small house almost in the shadow of Riverview, the family's ancestral mansion.

Accompanied by John R. Holliday, W.Va. Alpha '58, an engineer at the Point Pleasant Kaiser plant, I drove into the lane by her house early one Sunday afternoon last fall. Miss Moore was walking across her front lawn toward the lane at the moment we arrived, undoubtedly wondering who her unannounced visitors might be. As soon as we got out of the car she recognized John, who had visited with her several times before, and gave him a warm smile and greeting. After my introduction, I had not spoken to her more than a few minutes before I was impressed



MISS MAI MOORE  
... Mistress of Riverview

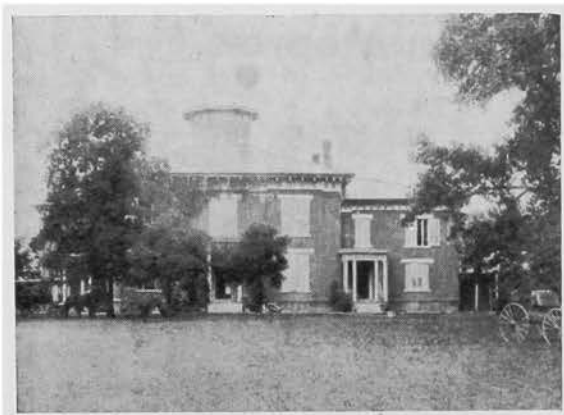


FOUNDER CHARLES P. T. MOORE

by her sharp mind and clear memory for a lady of her years. Best of all, the passing of many years had not diminished her love for, and interest in, Phi Kappa Psi.

As we looked up on the high hill toward Riverview, the tiny Miss Moore explained that none of the family had lived there for more than a quarter of a century, although there had been tenants in more recent years. After Founder Moore's family had grown and separated, she had been the only one to stay on at Point Pleasant, and in these later years the management of Riverview had become too much for her to oversee. She fixed her eyes on her beloved childhood home and remarked with stoic philosophy that Riverview had served its purpose well for almost a century, providing happy family life for three generations, but now its era had passed into history.

In the early 1830s, George Moore made a modest fortune as a cattle drover and



### RIVERVIEW

... an era passed into history

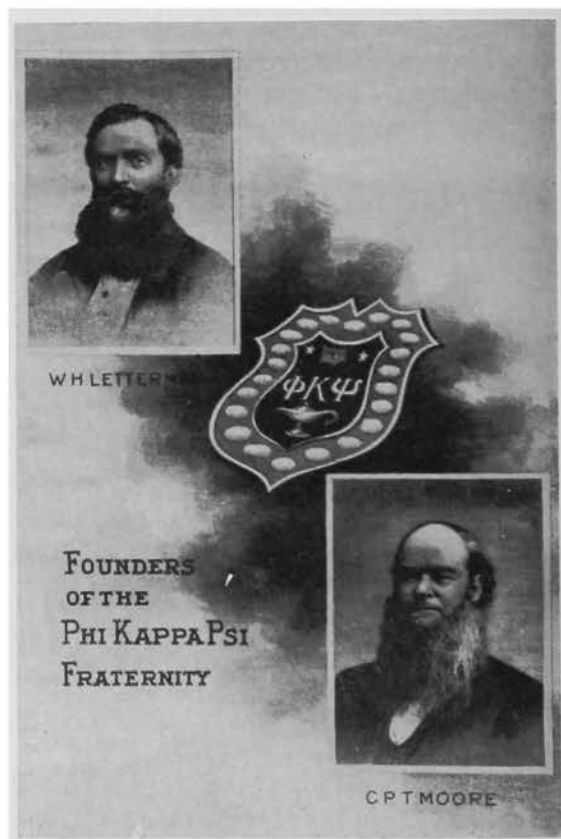
Virginia land owner in this western extremity of the state. During the 1840s he built Riverview, a most impressive mansion which stands high on a hill about a mile from the Ohio River. Sturdily constructed of brick, with heavy timber interior, the huge home is capped with an octagonal cupola so high it is possible to see the surrounding country for more than twenty miles. Built directly onto the north side of the mansion is a brick, one-story slave quarters, reminiscent of *ante-bellum* days more than a century ago. On the east side, opposite the slope leading down to the river, is a large, cleared flatland the size of a football field.

When his brother died, George Moore and his wife, Frances, adopted their fatherless nephew, Charles Page Thomas Moore, who went to Riverview when about 14 years old. His Uncle George and Aunt Frances took him into their home and hearts, gave him love and affection, and provided for his education. After he was graduated from Marshall Academy at Huntington, W.Va. (then Va.), he decided to go to Jefferson College with his cousins, "the Van Meter boys." (Isaac and James, both Pa. Alpha 1852; Isaac, the first brother initiated by Founders Letterman and Moore, died in Chillicothe, Ohio, in 1862, aged 30; his younger brother James was killed in battle, 1863, while serving with the Confederate Army.)

Transferring from Jefferson College, Founder Moore spent his senior year at Union College (N.Y.), with the express

purpose of founding the Fraternity's second chapter there. In correspondence with Penn Alpha he revealed that his mission was futile; that at Union the old fraternities were so firmly established and so cold toward newcomers that success was impossible. He felt the infant Phi Kappa Psi would be wise to look toward the South and to the West in its extension efforts. With this in mind, he returned to the South and took his law courses at the University of Virginia. In November, 1853, he organized a group of petitioners and established Virginia Alpha, the Fraternity's second chapter.

Founder Moore opened his law practice at Point Pleasant, and when his Uncle George died he inherited Riverview. In 1869 he was elected a judge of the Supreme Court of West Virginia. When the state's postwar constitution was adopted in 1870 he was renominated by the Democrats, endorsed by the Republicans and two other political parties, and received 79,700 of



Frontispiece from Van Cleve's *History of Phi Kappa Psi*, 1902

81,000 votes cast. When he resigned from his 12-year term in June, 1881 because of ill health, he was Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of West Virginia.

He retired to Riverview with his wife, the former Urilla K. Kline, to supervise farming the large estate. Of Judge Moore's four daughters, two are still living: Miss Mai Moore and Mrs. Robert L. (Frances) Bland, of Weston, W.Va.

Mrs. Bland's three Phi Psi sons, grandsons of Founder Moore, were all initiated by West Virginia Alpha. They are: Theodor E. Bland '21, Charles N. Bland '21, and Robert L. Bland Jr. '24.

Founder Moore's last communication to the Fraternity was written in March, 1902 when the Phi Kappa Psi Memorial Elm was planted at Mount Vernon, Va. He wrote:

"Fifty years ago a departed colleague and I planted a tree. It was small, but instinct with the sap of life, and, with roots so strong that slowly, but surely, it grew upward and onward, with branches so far extending that lo! it stands today a mighty monarch of the forest, giving joy in the morning, shelter at noon, and comfort at the sunset of life, ever teaching us: 'Look out, not in; look up, not down, for Heaven smiles above us.'

"That tree is Phi Kappa Psi, and, my

boys, the tree you have planted this day is a most fitting monument to this stalwart oak.

"When another fifty years have rolled away, and the centennial jubilee is at hand, though I will have crossed the bar to 'the land that is fairer than this,' I will unite with my comrade brother, and be with you in spirit and I pray that the little twig you have planted will shelter not only the heads of ten thousand Phi Psis, but of many times that number.

"With best wishes for all my boys, I am your father in Phi Kappa Psi forever and ever.

C. P. T. MOORE"

The visit with Miss Mai Moore was a refreshing link of the present with the past of Phi Kappa Psi. She spoke of the Fraternity as she knew it sixty years ago; she mentioned the many Phi Psi letters Founder Moore had received in his twilight years and how they led his thoughts back to the founding days which he enjoyed telling her about. With no little emotion she recalled the prominent role Phi Kappa Psi played at her father's funeral services after he died July 7, 1904. In all, she could not conceal that Phi Kappa Psi was a source of great pride to her, as it was to Founder Moore, and that it occupies a large, warm corner of her heart.

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### ***Transferred to Cleveland***

JAMES F. DOUGHERTY, Iowa Alpha '53, has been transferred by Meredith Publishing Co. as field sales representative in Cleveland, Ohio. He is a former GP of the Iowa Alpha Chapter.

He joined Meredith's advertising sales department following his graduation at State University of Iowa in 1956, and later was named assistant promotion manager of *Better Homes & Gardens* and *Successful Farming*. Prior to his transfer he was field representative in six states, with his office in Omaha, Nebr.

### ***Springer Awarded Plaque***

At the 1958 annual banquet of the Cleveland Apartment and Home Owners Association, GEORGE E. SPRINGER JR., N.Y. Alpha '37, was presented an award plaque "for outstanding accomplishment in property management and promoting apartment living." He is president of Bates & Springer, Inc., which was founded little more than a decade ago and now is Cleveland's largest apartment management firm. Principal speaker at the banquet was Wright Bryan, Mo. Alpha '27, editor of the *Cleveland Plain Dealer*.



# Ohio Alpha Breaks Ground for New House

by ROBERT MARTIN DUHME, Ohio Alpha '57

**S**UNDAY MORNING, Oct. 19, 1958, was a momentous occasion for Ohio Alpha. The groundbreaking for the new chapter house of Phi Kappa Psi at Ohio Wesleyan University took place. The proceedings began with a prayer by chapter Chaplain Norman Edwards, in which he offered thanks to Our Father and asked all present to remember their duty to the entire brotherhood of man. This was followed by the introduction of Robert R. Elliott, President of Phi Kappa Psi and an alumnus of Ohio Alpha, by Bill Agee, president of Ohio Alpha. Brother Elliott spoke of the great history of Ohio Alpha and of the even finer things in store for the future. He then handed the shovel to Ed Cawood, president of our House Corporation, who initiated the ceremonies. All was quiet when Brother Cawood '28, of Harlan, Ky., long one of the chapter's most loyal alumni, turned over the first patch of ground. GP Bill Agee was the second man at the shovel, and he in turn was followed by Brother Elliott. Alumni

and members of the active chapter also took their turns in enlarging the initial excavation for our future foundation. Thus, at 10:30 a.m. on that fine day, a new era in the history of the Ohio Alpha chapter of Phi Kappa Psi commenced.

The ceremony was attended, not only by members of the active chapter and alumni, but also by sweethearts, representatives from other campus fraternities, and friends of Phi Psi.

Little did the founders of Ohio Alpha realize back in 1861 what the chapter would achieve in the future. She has grown into a chapter which has embraced more than a thousand active members. Included among the names inscribed on the scrolls of Ohio Alpha are: Joseph B. Foraker, former Governor of Ohio, United States Senator, twice a Presidential candidate, and first president of the National Fraternity; Robert R. Elliott, present President of Phi Kappa Psi; Clarence Dill, Congressman and Senator; Robert L. Milligan, President of Pure Oil Company; Lt. Gen.



President Bob Elliott (dark glasses) takes shovel from Eddie Cawood for his turn at earth-moving.



Bob Elliott beams after Ohio Alpha ancient cannon booms out the good news.

Daniel Van Voohis; and Stanley Roettinger, retired Judge in the Cincinnati courts. Ohio Alpha has also contributed much to the Ohio Wesleyan campus, as evidenced by names on such university buildings as the football stadium, named Selby Field for Brother Mark Selby; the East campus, named Williams Campus for Brother Williams; one of the girl's residence halls, called Monnett Hall, in memory of Brother Monnett; and Merrick Hall, donated by Brother Merrick.

It is quite appropriate that work on the new house should begin in 1958, for 1958 finds Ohio Alpha again a leader on the campus in athletics, scholarship and activities. Phi Psi is represented on all varsity



Second man at the shovel was GP Bill Agee.

athletic teams, is ranked second of fourteen in scholarship, and is active in such areas as debate, dramatics, journalism and student government.

But even more important than her achievements, she has the bond of brotherhood which has played a prominent role at Ohio Alpha throughout the last ninety-eight years.

### **Frank King Retires**

FRANK A. KING, Ind. Alpha '13, retired this past summer after twenty-two years with the Durham Manufacturing Co., Muncie, Ind., makers of metal furniture. He started with Durham as sales manager and for the past eight years had been assistant general manager in charge of research and development.

He plans to remain in Muncie and do private research in the fields of metal furniture design and local church finance.

### **Heads Conservatives**

RALPH W. GWINN, Ind. Alpha '01, representative from New York in the United States Congress, was elected this fall as president of We, the People, a national nonpartisan organization of conservative voters.

At the close of the group's fourth annual convention, Congressman Gwinn predicted that a labor-welfare state with unlimited power could arise unless conservative voters forced a reduction in government spending.



## A New (Old) Badge for Phi Psi?

**P**HI KAPPA PSI has had two distinctly different badges in the course of 107 years. The original monogram of the letters *Phi* and *Psi* was worn from 1852 until



1852-1855

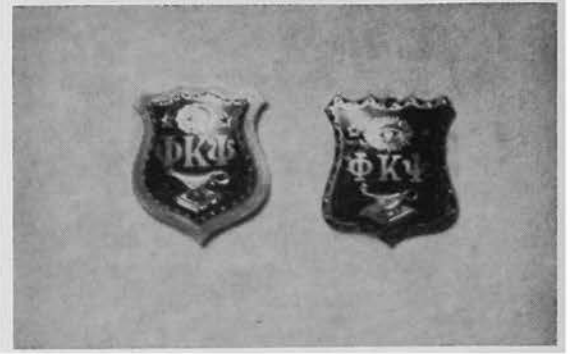
1855 when the shield-shaped badge was adopted; however, so many members of the Fraternity preferred the "old style monogram" that both types of badges were sold until the 1860 GAC designated the shield badge as the official badge and manufacture of the monogram badges was discontinued.

No one knows how many of the monograms were made, but we do know that apparently less than a half-dozen have survived to the present.

*The Manual of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity* shows two intermediate forms of the badge, II (November 1854) and III (March 1855). The present-day drawings are taken from sketches in the original minute book of Pennsylvania Alpha, and considerable doubt exists that the badge designated II was ever made in metal. If so, not one is known to have survived. The badge shown as III is believed to be the drawing from which the jeweler made the first shield badges in 1855, with the shape of the shield altered slightly before any were made in metal. The conclusion is that, in reality, we have had only two basic forms of badges actually made and worn.

Shield badges made during the period 1855-1900 were large, small, thick, thin, jeweled, plain, "diamond-eyed," hollow, solid, and with shields of various shapes. More than ten different jewelers (official and non-official) produced *their* conception of what a Phi Psi badge should look like. The only uniformity of the period was one of confusion.

Early in the 1900s agitation for a uniformly standard badge was stirred throughout the Fraternity, which, after a little



The Standard Badge, left, and the Newman Die Badge.

more than a decade, resulted in the adoption of the badge as we all know it today.

A new (old) badge came to light about the time of the Centennial GAC in 1952, with a story fascinating to the historian. Our official jeweler, the L. G. Balfour Co., has bought up several of the older and smaller firms which made fraternity badges and jewelry during the 1800s. One company so acquired was the John F. Newman Co., for many years located on John Street in the heart of New York's manufacturing jewelers' area. Among the Newman dies for striking badges was an old one for Phi Kappa Psi. Although the exact year the die was made is not known, the representation of the badge is very similar to the form and style of the 1860s. There is no doubt that it is the oldest known die for making Phi Psi badges.

As in the earlier instance of agitation for a uniformly standard badge, there is today a growing sentiment among some alumni and undergraduates that we should adopt this "old Newman die" badge as the official badge of the Fraternity. Battle lines are being drawn up.

Those who favor the old form and style of badge have powerful weapons. They point out: the shape of the shield, the shape of the letters (particularly the Psi) the proportion of stars and eye (large eye, small stars), the relative size (and design) of the antique lamp, and the one-solid-badge pattern (rather than a badge on gold backing-piece) all portray the badge as it

was conceived by the Phi Psis who designed it. They claim the present undergraduate badge "is the work of a non-Phi Psi jewelry salesman," totally lacking the aesthetic beauty inherent in the old style of the 1860s.

The opposition also wields heavy artillery. They point out: that the present form is the badge they wore on initiation day, the only badge they've ever known, and that *they love it as it is*; that most living Phi Psis, initiated for the past forty-or-so years have this badge—would we want two styles?; and that the present form of badge is the one by which we're well known throughout the entire Greek world. Why change it?

No matter which side you may join, you can be sure we will all hear more about a return to the old badge. Those who prefer the old badge believe that publicity will

convert a majority to their cause, and they're willing to work as long as necessary to effect the change.

Since 1952 more and more of these "old" badges are appearing on the scene. Some chapters have bought them for the GP to wear, finding them a rushing asset as an impressive symbol of the age of the Fraternity. ("Yes, this is the kind of badge worn here on the campus about ninety years ago.") Under present Fraternity law, undergraduates must wear "the standard badge," but the old Newman die badge is authorized for any alumnus who cares to order it. And it costs no more than the standard badge.

And now that you've heard the case, what do you think about a change? If you feel strongly enough about it, either way, send a letter to the Secretary or to the Editor.

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### Press Attache

STAFFORD G. DAVIS, Ill. Alpha '42, has been named Press Attaché for the American Embassy in Saigon, Vietnam. He will perform his new duties in addition to those of Press Officer for the U.S. Information Service. Brother Davis has been assigned to the former French Indo-China territory since February, 1957.



DAVIS

A former newspaper and magazine editor in Chicago, he resigned from the public relations department at Illinois Bell Telephone Co., to take the government post.

Davis was chapter "P" during his undergraduate days at Northwestern. He is a member of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, and the Headline Club of Chicago. He served in the Navy during World War II.

### Eisenhower Fellowship Trustee

EDWIN T. GIBSON, New York Alpha '04, retired executive vice president of General Foods, Inc., has been appointed a trustee of the Eisenhower Exchange Fellowships. These fellowships bring economic leaders of lesser developed countries to the United States for study in their special fields.

### McCain Retires

W. ROSS MCCAIN, Va. Beta '95, has retired as chairman of the board of directors of Aetna Fire Insurance Co., one of the largest insurance organizations in the United States, with home offices in Hartford, Conn.

Brother McCain has held various executive positions with Aetna for the past thirty-nine years, including seventeen as president and twenty-nine as a director. He has also served as president of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the Eastern Underwriters Association and the Southeastern Underwriters Association. He is Virginia Beta's oldest living alumnus.

# Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis (and Maclin)

**L**UTTRELL (WHITEY) MACLIN, W.Va Alpha '31, was admitted Jan. 1, 1959 as a general partner of Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis, New York Stock Exchange firm. He has been with the firm since 1951 as a director of advertising and public relations.

In his new post, he will head the department of business development, which encompasses all of the firm's sales building activities: securities research, statistical services, advertising, public relations and sales training.

Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis, founded in 1879, is one of the oldest and largest investment banking and brokerage firms in the United States. It engages in all phases of the securities and commodities business and operates 42 offices located in 39 cities coast-to-coast.

A 1934 graduate of West Virginia University, he went to New York that year to work as a copy boy on the New York *Herald-Tribune* and to continue his studies at Columbia University. After receiving his M.A. degree he was promoted to financial writer for the *Herald-Tribune*. Just before World War II he became assistant to the president of the Association of Stock Exchange firms, but before he settled down to his new work he was off to the Army Air Corps. After serving almost five years as a glider pilot and public relations officer he left the service in the European Theater after VE day, went to Paris and spent the next six months as a reporter on the Paris Edition of the New York *Herald-Tribune*.

When he came home, he joined Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane as assistant sales promotion manager until 1951 when he joined Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis.

A wrestler in high school in his native



**LUTTRELL (WHITEY) MACLIN**  
... able athlete, able archer, able administrator

Morgantown, W.Va., and later at West Virginia University, Whitey lost only two matches (by referee's decisions) in seven years.

An archer since his scouting days, he served as president of the National Archery Association 1956-57 and also has been a member of its board of directors. After the war he moved with his family to Hunterdon County, N.J. (he commutes sixty miles each way from his home near Flemington to his New York office) in agricultural and woodland surroundings which encourages the deer population. Now, in addition to target shooting, he stalks deer with bow and arrow during hunting seasons.

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## Sales Manager

JOHN W. TODD JR., N. Y. Alpha '32, is general manager of sales, TCI division, of United States Steel Corp., in Birmingham, Ala.

## Goodyear Plant Superintendent

HOWARD L. GINAVEN, Ohio Alpha '29, has been transferred from the Goodyear overseas branch in England to become plant superintendent at Akron, Ohio.

## Heads Engineer Research

**C**OL. A. H. DAVIDSON JR., W.Va. Alpha '30, who directed all engineer planning operations in conjunction with the invasion of Northern Europe in World War II, has assumed the duties of director of the U.S. Army Engineer Research and Development Laboratories, Fort Belvoir, Va.

The laboratories are the principle field agency of the Army Corps of Engineers for the research and development of new engineer materiel, methods, and techniques required for military operations.

Colonel Davidson was assigned to the Laboratories after completing a 16-month tour of duty as Engineer, U.S. 8th Army in Korea.

The new director entered active service in September, 1940, at Fort Knox, Ky., where he established and was director of the Field Engineering Department, The Armored Force School, from its inception. In July, 1941, he was assigned as executive assistant to the district engineer, Louisville Army Engineer District, in charge of supervising the military construction program.

In June, 1942, Colonel Davidson went to the United Kingdom, where he was assigned as a student in the advanced course of the British Imperial Staff College. Upon graduation, he was assigned as chief of the Control Division Office of the Engineer, European Theater, during which period he directed all engineer planning operations in the invasion of Northern Europe.

Colonel Davidson was assigned in May, 1943, as the Engineer for the United States on the Joint Planning Staff of "COSSAC" (Chief of Staff Supreme Allied Command), where the formal outline plans for the actual invasion were developed. In the invasion of Normandy, he was assigned as Deputy Engineer of the Advanced Section Communications Zone, which provided direct Engineer support to the First, Third, and Ninth Armies in operations from the landing until the end of the war.

At the completion of hostilities, he was



**COL. A. H. DAVIDSON JR.**  
... exponent of *Essayons*

assigned as Military Assistant to the War Department, later to the State Department, for the disposal of all real estate and other military holdings in Europe.

Returning to the States in November, 1947, Colonel Davidson was assigned to the Office, Chief of Engineers, as assistant chief of the Repairs and Utilities Division and, later, as chief of the division.

He was assigned to the Army War College in September, 1950, and upon graduation was appointed District Engineer, New York District. Upon completion of this assignment in August, 1954, he was assigned to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., as regimental combat commander and later as assistant division commander of the Sixth Armored Training Division. Later, he was assigned as Deputy Commander for the Eighteenth Engineer Brigade. He departed for Korea in December, 1955.

His decorations and awards include the Commendation Ribbon, Bronze Star, the



War Cross from Czechoslovakia, and the Medallion of Honor from Belgium.

A native of Chickasha, Okla., Colonel Davidson was graduated in 1924 from Central High School, Fort Worth, Texas. He received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from Texas A & M College in 1928 and his Master of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from West Virginia University in 1932.

He was engaged in municipal and pri-

vate industry engineering work and as a civilian employee of the Corps of Engineers prior to being commissioned in the Corps of Engineers in 1940.

Colonel Davidson is married to the former Mildred Miller of Vicksburg, Miss. They have five children: Alfred Harry III, Patricia Ann, Sam Ronald, Michele Eugenia, and Mildred Buckeridge. He and his family reside in quarters at Fort Belvoir.

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## Mason Is President of Locke Chain



**J. MONTGOMERY MASON**  
... Hoosier by adoption

J. Montgomery Mason, R.I. Alpha '23, general manager of the Locke Steel Chain plant since it was moved to Huntington, Ind., in 1957, has been elected president of the firm at a meeting of stockholders in Bridgeport, Conn.

Brother Mason, who was a company vice

president in addition to his work at the Huntington plant, was born in Taunton, Mass., in 1904. He attended Moses Brown School in Providence, R.I., and in 1926 was graduated from Brown University with a bachelor of philosophy degree.

He was employed with General Electric Co. at Schenectady, N.Y., and at Bridgeport, Conn., until 1934. He spent two years as a sales representative for the Berkshire Chemical Co. in Bridgeport, joining the Locke Firm in 1937 in the sales department of the chain division. He later became sales manager, secretary, director and vice president.

The Masons lived in Fairfield, Conn., until moving to Huntington in 1957. Married to the former Jayne Hutton, a Kappa Alpha Theta of the University of Nebraska, the couple have a daughter, Mrs. Howard G. Crowell Jr., a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma now living in Tokyo, Japan; and two sons, David H. Mason, an Alpha Tau Omega of Marietta College, serving in the Navy; and John M. Mason Jr., a junior high school student.

Brother Mason is a member of the University Clubs of Bridgeport, Conn., and Chicago; the LaFontaine Country Club and the Huntington Rotary. Long interested in yachting, he holds memberships in the United States Power Squadron and the Marine Historical Society, Mystic Seaport, Conn.

# Cal Delta Honors Haney

**S**EVENTY-FIVE alumni joined the active chapter of California Delta to turn a supposedly prosaic business meeting into a surprise dinner as a tribute to Ralph R. Haney, Calif. Delta '27.

Secrecy was so well maintained that Brother Haney did not become aware of the real purpose of the event until dinner was underway. President Wells De Loach of the House Corporation had promised a speaker on football, and when no speaker appeared the secret was out.

The occasion honored Brother Haney by dedicating the Delta library in his name. This was done by speeches and reading letters and telegrams of tribute prior to unveiling a bronze tablet mounted on the great chimney wall, bearing this simple wording:

RALPH R. HANEY  
LIBRARY

A more intimate framed plaque accompanied the fixed memento; reading:

"This citation is presented to Brother Ralph R. Haney in recognition of his past and continuing service to the members of California Delta of Phi Kappa Psi and the University of Southern California.

"In appreciation of Brother Haney's untiring efforts in furthering the ideals of brotherhood, we dedicate to him our library, this Eighth day of October, 1958.

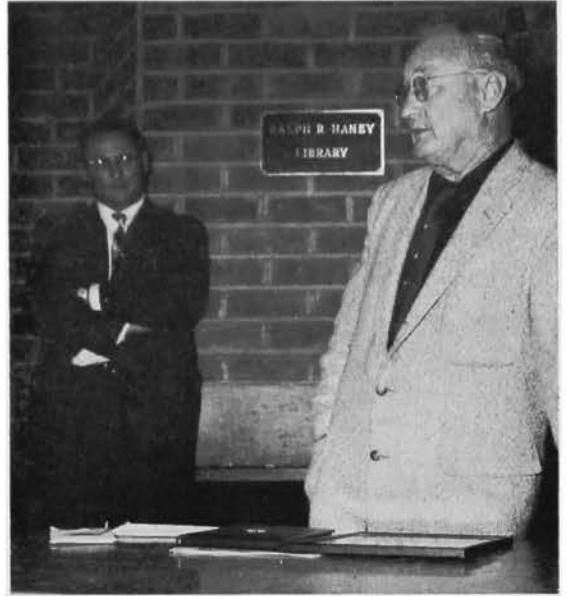
The Brothers of California Delta  
of Phi Kappa Psi."

And from the letter received from the University of Southern California these words expressed the feeling of that institution:

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## Bank Director

P. C. (PERC) ANDREWS, Pa. Gamma '04, has been elected a director of the First Seneca Bank & Trust Co., Oil City, Pa., a large and important financial institution in Northwestern Pennsylvania.



Ralph Haney, recently named Director of Chapter Finance by the Executive Council, was pleasantly surprised by his chapter's tribute. Wells De Loach, president of the Cal Delta House Corporation, is in the background.

"On behalf of the University of Southern California I should like to commend and thank you for your service to Phi Kappa Psi, the Fraternity System and the University. Certainly you more than any other person have given of your time to the advancement of the 'Row' as a member of the University community."

Brother Ralph Haney has served as advisor to his chapter, in building the Delta House, and as president of the Interfraternity Alumni Advisors Association since 1944.—C. S.

## Named by Salvation Army

HENRY W. HOPWOOD, N.Y. Epsilon '32, assistant director of public relations at Republic Steel Corp., in Cleveland, has been named board chairman of the Cleveland branch of the Salvation Army.

# PHI PSIS . . . .

## *going places . . . . doing things*

### **Pomeroy Heads Pittsburgh Bar**

A Phi Psi has been elected president of the Allegheny County Bar Association, in Pittsburgh. He is THOMAS W. POMEROY JR.,



**POMEROY**

Pa. Theta '26, of the law firm of Kirkpatrick, Pomeroy, Lockhart & Johnson, 1130 Oliver Building, downtown Pittsburgh. He will lead the 1600-member lawyers' group in 1959.

Pomeroy's election was announced December 3 at the Bar Association's annual dinner-meeting in Hotel Penn-Sheraton, following balloting in the afternoon.

He is the second Phi Psi to be Allegheny County Bar Association president in seven years. The first was Thomas N. Griggs, Pa. Mu '27, president for two years, 1952-1953, who also was host-chairman for the 1952 Phi Kappa Psi Centennial GAC in Pittsburgh.

Brother Pomeroy is a 1929 graduate of Lafayette College and a 1933 graduate of Harvard Law School. At Lafayette he was a member of Tau Kappa Alpha, forensic fraternity, and instructed public speaking and coached debate before going on to Harvard.

He is a trustee of both Wilson and Lafayette Colleges, and is a past president of the Western Pennsylvania alumni of both Lafayette College and the Harvard Law School, and of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity.

In addition to his law practice, he is quite active in Pittsburgh community affairs. He is a director and former chairman of the Foreign Policy Association of Pittsburgh, director of the Health & Welfare Association of Allegheny County and

of the Pittsburgh YMCA. He is also a director and past president of the Family & Children's Service of Allegheny County. He was chairman of the Community Chest drive in 1947.

Widely known in legal circles, Mr. Pomeroy has served on many committees of the Allegheny County Bar. Currently he is serving on the Judiciary Committee of the Pennsylvania Bar. He is a member of the American Law Institute and the American Bar Association. During World War II he served in the office of the Office of General Counsel for the Navy Department, and was discharged with the rank of lieutenant commander. He is now completing a two-year term as a member of the Executive Committee of the Allegheny County Bar.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomeroy live in Ben Avon Heights, Pittsburgh 2. They have two daughters and two sons.—T. M.

### **Addison in New Quarters**

JAMES C. ADDISON, Iowa Alpha '12, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1957-58, has moved his firm of certified public accountants into new and larger offices at 508 Tenth Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

### **On Staff of CINCSOUTH**

LT. JOHN E. WITHROW, USN, Tenn. Delta '50, is assigned to the staff of Commander in Chief, Allied Forces Southern Europe, in the signal division. Currently based in Naples, Italy, his address is: CINCSOUTH, Box 9, Navy 510, FPO, N.Y.

### **Pittsburgh IES Chairman**

JOHN S. FRIZZELL, Pa. Lambda '28, has been elected chairman of the Pittsburgh section of the Illumination Engineering Society for 1958-59. Employed by the Pittsburgh Reflector Co., Irwin, Pa., he is a son of John Henry Frizzell, Mystagogue of Phi Kappa Psi.



### **Prentice Is Brigadier General**

WILLIAM H. PRENTICE, Oreg. Alpha '38, whose home is in Medford, Ore., has been promoted to brigadier general in the Army Reserve. The promotion was confirmed by the Senate last August.

A veteran of nineteen years service, he commands the 417th Engineer Brigade, USAR.

Commissioned after completing the ROTC course at the University of Oregon, General Prentice was ordered to duty as a lieutenant in January, 1941. He served until May, 1946 when he was released from active service as a major. His services included three years overseas.

In 1947 he was promoted to lieutenant colonel and assigned as a battalion commander in the Reserve. In 1952 he was named commanding officer of the 304th Logistical Command, and the following year was promoted to colonel. When the 304th was deactivated in 1955 he assumed command of the 417th Engineer Brigade.

He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College and of the Engineer School.

A statistician with the California Oregon Power Co. in Medford, he is married and has two children, Gail and Chris.

### **Cited by the University of Michigan**

DR. CHRISTOPHER G. PARNELL, Mich. Alpha '98, who received his A.B. degree in 1902 and his M.D. degree in 1904 from the University of Michigan, was cited last September as an *Honored Alumnus* by his Alma Mater.

In part, his citation reads: "His work on the planning and construction of hospitals and his competent and productive leadership in the field of hospital administration have ranged over the entire nation. As physician, hospital administrator, public health officer, consultant on hospital administration, and a member of major councils and commissions concerned with public health welfare, health needs, and medical education, he has won the esteem of his associates and colleagues and many distinctive honors of his profession. His imagination and vision of our Medical Center a quarter of a century ago have contributed immeasurably to our progress, and will make a lasting imprint upon generations of medical men who will follow in our footsteps. To him we convey our profound gratitude and appreciation."

Dr. Parnell is the father of two Michigan Alpha Phi Psis: Edward '22, and Robert '30.



**First formal Phi Psi portrait of the new Executive Board. From left: President Elliott, Treasurer Joice, Secretary Daniel, Vice President Mize.**

### **Dr. Beatty Honored**

DR. HUGH G. (FROG) BEATTY, Ohio Delta '01, was presented an Alumni Achievement Award last spring by the Ohio State University College of Medicine.

Dr. Beatty, professor emeritus of otolaryngology, and prominent ear, nose and throat specialist in Columbus, Ohio, served for thirty-five years on the teaching staff of the College of Medicine. He established the first speech clinic in Columbus in 1915, and later established the first bronchoscopic clinic in Ohio.

### **Retires at Chrysler Corp.**

ROBERT W. CONDER, Ind. Alpha '22, retired last July as a vice president of the Chrysler Corp., after a distinguished career with that company spanning twenty-two years.

A veteran in the field of labor contract negotiations, he joined the legal staff of Chrysler in 1936 after nine years of private law practice in Detroit. In 1939 he was named director of labor relations for the firm and held that position for twelve years, during which he conducted all major labor negotiations. He became director of industrial relations in 1951 and within two years was named vice president of personnel.

DePauw University conferred on him an honorary doctor of humane letters degree at its 1958 commencement.

Married to the former Katherine Keller, the Conders live in Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich. They have a son, Richard.

### **NALU Secretary**

WILLIAM E. NORTH, Ore. Beta '48, was elected secretary of the National Association of Life Underwriters at its 1958 meeting. Last year he headed the membership committee and led the association to a record high membership of more than 75,000.

A Chartered Life Underwriter of Evanston, Ill., he worked in promotional and Chamber of Commerce management in Oregon before entering the insurance field.



For three years at Trinity College, senior Myles McDonough has proved himself an outstanding athlete. In the fall, Myles takes to the soccer field where he has been a starting varsity full-back for the past three years. He was a stellar performer on the Bantam's undefeated 1956 team which was scored upon only three times and was acclaimed the number one soccer team in the nation. In the winter, Myles takes leave of varsity sports and gives his services to the IM basketball team which has done so well the past two years. Spring finds the lanky right-hander lending his talent to the baseball team. A stalwart on the pitching staff since coming to Trinity, he has the distinction of losing only one game in his four years of hurling for the Hilltoppers. When he is not on the mound, Myles often plays in the outfield where his big bat on several occasions has won his own ball games. Trinity College and Connecticut Alpha is extremely proud of such a fine athlete and gentleman as Myles McDonough. TH.

### **Secretary for Genealogists**

WALTER LEE SHEPPARD JR., N.Y. Alpha '29, has been elected secretary by the American Society of Genealogists, an honor organization limited to fifty members throughout the world devoted to elevating the standards of genealogy as a science, and to teaching genealogical research.

Lee was elected to charter membership in the organization in 1943 as a result of a published work and several magazine articles relating to genealogy which had appeared earlier.

### **With United Air Lines**

WILLIAM A. GLASSFORD, III, Beta '33, has been appointed assistant to K. C. Jones, director of public relations for United Air Lines. He is assigned to the company's Chicago executive offices.



**GLASSFORD**

Glassford joined United in 1938 at Cheyenne, Wyo., and subsequently held sales and traffic posts at San Diego, Los Angeles and Boston. He returned to Cheyenne as a management training instructor in 1948, and three years later was named employees suggestion program superintendent at Denver, transferring to Chicago in 1957.

### **Holman Home to Des Moines and Desk**

WILLARD C. (BILL) HOLMAN, Iowa Alpha '54, Archon of District V 1955-57, has returned to his desk at Meredith Publishing Co. in Des Moines, after a tour of duty with the Army.

A 1957 graduate of the State University of Iowa, Bill joined the advertising sales staff of Meredith immediately after graduation. The Des Moines firm publishes *Better Homes & Gardens*, *Successful Farming*, and ten book titles.

Bill, his wife Sue, and their baby daughter live at 1726 Oakland Avenue, Des Moines 14, Iowa.

### **Reddall Retires at Western Electric**

H. HASTINGS REDDALL, N.Y. Epsilon '15, recently retired as treasurer of the Western Electric Company.

### **Heads Washington Board of Trade**

VICTOR O. SCHINNERER, Pa. Lambda '26, recently was elected president of the Washington, D.C., Board of Trade. He had served as first vice president in 1957.

He is president of V. O. Schinnerer & Co., Inc., Washington insurance firm.

### **Transferred to San Diego**

RONALD F. STANNARD, Calif. Delta '27, has been transferred from Pasadena, Calif., to San Diego, where he is general traffic personnel manager for the Pacific Telephone Co. in its Southern Counties area. He was formerly division traffic manager for the Pasadena area. The Stannards will make their new home in La Jolla.

### **Wins Minnesota Scholarship**

ROBERT W. HAMILTON JR., Texas Alpha '48, graduate student in genetics at Texas A. and M. College, has been awarded a three-year special scholarship by the University of Minnesota, for advanced studies in physiology.

He was one of three men to receive such scholarships this year. The awards, supported by the United States Public Health Service, are designed to increase the number of medical research scientists, freeing medical doctors for other work. Hamilton will work toward a doctor's degree in the general areas of physiology related to aviation and space flight medicine.

A 1951 graduate of the University of Texas, Hamilton received his bachelor's degree in liberal arts. He received his master's degree in genetics from Texas A. and M. College in June, and entered the University of Minnesota this fall.

In addition to doing advanced work in genetics at Texas A. and M. College, Hamilton was also employed as a graduate teaching assistant by the department of genetics.

A first lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force Reserve, he became interested in aviation and space medicine problems while flying jet interceptors, during his active duty tour, from 1951-1955. He still flies jets as a reserve pilot.

A son of Judge and Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, of El Paso, the family for many years resided at Midland, where he was graduated from Midland high school in 1947.

Brother Hamilton and his wife, the former Miss Beverly Cooper, of Tuxedo Park, N.Y., have two young daughters, Kitty and Lucy.

### **Promotion for Rice**

CHARLES J. RICE, N.Y. Beta '35, has been promoted to district manager for converter sales by Fraser Paper, Ltd.

### **Kreer Joins Clint Frank, Inc.**

G. BOWMAN KREER, N.H. Alpha '32, has joined the Chicago advertising firm of Clinton E. Frank, Inc., as a vice president and director of marketing services, and as a member of the firm's executive committee. He resigned as co-manager of the Campbell-Mithun Chicago office after four years with that firm.

He entered the advertising field in 1936 with the J. Walter Thompson Co.

### **Keasbey Award to Greenawalt**

ROBERT KENT GREENWALT, Pa. Kappa '55, scholar, athlete, chapter GP and campus leader at Swarthmore College, was one of two college seniors throughout the United States to win a two-year Keasbey Foundation scholarship to New College, Oxford University, England.

As a junior, he was president of the Student Council. As a senior he was chapter GP, and before he was graduated last June his class elected him permanent president of the class of 1958. An officer of the National and International Affairs Committee, and a proctor for two years in the men's dormitory, he was also in charge of planning last fall's freshman orientation.

In sports, Kent was a three-year varsity letterman in basketball and co-captain in his senior year. An outstanding free throw artist and rebounder, he was named to the weekly All-East small college team and at season's end was named to the first team of the southern division of the Middle Atlantic States Conference. In addition to basketball, he also earned varsity letters in cross country and was a member of the JV lacrosse team.

Combining a major in political science with minors in economics and religion in the Swarthmore Honors Program, Kent plans to obtain a degree in law.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Greenawalt, of Hartsdale, N.Y.



After being promoted to first lieutenant at Fort Belvoir, Va., Everett B. Cope Jr., Colo. Alpha '52 (right) of Torrington, Wyo., receives the silver bars signifying his new rank from Maj. Gen. David H. Tulley, commander of The Engineer Center and Fort Belvoir. Lieutenant Everett is an instructor in leadership and administration at The Engineer School.

### **Directs Runyon Fund**

JOHN H. TEETER, Pa. Lambda '18, has been named director of the Damon Runyon Fund, a memorial fund for cancer research. He was formerly research director for the American Cancer Society.

A 1922 graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, he was both student and teacher under Dr. Vannebar Bush and later became technical aide to Dr. Bush when he was director of the Office of Scientific Research and Development, the wartime scientific agency.

In 1947 he became secretary for the Walter Winchell Foundation, which finances the Damon Runyon Fund and to the Bravest and Finest, a fund to assist widows and orphans of New York City policemen and firemen killed in the line of duty.

Brother Teeter holds an honorary degree of doctor of laws from Florida Southern College; is a director of Lawyers Mortgage & Title Co., Insulated Circuits, Inc., Dumont Nickel Corp., Golden Gift Orange Juice Co., and is a special partner of the A. T. Brod & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange.



### **Veep for Indiana Retailers**

WILLIAM M. ROMIEY, Ind. Beta '24, president of the Romiey Furniture Co. of Richmond, Ind., has been elected vice president of Associated Retailers of Indiana.

### **Treasurer of Wright Machinery**

WASSON BAIRD, N.C. Alpha '41, Archon of District II, 1947-48, has been named treasurer of the Wright Machinery Co., a division of Sperry Rand Corp.

A 1948 graduate of Duke University with a degree in business administration, he joined the Wright Company in 1951 as assistant comptroller for general accounting. From 1948 to 1951 he was with the national C.P.A. firm of Lybrand, Ross Brothers and Montgomery, of New York City.

Wasson is married to the former Miss Eleanor Plyler, of Durham, N.C. They and their daughter, Nancy, reside at 405 East Markham Ave. in that city.

### **Past Presidents Honored**

Three Phi Psis were among twenty-one past presidents of the Indiana University Alumni Association honored last June, when plaques were presented to: UZ McMURTRIE, Ind. Beta '02 (1921-23); ALLEN G. MESSICK, Ind. Beta '08 (1926-27); and EDWARD C. VON TRESS, Ind. Beta '17 (1951-52).

### **Judge Hamlin Takes Office**

JUDGE OLIVER D. HAMLIN, Calif. Gamma '11, a former president of the State Bar of California, recently was appointed by President Eisenhower as a member of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Judicial Circuit. He had been a U.S. district judge for almost five years before his current appointment.

A 1915 graduate of the University of California, his first appointment after graduation from law school was as deputy district attorney of Alameda County, as assistant to the then district attorney, Earl Warren. Soon after Warren's election as Governor of California, he named Judge Hamlin to the Superior Court of Alameda County.

### **Fullerton Promoted**

BUSHNELL FULLERTON, Pa. Gamma '43, who received his postwar degree at Bucknell University in 1947 after serving as a lieutenant in the Navy, was named assistant secretary of the American Hospital Supply Corp., of Chicago.



**FULLERTON**

An attorney, he joined the legal staff of the firm in 1952. He is a member of the Chicago, Illinois and American Bar Associations, and the Chicago Tax Club. He is also secretary-treasurer of Scientific Products Corp., an educational organization for the exchange and improvement of laboratory methods and techniques.

### **On Indiana Alumni Board**

DOW RICHARDSON, Ind. Beta '26, editor of the Kokomo, Ind., *Tribune*, has been elected president of the alumni board of Indiana University. Sitting at his side is THOMAS A. (TOMMY) COOKSON, Ind. Beta '02, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1932-34 and registrar emeritus of the University, who was re-elected treasurer of the board.

### **Named Acting Dean**

DR. H. HOUSTON MERRITT, Tenn. Delta '21, has been named acting Dean of the Faculty of Medicine and the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University. He is also chairman of the Department of Neurology.

Doctor Merritt is one of the country's leading authorities in the field of neurology. He has been Professor of Neurology at Columbia and a director at the Neurological Institute of Presbyterian Hospital since 1948.

A graduate of Vanderbilt University and Johns Hopkins Medical School, he was one of the physicians who attended President Eisenhower last year after his stroke.

From 1928 until 1944, with interruptions, he taught at Harvard Medical School.

### **Joins Legal Staff**

ALAN C. BOYD, Mich. Alpha '44, has joined the legal staff of the Owens-Illinois Glass Company at Toledo, Ohio. A native of Indianapolis, he has practiced law there for the past seven years with the firm of Barnes, Hickam, Pantzer & Boyd. He joined the firm upon graduation from the University of Michigan Law School in 1951 with a doctor of jurisprudence degree. He is a



**BOYD**

member of Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity and Order of the Coif, honorary legal fraternity.

Married to the former Anne Crete Fuller, of Toledo, the Boyds have moved to 2706 Kendale Avenue in that city with their two daughters, Peggy and Amy.

### **Director of Research**

DAVID M. LYON, Ill. Beta '39, has been named director of research for the Electro-Motive division of General Motors Corp. He had been executive research engineer for Electro-Motive since 1948.

David, and his brother Richard N. Lyon, Ill. Beta '35, are sons of Leverett S. Lyon, Wis. Gamma '06, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1936-38.

### **Directs Student Foundation**

THE REV. CHARLES W. (CHUCK) CARLSON, Pa. Epsilon '48, has accepted a call to become executive director of the Lutheran Student Foundation of Western Pennsylvania, and campus pastor for Greater Pittsburgh.

In his new post he is chaplain of Lutheran students of the University of Pittsburgh, Carnegie Tech, Chatham College and several nurses' training schools in the area.

He had served St. Mark's Church, Oakland, Md., since his ordination in 1955. He is a graduate of Gettysburg College and of the Gettysburg Lutheran Seminary.

### **Fifth Generation at DePauw**

When JACK YOUNG, Ind. Alpha '55, received his degree last June, he became the fifth generation of his family to graduate from DePauw University. His father, EDGAR B. YOUNG, Ind. Alpha '27, is retiring national president of the DePauw Alumni Association.

Jack's DePauw lineage begins with John Hanna, class of 1850, whose daughter was Mary Lydia Hanna Berryhill, class of 1874. Her daughter, Irene Berryhill, class of 1904, married EARL E. YOUNG, Ind. Delta '01, which also makes Jack a third generation Phi Psi!

### **Thunderbird Graduate**

ROBERT S. DAVIS, Va. Alpha '52, was graduated last summer at the American Institute for Foreign Trade, Phoenix, Ariz., where he specialized in Western Europe. A 1956 graduate of the University of Virginia with a bachelor of arts degree, he was a member of the Jefferson Society, the Interfraternity Council and the *Spectator* magazine.

### **Penfield Scholarship Winner**

RICHARD MILLMAN, Pa. Kappa '51, teaching assistant in modern European history at the University of Pennsylvania, has received the University's \$5000 Penfield Scholarship for one year's study in Europe.

As an undergraduate, Dick was not only an outstanding scholar, but also won three letters in varsity basketball. He was captain of the Swarthmore cage team his senior year.

### **Awarded Honorary Degree**

MORRIS D. HOOVEN, Pa. Gamma '17, was one of six recipients of honorary degrees from Bucknell University at 1958 commencement exercises. He was awarded a doctor of science degree for outstanding achievement in the field of electrical engineering.

Brother Hooven is chief electrical engineer for the Public Service Electric & Gas Co. at Newark, N. J.



### **Joins Foundation Unit**

KENT H. SMITH, Ohio Epsilon '15, has been named to serve on the distribution committee of the Cleveland Foundation, which annually allocates more than a million dollars for health, welfare and education.

Brother Smith is board chairman of the Lubrizol Corp., and acting president of Case Institute of Technology. He fills the vacancy left by the death of F. H. Chapin.

### **With Jones and Laughlin**

DONALD F. SHIFFLETTE JR., Ohio Delta '50, is a sales representative for Jones and Laughlin Stainless Steel Division in the company's Los Angeles office.

Don's new home is in Anaheim, Calif.

### **Retires From Ministry**

DR. O. SCOTT MCFARLAND, Ohio Alpha '06, has retired after thirty years as pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Santa Ana, Calif. He and Mrs. McFarland are currently making a tour of the southern and eastern parts of the United States.

### **Coltrin Transferred**

FREDERIC C. (FRITZ) COLTRIN, Calif. Gamma '25, a vice president and national sales manager for the Hugh W. Long and Co., national distributor for Fundamental Investors, Inc., has moved from the firm's western division offices in San Francisco to an office in Elizabeth, N.J.

Known to his many friends as Fritz, he was one of the all-time football stars at the University of California, and was captain of the Golden Bears in his senior year. During the past year he served as a director of the Phi Kappa Psi House Corporation for California Gamma.

### **Two Distinguished Alumni**

Among seven designated as *Distinguished Alumni for 1958* at Pennsylvania State University were: JAMES B. LONG, Pa. Lambda '12, outstanding bridge and highway engineer; and HAROLD C. ERSKINE, Pa. Lambda '16, vice president of Aluminium Company of America.

### **Superintendent at Eli Lilly**

JOHN L. FEDERMAN, Ind. Delta '16, is the new superintendent of glandular products manufacturing for Eli Lilly and Co., Indianapolis.



**FEDERMAN**

A native of Indianapolis, John was graduated from Shortridge High School and received his bachelor's degree in chemical engineering at Purdue University in 1949. As an undergraduate he was a member of Catalyst, honorary chemical society, and served as a member of the AG team still pushing THE SHIELD newsletter record to orbital heights.

He is a member of the American Chemical Society and the American Institute of Chemical Engineers and recently completed a term as secretary-treasurer for the Indianapolis Association of Chemical Engineers.

### **Penn Zetans Awarded Degrees**

Two Penn Zeta Phi Psis were among the five who received honorary degrees from Lycoming (Pa.) College at 1958 commencement exercises: ROBERT F. RICH, Pa. Zeta '03 and GEORGE SHUMAN JR., Pa. Zeta '35.

Brother Rich, vice president and treasurer of Woolrich Woolen Mills, Inc., served nine terms in the United States Congress and became nationally known for the expression which became his trademark while in Washington, "Where are you going to get the money?" He was awarded the first honorary doctor of laws degree granted by Lycoming College.

Brother Shuman, an outstanding scholar and football player in his undergraduate days, joined the staff at Dickinson College immediately after his graduation in 1937 and has served continuously except for two years as a naval officer during World War II. He is now financial vice president and treasurer of Dickinson College. His award was also an honorary doctor of laws degree.



Albert C. Kidd, Miss. Alpha '30, an attorney in Wewoka, Okla., was elected an international director of Lions International at its annual meeting held in Chicago. After receiving his law degree at the Univeristy of Mississippi he began a general law practice in Wewoka, where he has lived and practiced since. In addition to his many civic activities, he has served as mayor of Wewoka, county attorney and member of the state law examining board. He currently serves as president of the Seminole County Bar Association. Brother Kidd and his wife, Neona, have a son Bill, age 12.

#### ***Joins Quarter Century Club***

THOMAS S. NICELY, Pa. Kappa '27, has been inducted into Johns-Manville Company's Quarter Century club after completing twenty-five years with the firm.

A native of Philadelphia, he was graduated from Swarthmore College with a degree in mechanical engineering. Prior to transferring to Johns-Manville Company's Long Island Division he was manager of the Philadelphia office. Mr. and Mrs. Nicely, who live in Manhasset, N.Y., have a son, Thomas Jr.

#### ***Begins Private Practice***

DR. WAYNE E. HIRD, Kans. Alpha '44, has moved to Wichita, Kans., to begin a private practice in the field of thoracic and cardiovascular surgery. He was formerly on the staff at McGuire Veterans Administration Hospital in Richmond, Va.

An outstanding football center as an undergraduate, Doctor Hird was named on several all-star teams. After he was graduated at the University of Kansas in 1947 he entered its School of Medicine and received his M.D. degree in 1950. After several years of postgraduate work in surgery he was certified by the American Board of Surgery.

Dr. and Mrs. Hird, the former Lou Ann Lawrence, a Gamma Phi Beta graduate of the University of Kansas, have two children.

#### ***Heads International Division***

WILLIAM H. WINFIELD, W.Va. Alpha '27, has been elevated to the presidency of the international division of the Allied Chemical Corporation, after serving as a vice president in that division.

#### ***Legion Department Commander***

At its annual convention in Guadalajara this past summer, the Department of Mexico of the American Legion elected



**CAPIK**

THEODORE S. (TED) CAPIK, Pa. Gamma '33, as department commander.

Ted CapiK was born in New Jersey, where his high school studies included Spanish. Continuing his study of Spanish at Bucknell University, he decided on a career in Latin America.

After several years in Peru, he returned to the United States during World War II to serve in the Navy. After the war ended, he returned "south of the border," where he presently is staff assistant at Square D de Mexico, S.A., electrical equipment manufacturers in Mexico City.

## **Two District Governors**

Two Phi Psis have been elected district governors by Rotary International for the 1958-1959 fiscal year. JOHN E. STEMPEL, Ind. Beta '20, serves district 658; and EDWARD C. SYDER, N.Y. Gamma '41, serves district 749.

Prof. John E. Stempel is chairman of the department of journalism of Indiana University. He is secretary of the Bloomington (Ind.) Board of Aviation Commissioners, secretary-treasurer of the American Council on Education for Journalism, and a committee chairman of the Associated Press Managing Editors Association. He has served as president of the Bloomington Community Chest, Bloomington Rotary Club, American Associations of Schools and Departments of Journalism and as president of the Associated Press of Indiana.

Ed Syder, who heads his own insurance firm in Ramsey, N.J., was charter president of the Ramsey Rotary Club organized in 1952. He is secretary of the Ramsey Planning Board and the Bergen County (N.J.) Association of Insurance Agents. He has been president of the Ramsey Chamber of Commerce and commander of his post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He served in World War II with the U.S. Army Air Force.

## **On Penn State Fund Council**

JO HAYS, Pa. Lambda '30, has been elected to the Pennsylvania State University Alumni Fund Council, as chairman of the Education group solicitation. He is also currently serving as a member of the Pennsylvania State Senate.

## **Hutchens Is Hurryin'**

Prime mover in the development of the Toluca Lake area of California, just north of Los Angeles in the San Fernando Valley, is HARRY J. HUTCHENS, Ind. Delta '31, who bought a large tract of undeveloped land there in 1954 and has since brought offices, stores and small industries to the site. Completely sold on his own idea, he plans to move his own firm, the Toluca Lake Realty and Insurance Co., into new quarters there.

## **Consulting Engineer**

EVERETT A. PHILIPS, Ill. Delta '39, after several years as water superintendent for Pomona, Calif., has opened his own offices as a consulting engineer in civil, hydraulic and sanitary fields.

## **Awarded Indiana Honorary Degree**

DR. GOETHE LINK, Ind. Beta '96, Indianapolis physician and astronomer, was awarded the honorary doctor of science degree at Indiana University's 1958 commencement.

A native of Warrick County, Ind., Dr. Link was one of the organizers and for sixteen years a faculty member of the University's School of Medicine. He was one of the first physicians to do aseptic surgery in Indiana.

A fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science with an intense interest in astronomy, he built, endowed, and in 1948 gave to Indiana University the Goethe Link Observatory, located near Martinsville.

## **Tarman at Penn State**

JAMES I. TARMAN, Pa. Epsilon '49, has begun work this fall as director of sports information at Pennsylvania State University. He was formerly director of public information at Gettysburg College, and more recently assistant director of public information at Princeton University.

A native of York, Pa., Jim was graduated *cum laude* at Gettysburg in 1952 and went immediately to the Harrisburg (Pa.) *Patriot-News* as a sports reporter. From Harrisburg he went to Cleveland for a short time where he was assistant editor of *THE SHIELD* working with C. F. (Dab) Williams, before returning to the Gettysburg campus to head the college's public information department.

Jim served with the Army in Japan, 1946-48, and currently holds a first lieutenant's commission in the Air Force Reserve. He is married to the former Louise Catalano, of Springfield, Pa., a 1956 graduate of Gettysburg College.

### **Phi Psis on Endowment Board**

Seven members of the Kansas Alpha Chapter are currently members of the board of trustees of the Kansas University Endowment Association. They are: CHARLES M. BLACKMAR '05, attorney of Kansas City; AUGUST W. LAUTERBACH '18, president of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Colby; DORMAN H. O'LEARY '15, vice president of Cook Paint and Varnish Co., Kansas City; CLYDE M. REED JR. '35, publisher of *The Sun*, Parsons; BYRON T. SHUTZ '18, president, the Herbert V. Jones and Co., Kansas City; DOLPH SIMONS '22, publisher, *The Journal-World*, Lawrence; and CHARLES E. STRICKLAND '11, vice president, Interstate Power Company and President of Phi Kappa Psi 1938-40, of Mason City, Iowa.

### **Heads Atlanta Office of Armstrong**

SETH L. BUCKLEN, Pa. Epsilon '36, is the new manager of the Atlanta district office of the Armstrong Cork Company's glass and closure division.

After joining the Armstrong Company in 1946, he served successively as a sales trainee, salesman in the San Francisco office, and as manager of the New Orleans district office from 1951 until his recent promotion.

### **Donley Named Judge**

ROBERT T. DONLEY, W.Va. Alpha '21, has been appointed to the West Virginia State Supreme Court of Appeals by Governor Underwood to fill the vacancy created by the death of JUDGE JAMES B. RILEY, W.Va. Alpha '12.

Judge Donley, a native of Morgantown, W.Va., received his law degree at West Virginia University in 1926. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Order of the Coif, law honorary. He has been on the West Virginia Law School faculty since 1935. He is a former mayor of Morgantown and the author of a legal text concerning coal, oil and gas in the Virginias.

The new judge is married to the former Hope Demain and they have one daughter, Hope Demain Donley.

### **Dental Dean**

DR. KENNETH V. RANDOLPH, W.Va. Alpha '34, became dean of West Virginia University's School of Dentistry last June.

A native of West Virginia who took his pre-dental work at West Virginia University before earning his dental degree at the University of Maryland, Doctor Randolph has been associate dean and head of the department of operative dentistry since the West Virginia dental school was opened in the new Medical Center last year.

He is a fellow of the American College of Dentists, and a member of Omicron Kappa Upsilon and Xi Psi Phi dental honorary societies.

Married to the former Miss Elizabeth Bachman, of Baltimore, Md., the Randolphs have two children.

### **Building Adviser**

LARRY WINN JR., Kans. Alpha '38, of Kansas City's Winn-Rau Corporation and a past president of the Home Builders Association of Greater Kansas City, has been named one of six national advisers to the National Housing Center in Washington.

### **Awarded Old Gold Goblet**

JOHN C. EMISON, Ind. Alpha '07, member of a distinguished DePauw University family and retired business executive, was selected by the 1958 graduating class as DePauw's alumnus-of-the-year.

He became the eighteenth recipient of the Old Gold Goblet at the annual Senior-Alumni dinner.

A native of Vincennes, Ind., he retired last year after thirty-seven years with American Smelting & Refining Co., serving as vice president and treasurer, finance committee chairman and director. He is a trustee of the Guggenheim Memorial Foundation and continues as a director of several large firms.

Brother Emison and his wife, the former Fay Miller, live in Scarborough, N.Y. They have a son and a daughter; John C. Emison Jr., Ind. Alpha '41, and Mrs. Martha Emison Baur.

# PHI PSIS . . . . on the campus

## District I

### New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 19)

Pledge period is now over and we can all settle down to some serious booking. Twenty-five strong and sturdy men have been welcomed into the brotherhood in due fashion, and they promise to make New Hampshire Alpha a very proud chapter. We have by now become a close-knit group, for the pledges and brothers have been working hand in hand toward a common goal—that of building a "pit" in the previously unused portion of the basement and also the addition of a stone bar in the party room. Both will prove to be the best on campus when the men in charge, Bill Steck and Bill Woolley, put the finishing touches on them. A note of thanks from all of us goes to all of those whose contributions have transformed this long-standing dream into a reality.

Although we played hard and well in IF football contests, luck had it that we ended up on the wrong side of some close games and settled for third place in our league. Captain John Leopold did a fine job and was backed up strongly by GP John Chilson and VGP John Cook, besides the other brothers and pledges who fought hard for Phi Psi. We are optimistic about next year's season. But presently we are getting into full swing with basketball and hockey.

Scholarship also is on the way up. *Dave Spaulding* is our newest addition to *Phi Beta Kappa*, and our congratulations go to him.

Four home football games this year (note that Dartmouth is Ivy League champ) provide the atmosphere for some gay times. Even those ever-welcome alumni who stopped over to say hello really enjoyed themselves and found it hard to leave. Partying culminated in Houseparties Weekend with an array of three bands, cocktail parties, and a Sunday milk punch party; all had a great time thanks to the planning of Herb Finch. But just wait till Winter Carnival! In the meantime, Jim Crise's Thursday evening flicks and Friday afternoon cocktail parties keep us going.

SHELLY LIPPE, *Correspondent*

### Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—12 in 16)

Highlight of the fall was winning the campus poster contest on Homecoming Weekend. Designed and directed by Bruce Montgomery, the winner was a giant hula-hooping Brown Bear. Each time the bear swung his hoop, the Indian of Dartmouth got it square on the nose. Engineering the mechanics of the bear were Bob Gardner, Al Witt, Fred Luvisi and others. Around the talented animal were sprawled former opponents. The house was presented with a silver trophy during halftime ceremonies of the Brown-Dartmouth game. Bruce Montgomery accepted the trophy for Phi Psi.

In our fall initiation and banquet six men became brothers of Phi Psi. They are: Fritz Finkler, Williamsport, Pa.; Jack Fisher, Natick, Mass.; Mark Foster, Hinsdale, Ill.; Blake Ives, Northampton, Mass.; Bruce Montgomery, Forest Hills, N.Y.; and Hal Stanford, Perrysburg, Ohio. Alumni addressing the house at the banquet were Chet Beard and Jack Heffernan. Congratulations to our new brothers!

A program of informal rushing under the IF Council of Brown has been underway since October. In the informal functions during the first semester the idea of getting to know as many freshmen as possible is stressed. Rushing Chairman Charlie Chaffe has quite a job with such a long program. Formal rushing is early in February.

Christmas Formal at Phi Psi was held the weekend of December 13. It featured live music, champagne and shrimp, and many colorful brothers. Another social success story was written with a few kegs of beer soon after initiation.

We would like to take this opportunity to offer our thanks to our retiring officers and committee chairmen. They have all worked many hours to keep the house on top. President Fred Luvisi, Recording Secretary Gil Long, VP Charlie Hamon, House Chairman Marc Wuischpard, IM Chairmen Roger Barnett and Bruce Montgomery, and many others . . . thank you. As for Treasurer Gardner and Corresponding Secretary Hastings, they still have a half term to make mistakes. These same two gentlemen comprise the engaged element of the house. Bob Hastings was entwined June 21 to Ann Moulton of Marblehead, Mass., and Bob Gardner was trapped in October by Donna Schmidt of Tufts University. Spike Suydam was married in August and had a great reception.

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**Hula-hooping Brown Bear walloping the Dartmouth Indian won first place for Rhode Island Alpha.**

New carpeting is in the works for the lounge and library, with funds coming from a special improvement account started by the house several years ago with the help of Brother "Pick" Chase.

BOB HASTINGS, *Correspondent*

#### **Connecticut Alpha—Trinity College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—3 in 9)*

This fall we have had an extremely busy schedule. On September 27, the Williams weekend, we had a houseparty with an informal dance. On October 11, a large Phi Psi contingent, under the auspices of the newly-formed moveout committee, traveled to Medford, Mass. for the Trinity-Tufts game. Afterwards several private parties were staged in co-operation with an honorary delegate from Connecticut College. After such a successful beginning, the move-out committee plans many future fiascos. November 1 was our annual Parents Day, and after a highly successful game against Coast Guard, a cocktail party and buffet dinner followed at the chapter house.

On November 7, Soph Hop Weekend began. That evening a formal dance at the Hartford Club was held and, after the big Amherst game on Saturday, many footprints were seen throughout the chapter house at our beat generation party. A wild Dixie-land band invaded the house on Sunday, and an exhausting but thoroughly enjoyable weekend came to a close. Now we are taking a brief respite before our next big weekend in January.

On the athletic scene, we have also been very active. Myles McDonough, Bill Handler, Pete Kreisel, Gordy Martin and Tom Swift represented us in soccer, and Tom Wilson and Dick Lomnitzer were out for football.

In intramurals, Tim Horne, Pete Lue, Frank Gudas, Mike Noremborg and Gene Refalvy led

Phi Psi to a winning season in tennis. In football, we salvaged three contests from a tough seven game schedule. Standouts on the gridiron were Les Schoenfeld and Jack Swift.

Winter sports have started and Butch Lieber, Gene Refalvy and Phil Lovell have taken to the pool for the next several months. John Herzig is trying his hand at squash.

Our sixteen pledges are undergoing a rigorous training program under the watchful eyes of Don Seastrom and Fred Napoleon (alias Fischbein). We also have good prospects of pledging several fine sophomores next semester.

The house has undergone several physical changes recently. Our basement has been completely modernized, and now that we have forty members, we plan to enlarge our dining room facilities during Christmas vacation.

House elections for the winter term resulted as follows: Gene Lindeman was elected GP; Jack Moreschi, VGP; Mike Noremborg, BG; Mike Lieber, SG; Paul Mills, Hod; Gordon Martin, Hi; and Mac Hoover, Phu.

T. HORNE, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Alpha—Cornell University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57, 30 in 50)*

New York Alpha was fortunate in pledging two men during the informal fall rushing season. They are: Fred Whaley, of Kenmore; and Bruce Harris, Vienna, N.J. Both are sophomores and we are pleased to have them with us.

On November 25, we held our annual alumni meeting at the Cornell Club in New York City. The main topic of discussion was the necessity of making improvements in our present living facilities. The meeting was well attended by both alumni and undergraduates and the reunion proved most enjoyable.

Turning to news of individual brothers, By Brown, Ted Graves and Gene Murphy are presently on the varsity fencing team captained by Jim Coatsworth. Six NYAlphas have completed fall crew practice and are now awaiting spring and good weather. Look for a Big Red crew loaded with Phi Psis. Tom Revak and Woody Sponaugle finished the season with a successful football team. Tom won honorable mention on the All-Ivy League team. Al Foose has been appointed to the freshman orientation executive committee for the following year. Congratulations go to Bob McDermott and Tom Revak, recently elected to Red Key, junior men's honorary. Bob is very active in orientation and the student council rally committee as well as a lacrosse player.

On the social side, I can only report that a deluge of parties and sorority exchanges, particularly the Christmas formal, made the period between Thanksgiving and Christmas vacations the highlight of our social season.

Finally, NYAlphas at this writing are looking towards finals and after that to the two weeks formal rushing period. Practice rushing and work



sessions have begun in preparation for what we are certain will be another successful rushing program. We thank all those who furnished recommendations. These are always of great value.

JACK WRIGHT, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Beta—Syracuse University**

*(No Scholastic Report)*

We've got both new brothers and new pledges at the Beta house. Our new brothers are: Don Reid, Ted Bunga, Andy Davey, Larry Faus, Ron Schmidt, and Donn Harding. We're all sure that these brothers will be a big asset to the house.

The new pledges are: George Leonard, Syracuse; Larry Eskesen, Greenwich, Conn.; Fran Miller, Watertown; Dave Renner, Afton; Bob Fuller, Ithaca; Harry Fresch, Hannibal, N.Y.; Bob Keene, Silver Spring, Md.; Bob Darcangelis and Steve Dodge, Ft. Plain; Nick Martin, Fairfax, Va.; Frank Hewitt, Albany; Sevey Vignola, West New York, N.J.; Otis Brown, York, Pa.; and Bob Davidson, Fayetteville, N.Y.

Concerning Bob Davidson, we are not sure just where he is from. He has been commuting between Boston, Cleveland, and Fayetteville fairly regularly. Those debts sure do things to a guy.

Steve Dodge and Larry Eskesen are both active in varsity sports. Steve was high scorer in the first freshman basketball game and Larry is a track man.

Our swimming team made the semi-finals through the efforts of Don Reid, Bob Loftus, Fred Delmonico, and Donn Harding. The football team was doing very well until Don Reid split his lip, although Delmonico spent most of his time on the ground. The bowling team has a chance to win the flight title, and prospects look very good for the ping-pong and basketball teams.

Through a united effort by all the brothers, led by Gary LaFrance and Bob Doettling, the house has moved up eight places among fraternities.

On the social scene we have had buffets after football games and several parties. The Colgate weekend highlighted the season with a party at the Club Clover. An added attraction to the football season is the Orange game on January 1. Bob Doettling and Fred Delmonico are going to the game by train, while John McFall, Jim Allen and Brice Draper are driving. Miami will never be the same!

On January 10 the house is planning its Prohibition Party, and it should prove to be one of the biggest.

As can be seen from this letter, one of the brothers has been very active in sports. Don Reid claims that he was even better in high school, which is hard to believe, but true. He has decided to take the fatal step and we would like to take this opportunity to congratulate him on his engagement to Miss Janet Loth.

ALFRED DELMONICO, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Gamma—Columbia University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—14 in 18)*

New York Gamma has had a wonderful fall season. Practically every room was redecorated in anticipation of rushing. Val Lavalle, one of our representatives in the athletic world, returned to school married. Last year's GP, Tony Marks, returned from his seven month sojourn in the Middle East to join in the Christmas festivities. Our home-coming cocktail party was a great success due to the enthusiasm evinced by the brotherhood and many of the not-so-old alumni.

House Manager Jack Tobin is doing a splendid job keeping the house in above-standard condition.

Our pledge class this year is relatively large compared with previous years. This fall we have nine pledges. They are: Larry Shapiro, Mickey Herington, Harold Hostmark, Don Dallas, Roger Smith, Gary Paskanskas, Frank Giaigiana, Bob Johnston and Louis Godoy.

The new brothers, William Firth, William Bell, Errol Ehrstedt, Jim Collins and Bob Montgomery, initiated last year, seem to be taking their fraternal responsibilities with increased gravity. Errol Ehrstedt, P, is doing a fine job keeping the books balanced and William Bell is providing the brothers with bigger and better social functions.

This year the chapter hopes for a successful season in IF sports. Under the direction of William Bell, athletic chairman, we are sure to put up a good fight. We are signed up for basketball and volleyball.

On December 14 we held our annual Christmas Party which proved highly successful. We had a sensational band and lifted our glasses in toast to the New Year.

WILLIAM FIRTH, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Epsilon—Colgate University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 14)*

Our search for the set of horseshoes being curtailed due to Mother Nature's gift of an extensive blanket of the king-size "pain" (white precipitation), Colgate Phi Phis have been forced indoors to devote their spare time to such things as studies, paper writing and newsletters. To be truthful, Ma Nature can be thanked as many brothers have yet to attend classes! The devotion to this horseshoe search has been tremendous, indicating a well unified brotherhood!

On October 27 the following men were initiated: Bill Weatherwax, James Sumption, Vic Cino, Bruce Holmes, Pete Van Beuren, Tom Huntington, Dave Cardot, Pete Hughes, Jack Stovel, Jeff Wineman, Dave Shailer, Dave Dempsey, Bill Walling, Bill Gernhardt, Steve Fulton, Nick Gould, Rick Lyon, Bob Beck and Rolfe Ferrara. Steve Fulton holds the honor of being New York Epsilon's one thousandth member since its founding in 1887. These men will prove to be a definite asset in maintaining Phi Psi's top position at Colgate.

In other Phi Psi activities since our last correspondence, we find that quite a few brothers have been sneaking out of their "search" duties. Pogo Cardot and Jeffrey Norton have been seen splashing each other in the University pool during varsity swimming practice. In addition, head swimming Manager, Scoop Seibert has been seen prodding them on. On frozen water, Gene (Big Daddy) Murphy can be seen wielding a wicked stick. Phi Psi claimed another ice loving candidate in Maurice (Bullet) Weatherwax, but he could never make practice in time, if at all. It seems that something in the kitchen appeared more attractive to him. That's okay, Maurice; the heavy-weight boxing spot hasn't been filled yet.

Then there's that "game" where five men throw and bounce a little ball around as if they were mad at it. When they get real mad they'll throw the "poor" thing at two crazy looking hoops with strings in their bottoms. Once in a while the ball will attempt to get away; then these five men chase it down a long hardwood floor which has paint all over it. Watching these crazy doings is varsity basketball manager Popseed Beardslee, who appears to be keeping a record of how many balls can be destroyed or how much paint is being stepped on!

In the "honors achieved" category, New York Epsilon claims a number of representatives. Bruce (Rollo) Holmes has quit rolling ankle wraps to step into the role of assistant varsity football manager for next year's campaign. Rick (Throat) Lyon will be next year's head "crowd rouser" and Pete (the harmonizer) Van Beuren will be leading the crowds in singing as head songleader. Bill Cashman and Bob (Bean) Conklin represent Phi Psi in *Who's Who*, spreading their charms to other campuses. Cash, Bean, and Scoop Seibert round out Phi Psi representatives in Konosioni, Senior Honorary society. Oh, the prestige!

Rushing (informally) has been going along at a steady, but boring clip. Per usual, Phi Psi prospects look good, thanks to the able direction of Chairman Frank (Flash) Bessell and his staff. The social calendar has been burned. There aren't enough social activities in this winter wonderland to necessitate calendars. However, Phi Psi enjoyed one of their finest Party Weekends ever, beginning November 8. This extra smooth party was a huge success with nearly 100 per cent brotherhood participation.

I'm told that Felix Milhomme has been attempting to ready himself for winter IM program. Word has it that he has donned his hoopster attire daily for many weeks.

We have received an application for housemother from Miss Kitty Neff, now a "commuting" Wells College student. We thank Steve White for his devoted efforts in procuring this application. No brother has ever given more undivided attention to what we must consider an important fraternity (especially for Phi Psi) matter.

The search goes on!

PAUL W. BEARDSLEE, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Eta—University of Buffalo**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 15)*

New York Eta won the Wednesday afternoon football league defeating eight other fraternities. However, we lost the IFC championship on a rain-soaked field by a 12-6 score. All the brothers who participated had played high school football and all had received honors during their brief careers. They were: Harry Spillman, Dan Vecchio, Doc Burns, Ron Malin, Bill Ackley, Jerry Lucachik, Bob Boyce, Fran DeYoung and Bill Zacker. Bill Ackley suffered a cracked cranium and Doc Burns suffered a severely twisted ankle.

In other campus sports, Phi Psi is 30 points behind the leaders, with 106. However, we intend to make up those points in basketball. Our smallest man is 6' 2" and we have a 2-2 record. Alex Drapanas is presently holding his own in handball finals. The brothers were very happy to see Dick Hall return to the wrestling mat. He was sidelined last year after a very unfortunate automobile accident.

In the last issue it was erroneously reported that Jerry Lucachik won the outstanding pledge award. My apologies—it was Wes Euler. Stone me later.

Phi Kappa Psi brought down the ceiling in the annual school stunt night show on campus. People were rolling in the aisles as Ron Malin "accidentally" fell off the stage. Alex Drapanas came out of retirement to give the best "reading" of his life. He was ably supported by Jerry Moore, Fran DeYoung, Hank Hueber, Ron Malin, Bill Ackley, Doug Lang, Frank Kufel, Bill Johnson, Clark Videan, Jack Barrett, Art Bevilacqua, Bill Daniels, Dick Hall and Dick Leonard. We did not win nor even place, but during intermission and after the show, some of the audience told us that we had them in near hysteria. We were raunchy in a funny way.

By the way, Ron Malin lost the ugly man contest. No hard feelings Ron, we still think you're the ugliest.

WILLIAM R. JOHNSON JR., *Correspondent*

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## ***District 2***

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#### **Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—8 in 12)*

Events at Penn Gamma since last report have been highlighted by the capture of the IM tennis championship, a strong finish in cross-country race, and great potential for the approaching basketball season. Jim Hand, Rick Glantz, Sam Waymer and Ched Mertz decisively swept aside all comers to secure Phi Psi's first tennis trophy in some years. Warren (Flash) Grill turned in an outstanding per-

formance in the annual cross-country race, finishing third among fraternity competitors. Five of the six Phi Psis in the race finished in scoring position. While our first basketball game is at this time several weeks in the future, we expect to have an unusually fine team. Of particular note on the squad are Herb Hoffneier, 6' 3", 220-pound veteran of last year's freshman team; Roger Albee, an all-around athlete of nearly Herb's height, and considerably greater weight; and Terry Carlson, for three years an exceptional play-maker and ball handler.

We are also proud to be represented on the varsity basketball team by Lou Slife and Dave Evans.

In addition to our rushing open houses, social events have included combined parties with SAE and Kappa Sigma fraternities, and with the Pi Beta Phi, Kappa Delta and Tri-Delt sororities. We are soon to have our annual Christmas Formal, with a formal banquet and dance on Friday, December 12, and an informal party with Phi Gamma Delta on Saturday. We will also have a tree-trimming and Christmas party with the Pi Phis, for about forty children of a local orphans' home.

We were recently honored by a visit of John Henry Frizzell, Mystagogue of our Fraternity. After a very satisfying banquet, he favored us with an informal talk on the privileges and obligations of fraternity membership, and a review of the proper execution of the Ritual. Our good friend Rev. Merle S. Irwin was also present at the banquet, though the secret nature of Brother Frizzell's talk and another engagement prevented his enjoying

the entire ceremony. Rev. Irwin stayed at the house for four days, leading discussions and giving individual guidance to the brothers. He came to Bucknell in connection with the annual "Religion-in-Life Week" program.

The latest of significant events was the tapping of Dick Hunn and Joe Bellace, by Omicron Delta Kappa, national activities and leadership honorary.

SAM G. WAYMER, *Correspondent*

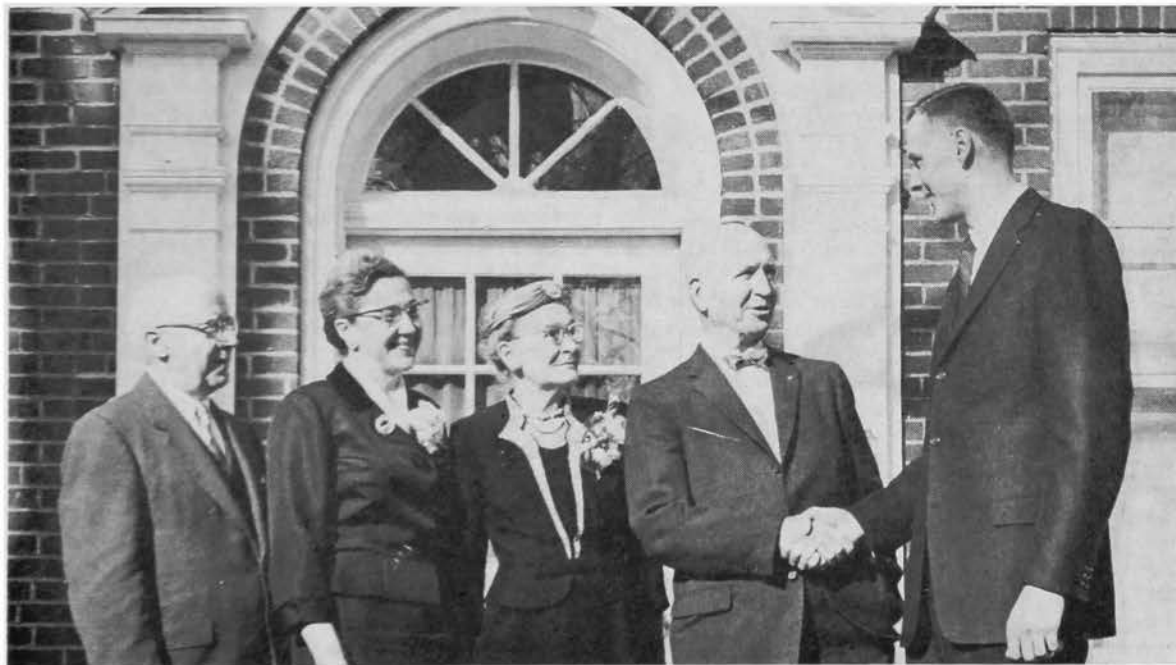
#### **Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 12)*

Penn Epsilon held elections earlier this semester and re-elected GP Dee Wahlers for his second term. Dee has proved himself as a hard worker and as an inspiring leader which is apparent in the great spirit shown by the house this year. Other officers elected include Andy Gurley, VGP; Hap McClure, BG; Dick Stravolo, Hod; Frank Temme, Phu; Brad Bennetch, SG; and Jack Perrine, Hi.

An undefeated season including a victory over the Phi Delt in the play-off brought the IM football trophy back to its old spot in our trophy case. Our basketball club is undefeated and should bring us one step closer to clinching the all-sports trophy. Frank Luftig and Rick Burchell have teamed with Dee Wahlers, Dave Denman and John Montgomery to form a winning combination under the helm of Coach Pete Sinnott.

As the varsity spotlight shifted from the grid-iron and the soccer field to the gym, the pool and the mat, the Phi Psis have remained out in front



Penn Epsilon GP Dee Wahlers, extreme right, extends chapter's best wishes to Dr. John B. Zinn, ATO, retiring head of Gettysburg's Chemistry Department. Others, from left, are: President and Mrs. Willard S. Paul, and Mrs. Zinn.

with brothers competing in all winter sports. Walt Melnik, Barry Gwinn and Jim Moyer are playing basketball; Jack Perrine, Paul Brunell and Harry Garrison are swimming; and Frank Temme is wrestling. Many of our pledges are bolstering the frosh teams with Whitey Chelgren currently showing up as one of the most promising wrestlers the school has seen.

Our social committee has kept the calendar filled through the semester up to Christmas vacation. Christmas house parties gave us one of the best weekends of the year. Our house decorations, directed by Ray Paskell, proved to be one of our best efforts and drew much favorable comment on campus. Our annual testimonial dinner was held November 23, honoring Dr. John B. Zinn of the chemistry department. Among the many prominent guests in attendance were College President and Mrs. Willard S. Paul.

Scholastically, Penn Epsilon now stands—well, getting back to our social program. . . . Actually it appears that things are looking up in this department, and after mid-year exams, a definite improvement is expected.

BOB GRELE, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—9 in 10)*

The spirit of good cheer is evident on the faces of the brothers of Penn Zeta as the Christmas season rapidly approaches. Despite a deluge of tests, important social weekends, and other time-consuming matters, the brothers continue to smile through it all.

Under the leadership of Tom Price, the first phases of our rushing program have been highly successful and the outlook for the future is bright. We would like to thank both Editor Dunc Campbell and Archon Dick Butz for their valuable assistance at our first smokers.

Elections were held December 8, and Tom De Marino was unanimously chosen as our new GP. Others elected were Paul Lindenmuth, VGP; Pete Andrews, BG; Jerry Arters, SG; Bruce Wilkinson, Hi; Bill Hoadley, Phu; and Mike Avakian, Hod.

The artistic value of the brothers has blossomed forth in these past few months. Penn Zeta took third place among fraternities for its display at Homecoming weekend. In Carlisle's annual Christmas Parade our proud brothers accepted first-place money for our float, with Bob (Santa Claus) Williamson and Chub Neiman, whose costume was the cause of many remarks, playing important roles. We cannot take full credit however, since we were aided by the physical attributes of Miss Grace Berner, Wilson College, who was elected queen.

Among recent social highlights was the Phi Psi pajama party where social member, Jean Paul-Rey cemented Franco-American relations. Another recent orgy was a "Gloom Dance" which many alumni attended. Social Chairman Neiman has done an admirable job relieving the scholastic tensions of

the brothers. Brother Morrissey also must be commended when mentioning social affairs.

Our defending IF championship basketball team has started another campaign. Veteran floorman, Roy Lockwood is delighting the fans with his antics and with the aid of the other members of the "Dissipated Five" who are in mid-season form, another victorious year is predicted.

MIKE TAYLOR, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—8 in 10)*

New officers for the second semester are Jack Lewis, GP; Jake Crellin, VGP; Lou Zucca, BG, and Chuck Gorenberg, SG. Don Faletto, Denny Nolan, Paul Lenz and Bill Bingham retained their offices of Hod, Phu, Hi and AG, respectively.

This year Penn Eta copped the Campus Chest Contest with a per capita donation of \$1.91.

Representing the Red and Green on winter sports teams are Dan Zambelli and George Darrah, basketball; Leo Tyrrell, Bob Houston and Brien (Prestone) Kern, wrestling; Wain Dawson, Deans Crystle, Hardy Ballantine, Dick Surbeck and Pete Mowerson, swimming.

In IF competition, the Penn Etans scored a third in the Black Pyramid wrestling tourney. Cliff (Bluto) McClain won his final bout to take top heavy-weight honors while Bob Houston lost his title match in the 123-pound class. In IF basketball, two of Phi Psi's three teams are currently undefeated!

Jere Fisher was married on Thanksgiving Day. Dan Zambelli tied the knot December 27. Congratulations, men!

Alumni response to the revived *Dips-Eta* is more than gratifying. Many alumni have written to congratulate us for our efforts. To all of them may we extend our heartiest thanks. If, for some reason, you did not receive an issue of the *Dips-Eta* for November, please write and tell us so. We'll be glad to include you on our mailing list. And don't forget to keep those newsy items and pictures coming in; this is *your* paper, and *you* are our sole reporters.

The highlight of the Christmas season was Winter Weekend. A dinner dance at the Quentin Riding Club on Friday night got the weekend off to its start. Saturday's activities included a boon party in the afternoon and house blast in the evening.

Perhaps belated, yet sincere . . .

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year!

BILL BINGHAM, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—16 in 18)*

Winter has set in again atop college hill and the end of a very successful first semester is near at hand. The brothers are anxiously awaiting the start of Christmas vacation which will scatter them to all parts of the eastern seaboard. At a recent

meeting, the following officers were elected: Robert Brodie, GP; James Haering, VGP; Alan Ewart, AG; Clem Crouse, BG and commissary steward; Steve Meeker, P; Jay Hill, SG; Bill Pappas, Phu; John Miller, Hod; and Harry Boyko, Hi.

The Phi Psi IM football team went undefeated to capture the championship by defeating Sigma Nu 12-6 in the finals. Three of our players, John Zigler, Tom Malatesta and Butch Richter were elected to the campus all-star team. Presently the IM basketball team, led by Nelson, Sandell and Easton has won its first two games and should figure prominently in campus championships. The bowling team is off to a good start, defeating ANP and SAE by shut-out scores. Richard Kohler has been elected co-captain of the varsity basketball team. Giving him able support is Jim Hurst. We wish to congratulate Brother Kohler on the announcement of his marriage to Pat Wazontek.

Our IF weekend this year was one of the best ever and among alumni present were Brothers Tiger, Mose, Evans, Darlington, Stockman '35, Downes and Wollard. We were pleased to have so many of the alumni return for the weekend and show their continued interest in the house.

ALAN EWART, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—19 in 36)*

Well, the brothers are getting ready for a good Christmas holiday. They are already looking forward to getting home and away from books (that is, if they have started working yet). The usual number of brothers are complaining about the courses they are going to fail, but by the end of the semester they seem to have been able to pull themselves through the courses, by some miracle, and end up with a rather smart grade.

Before the brothers head for home we have the traditional Penn Iota Christmas formal, the big social event between Thanksgiving and Christmas. The brothers borrow, rent, and perhaps even use their own formal uniform or dinner jacket. The night before, we have a decorating party which produces many ways of decorating for Christmas

depending on the inclinations of the brother who is attempting (because there's supposed to be beer on tap at the decorating party) to do something helpful, constructive, or try to get in the way of as many others as possible. Aside from a few mishaps (broken light bulbs) the decorations finally are put up. It is always worth the effort.

Brother Anderson is continuing his good job in the kitchen. He now buys potatoes by the half ton and various other vegetables in similar gross amounts. It may prove cheaper, but also reminds us of the great quantities of potatoes that are consumed in a relatively short time.

There are great hopes for good rushing this spring since we made the average for fraternities on the Penn campus this fall during off-season rushing.

We pledged four good men this fall: Julian Devereux, Marshall Larrebee, James Halota and Paul Winarski.

ADRIAN BRONK, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—2 in 5)*

The rushing season for this fall came to a climax on the day of pledging, December 12. Praise goes to Chairman Dave Bancroft for a job well done, and now the worries of keeping our new pledges at work and in school goes to pledgemaster Paul (Killer) Guthrie. On October 21, we pledged two fine sophomores, Dave Felter of Baltimore, and Larry Christianson from Pittsfield, Mass.

We were able to get as pledges twenty fine freshmen and one additional sophomore. The pledges are: Harvey Caplan, Ellwood City; Brian Appel, Chalfont; Richard Bechtel, Doylestown; David Berryman, Flemington, N.J.; Nicholas Fedoruk, Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.; Richard Fink, Biglerville; David French, Bethesda, Md.; John Green, Huntington, N.Y.; Robert Guthrie, Chapel Hill, N.C.; Thomas Hodgson, Moorestown, N.J.; David Larsen, Waterville, Me.; Robert Lehman, Philadelphia; Wesley Mutchler, Emmaus; Richard Olson, Winfield, Ill.; David Maybee and Richard Poole, Wilmington, Del.; Paul Rothman, Teaneck, N.J.; David Swanger, Morristown, N.J.; Jeffrey Toy, Mamaroneck, N.Y.; David Wegman, Washington, D.C.; and Robert Wray, Pittsburgh.

Congratulations: to Rob Wright '58 and to Polly Witte who were married on November 28 (his bride is also a Swarthmore graduate); and to GP Nate Price for winning the Maxwell Award for the Philadelphia area for his fine leadership and inspiring play during his four years on the gridiron for Swarthmore's eleven. Varsity letter winners in football are Scott Hildum, Paul Guthrie, George Ward, Vic Ludewig, Herm Feldhusen, Dave Griffiths, Tim Tweed and Paul Meisel; in soccer, Dick Quarles, Kim Colket and Bill Boehmler.

Penn Kappa is very happy about the just recently awarded scholarship plaque to the undergraduate chapter; the brothers seem to be steadily improving in their scholarship over the past few semesters and hope to maintain our first place among the five fraternities on campus. Also, we are fortunate to have for the third straight year the senior class president, Vic Ludewig, and the vice president, Tom Stevenson.

Phi Psis in the varsity winter sports this year are abundant and outstanding. In basketball we have six members on the squad including Capt. Bill Stauffer, Jim Forrester, Bill Salisbury, Pete Kroon, Herm Feldhusen and Barry Wright. The wrestling team will be led by Co-Capt. Tom Stevenson, and the varsity swimmers are led by co-captains Ted Keenan and Dave Preston. During the winter season we expect to see a lot of the brothers in action in almost every athletic event.

The social calendar for Penn Kappa is filled with the important activities, particularly our annual Christmas party for a young group of orphans at the lodge. They will spend the afternoon of December 19 with the brothers, the latter enjoying the party as much as the kids. That night we will have an annual dinner-dance for all of the brothers, reviving an old custom. The big date in January is on the night of the 24th, when Pennsylvania Kappa undergraduates and alumni get together at the Racquet Club in Philadelphia to renew old acquaintances and to have a very enjoyable banquet. This always promises to be a very enjoyable night; we urge all of our alumni to be sure to reserve the date and attend the banquet.

GENE HIGASHI, *Correspondent*

**Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 13*)

Yes, son, that was the year that the Archon and the Mystagogue came to town on the same day . . . ; so it happened, and so it seems to have been happening lately around here. Things have been happening in unusual ways. The so-called IFB "Fall Formal" being held in the middle of December . . . two Phi Psi pledges running against each other in freshman elections . . . Gerry Smolinski making his dramatic debut on the Hopkins stage with a three-line part . . . word coming in that Bill Bevans, incongruous enough in an Army uniform, was becoming an M.P. . . . and, of course, the aforementioned double visitation on November 13.

In a more serious vein, the chapter was indeed pleased to have as a guest speaker John Henry Frizzell, who always manages to be really amusing no matter how informative his talk may be. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Butz were on hand to hear John Henry, as Dick was making one of his official visitations.

October 26 was Pledge Sunday at Hopkins, and the following good men are now wearing the Phi Psi pledge pin: Walter Braunholer, Mountain View, N.J.; Pudge Ellwood, Aberdeen, S.D.; Peter Fink, Mamaroneck, N.Y.; Michael Gallagher, Duluth, Minn.; Max Johnson, Carlisle, Pa.; Richard Langley, Frederick; William Mahoney, Colewood, W.Va.; James McIver, Palo Alto, Calif.; Robert Patten, Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Peter Snow, Washington, D.C.; Richard Stoss, Hanover, Pa.; and Vaughn Winchell, Pittsford, N.Y.

In recent elections, the following slate of chapter officers was elected; Gerry Smolinski, GP; Phil Medenbach, VGP; Dennis Donahue, AG; John Belt, BG; Jere Beurman, Hod; John Greenway, Phu; and Dave May, Hi.

The Phi Psis are, as usual, keeping themselves busy in campus activities. Billy DeVoe is providing that backcourt spark for the Bluejay five again this season, and Phil Medenbach is captaining the fencing team. Bob Meeker, Gerry Smolinski, Dennis

Donahue and Pledge Dick Langley were connected with the recent Barnstormer production of "R.U.R.," the first three acting, and Dick doing tech work for the show. Pledges Langley and Pudge Ellwood looked at the ballot for the freshman "popularity contest" the other day and discovered much to their surprise that they were opponents for the class presidency.

Toss in the normal quota of social life and school work and you've got Maryland Alpha's activities for the last several months. Some of it came in rather unexpected fashion, but then we're getting used to expecting the unexpected!

DENNIS DONAHUE, *Correspondent*

**Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—23 in 28*)

Sometime after our last contribution to THE SHIELD, we received a mimeographed letter congratulating the corresponding secretaries for the promptness. Evidently letters from all but two chapters had been received before deadline. We know who one of the delinquents was, but would be interested in learning who the other was and just which one of us was the "winner."

As far as interesting and fascinating "news" goes, things have been rather on the dull side at Virginia Alpha the last couple months. A couple of the brothers did, however, discover a "contemplating Buddha" in our living room one evening a few weekends ago and made the disastrous mistake of disturbing him in his meditations. It was rather thoughtless of them for it seems that "contemplating Buddhas" just do not like to be disturbed. This one proceeded to knock out the front of the House and was rather thorough about it. However, those things will happen.

Then there was a bit of excitement a few weeks ago when a small disturbance was caused by some demonstrating students (about 2,000, I believe) over certain administration misunderstandings at the University. It was a first encounter with tear gas for many of the brothers, but, having been well indoctrinated with Mr. Jefferson's spirit of freedom, they took an active part in the so-called "riot" and gave a good account of themselves. Pledge John McCarty is to be especially commended for his gallant effort against the forces of oppression and tyranny. With only an apple (not even a stone) our "David" opposed the "Goliath" of the enemy camp.

But nothing really worth reporting has happened since our last letter. That is to say, we haven't planted a bush in the side yard, painted a wall, or won twelfth place in the intermural football league. Though this letter won't be published until after the holidays, Virginia Alpha would like to take this opportunity to extend holiday greetings and wish the best of luck to John Weatherley.

L. G. TURNER, *Correspondent*



## **Virginia Beta—Washington & Lee University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—9 in 17)*

Winter weather hasn't fazed Virginia Beta. Our annual Christmas Houseparty was its usual success: the brothers were well fortified against the weather and the mistletoe provided entertainment for all.

In sports, we have had an excellent year. For the third time in four years we won our league in IM football, and finished in a tie for first place among all fraternities. "Tank" Wooldridge had great success in filling the center spot; GP Ace Hubbard and Elwin Law led the attack. Before football, we were fourth of seventeen in intramurals and our showing on the gridiron should push our standing to the top.

On the varsity scene, John Kirk is playing forward for W&L's basketball team. Dwight Chamberlain is boosting the winter track team. Hank Bohlman and Flash Danko are wrestlers and Tom Broadus is a swimmer. Two pledges—Bart Mitchell and Ray Miller—are playing freshman basketball; other pledges are liberally spread through other winter sports.

On the extra-curricular front, Virginia Beta continues a fine showing. Joe Craycroft and Charlie Swope were recently named to *Who's Who*. Academically we are making great strides; our freshmen have shown up unusually well scholastically.

We've been very glad to welcome back for visits several of last year's graduates. Tommy Martin has been back a number of times; Ned Pendleton stopped by on his way to Fort Benning to visit with Uncle Sam.

Virginia Beta is gleefully anticipating the last weekend in January. Lester Lanin will arrive for the annual Fancy Dress Ball—the "outstanding collegiate social event of the South." Combos are planned to take up the slack hours when Lester isn't playing. It will be a great weekend and we welcome visitors. Happy New Year, brothers!

*TOM BROADUS, Correspondent*

## **North Carolina Alpha—Duke University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—2 in 19)*

North Carolina Alpha can now officially announce the completion of the first issue of its new alumni newsletter, called, cleverly enough, the *North Carolina Alphan*. Thanks are due Brothers Sanford, Thiessen and Lawson for their hard work. Highlight of the first issue, which will be mailed as soon as we can print the stamps, was a highly inspirational message from our beloved and ingenious GP.

The evil and ungodly Northern-type weather to which we have been recently subjected has caused us no end of trouble: first, it was found necessary to cancel the Annual Highly Ceremonial Fox Hunt which is traditionally held at Jesse Craven's nearby plantation at this time of year. This spirited event

has never before been cancelled. Secondly, our happy home-away-from-home was attacked by a horde of barbarically typical Dook freshmen who snowballed out 192 window panes. The freshman dormitory windows were later taken care of by some animals (not ours) with baseball bats. Much neater.

In the pre-holiday spiritual revival several assorted Brothers were arrested while caroling and generally spreading the Joyous Message in front of the Nurses' Residence. Merry Christmas, Chief Jackson.

Thank you's are due to Brother Harrington for his religious attention to his duties as pledgemaster, to Brother Anderson for his enthusiastic coaching of our IM basketball squad, and to Brother Walter just for being a neat guy.

Work on redecoration can now continue and might even be completed in time for rush. All else failing, the Duke University Student Union, after auditing our well-kept books, gave the Chapter a loan sufficient to cover fully the necessary improvements. The loan is without interest. Address requests for loans to Director, Duke University Student Union, Duke Station, Durham, N.C. Plans are being made to incorporate our national dues into next semester's social budget.

*BILL KLOMAN, Correspondent*

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## **Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington and Jefferson College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—9 in 10)*

As the Yuletide Season approaches, the Penn Alpha Phi Psis are looking forward to the annual Greek Swingout weekend. We are assured that Santa Claus will be on hand for the festivities with gifts for all good Phi Psis. The Swingout party is to be a costume affair with the brothers and dates coming as song titles. We all hope that it will be as great a success as was Homecoming weekend. Although Jay was defeated in the football game with Bethany, the Phi Psis won third place for house decorations with a 25-foot guided missile called the ICBM (Inter Collegiate Bethany Mash-er). The Homecoming party initiated the new party room which had been paneled in mahogany by the last pledge class.

Since the last newsletter four new men have been pledged, and three new officers have been elected. The new pledges are: Robert William Hallman, Havertown; Eugene A. Leposki, Wexford; Samuel DeGraff Pearson, New Castle; and David A. Sera, Bradford. The new officers are Blair M. Barnitz Jr., Bethel Park, new AG; John O. Taylor, Johnstown, new SG; and John W. Garlitz, Bridge-

ville, who was elected Student Council representative.

In the line of athletic endeavor, the brothers recently won both the wrestling and volleyball IM trophies, and are now busily practicing in order to continue their three-year winning streak in basketball. The college basketball team is off to a good start with three Phi Psis, Ron Salvitti, Pete Gulden and Bob Hallman on the floor. Earl Goldstein is out because of injury.

The Phi Psis of Penn Alpha were happy to play host to some of the brothers from Ohio Epsilon when W.&J. played Case Tech several weeks ago. Everyone hopes the visit will soon be repeated.

BUD BARNITZ, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—6 in 7)*

Winter came to Meadville and Penn Beta on schedule and in its usual overbearing quantity. The cold brought the college singers choir and upper-class women to the warmth of the fireplace at the chapter house for Penn Beta's annual Singer Tea. Two days before, Santa Claus visited Penn Beta's annual Christmas Dinner Dance. The whole affair went off very nicely with a buffet dinner starting off the evening festivities. Santa came laden with exotic gifts from far off lands which were accompanied with matching rhymes inspired by the seriousness of the proceedings. Santa was a little late, but as he explained it, "I was delayed trying to get across the Hudson River after a short stop

in New York when Blitzen blew a disc in his back. I had to wait for a ferry. I didn't mind the experience but it was an unscheduled delay." Nice job, Uncle Jack.

The semester is drawing to a close and Penn Beta is hoping that at the conclusion it will find itself in first place scholastically, relegating Alpha Chi Rho (present leader), to second place.

The IM sports scene moves into basketball with the Red and Green leading the college in over-all sports supremacy. The lightning offense and unbelievable defense of the big nine led to an undefeated season and first place in football. In the cross-country "Turkey Trot" Big O. Strandburg placed second, Cuddles Fulton third, and Deer-slayer Hepler ninth. Their combined total points was enough for first place. The volleyball team also clinched first place in a play-off with Alpha Chi Rho.

In varsity sports Vic Kress and Cliff Strandburg are on the basketball team, while Bob Adams and Marv Beatty wrestle. John Grant was elected captain for this year's swimming team and with Ed David should combine for valuable points. Incidentally, John's wife presented him with a second daughter less than a month ago. Congratulations, Pop.

A fond farewell to two outstanding Phi Psis is expressed from the entire chapter to Harry Larimer and Dave Blauch, who graduate at semester's end. They both make the chapter feel proud to have had them with us for four years.

N. FRANK MALDONADO, *Correspondent*



**Penn Alphans won third place with 25-foot Inter-Collegiate Bethany Masher.**

## **Pennsylvania Lambda—Pennsylvania State University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—21 in 44)*

As finals end and hopeful Phi Psis look forward to the return of high grades, we think back to what the rest of the semester has brought.

Perhaps our happiest memories center around the festivities of December 13—the day of Christmas Formal. The banquet and the music of Johnny Nickolosi gave us an evening to treasure. Earlier in the day the Phi Psis entertained some of the area's needy children at our annual Christmas party.

Intramural boxing and basketball are nearing their conclusion. Basketball finds us near the top and boxing speaks for itself. Norm Neff and Bill Russ and Pledges Chet Lucido and Dick Gross are winning their way to the finals in the arena. Incidentally, in his first match, Chet whipped Olympic gymnastic star Armando Vega.

Norm Neff concluded a successful season in football by scoring two touchdowns against rival Pittsburgh, helping to bring the "coal scuttle," symbol of victory over Pitt, back to Penn State.

Recently initiated into Blue Key Hat Society were George McTurk and Chuck Schweitzer. Jim O'Connor and Pledge Dick Gross became members of the Varsity S Club for their outstanding participation on the track team.

The Phi Psis entered politics this fall as Pledge Nick Freeman was nominated for sophomore class vice-president.

Another first in our list of memories was John Henry Frizzell's annual fireside chat to the pledges on the history of our chapter. It's a history of which we at Lambda are proud and one told by a brother we'll never forget.

Listening attentively to John Henry were our two German students, Uli Ressenman and Mike Reutenberg, who are here at Penn State on Fulbright scholarships and presently living at the chapter



**Key man in Penn State upset of Pitt was Norm Neff, who scored twice.**

house. Alas, many German party songs have become standard items at our weekend parties.

DAVID F. WILLIAMS, *Correspondent*

## **West Virginia Alpha—West Virginia University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—16 in 20)*

Phi Psis at West Virginia Alpha are beginning to buckle down to their scholastic chores. It is the aim of every man to improve or maintain our high scholastic standing on campus. Thanks to the diligent work of our 1957-58 scholarship chairman, Charles Mahan, Phi Psi moved into fourth place at West Virginia University. This is a definite improvement over the previous semesters. Our present scholarship chairman, Tom Goode, has begun a pledge study hall, designed with the hope that the study habits of the pledges will improve.

One of the main projects of the chapter this year is to improve our intramural program under the energetic leadership of Mike Hall. We are now in the running for the All-Year Cup. At this time we have captured second place in badminton and third place in tennis. We are eagerly looking ahead to swimming and basketball.

Our pledge training seems to be running true to form this year. Our pledge educator is Don Ferrell who succeeded Joe Dunn. Joe is engaged to marry Susannah Goad between semesters. Pledge trainer Paul Whalen is in charge of the pledge duties and work sessions. In the middle of October we had our annual Big Brother-Little Brother banquet. As the custom goes, after the dinner, each pledge gives a few words of "praise" about his big brother—definitely a spirit building function. The pledge class has had several pledge parties with the sorority pledge classes. An informal pizza party was enjoyed by Phi Psi and Alpha Xi Delta pledge classes on November 16.

Homecoming started on Friday night, November 8, with a parade. The theme of our float was Nittany Go Round taken from the Broadway play *Liliom*. Thanks to the hard work of Brothers Sy-pult, Whalen and Mahan we won second place in the men's division. Saturday's festivities were highlighted by the appearance at the Phi Psi House of Governor and Mrs. Cecil H. Underwood, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Vieweg Jr. The Governor and his party enjoyed a buffet luncheon before departing for the game, where the Governor crowned the Homecoming Queen. After the game a cocktail party was held for alumni with the usual large turnout. Seen at the house over the weekend were former national Presidents, Harlan B. Selby (1950-1952), and W. Lyle Jones (1954-1956), and also two former Archons, Louis D. Corson (1940), and George Daugherty (1953-1955). George was recently married to Mary Jarvis Currence. The chapter had the pleasure of entertaining Penn Lambda over this weekend.

Everyone is looking to Christmas and our annual party. One of the high points of the party is the appearance of Santa Claus with his usual array

of comical gifts for our dates. Also, the chapter is practicing hard for the Christmas Serenade, directed by Tom Dotson. Every year during the holiday season the IF Chaplain's Council sponsors a party for underprivileged children. Once again Phi Psi is doing its part by having a dinner for ten of these youngsters. We hope this will make theirs a Merry Christmas.

Phi Psis are taking a leading role in many campus organizations. Jack Bowman and Paul Whalen have joined Fi Bater Capper, a spirit-building organization. David Nichols and Jack Bowman have been initiated into Mountain, Ranking Men's Honorary.

GEORGE B. VIEWIG III, *Correspondent*

#### Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—4 in 14*)

As a result of new elections, Ohio Alpha is now under the able leadership of Ron Oches, GP, and Tom Grau, VGP. Other officers are: Jim Sulzyski, AG; Bob Ginaven, BG; Norm Hyden, P; John Opdycke, Assistant P; Paul Szaniszlo, Hod; George Bittner, Phu; and Bill Korengle, Hi.

At long last it appears that Ohio Alpha will have a new chapter house. On October 19, groundbreaking ceremonies were held on the new fraternity row. Among those attending the event were President Robert R. Elliott, an alumnus of Ohio Alpha, and Edward Cawood, president of the house corporation.

For the first time in many years Ohio Alpha captured the IM football championship, defeating every team we encountered. The team, sparked by quarterback-captain Rog Auken, then proceeded to trounce Ohio Delta in the annual contest between the two chapters. We are looking forward to the customary party to be thrown by the losers, "Ohio State style." With the football crown already under our belt, the chapter is looking forward to a successful year in intramurals.



Ohio Alphans Jim Perrin, left, voted most improved soccer player, and Capt. Larry Lays, voted most valuable player.

Varsity athletic awards were recently presented and the chapter is off to a good start in this area. In football, John Price received his letter, and Fred Fri was presented a numeral award. Lee Grabski earned his second straight football manager's letter. In cross-country, Don Bourquard received his third varsity award. Don was also selected as "Athlete-of-the-week" on the merit of his outstanding performance in the Ohio Conference cross-country meet. In soccer, Phi Psis dominated the team with nine representatives: Larry Lays, Bob Ginaven, and Dick Clark; pledges John Ginaven, Dave Price, Bob Debtweiler, Jim Perrin; and social member John Yannicos, all received their varsity letters in soccer. Pledge Jim Stoycheff received his numeral award. In addition to their letters, Larry Lays, captain of the team, was voted its most valuable player, and Jim Perrin was voted the team's most improved player.

Congratulations go to Bob Ginaven, Jon Denny, Lon Hill and John Warren who were recently initiated into Phi Society, sophomore honorary.

The entire chapter would like to take this opportunity to wish Jim Smith all the luck in the world as he continues his relentless, awe-inspiring, pursuit of a 2.0 average.

JIM SULZYCKI, *Correspondent*

#### Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 8*)

As the first semester closes, Ohio Beta finds itself in one of its most productive years. Highlighting the social season was the all-campus production of Rodger's and Hammerstein's "Oklahoma." Cast in lead roles were Tim Masten as "Curly," and Dick Evans as "Jud." Others in supporting roles were Dave Oliver, Ken Mazmier and George Scheerer. The show was an overwhelming success; it played before more than 300 people and netted \$3,600 for the new arts building.

In varsity sports, Jim Kunde was picked as first team center on the all-Ohio Conference eleven; Dick Fagely and Fibber Maddox represent us on the swimming team. Dick already has broken the Wittenberg backstroke record.

In recent elections, Jim Kunde was named GP; Bob Dorn, VGP; Tim Masten, AG; Jim Mitchell, BG; Jay Ackerman, Phu; Jack Bauerle, Hod; and Dennis Waltherreit, Hi.

Our pledge dance this year featured a "roaring twenties" theme, with the necessary costumes to make it a real success. Next was our winter formal called "An Incident in Indigo and Ivory." Brothers Nelson and Hayes were in charge of the decorations, with everyone working to make this the best possible dance.

In IM sports our bowling team has done very well to date. Our "A" basketball team is one of the best and our "B" league team, directed by Dave Leach, is taking all comers.

TIM MASTEN, *Correspondent*

## Ohio Delta—Ohio State University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—19 in 40)

Well, we've finally come near the end of fall quarter, with final examinations in the not-too-distant future. However, as the holidays approach, we are looking forward to coming events that will add a little variety to our lives.

On December 6, we will have our Fall Formal at the Dragon Club. The favors will be rather large stuffed dogs which we hope will please our dates (they better: they cost enough!). On the same afternoon our annual Orphans' Christmas Party with Kappa Alpha Theta will be held at the Theta house. Mr. Joe Varni, a good friend of the brothers, will play Santa Claus and the kids will be treated to gifts and refreshments. Also, on December 5, we are planning a surprise party for Ed Tyree, houseman for the Delta Gammas. Ed is well known to all the alumni and brothers and has given a great deal of his time to helping the chapter. His services during "rush week" and on many other occasions have been greatly appreciated and we hope we can show our thanks at the party.

We were pleasantly surprised when President Elliott and his wife visited us on the evening before the Michigan football game. Most of us were meeting the Elliotts for the first time, and all of us enjoyed talking with them during the evening.

On December 2, Ralph Hoffman departed for West Point to attend the tenth annual Student Conference on United States' Affairs. Students from ninety colleges from the eastern U.S. will be represented at this six-day conference which is concerned with efforts to persuade the "uncommitted millions of the world" to align themselves with the "free world ideals." This is not the only honor Ralph has received. In addition to owning a nearly-perfect 3.9 average in electrical engineering, he has received a distinguished cadet award in AFROTC and a \$1,500 National Merit Scholarship for Defense Studies. Ralph plans to graduate next year with his bachelor of science degree and a commission in the United States Air Force.

That about does it for Ohio Delta this year. We hope you've had a Merry Christmas and best of luck in the new year!

BILL KERN, *Correspondent*

## Ohio Epsilon—Case Institute of Technology

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 11)

Homecoming Float Trophy—we copped first place for the *fourth* consecutive year! Under the devoted and amicable leadership of chairman Jim Kish and the loyal help of the brothers, Ohio Ep-

silon again distinguished herself in this significant annual competition. Victory was a suitable beginning for the big weekend, enjoyed by all the active brothers and the many alumni who came back to us for activities.

Key word in our social season under chairman Terry Farmer this fall semester has been variety. We splashed our way through a swimming party with Beta Theta Pi mixed with the "Greeks" (Delta Phi Upsilon), a Western Reserve University sorority; and had a swingin', stompin', party with Delta Tau Delta of Western Reserve. The Faculty Five served the musical fare. Faculty of both Case Tech and Western Reserve played with the group, showing us that "old grads" can really whip up a storm. We're presently looking forward to a pledge party and the annual Christmas Party for the Orphans with the "Greeks."

Ohio Epsilon is well represented on the campus this fall. Bill Kitchel was bid by Pi Delta Epsilon, journalistic honorary, and serves as President of Case's Glee Club. Singing with him are Bob Ley, Tony Babich, Hugh VanHorn, Dick Larson, Dave Nelson and Pledge John Brownlee. Strutting Friz Beaumont led the Case marching band as drum major. Jack Rauh did a splendid job of reviving the job of cheerleader, getting the interest of the students and finding new cheerleaders in the freshman class such as Pledge Jerry Draper. Representing us in SAM were Terry Farmer as vice-president and Jack Brubaker as treasurer; in ASME were Dick Larson as secretary and Jerry Hale as treasurer.

Phi Psi hold all three varsity swimming manager's positions: Bill Kitchel, senior manager, Terry Farmer, junior manager, and Brook Greene, sophomore manager. Lee Huff, Tom Giske, Dick Buta and Chuck Zender are looking forward to a good season on the varsity swimming team. Ohio Epsilon placed fourth in IM volleyball and third in ping-pong.

Ohio Epsilon and Phi Psi have been honored by Carl Bochmann's selection as Case's delegate to the National Interfraternity Council convention at Atlanta, Georgia.

Lucky indeed are we to have the enthusiastic help of our Ladies Auxiliary which is redecorating our porch this winter. Both mothers and wives are active in this organization, proving their enthusiasm with action. Their officers are Mrs. W. G. Enggasser, president; Mrs. J. Morris, treasurer, and Mrs. C. E. Bochmann, secretary.

Christmas vacation and our Christmas Formal are happily anticipated at the "big Psi House" as we push our way through the heavy white snow, preparing for the coming Holiday Season at Ohio Epsilon.

ALFRED C. EYNON II, *Correspondent*

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## HAS YOUR CHAPTER PLANNED FOR FOUNDERS DAY?



## Ohio Zeta—Bowling Green State University

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 13)

All the Phi Psis at Bee Gee are eagerly anticipating our month-long Christmas vacation. These past few weeks have been filled with Christmas parties, exams, more parties, and more exams.

Ohio Zeta held its annual Christmas Banquet December 9, with gifts presented to advisors and to the chapter. After the banquet the brothers went caroling with the Delta Zeta sorority, then went to the Delta Zeta house where they were served "liquid" refreshments to counteract the effects of the 5-below-zero temperature.

Congratulations to Mark Deerwester, chosen to travel with the University's Collegiate Chorale. The group will leave December 26 and return January 6, presenting concerts in Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Florida. What a chance for a mid-winter tan!

Homecoming was a big success as we welcomed back alumni and the parents of the brothers. Through the efforts of alumni advisor Hal Dick and "Mom" Henry, a Mothers' Club was organized. The officers are: Mrs. Myers, president; Mrs. Kinstle, vice-president; Mrs. Norris, treasurer; and Mrs. Erven, secretary.

The weekend of November 23 we held an open house for freshmen. With rush starting shortly after our return to school after Christmas vacation, plans are already well under way. With large numbers of men signed up for rushing we expect this to be one of our best years.

GP Bob Kinstle recently went with the University Debate team to Peoria, Ill., where they won three out of six debates.

Keith Sanders, our very able VGP, is sports editor for the IFC newspaper, *IFC Pinwheel*. Keith writes under the by-line "Sanders Says" and covers all sporting events which include fraternity men.

Bob Connelly '55, was awarded a scholarship from The National Science Foundation to continue his studies at Iowa State College. Bob was the only teacher in the Cincinnati area to qualify for this grant.

We were honored with a visit by President Bob Elliott and Archon Bill Kitchel, on December 4. At an informal session after dinner Mr. Elliott talked about the policies of the Fraternity, and with Bill Kitchell helped us plan our freshman rush program.

Barry Cobb, our budding actor, received the part of Houstad in the play *An Enemy of the People*. Barry also played the part of Conrad in the play *A Visit to a Small Planet*.

The Chapter welcomes back Frank Chamberlin. Frank has been working for the past year at the mortuary where he reports business as being rather dead.

DAVE HINDALL, Correspondent

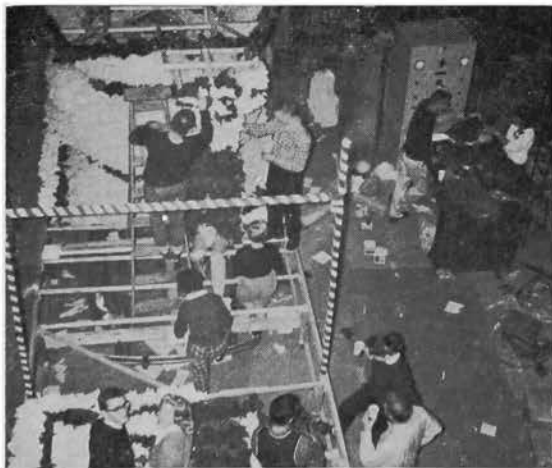
## Ohio Eta—University of Toledo

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—8 in 9)

Our fall rushing program brought us five fine pledges: Ralph Roshong, Dave VanHorn, Paul Arendt, Joe Higgins and Bob Kohli, all of Toledo. Under the direction of pledge trainer Willie Schmidt, the pledges have been doing good work in keeping the house clean and in being well educated in the history of the Fraternity. The pledges also gave a successful party for the Pi Phi sorority pledges.

In elections for second semester the brothers chose Jack Britton, GP; Cliff Lanzinger, VGP; Denny DeMuth, BG; Charlie Farrel, SG; Charlie Warr, Hod; Bart Welch, Phu; and Ken Stemmerman, Hi. Dave Barkenquast and Jim Connors remained as P and AG respectively.

On the social calendar for the coming weeks,



Behind-the-scenes activity, left, resulted in Ohio Epsilon's *fourth* consecutive Homecoming float trophy winner, right, featuring two "Butchered Bishops" strung between goal posts.



the annual Orphan Party, Christmas Formal, and New Year's Party stand out. The Orphan Party will be held at the house, with the Santa Claus probably being Norm DeMars. There will be a party afterwards for the brothers and their dates. The Christmas Formal will be held at Sunningdale Country Club, December 17. John Waidelich is proceeding with the New Year's Eve Party plans.

Our chapter has a new co-advisor with advisor Ed Jackson. He is Jim Machen, an engineering faculty member. We are proud to have Jim with us.

Our football team ended the season with a 6-3 record. This put us in third place in the final IFC standings. Two members of the team turned down offers from several pro football teams, but did permit their names to be put on the IFC All Star football team. These outstanding men were Jack Britton, who made first team quarterback, and Charlie Warr, first team end. As bowling got under way we discovered another star in our midst, Walt [Curly] Draheim, who set the new record high three-game series for IFC bowling with a 622. We are now beginning practice sessions for basketball to defend our last season crown as undefeated champions.

The chapter now has a bi-weekly newspaper coming off the presses to keep us well informed on world developments. The paper is under the editorial leadership of Charlie Farrel and Fred Lutze. The paper was such a success in its first two issues that all copies were gone in no time. But this wasn't considered too much of a record because they were free.

The brothers of Ohio Eta also wish to congratulate Norm DeMars on the start of his family, a boy, who looks like a sure bet for All-America honors, or some kind of a hero. If anyone doubts it, just ask Norm.

The brothers also enjoyed having the brothers from Ohio Epsilon and Michigan Beta visit us, to take in a few of the local highlights.

JIM CONNORS, *Correspondent*



### **Heads Investment Bankers**

CHARLES A. RICHARDS, Ohio Alpha '33, vice president of Field, Richards and Co., of Cincinnati, has been elected president of the Ohio Valley group of the Investment Bankers Association of America.

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## **District 4**

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### **Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—29 in 42)*

The weekend of the Minnesota game, October 25, was Homecoming at Michigan. The chapter was host to many returning Michigan Alpha alumni and guests, who enjoyed a lunch and a reunion at the chapter house. The house chose for its display a very appropriate theme, "Don't Be Half Safe," keeping in line with the campus theme, "Comedia de Commerciale," a satire on advertising and commercials. The display consisted of a ten-foot Knight, in armor to the waist, rotating on a pedestal; and from the waist down, his polka dot BVDs hung in the crisp fall air. Although we did not place in the judging, we received many fine compliments on the display from the alumni and students.

The familiar bowl for alumni contribution disappeared this year with the arrival of H. E. [Brute] Covert '19, at the Minnesota game. Brute generously paid for the Saturday football meals for the season, for which the house is mighty grateful. Bob Tundahl '35, general manager of the John Deere Des Moines Works, and his wife, Dorothy, came for lunch and a game while showing the nation's best campuses to their daughter Ann. At all home games, of course, Dewey Tennent '49, helps with most everything, whether at the lunches or the parties. John Popp '50, of the Perfection Biscuit Co. in Fort Wayne, Ind., and Dr. Gene Sinolly '49, resident orthopedic surgeon at the Iowa State University Hospital, were here for lunch before the Illinois game.

The Moms and Dads have been taking quite an interest in their sons' home at 1550 Washtenaw. Upon returning to school this fall we realized we'd need extra beds to provide adequate sleeping facilities for the thirty-two brothers living in the house. But the problem was easily solved since several of the mothers two years ago took it upon themselves to fashion a Mothers Club with this specific job in mind. Over these past two years our mothers have aggregated among themselves enough money to purchase for us three bunk beds and mattresses, and still leave us with sixty dollars in the account. All the brothers, especially those using the new beds, are deeply appreciative to the Mothers Club for the much-needed beds.

The Indiana game, November 15, brought many of the dads down for Fathers' Weekend, an annual affair. That evening we attended a glee club concert given by both schools. We were especially fortunate in that at a fathers' meeting following dinner, the Fathers Club donated \$385 for the house to use expressly for house improvements.



A tradition enforced by Michigan Alpha pledges is a thorough shower dousing for any active who becomes pinned or turns 21.

They also outsmarted their sons by stipulating that the house as a whole put in one hour of work for each dollar donated. At a recent chapter meeting, the money was placed in a separate account and a committee set up to study how it can be profitably used in accordance with the stipulation set up by the fathers.

AL DICKERSON, *Correspondent*

#### Michigan Beta—Michigan State University

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—21 in 24*)

A successful fall rush at Michigan Beta resulted in fifteen new pledges: Dave Orr, Crosswell, a sophomore; Larry Schlapfer, Flemington, N.J.; Ken Larson, Bryan, Ill.; Jim Morrow, Mt. Hermon, Mass.; Walt Kuenzli, Evansville, Ind.; John Bond, Logan, Ohio; John Rinehart, Mason; Eric Witt, East Lansing; Jim Fletcher, a junior; Bob Osborne and Don Schroeder, all of Detroit; and Walt McAdow, a sophomore; Jim McEvoy, Wayne Wilson and Errol Foss, all of Grosse Pointe.

Winter rush got underway with an informal buffet at the chapter house on November 20. The brothers, aided by the new pledges and the super-pledges (a super-pledge is defined by the current pledge class as "one of those old pledges who never made his grades") presented the Michigan Beta story to about 20 rushees. The mid-term rush was designed as a supplement to Pledge Manual reading in an effort to familiarize the new pledges with some of the techniques of rushing.

Dick Miller has left the chapter to work in Germany for a year. Al Walton has announced his annual pilgrimage to Mexico City where he will study (the bottom of a tequila bottle, no doubt) for a term at Mexico City College. Another widely-

traveled brother is John Kipley, who is seriously threatening Brother Rockaway's position as unofficial traveling secretary. Kip, accompanied by several of the super-pledges, has logged visits this term to Penn Gamma, Ohio Eta, Indiana Delta and Michigan Alpha.

Since the last report, the social calendar has included desserts with Alpha Phi and the Pi Beta Phi, the annual local Founders Day dance, and serenades for pinned Brothers Ken Haveman and Ned Newlin.

On the athletic scene, Michigan Beta, sponsored by the neighboring Delta Zetas, fielded five runners for the annual Turkey Trot classic. Out of the starting five, only Robin Murray finished (120th out of 119) and then collapsed.

So impressed were the Delta Zetas with our display of good sportsmanship and gentlemanly conduct that they have consented to work with us in winter term's Spartacade. Under the guidance of Ken Haveman, plans are progressing with amazing rapidity in the construction of a contraption (affectionately called "Harry's Folly") which is expected to give us our third straight win in the annual event.

When the brothers return to school in January, Ron Capps (who tonight is celebrating being hired by J. C. Penney and probably won't be able to work at all), Dick Seroke (who will leave for the Air Force with his new Impala) and Bruce Grinager (who will be working for the next twenty years to pay back his parents for his nine year college education) all will have graduated. To them we extend the best of luck and congratulations on a job finally done.

TOM PROTSMAN, *Correspondent*

#### Indiana Alpha—DePauw University

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—4 in 19*)

In recent chapter elections Al Wilt was re-elected GP; Dave Repp, VGP; Karl Nordling, BG; Walt Stewart, SG; Dick Roberts, Hod; Hakki Ogelman, Phu; and Bob Gibson, Hi.

In athletics, Indiana Alpha has been doing exceptionally well this year. In varsity football we had Bob Gibson, a tackle, and Pete Work, an end. Mike Bentzen also played until he injured his arm. In freshman football we had Tom Abel, a probable starting halfback next year. In varsity basketball we have Phil Houston, Dick Holdeman, Dick Howson, John Tener and Rich Roberts. Starting on the freshman squad are Jim Zerface, Ron Randall, Bill Floring and Fred Roberts.

Walt Stewart ended up as number-two man on the cross-country team. In swimming we are represented by Bob Lee, John Holdeman and Bill Campbell. Hakki Ogelman, Jim Trees and Pete Work have all been doing exceptional work on the mats.

Alpha's social schedule has been highlighted by a tea for our new housemother, Mrs. John Edwards of Tulsa, Oklahoma. Everyone was proud

and happy to be able to present her to the campus. She's a wonderful person and an excellent housemother. Also very high on the list of social events was the annual Phi Psi Christmas dance. Preceded in the Union Building by a formal banquet, the dance began at 8:30 with the music of Vic Knight and his orchestra. Again this year we held our annual Christmas party for underprivileged children. The pin men and their girls entertained them with presents, games and food. Actually our Santa Claus, Bill Naftzger, looked more underprivileged than the children.

Music-wise the Phi Psi house is really full of talent this year. Mike Evans is in the chapel choir and the choral union. Hank Ford was in the SDX review, University choir and the choral union. Jim Lashlev is playing trombone in the DePauw symphony, and Bob Beisel is doing an excellent job playing bongos in the Room 6 duet.

BILL CAMPBELL, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Beta—Indiana University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—5 in 27*)

On December 4, five men were initiated into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi in the eighty-ninth year of Indiana Beta. The new brothers are: Michael O. Harris, Arlington Heights, Ill.; Paul T. Jasper and Hans Wuelfing, Indianapolis; Roy N. Inman, Boonville; and Wade H. Leslie, South Bend. Congratulations are in order for all these men and especially to Hans Wuelfing and Paul Jasper for their astonishing accomplishments in fraternity education. Both are capable of reciting almost word for word the entire Pledge Manual.

Prominent among Indiana Beta's promising

young executives is Samuel Mead Huston, recently appointed Bloomington's agent for Indianapolis Life Insurance Co. The "Owl" is teaming with IU basketball All-Americans Don Schlundt and Archie Dees in what may be the tallest insurance agency ever assembled. Our man finished last season at back-court guard with an average of 16.9 points per game.

The chapter has recently acquired a franchise to operate the East Third Animal Shelter (brothers not included). The current house roster has been rather well animated through the addition of three cats, four nondescript dogs and a light-blue flickertail antelope.

McGov's Radio Free Phi Psi is valiantly evading the probing ear of the FCC. Among the outstanding presentations of this venture has been the proposed on-the-spot series concerning the nocturnal activities of Roy Inman. This experimental attempt to produce field work in abnormal psychology has met with the enthusiastic support of the brothers.

Tongue-in-cheek mutterings from the GAC have located our Brothers Ruby, Bixby, and Owen quite high in the cumulative gallonage standings among the chapters during the late summer conclave. Bixby is quite anxious to hear from any brother who might happen to know the present whereabouts of Mackinac Island's own Frosty.

Lew Cook, Kent Owen, and Dave Dellinger were instrumental in safely transporting, storing, and conveying the National Delta Gamma outstanding chapter award from DePauw to IU. Their inter-fraternal-panhellenic public relations crusades have gained a rather astonishing degree of notoriety in the Tri-State area.



At Indiana Alpha's annual Christmas Dance punch is served to Mrs. John Edwards, new housemother. Other couples are Bunny Bertram and Bob Lee, on left, and Jim Trees and Carol O'Harra.

Several of the brothers seem to have confused the seasons of the year as rings and pins are being given up in a wholesale fashion. However, one exceptionally pleasant note is that Indiana Beta has extended its social policy to hanging pins outside the Kappa House. Marty Flynn and Miss Kit Hartnett are planning matrimonial ceremonies over the Christmas Holidays as are Barnes Latham and Miss Janet Busby.

During the Purdue-Indiana football game, many items lost for a great many years were recovered or partially so. In addition to IU's football team's recovery of a half share to the Old Oaken Bucket, Indiana Beta recovered many items missing for years including the Dinner Chimes from Indiana Delta.

TOM SPACKMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Gamma—Wabash College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 8)*

The Tenth Anniversary of Gamma's return to the Wabash campus was a huge success, with a large number of returning alumni on hand to pay tribute to Brother Edward H. Knight, the man responsible for Gamma's reactivation. The November first banquet was attended also by the deans of the college and C. F. (Dab) Williams, former National Secretary. The whole program took on the aspect of an "Eddie Knight Night," as heartfelt appreciation and praise were bestowed upon this lifetime Phi Psi. A plaque commemorating the event was presented to Brother Knight by Gordon Peters '49, who took over as president of the alumni association, replacing Dick Regnier, who completed a successful term.

Meanwhile, back on campus, the undergraduate brothers of Gamma have been making their presence known during this tenth anniversary year. Since the last report, several more brothers have gained recognition on campus. Larry Souders and

Phil Bowman were recently initiated into Sphinx Club, athletic honorary, and John Tresch was initiated into Pi Delta Epsilon, journalism honorary. Bill Harvey has been named to Delta Phi Alpha, German language honorary. Pledges Dick Alexander and Skip Gilkerson completed successful seasons in cross-country and football respectively, with Gilkerson earning his freshman numerals, and Alexander his varsity letter and the trophy for being the most improved runner on the team. Jim Mewhinney and Zack Lazar are members of the wrestling squad. In the Scarlet Masque's recent production of *Henry IV*, Mike Silbert, Jack Yerkes, Bill Grieve, R. K. Schmitt, Don Nordlund, Jon Nicosia, and pledges Dave Olson and Joe Conly worked on everything from ticket promotion to sound and special effects.

Gamma is in the thick of the IM race this year, with Coach Chuck Sanders leading the teams to a tie for first in cross-country and a third in football, good enough for a close second in the over-all standings. The volleyball team finished with a fine 7-5 record, and it appears that we are enjoying one of our most successful campaigns in several years. Dave Krizman and Ken Quanz were named to the IM All Star football team at the end of a season in which we compiled a 6-3 record, in addition to edging past the Indiana Alpha team, 13-12, in a hard-fought game on the morning of the Wabash-DePauw tilt.

The social committee kept things swinging with a very well planned Christmas Formal on December 13. Chuck Esposito and his combo provided good sounds for the affair. Espo seemed to be only slightly shaken by the fact that his wife, Connie, had presented him with a legacy less than 48 hours previously. Also, we are holding our annual Christmas party for underprivileged children on December 17. The brothers always seem to have just as much fun at these parties as the kids.

John Robbe, of Paragon, recently became the



Tenth Anniversary of Indiana Gamma's return to Wabash was celebrated with an "Eddie Knight Night." Honored guests were Brother and Mrs. Edward H. Knight, on left; in photo on right, Mrs. Albert H. (Jan) Kishman and Secretary-Editor Emeritus C. F. (Dab) Williams.

first pledge of the spring class. John is vice-president of the freshman class and sings in the college Glee Club.

Fred Wampler '54, returned from the Navy on leave and spent this past weekend at the house. We would like to see more of you alumni visit us in the near future.

LYNN KELLEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Delta—Purdue University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—24 in 37*)

The fall has sped by quickly and it hardly seems possible that the Christmas Season, with all its activities, is upon us. The annual Pledge Dance, and the Christmas trade party for underprivileged children with the Thetas have marked the beginning of our winter social schedule. This year's pledge dance had a Paris theme and featured a 50-foot Eiffel Tower in front of the Grant Street entrance to the house. The dance was a great success, and congratulations go to pledge president Jerry Jackson, pledge social chairman Jim Hansen, and all of the pledges for their time and effort that gave us such an enjoyable dance.

Social chairman Bob Eberhart has had a highly active fall social season, including a gambling trade party with the Kappas, a trade dinner with the Chi Omegas and parties after the home football games. Homecoming this year was the busiest weekend of the fall. Nearly four hundred alumni and friends came for the game and weekend festivities. Over twenty Illinois brothers and their dates were here, and although they were not too happy with Purdue's 31-6 drubbing of the Illini, the rest of the weekend provided fun for all. We all look forward to next year's Purdue-Illinois football game at Urbana, to renew this year's friendships.

Chapter elections have come and gone, and Don Stuart has turned over the presidential gavel to Hank Stewart. Don has done a fine job this past semester, and he certainly is to be congratulated for his many successful projects that he spent many long hours on. We are sure Hank will continue the good work that Stu has done, and will help keep Indiana Delta among the leaders at Purdue. Other new officers are: Jack Janus, VGP; Steve Shute, BG; Ed Heidenreich, Phu; Dick Pigman, Hi; and Jim Harger, Hod.

This fall we had a big addition to the house in the person of Gene Dayka, our new house man. Gene, who has quickly acquired the nickname, "Rollo," comes to us from Monticello. He is a fine worker and has already entered into the house activities by playing Santa Claus for the Theta Christmas party. We are all happy to have Gene with us.

Winter rush is now going on in full swing, and we have good prospects for another strong pledge class. We still need any recommendations from our alumni and friends who know of any men of Phi Psi caliber who are at Purdue. We would appre-

ciate any recommendations sent to Rush Chairman Ted Long addressed to the house.

DAVE EVANS, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Epsilon—Valparaiso University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—4 in 7*)

We began our social calendar this fall with the traditional fall formal held at the Midway Ballroom at Cedar Lake. It was judged by all present as a "swinging success." After several weekend date parties, we brought our social life for this semester to a close with the annual Christmas dance in the Wolf Den and the exchange of humorous gifts and poems among the brothers the night before vacation.

Something new has been added to Indiana Epsilon with the hope to increase chapter unity through service projects for the community. We call it the Community Relations committee. Our first project was a Christmas party for underprivileged children. Gifts were donated by local merchants and refreshments were served to about thirty smiling faces ranging from tot size to sixth grade. "Panda" Gratz, acting as Santa, passed gifts to the youngsters after they played games under the leadership of Mal Hall's wife and several KTZs. The party was climaxed with a reproduction of the Christmas story by Brothers Wilke and Karpenko. We don't know what our new committee will come up with next, but we're convinced it's doing more than we expected. It gives us a channel to share with others some of the time and energies we normally would have spent on ourselves.

Five brothers—Doerffler, Goeglein, Kell, Pace and Puffpaff, received letters in varsity football this fall. Brothers Schroer, Eby and Girrard are members of the Crusader basketball squad. Dick Schroer is squad captain. Our house basketball team has raised its no loss record to forty-five games and it appears that no one will "dump us" any more this season.

Phi Kappa Psi won the Highest Scholastic Average trophy this fall for being first among fraternities on campus last year. The biggest contributors to the high average were Manske, Mensing and Ramming, who appeared on the Honor Roll.

DEAN KELL, *Correspondent*

#### **Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—22 in 26*)

Thanksgiving is over and Christmas lies just around the corner. In the short time between them, however, must come the unpleasant task of studying for finals. With final week, activities and social life grind to a temporary halt, and soon a highly successful fall quarter will be over.

Socially, the quarter was marked by a series of highly successful parties. The Gay Nineties Party, featuring costumes of the period, was held in the Surrey Room of the Glendale Country Club, and a Bermuda shorts party, held jointly with the DUs



was held at the nearby Wood Dale Fire House. Probably the best of the fall parties was the Charles Addams party, with the house decorated in an eerie fashion that would do credit to the New Yorker's morbid cartoonist, and everyone dressed in horrible monster costumes to complete the atmosphere. Just before Thanksgiving we held an orphan party with the Thetas, at which we were hosts to about twenty-five orphans for a buffet dinner and games.

Fall intramurals are now over and preparations are underway for winter. The football team, composed primarily of Dean Smith, Jim Cooper, John Richards, Bob Boyd, Bob Bon Durant and Buck

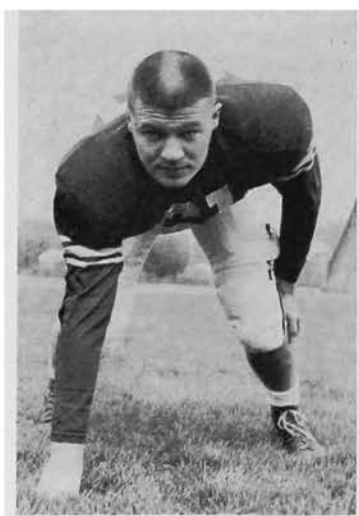
Brown, enjoyed a winning 4-3 season but failed to make the play-offs. In wrestling, the Phi Psis wound up sixth. Our sweepstakes title hopes were also boosted by Keith Emge and Steve Mass, who advanced to the quarter-finals in tennis and golf respectively. We are currently in tenth place, but prospects look bright for the winter with basketball, swimming and bowling upcoming.

The end of fall also marks the end of football season, a very successful one for the Northwestern Wildcats. Congratulations are extended to six of the brothers who contributed greatly to Northwestern's highly improved record. Gene Gossage, tackle; Joe Abbatiello, guard; and Doug Asad, end,

## NORTHWESTERN'S PHI PSI LINEMEN



Joe Abbatiello, G; Gene Gossage, T; Doug Asad, E



Don Mnichowitz, G; DeWitt Hoopes, T; Larry Van Dusen, E



were regular starters, and they were ably backed up by Doug Hoopes, Don Mnichowitz and Larry Van Dusen. Gene Gossage was voted to the Associated Press All-Big Ten third team.

Bob Boyd and Ed Gilmore participated in Dolphin Show, Northwestern's swimming-variety show, this quarter. Bob held one of the swimming leads. Also representing the house in campus activities, Keith Emge has been serving as treasurer of IFC, and freshman Rik Moe was elected social chairman of Junior IFC.

Illinois Alpha extends best wishes to brothers everywhere for a happy and prosperous New Year.  
HUNTLEY BALDWIN, *Correspondent*

#### **Illinois Beta—University of Chicago**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—3 in 8)*

The 25th anniversary of the repeal of prohibition occurred December 5, and Illinois Beta really raised the roof with their 21st Amendment Party Open House. In fact, along about midnight, with ex-submariner Frank Flynn acting as pilot, the whole house, roof, rafters, and all, exercised maneuvers over downtown Chicago, and narrowly missed leveling the Prudential Building.

Even more disastrous, navigator pro tempore Dale Pace missed his landing objective, the Schlitz Brewing Co. in Milwaukee by lots and lots. The house, in a perfect three-point landing, settled on the roof of the girls' dorms here on campus. GP John Mohan immediately organized an exploration committee.

John's claim to fame next quarter will be the cementing of relations between our house and the Student Activities Office, in regard to our forthcoming annual Phi Psi-New Women's Dorms Party, the purpose of which is misconstrued every year because of our request that the faculty cancel dormitory hours on that particular evening so that the girls can enjoy the better things of campus life.

The fantastic success of the open house fittingly climaxed our social activities for autumn quarter. Our attentions are now focused on the January Rush, during which an extremely large pledge class is anticipated. Two brothers very active in promoting Phi Psi relations with the entering students are Jack Kaufman, who has achieved a degree of infamy on campus since the *Chicago Review* published his collection of poems, entitled "Howl and Other Roads to Salvation"; and Erle Leichty, Assyriology major, known as the reluctant debutante of U.I.

With the approach of the basketball season, we are confident of placing three brothers on the varsity. Harvey Flaumenhaft and Ira Nelson, returning lettermen, will lead the Maroon cagers in the guard slots. Don Guy will start in the center slot, his 6' 4" frame adding lots of height to an otherwise small team.

John Lamb and Bud Bernick are two additions to the Maroon nine, which will start indoor prac-

tice in the fieldhouse soon. John's eligibility is being considered, since he played center field for two seasons with the Semi-Pro Chicago Cardinals.

JOHN MOHAN, *GP*

#### **Illinois Delta—University of Illinois**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—50 in 51)*

New officers were elected in November for the winter half of the school year. Bill Yonan is the new GP; Alex Jankowsky, VGP; Bill Ayton, BG; Cliff Wilderman, P, to begin in May; and Don Day, Hi. Officers held over for the remainder of their yearly terms are Al Swanson, P; George Hamouz, SG; and Bob Telleen, AG. Congratulations to the new officers!

This fall was certainly a good football year for Illinois Delta, both varsity and IM. Four of the top Illinois gridders are Phi Psis who did a great job for the team. They'll all be back next year. Three of them, Dave Ash, Bob Hickey and Rich Kreitling, all seniors next year, were nominated for captain of the 1959 team. We're very proud of this. Jim Brown, a sophomore, proved to everyone that he's a first stringer. Jim came through with some great football to win his first varsity letter. Bob Hickey was selected sixth best passer in the Big Ten and, had he not been injured and out of three games, undoubtedly would have been higher than that.

But, the brother we're proudest of right now is Rich Kreitling, the nation's leading receiver this year in total yardage and the second highest in Illinois and Big Ten history. He was named to most of the All-American teams either as first or second. The Cleveland Browns chose Rich as their number one draft choice this year. A transfer from Auburn, Rich has another year of eligibility. He has decided to play one more year for Illinois before going with the Browns. Incidentally, Rich is quite a hunter, too. The other night he came in with several rabbits and "just about" several pheasants.

In IM sports, we took first place in our division. The finals playoff with Theta Chi came on a cold day when we just couldn't do anything. Consequently, we lost, but, nevertheless, ended a good season.

Homecoming this year was a great weekend for Illinois Delta. Friday night was Stunt Show with many alumni coming down early to see our show. Saturday, a record crowd of alumni, parents, and friends jammed the house both before and after the game. True to form, Illinois pulled its traditional Homecoming upset and won the game. Some victory party that night. . .! One of the highlights of the weekend was the visit of our beloved Dab Williams, national founder of Homecoming. Dab, Burt Ingwersen, Rich Kreitling and Bob Hickey spoke at the pre-game pep rally where fellow Phi Psi Paul Brazee was MC. That's quite a representation.

Illinois Delta was deeply saddened by the death

of one of its charter members and most distinguished alumni, Dr. Albert Austin Harding, on December 3. He was a great musician and a bandman ranked with John Philip Sousa. Twenty brothers were allowed to attend the final rites in a group. The services were conducted in the new University Band Building, dedicated last year to Brother Harding. It is the first building of its kind. Brother Harding was justly proud of it.

On December 7, Phi Psi and Chi Omega gave a Christmas party for a group of underprivileged children. Carols, games, food, and Santa were the big events of the afternoon. And, say, you should have seen those kids hula hoop! (I must add that the best job in the eyes of the brothers was a real hula done by a Chi O.) Other big social events are the winter formal held with Kappa Sigma; and our annual Christmas banquet, this year with Alpha Chi Omega.

BOB TELLEEN, *Correspondent*

#### **Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—15 in 15)*

The greatest interests around ole Tennessee Delta are still centered in rush. Since rush began there have been several real blasts in the house, and although it seems somewhat fantastic, the structure is still standing. During these parties the Psi Psis have done their best to entertain the freshmen singled out as good fraternity material. Everyone enjoyed particularly the Shipwreck party and took advantage of the Shipwreck to try to escape from the routine of bridge games and the ever-present

school work which seems to increase each week. There have been three successful parties to which freshmen were invited, and there will be another on December 13. This will be the last before rush is over, but we are looking forward to seeing many of these freshmen back as pledges in January.

As sure as fall ends so does the IM football season. This year's climax saw Jim (Unitas) Hickey, Lonesome Loveall, T. D. Davidson, Bear (with a stick) Rhoton, and Rock Flathe playing their last football for Tennessee Deltas. All are stalwart veterans of the rugged IM Leagues. We finished the season with a 2-5 record. Although this isn't spectacular, the spirits of all were riding high as we defeated our Theta Chi rivals 6-0 in a post-season Beer Bowl game. At stake in the game was a keg of beer. Theta Chi responded graciously to their defeat by presenting us with the victory keg.

With football over, the athletes have turned their talents toward bowling and are currently tearing up the alleys.

The Tennessee Deltan entry in the annual "Miss Commodore" contest is a Theta, Miss Cynthia Mallard. We believe we have a fine chance of winning with such a beautiful and charming young lady.

Pledges John Parker, of Memphis, Tenn.; and Prentice Easterling, of Savannah, Ga., have decided on a very worthwhile pledge project—building a bar in the basement.

In scholarship, hard work has paid off. When the averages were computed for last semester it was found that we had moved from sixteenth place to tenth, an improvement over last year of



**Illinois Delta pledge class fills the stairway at "Old 911 South Fourth."**

six places. We were heartened by this improvement and have set our aspirations for the top next year.

It seems that some of the brothers are having car trouble. Not cold weather, but a matter of avoiding stopped trucks, rock walls and slippery roads. We are going to hurt the national statistics in that no one was hurt and all drivers were sober. However, these collisions have had a sobering effect on the brothers, and "careful" is the word for the holiday traffic.

And just for the record here's a sobering thought, "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!"

RICHARD R. NIEL, *Correspondent*

#### **Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—10 in 16*)

As this letter is being written, the brothers are enjoying an Ole Miss rarity, snow, and patiently waiting for Christmas holidays.

Ken Cline has been our most honored brother this semester. He was chosen to represent Ole Miss at the National Interfraternity Conference in Atlanta. Since there are fifteen other fraternities on this campus, we feel it was quite an honor for him to have been selected.

On Wednesday nights before our regular weekly meetings, we have been having rush parties. These have been quite successful and we expect to pledge some of these men before the end of this semester.

It was good to see some of the alumni at the Ole Miss-Mississippi State and the Homecoming games. Among those who came by the house were George Dumbaugh, Chris Martin, Duncan Campbell and Pete Thompson.

Secretary R. D. (Dud) Daniel and Dr. Louis D. Corson were here during the early part of December, and talks were favorable about building a new house for Mississippi Alpha. We know the alumni will be happy to hear this, and with your support we feel we can start "the ball rolling" toward this goal.

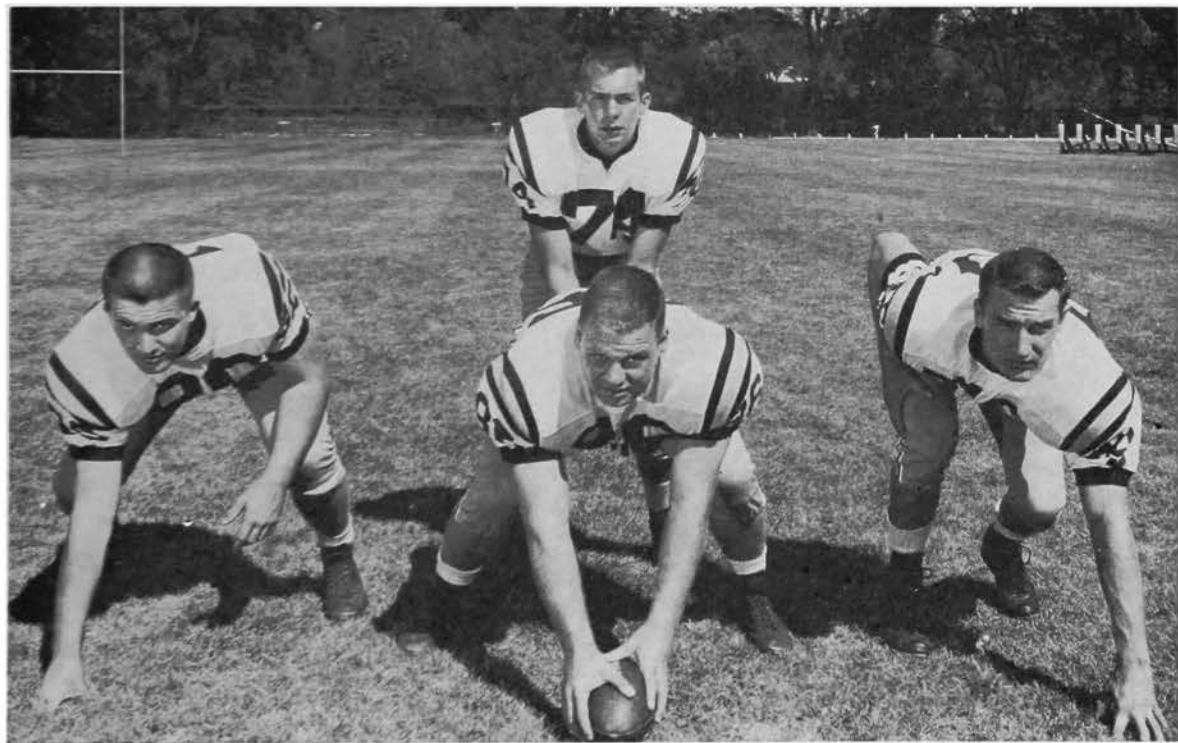
DAVID SHURDEN, *Correspondent*

#### **Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 7*)

The first signs of fall this year signaled the end of another successful IM football season, and the beginning of basketball for Wisconsin Gamma. Our football team shared the trophy this year with SAE, but I hasten to add that we overpowered them in our contest during the season! The IM basketball team looks good this year under the coaching of Ed Jakab, who is out of commission due to a broken arm during football. The team is led by such gunners as Dave Henniecke, Doug Choice, John Purvey, Jack Christiansen and Tom Schaefer. These stellar giants of the hardwood have an unbeaten, untied record to date.

Of course the brothers also partake in other ac-



**Phi Psis on the Beloit gridiron, from left: Senior Skip Davis, Senior GP Bob Allan (with ball), Senior Ed Jakab; in rear, Sophomore Bill Biederman.**

tivities. Bob (Bullet) Goodwin was one of four students sent to Monmouth College to represent Beloit College at a Mid-West Conference Student Senate Conclave. Doug Baily also is piling up many more honors this year. Doug is one of the big men around the union, due to his job as student union manager, and he is also chairman of the Beloit College Student Committee on Development. Besides these brothers, there are others in officers' positions around campus, such as Tom Werner, president of Pre-Med Club and Forensics Union.

As the November newsletter was still hot from the typewriter, five neophytes were about to go through Hell Week. Shortly afterward Larry Webber, William Biederman, Jack Christiansen, Barry Rogers, and David Beebe were initiated.

This year our fall informal was again a success. Everyone agreed that our decorations, under Doug Choice's direction, and refreshments, prepared by our housemother, Mrs. Daane, were the best. The whole house and their dates turned out to transform our basement into a Tobacco Road theme.

Phi Psi has been plagued with injuries this fall, with five brothers on crutches so far. The football team also felt this as two of the Phi Psi regulars were sidelined during the season. Sophomore Bill Biederman was relieved early in the year due to a severe ankle injury, and Senior Ed Jakab broke his arm in the next to the last game. The other regulars representing Phi Psi were GP Bob Allan, Skip Davis and Ken Griswold. But football is not the only sport where the brothers will shine this year. We also have three probable starters on the basketball team: Bill Biederman, sophomore forward; Tedd Olson, senior center; and Bob Scott, senior guard.

We are all looking forward to our annual Christmas party with some lucky sorority on campus, and also the coming Christmas vacation, with the yearly luncheon with the Chicago Alumni.

RICHARD SHERIFF, *Correspondent*

#### **Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—18 in 31)*

Fall quarter is fast drawing to a close, but before the holidays come we all have a little obstacle in final exams to overcome. We face these with a little more confidence than in past years as we feel our house scholarship is definitely on the upswing. A Christmas tree decorating party furnished fine holiday spirits for the brothers as well as bringing the house a beautiful tree. Earlier in the quarter, our Homecoming party at the Radisson Hotel was enjoyed by both the brothers and alumni. Another social highlight was our Halloween party in October; gay costumes and a large turnout livened up our party room.

Since our last report, we are proud to announce a new member to our pledge class, Hank Fiola of Duluth. Hank is a journalism major. This quarter's pledge class, under the guidance of Dick

Nordgren, is one of the finest on campus. Their enthusiasm and participation in house and campus functions has maintained a high level. In addition to pledge trainer Nordgren, many of the other brothers have been putting in more than their share of time for our house. Among these are committee chairmen Jim Hewett, governing; Bernie Grootwassink, finance; Herb Trader, social; John Peacock, membership; Terry Ottenweller, activities; Larry Wilson, grievance; Jim Peller, alumni; Gary Jones, intramurals; and Richard Wilson, scholarship.

Our two touchball teams both went into championship play-off flights before being eliminated in tough defeats. The cross-country team again won the fraternity championship but failed to retain our All-University crown in this year's highly competitive field of harriers. Our bowling team enjoyed a very successful season and is looking forward to winter competition. The Minnesota varsity wrestling team is bolstered by three brothers this year: George Coffee, two-year state champion; Charlie Coffee, a state champion also; and Vern Dykema, last year's All-University 177-pound champion.

Plans for the rest of the college year are being formulated now. A Mothers Club and Parents Day are set for reactivation in the winter; all Phi Psi mothers in Minnesota are heartily encouraged to contact the Chapter if they are interested in any of these two functions. We are also working with Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority on plans for a show in next Spring's Campus Carnival, a great annual event at Minnesota.

Minnesota Beta would like to take this opportunity to wish all Phi Psis, their friends and families a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! See you "next year."

RICHARD WILSON *Correspondent*



#### **Named Senior Vice President**

JOSEPH S. MOSS, Texas Alpha '17, has been named senior vice president and officer in charge of the domestic banking division of Irving Trust Co., New York City. Formerly a vice president and assistant division head, he joined Irving Trust in 1930.

## District 5

### Iowa Alpha—State University of Iowa

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—2 in 19)

Life, as it were, goes on at S.U.I. while at Iowa Alpha winter has placed dampers on the parties and social functions. With Thanksgiving behind us and Christmas ahead, we are caught in a between-holiday limbo with studies doing most of the suffering. *Ennui* is the keynote of our activities.

Two adventurers, William Grandy and Ed Thompson spent their Thanksgiving vacation in Texas doing a research project on wild cattle. Both report that they enjoyed their trip immensely. Bill Grandy, better known as Kangaroo Bill as a result of the fall brawl, can testify to the success of the annual fall get-together.

Our twenty-four pledges, who insist on spending all their time around the lodge, have been a top drawer group. With their new tradition of taking pledge skips with sororities and the like, we of the active chapter marvel appreciatively at the alacrity.

At this writing, there is no true indication of Mid-semester grade reports, although it would seem to be another good year for us scholastically. Honestly, brothers everywhere, we are serious about this.

Fantastic plans are being conjured up for our winter formal dance. With our theme of "sunburnt Santa Claus," our social chairmen inform us that the dance music will be supplied by a steel drum band from Trinidad with intermission entertainment by Pancho Villa and his chili-stained banditos. True to form, we are again being whisked to the dance in chauffeured Pierce Arrows with beautiful, sprightly nymphs playing songs on golden lyres. With rare coins as favors for our dates all eyes look toward "sunburnt Santa Claus."

Our fine housemother, Mrs. Ruth Claussen and our excellent *chef-de-cuisine*, Mrs. Ethyl Miller, are doing a fine job and report that they are fine; and I feel that they would enjoy seeing their names in print.

I conclude again with remorse at the fact that California Beta has been telling tall tales again.

TYLER MARSHALL, *Correspondent*

### Iowa Beta—Iowa State College

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—21 in 30)

On November 12, Iowa Beta had one of its best functions—we held our annual Thanksgiving dinner. Assorted fruits, cheeses, and relishes were served preceding a meal of four large turkeys. Instead of studying after dinner, most of the brothers found it necessary to rest.

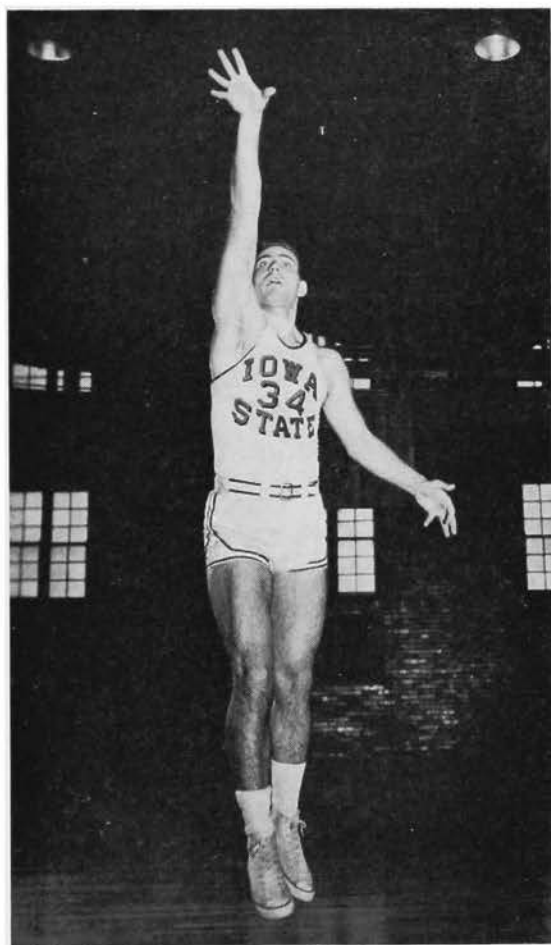
Another highlight of this quarter was the get-acquainted-tea which we held for our new house-

mother, Mrs. Greer. This is one way in which we hope to show Moms how much we appreciate having her. Housemothers from forty-three residences came to wish Mrs. Greer success in her new job.

Our annual fall party, the Sportsman's, was a big success again this year. Our winter party, the Jell Duo, will be held February 14, at the Boone Country Club in Boone, Iowa. In addition, this winter we will celebrate Founders Day with Iowa Alpha in Des Moines.

Iowa Beta finished first in intramurals this fall. Our number one football and volleyball teams won the all-college as well as the all-Greek championships in class A. Our number two volleyball team managed to win the class C college championship. In bowling, Phi Psi unfortunately lost out in the class A finals, so we had to settle for second place. This winter we have entered four basketball teams in IM play.

Although Iowa State's football team did not do well in season play, two Psis, Dwight Nichols, tailback, and Ardie Esslinger, center, managed to gain



Towering Bud Bergman, Iowa State starting forward.



all-conference recognition with Brother Nichols making first string all-conference for the second straight year. Dwight has one year of eligibility left, while Ardie has two years left; so both of them will continue to bring more recognition to Phi Psi. Brother Harden, senior fullback, also played well for Iowa State this year. He wound up as the team's top scorer despite a shoulder separation which plagued him throughout the season. Winter brings college basketball; and in this, we are well represented. Bud Bergman and Larry Swanson, both seniors, are on the squad. Bud, a forward, was a standout on last year's starting five and is expected to go a long way this year. Larry, coming back to basketball after a year's absence, is trying to break in at guard.

Campus "Varieties" is going to be a big project this winter. "Varieties" is the name given to the production in which selected residences present a skit. If Phi Psi is chosen, we are planning to give a skit which is a take-off of "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof." The skit features two fellows competing to get the honorable job of Big Daddy on campus. Iowa Beta would like to thank those chapters which sent us suggestions for this skit.

We picked up four new pledges within the last month. They are: Tom Rather, Menasha, Wis.; Bob Brandt, Wheaton, Ill.; Ron Swartzenbach, Carroll; and Howie Flater, Grundy Center.

While all the brothers were gone for Thanksgiving, a water pipe broke in our attic. Water came all the way down into the living room before the leak was discovered. As a result the plaster was loosened from the walls in two rooms upstairs and the floor boards in several rooms were warped far out of shape. We are not yet sure how much coverage we will get on our insurance.

Iowa Beta's new officers for the next half year are: Con Short, GP; Dwight Nichols, VGP; Ken Clark, BG; Vance Nimrod, P; Bill Bywater, Asst. P; Ardie Esslinger, Hod; Bob Swan, Hi; Bob Harden, PH; and Lee Backsen, house manager.

WALT KUEHNE, *Correspondent*

#### **Missouri Alpha—University of Missouri**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—23 in 29)*

This fall marked a most festive season for the brothers and pledges of Missouri Alpha. Possibly most important of all was the 50th Anniversary celebration for the chapter and alumni alike. Some 300 Missouri Psis attended this occasion, marked by the dedication of our new \$100,000 wing, a refreshing skit by the chapter and the well chosen words of Brother Floyd Gibson.

Since our November letter, Missouri Alpha has proudly added these men to what is now the largest pledge class on campus: Alan Nicholas, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Jim Streeby, Ottumwa, Iowa; Dave Cassidy, LaDue; Dick McMahon and Mort Woodson, Columbia; Bob Ball, St. Joseph; and Larry Morts, Fulton. New rush captain Don Doxsee is to be commended for the finest open rush in our his-

tory, and with more to come for the future, rush certainly seems to be under control.

Elections in December showed these new officers: Bart Pagel, GP; Duke Neff, VGP; Fred Illingworth, P; Pinky Hopkins, Asst. P; Howie Neff, BG; Rumpson Wilkinson, AG; Bruce Tomson, SG; Jerome Waters, Hod; and David Pittenger, Phu.

Backing Teddy Bryant for "Cat With the Most Spirit," Mo Alpha followed Teddy in migration to Nebraska. Some twenty-five strong, these Missourians were treated wonderfully by our Nebraska brothers. The food was fine, the hospitality fine, and the football game wonderful. Brothers Jackson and Powell were chosen "pathfinders" for this trip, an annual award given to the two who show the most endurance on such occasions.

Also on the social side were the "Beat Neck" party and the visit of our fine Kansas neighbors to the West. The Kansas charge was led by Phil Loncar and Jerry Brown, only to be answered by Brothers Bryant and Watt of Missouri. The "beat neck" party was outstanding because a likeness of Brigitte Bardot was picked our annual "Miss Beat."

Scholastically, Missouri Alpha finally has something to report. We had the highest grade-point average in four years at mid-term with a 2.21, which should put us up in the top eight or ten fraternities, or in the top three of the bigger houses. Bart Pagel is to be commended for the fine work done with our pledge scholarship this past semester. At mid-term, the pledge grades were in the top five of all houses.

All the brothers and pledges are eagerly awaiting the grade reports for the first semester in quiet anticipation of a Jeff Duo, Shepwreck Party and the Ozarks migration. Jerome Waters has guaranteed us an active semester socially, and any visiting chapters will be welcomed into the social calendar here at Mizzou. We will see many of you at the DC, and although the University will be on vacation, Brothers Jackson, Neff and Waters will do their best to accommodate you at the famous Stephens College.

In conclusion, it has been our most distinct pleasure to host Secretary R. D. (Dud) Daniel and Treasurer Clyde Joice this fall. We hope they will return to Columbia again soon.

RUMPSON WILKINSON, *Correspondent*

#### **Texas Alpha—University of Texas**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—11 in 29)*

Intramurally, socially, scholastically and in campus activities Texas Alpha has had a busy semester.

In football, basketball, and swimming, Phi Psi has mounted up a number of victory points. In "B" league football, Phi Psi was runner-up in its league and is still working to win the "A" league basketball trophy. Handball and table tennis are on the plans for IM activities for the rest of the year with Phi Psi prospects good.

A German Beer Garden party found the Phi



Psi basement looking like "the old country" and Phi Psis looking like "heeren und frauleins." Each Wednesday night a coffee is held at the house and several parties with different sororities have been given. Friday afternoon clubs with the Zetas, Thetas, Pi Phis, Delta Gammas and Alpha Phis have also been on the social schedule. One December 13, Phi Psis and their dates turned out for a formal Christmas party at the house. A cocktail party was followed by dancing.

Scholastically, mid-term grade reports looked a little weak on the pledges' part and so a strict study hall has gone into effect with the basement being turned into a well-lighted, quiet study room.

Since the end of formal rush in September, we have pledged eight new men to bring the total number of pledges to thirty-three: Sam Spangler, John Babcock, and Jay Arnette, all of Austin; Joe Willis, Odessa; Bob Wilson, Dallas; Baylus Bennett, Amarillo; Omar Logan, Palestine; and Andy Horne, Houston are the new Phi Psi pledges.

Three men have been named to campus honorary service organizations this fall. Dick Spangler and Jay Arnette were named to the Cowboys and Harry Kirkpatrick was chosen for the Silver Spurs.

On November 16 Phi Psi participated in the annual Greek Sing Song and came out with honorable mention in the fraternity division. This entitles us to be one of twelve groups represented on the Capitol recording of the event.

In a fitting end to the football season, Phi Psi pledges helped the Pi Beta Phi pledge class win the annual wood gathering contest before the A and M bonfire.

BOB MOORE, *Correspondent*

#### **Texas Beta—Texas Technological College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—3 in 9)*

Winter's come, the leaves have fallen,  
Soon our exams will do us all in.  
Up to now we've had a blast,  
Who can tell how long it'll last.

This semester at Texas Beta has been the best we have ever enjoyed. Our calendar has been gorged with more socials, intramurals, homecoming activities and new projects than ever before.

Our Western costume mixer with ZTA was a stomp that was talked about on campus for days. A live western band and refreshments of coffee and large biscuits gave an environment for a very fine time. The weird glow from the sack-enclosed candles that lined the drive to the country club set the atmosphere for our Black Magic Formal. After being met by a doorman attired in top hat and tails, one entered the ballroom decorated with spiders, webs and sinister-looking magicians. The modern interpretive dances which were part of the floor show caught everyone's eye (even Estes'). The Dogpatch setting for our Li'l Abner dance was complete with spivy for a doorway and the ever-tasteful Kickapoo Joy Juice was delicious. (Anyone interested in the recipe should write.)

After closing another "first division" football season, we are looking forward to a renewal of last year's championship ways in basketball. We won the first game with the Deltas and the outlook is bright.

They said it couldn't be done; that is, the removal of our Texas-size float (78 feet long, 22 feet wide, and 15 feet high) through a doorway that was 15 by 8. With slave driver Gene Miles cracking the whip, we managed to cop first place with an Egyptian theme and pyramid depicting Tech's football successes through the years.

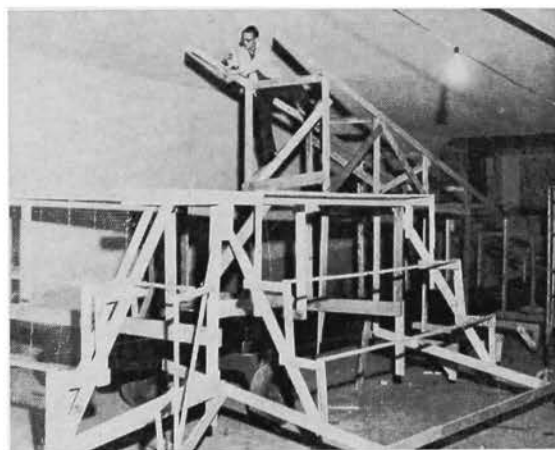
Our spirited, hard working fall pledge class consists of eight men. They are: John Gilchrist, Gus Hamblett and Donnie Williams, all of Lubbock; Leslie Finnell, Holiday; Jim Hedgecote, Amarillo; Jerry Kimbrell, Modesto, Calif.; Joe Wheeler, Floydada; and pledge president John Porter, Andrews. Some of their activities include treating (?) Delano McLane and J. C. Sticksel to a day's vacation in New Mexico. Upon their return from a meeting out to Club Maurice in Hobbs, N.M., the pledges were greeted with a "party" that the brothers gave in their honor.

A new activity this fall is the intramural speech tournament, composed of contests in all types of reading, narration and public speaking. With all the bull that's constantly floating around here, we should take a first in any speaking competition.

With all the increased activity this semester, we have still managed to stay on top at mid-semester (with the lowest average ever).

With graduation, Dick Dabney, Delbert Sanders, Rolly Seawell and Gene Miles will be leaving the circle. Darryl Sanders and Chuck Strehli will soon be working for their Uncle.

The Phi Psis have been outstanding on campus this fall. Some of the brothers and their achievements are: Bill Downs, recently initiated into Tau Beta Pi; Delano McLane and Royce Bruce, first



Framework for another winning float at Texas Beta. For the finished product, turn the page.

and second place respectively in the recent fencing tournament; Robert Rodgers, selected executive assistant in the Tech Union; Dan Webster, selected decorations committee chairman in the Union; and Jim Thompson and Claude Rogers, selected for *Who's Who*.

With election time almost here, the entire chapter has been divided into four nominating committees. A representative from each of these will meet with the GP to select the most capable candidates for nomination. This has proved very satisfactory and successful in past elections.

CLAUDE ROGERS, *Correspondent*

#### **Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—6 in 25*)

As the latter half of the first semester rolls around, the Psis at Mt. Oread turn to hittin' the books and to socializing. Coming social events are: the Christmas tree trimming party, the annual Christmas Formal, a caroling session with the Thetas and our Christmas Stag.

IM basketball prospects look good this year, especially in the A division with six members of last year's second place A team back this year. Jerry Williams represents us on the K.U. varsity basketball (Wilt-less) team. The Phi Psi IM A football team placed second in its division and was beaten in the quarter-finals of the hill play-offs.

Backtracking socially to the first half of this semester, the Psi Shipwreck was one of the best parties ever. One of the visiting Nebraska brothers, who was on board the Shipwreck, on the fol-

lowing day exclaimed: "That was the best—party I've ever been to."

The Thespians and playwrights at the house presented a satire on Western TV ratings, called Pussyfoot, at the annual Student Union Carnival and won second place in the men's skit division. Following this beginning of "fine arts," we proceeded to place second in Homecoming decorations.

We're happy to have pledged Russ D'Anna, an art major of Independence, Mo.

Our pledges left us in December for a weekend trip to Tulsa. It certainly was enjoyably quiet around the house but we were extremely handicapped in having to "eat out" from Friday until Monday since our cooks had to be "fired" temporarily.

Kansas Alpha wishes a successful coming year and Merry Christmas to all.

KEN GRAY, *Correspondent*

#### **Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—13 in 23*)

Everybody succeeded in returning to campus in good health after Thanksgiving. Right after our first letter was sent, the chapter received a pleasant visit from Treasurer Clyde Joice. We certainly enjoyed his visit and hope that more national officers will visit us, too.

On October 12 the N Club, lettermen's organization, initiated Tom Fulkerson for his participation in varsity golf.

At the Homecoming game with Missouri, Nebraska Alpha was host to several alumni. A rous-



First place Texas Beta float shows Egyptians building a pyramid of Texas Tech grid-iron successes over the years, with the 1959 block moving into place. Float was 78 feet long, 22 feet wide and 15 feet high.

ing cocktail hour was held at the Hotel Cornhusker from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. We were disappointed when our monster display of a bubbling cauldron and a cooking tiger didn't help Nebraska beat the Missouri Bengals or help Phi Psi win a place in house competition, but we enjoyed the weekend.

Since the Kosmet Klub Fall Show, an all men's talent show, followed the Homecoming weekend so shortly, Nebraska Alpha decided not to enter this year as did several other houses. We hope that next year the time element will not hinder our plans to enter.



And there were more people outside trying to get in!

November 22 we staged our biggest and best—Shipwreck party. The aquatic decoration was done by Kent Broadhurst and the ship decoration by Chuck Stacey and Ron Voss. We certainly are grateful to these brothers for the time they spent to give us a fabulous party. The brothers who didn't make this one soberly vow they will attend next year.



Nebraska Alpha's tiger-cooking cauldron for Homecoming with Missouri.

On November 25 the Phi Psis had their annual Thanksgiving dinner with colored water and candles. Turkey was the main dish with all the trimmings; and when dinner was through an encore was asked of our famous cooks for the delightful culinary masterpiece.

With our eyes set on Christmas and the rush parties, Nebraska Alpha plans to make its first rushing assault in Omaha. Various other parties are planned including one in Holdrege.

Soon to be initiated into Phalanx, a national military honorary, are Bill Ashley, John Barth and Gary Townsend.

This year in IM basketball we have again put three teams on the floor, one in each fraternity class. The A team, captained by Bob Eyth, has split its record 1-1; the B team, captained by Ron Svoboda, has a 2-0 record; and the C team (Casey's Cagers) also has split its record 1-1.

The fraternity's hockey team, co-captained by Bill Ashley and Chip Haecker with Brothers Quink Moore, Tom Hauser, Jim Good and pledges Ely Churchich and Curt Plaster working out with more to be added later, will play its first game December 11 against Phi Delt.

Nebraska Alpha hopes that everyone had a pleasant Thanksgiving and will have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

C. G. WALLACE III, *Correspondent*

#### Oklahoma Alpha—University of Oklahoma

(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—20 in 25)

The eight o'clock TV curfew again reminds the brothers that finals are rapidly approaching. This rule and many others are Brother Elder's attempts to put Oklahoma Alpha on top in campus scholarship.

The A IM football team finished with a 2-2 season which was not good enough for play-offs, but the "Cinderella" B squad with its mighty 150-lb. backfield went all the way to the play-offs before losing to the university champs. Basketball will start soon and the A team will be the team to watch in IM play, but the dark horse in the league rankings will be the Phi Psi's "fumbling five" led by Don Tillman.

Social chairman Larry Lyon's Fall Formal was a smashing success. The brothers returned to the "Brown Palace" only to be awakened at 5:00 a.m. for the annual Pledge-Member football game. The brothers rolled to victory behind the brilliant ball carrying of Referees Chris and Derf Mugler, crushing the pledges' hopes for a "Members-Will-Be-Pledges Day."

One night last week was spent working for charity with ZTA and the Alpha Chi Omegas. The Delta Gammas invited us to a dessert at their house and we had an open house in honor of their "Miss Phi Sigh," Heida Oschner.

Oklahoma Alpha congratulates Everett Nolte, who took the big step and married Susan Crane, Pi Beta Phi.

New pledges at "720" are Charles Palmer, Checotah; Keith Montgomery, Ardmore; and Jim Deshero, Studio City, Calif.

The Mothers and Wives Club has come up with a fund-raising campaign to help us with our building fund. To stimulate contributions, a color television set and a transistor radio have been put up as prizes.

Oklahoma's Big Red will play Syracuse in the Orange Bowl and several of the brothers who are going to Miami will look forward to meeting some brothers from New York Beta.

We would also like to remind the brothers from West Virginia Alpha that they still owe us a Skin on the first football game.

PHIL SISNEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Colorado Alpha—University of Colorado**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—17 in 24)*

With fall semester about to be torn from the calendar, Phi Psis at the foot of the colorful Rockies have had one tremendous time.

Big news socially was the Night Club party, which the actives gave for the new pledges. Our mammoth new recreation room was decorated appropriately, and the night club atmosphere was aided by a doorman, waiters, and a floor show. Next, the pledges plan to reciprocate with a Christmas party for the actives, who are impatiently waiting for the traditional spiked eggnog.

The chapter owes a great deal to John Simmons, our rush chairman, who is responsible for the pledging of nine good men through open rush. The new men are: Wes Brown, Bill Dickey and Ed Reilly, all of Denver; Tom Fontain, Birmingham, Mich.; Al Hoffman, Ft. Morgan; Jim Ozenburger, St. Joseph, Mo.; Don Myers, Sherman Oaks, Calif.; Sam Reichert, Greeley; and Bob Sandusky from Tucumcari, N.M.

The youngest member of our chapter is a two-month-old German Shepherd. This new member was rushed by a few members who felt that we needed a mascot. They convinced the chapter of the necessity of the dog, and the pledges of the necessity of adding to their chores a new one. She will be initiated upon the completion of her "Dogship"—when house-broken. We are all trying to find a name for her. Currently the most



favorable is "Damnit."

The pledge class challenged the brothers to a football game at 5:00 a.m. Saturday of Homecoming weekend. During that particular weekend, however, there were quite a few brothers from Nebraska Alpha who came for the game and were camped out in various rooms at the house. The poor brothers from Nebraska were interrupted

from sound sleep as a storm of pledges hit the house to wake us for the game at the ungodly hour of 5 o'clock. Though suffering from lack of sleep, the actives disappointed the pledges with a crushing defeat.

Much to our pleasant surprise we have just discovered that Floyd Graham, of Illinois Delta, has just purchased the Alps Lodge a few miles west of Boulder. Brother Graham recently invited the chapter up to his lodge for a blast and explained to us his plans to remodel it. As soon as the improvements are made it should prove to be the best college spot for parties near Boulder.

Parents day was a great success this year. There were nearly forty guests for lunch, and the CU-CSU football game, where we say the mighty Buffs (the ones who were to beat Oklahoma) get trounced. Ignoring the defeat the day served its purpose—the parents got to meet the brothers of their sons and to know each other as well.

On October 12 four new brothers were initiated into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. They are: John Cornelison, Tom Diamond, Bob Jones and John Menne.

Congratulations to Ron Frazzini, who plans to marry Jacque Frazee, an Alpha Chi, on February 6.

The members of Colorado Alpha join in wishing you all a successful and enjoyable new year.

BOB YOUNG, *Correspondent*

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## ***District 6***

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#### **Washington Alpha—University of Washington**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—11 in 36)*

The brothers can look back over a very eventful fall quarter, but at the present time final exams seem to be occupying most everyone's mind 24 hours a day.

Elections were held the second week in October and the following were elected: Gary Mapes, GP; Bob Pollack, VGP; Jerry Sprague, P; Gerry Barker, AG; Don Bailey, BG; Bob Greenwell, SG; Jim Bingman, Hi; Jim Walker, Hod; and Tom Neilson, Phu.

In campus activities, Dick Hull has achieved a key position as sub chairman of program panel which is the activities control board of the University. Jack Moldenhour and Don Bailey are chairman and assistant chairman of the Hub Dance Committee, which plans the all-university dances during the year. Harold Gismervig has a big job ahead of him as Varsity Ball chairman, and Pledge Dave Thatcher is one of the finalists for frosh yell leader, and also plans to run for freshman class president next quarter.

The Sun Dodgers, a very prominent men's spirit group on campus, have played an important role in organizing card stunts and adding color to the



Huskies' home football games this fall. George Richardson, Gary Mapes and Curt Tensler are active members in this organization, and Don Edgers, Loren (Speed-Boat) Ceder, Bill Doell and Doug McCallum are Sun Dodger pledges.

Rehearsals for the always popular Song Fest will start the first part of winter quarter. The Phi Kappa Psi-Alpha Delta Pi combination should prove to be the best group in the mixed doubles division again this year.

The weather has been mighty chilly in Seattle, but nevertheless Gerry Barker and Clint Viebrock found themselves swimming in Lake Washington after the traditional "dunking" that goes along with our pinning ceremony.

We have one more pledge! He is Dean Weyrick, of Yakima, pledged during informal rush.

Our present house manager, Jerry Sprague, won't be with us next quarter. He will graduate in accounting following fall quarter and will immediately enter the Army. We will certainly miss Jerry, for he has done an excellent job during his term of office as P.

Several of the brothers have been working out on our basketball court, getting in shape for the coming winter quarter IM basketball season. We are entering three teams, with hopes that we will come out on top as in past seasons.

Our dates at the Fire Party were especially impressed by the unusual programs that were distributed at the door. These programs were colorful pillows that had different sayings printed across the front of them. Music for the party was furnished by Pledge Harry Shaw's band.

We are all looking forward to the new Hi-Fi system that will be installed during Christmas vacation by Fred Holmes and Lee James. The money for the equipment was donated by our Mothers Club.

GERRY BARKER, *Correspondent*

#### **Oregon Alpha—University of Oregon**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—7 in 20)*

The sound of jazz, of Charley and Diz riding high and loud, filled the room. It was Christmas vacation, and he was alone in the chapter house with a girl. They sat there, drinking in the sounds and the beer, then he turned to her and put his arm around her. Huskily she said, "Tell me about your fraternity."

"Well," he said, "Oregon Phi Psi did quite a bit of studying this term, so our grades should be quite good. And most of our pledges studied hard. I feel that we are laying a firm foundation scholastically here at Oregon Alpha. . . ." She interrupted him by placing her lips against his ear and breathing, "How is the house doing socially?"

"That's where we really moved out this term. The chapter kept up its fine record of lots of good parties. The sophomores re-decorated the 'best cellar-bar north of San Francisco' and it was well used during the term. We had our annual 'Tom

and Jerry' party and various cocktail parties. The high point of the term, of course, was our house dance, a Playboy party formal.

"Frank Giuste and Dick Darling played on the frosh football team, and Donn Taucher was a member of the Oregon varsity. In intramurals, however, Oregon Alpha didn't do too well, due, I'm afraid, to lack of interest."

She closed her eyes and said softly: "Tell me about the internal matters of the fraternity."

"Well, things are pretty solid there also. Fall term started off rather badly, but soon the classes organized; the juniors got together and fixed up the yard and outside of the house and had parties together and raised money; the sophomores, under the influence of Carl Burnham, worked on the basement; the seniors kept things under control; and now the house is quite well organized.

"Of course, we've had some trouble with the Green Hornet and Zorro, and sleeping porch noises. Study chairman Bob Embry was quite disturbed at the disruptive influence of home movies; Dave Lyons, teetotaling VGP, remonstrated the brethren in general about drinking, and Big Daddy McClain said he would have to crack down on excessive bridge playing.

"Financially we aren't doing too poorly, and things will improve as soon as we get our new addition paid for.

"I would say that the overall picture at Oregon Alpha is one of a sound foundation and upward improvement."

She answered: "That was nice."

CARL SQUIRES, *Correspondent*

#### **Oregon Beta—Oregon State College**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—19 in 30)*

Our IM football team had its ups and downs this year. In the first game we rolled down the field to slaughter Delta Chi 6-2, but in the second game the Phi Delt edged us out 29-0. We went down again to the Betas 7-6 even though John (Steam Roller) Benedict took it upon himself to sideline half their team. We bounced back in the final game to defeat Phi Tau 18-0.

On campus, Pledge Bill Shaw is still the only man on the varsity swimming team using water wings and Pledge Roger Coggburn played Lord Ruthven in the production of "Mary of Scotland."

Fall term initiation brought two new brothers into the Fraternity: John Fontaine, of Napa, Calif., and Gary Laugen, of Portland.

Open rush netted us three more freshman pledges: Roger De Wolf, Oakland, Calif.; Ken Stearn, El Cerito, Calif.; and Gene Thornton, Modesto, Calif.

Elections saw Don Ong elected GP; John Huffman, VGP; Al Eberlein, AG; Don Moar, BG; Jay Sumner, SG; Bob Platt, P; Harold Hofman, Hod; Gary Bedsworth, Phu; and Roger Bladholm, Hi.

Don Ong has announced his engagement to Miss Jacquelyn Miller and Gary Bedsworth lured the

members and pledges into the basement where he threw cigars at them to announce his pinning to Miss Annette Stromberg, Sigma Kappa. Brother Rick Graap, attending medical college, is now engaged to Miss Kathleen Deeny, Delta Gamma.

Socially, we enjoyed our new-found freedom from social probation with a costume dance and several firesides.

Homecoming saw many days and nights work go into the construction of a fifteen-foot high beaver dam and a real waterfall in our front yard. The weekend ended in tragedy, though, when our beloved victory bell fell from the truck during the noise parade and wiped out twenty feet of Van Buren Street. Tears were seen in the eyes of many of the brothers when the bell was brought home in a dust pan.

We are all looking forward to next weekend when that big, jovial fellow Scott McNall (5' 7", 150 pounds) takes the part of Santa Clause in the annual Christmas party.

ALAN EBERLEIN, *Correspondent*

#### **California Beta—Stanford University**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—5 in 24*)

First off, our apologies to Stender Sweezy, whose name was incorrectly noted in last month's list of initiates as Stan Sweeny. In these reports our primary concern is to make sure that everyone's name gets into print at least once, and we take this opportunity to assure Sten's many admirers at home and abroad that such a mistake will not likely happen again.

With this matter settled, we can proceed to our main purpose. As predicted, the Reno overnight turned out to be the highlight of the fall social season. Crowds of spectators turned out to watch Cal Beta's jet liner land at the airport; local sports watched with awe as our big plungers staked small fortunes on each spin of the wheel. Diamond Jim Turner, in fact, broke the bank at the Riverside Hotel (fortunately he was able to glue it back together, except for the tail which was stepped on by a passing waiter). Jim Nagler, whose hard work and organizational ability made this debauchery possible, was presented with a gold key to the Mapes washroom.

After donating all their money to local charities, the brothers sold their clothes and flew away, leaving behind them many new found friends and several hundred bad checks.

But this one debacle is not to be taken as typical of the house this quarter. Generally, the men have been sober and industrious. In football, Tom McDonald performed outstandingly at end. Dick Bartlett made the All-American soccer team and was named outstanding player on the Stanford team. Also in soccer, Jeff Morby played with conviction. This coming quarter we have Tom McDonald, Bill Neel, Hugh Brodie and Jim Westberg playing rugby; Dick Andrews, swimming; Peter Barnhisel, wrestling and diving; and Jim Weersing in basketball. Bill Bennett was also approached by Stanford

coach Howie Dallmar, who had the idea of covering him with leather and sneaking him into close games as a sort of human basketball. This was tried, but Bill was unable to stand the constant bouncing, and the plan was reluctantly discarded.

His old friends will not be surprised to learn that Frank Cancino is now appearing in the Warner Brothers Picture "In Love and War." A promising young star, Frank, under his stage name of Constance Bennet, will next be seen in a musical comedy: "Attack of the Puppet People," starring Fred Astaire.

Your correspondent takes pleasure in announcing the engagement of GP Jeff Morby to Miss Jackie Collins. Our congratulations to them.

Next quarter should see a series of triumphs for our IM teams. The basketball team, made up entirely of midgets, should repeat its success of last season. In fact, the boys may do even better this year, with the addition to the squad of two ringers, Tom Thumb and Jack Marsupial, both of whom turn in remarkable performances in what is supposed to be a tall man's game. Jack is able to do this because of his stubborn conviction that he is 17-feet tall. The wrestling, boxing, swimming and squash teams are also of championship caliber.

Daryll Henderson was recently honored by being elected captain of the Stanford football team for next season. Brother Henderson is president of the Student Body, a straight A student, editor of the campus paper, an Olympic skier, golden gloves champion, president of the New York stock exchange, and keeper of the secret seat at Cal Beta. Nice going, Daryll.

Finally, this correspondent would like to acknowledge the tribute paid to him in the last issue of THE SHIELD. It's nice to see that our long-time devotion to the cause of Phi Psi has not gone unnoticed.

IVAN RUBY, *Correspondent*

#### **California Gamma—University of California**

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—17 in 42*)

At this writing the brothers of Cal Gamma are eagerly awaiting the Rose Bowl festivities in Pasadena. From the reports we have received the Hawkeye brothers from Iowa Alpha are also coming out *en masse* to support their team next January 1. We hope to have a few joint functions with our Iowa brothers.

Locally the brothers are two weeks away from semester's end and final examinations. The midnight oil is burning overtime nowadays as the brothers realize that scholarship is all-important if we are to regain active fraternity status on the University of California campus. Leading the parade are Bob Cantu and Gene Kleinbauer, who are presently attaining straight-A averages. Bob Toll and Hort Horn are not far behind.

We are very hopeful of regaining our status either in February, or May at the latest. The chapter has been cooperating 100 per cent with the



University and its assistant dean of men in charge of fraternity affairs, Mr. Thomas Dutton. The alumni are all behind us and have also been negotiating with the University for land on which to build a new chapter house. Although the present house on Hearst Avenue is still in very good physical condition, the University is taking over our land by 1961; by that date we hope to have the new house constructed and ready for occupancy.

Our Mothers Club put on a pre-Big Game luncheon which was a huge success. Over 400 Phi Psis and their friends attended, among whom were many of our "farm" brothers—remember, Cal Beta . . . Cal 16—Stanford 15 . . . with one skin wagered on outcome! Cough up!

Although we are not allowed to participate in IM sports, several of the brothers are participating in varsity athletics. While Fred Henschell is breaking oars down at the boathouse, Jon King is "spear-chucking" for the track team and Mike Moulton and Bob Cantu are horsehiding it up for the team which won the NCAA championship two years ago. Kent Newmark is again playing tennis and Dick Muldav and Butch Fitzpatrick are working out with the wrestling squad.

Our officers for the fall semester have been: Hort Horn, GP; Jon King, VGP; Kent Newmark, P; Roger Labare, AG; Gene Kleinbauer, BG; and Roger Ferree, SG. The steward, a new officer in our chapter in charge of the commissary, is currently the very reliable Doug Moore.

ROGER LABARE, *Correspondent*

#### **California Delta—University of Southern California**

*(Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—16 in 28)*

Two Cal Deltans have made headlines since the last issue of THE SHIELD. Dan Ficca was named first string tackle on the All-West Coast football team. Dan is a sophomore this year with a bright future ahead of him. Scott Fitzrandolph, student body president, was elected vice president of the Pacific Student Body Presidents Association. Scott has also become the envy of SC's male population as he sits next to actress Terry Moore in Dr. Baxter's Shakespeare class.

Socially, Cal Delta has been very active. So far we have had dinner and movie exchanges with Kappa Alpha Theta, Pi Beta Phi, Delta Delta Delta and Alpha Phi. Chairmen Bill Holleran and Bert Purdue have arranged some fantastic parties this semester including the Swamp party, the Pajamero, Cowboy Capers (a square dance party held with the Tri-Delts) and several cocktail parties. Our traditional Thanksgiving dinner was held the day before Thanksgiving. Mrs. Allen prepared another wonderful meal and Professor John Burkhardt, of the department of Religion, spoke. Mrs. Allen, who has been our cook for the past twenty-seven years, was the guest of honor at our annual Christmas dinner put on by the Mothers Club. We think her twenty-seven years with us must be some sort of a record.

Scholastically, congratulations go to Ted Brown,

who had the highest grades in the chapter last semester, and to Rich Gates, who made the most improvement. Both men were presented with twenty-five dollars from the Mothers Club.

Since SC no longer permits IF football, the Phi Psis have taken to challenging various fraternities to Saturday football games. The loser must supply a keg of beer for the enjoyment of all. So far we have beaten Phi Beta Nu, a fraternity at LA State, and Kappa Sigma. In IF sports we have taken second and fourth in handball singles, fourth in bowling, and are presently playing in the six-man volleyball finals. Bob Raine and Larry Hauser represent us on the basketball team this year.

JACK LOUSTAUNOU, *Correspondent*

#### **California Epsilon—Univ. of California at Los Angeles**

*(No scholastic report)*

Finals are almost here and again it's time to hit the books in one last effort before exams. As we do so, however, we can look back on ten weeks that have spelled a highly successful fall semester.

Our social calendar, since the last letter, featured our annual Christmas Formal with Delta Gamma. A champagne pre-party at the chapter house was followed by a highly enjoyable dance at the Bel-Air Bay Club.

The highlight of the semester, activity-wise, was our winning of the All-U IM football championship. Sparked by the passing of player-coach Chuck Kloes, the hard running of Jim Reach, and many brilliant receptions by Don Ward, the team played outstanding ball throughout the season to go undefeated in all nine encounters. Also, while on the subject of IM competition, our volleyball team has won its league, and now has a good chance of bagging another All-U trophy for Phi Psi.

Congratulations are in order to UCLA footballer, Harry Baldwin. A sophomore, he played first-string center for the Bruins this year and was given honorable mention on the All-PCC football team.

In varsity sports next semester, Cal Epsilon will be well represented. On the baseball diamond will be Don Ward, Bob Ohland, Jim Reach, and never-say-die Fred Dunker. Pole vaulter Bill Logan and hurdler Barry Schaffer represent Phi Psi on the track teams. Proving that "life is but a dream," Jim Harris, Al Bailey, Jeff Baus, and Tony Aable will be rowing gently down the stream for varsity crew. Harry Baldwin and John Harrison will be knocking heads on the rugby field, and Ricky (Foxy) Stewart will be playing for UCLA's perennial championship tennis team.

We wish to extend our thanks to the brothers at Cal Gamma for their very generous hospitality in offering the facilities of their chapter house to those of us attending the All-Cal weekend at Berkeley.

Rushing is just around the corner, beginning February 2. We are looking forward to the alumni

response in recommendations such as we received last semester. You are all not only invited, but encouraged to drop around during this time.

JERRY STEVENS, *Correspondent*

#### Arizona Alpha—University of Arizona

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—15 in 21*)

Four new pledges were added to the house roster during November. They are: Phil Davidson, Ajo; Benton Hamilton, Yuma; George Carter, Holtville, Calif.; and Pete Brower, Redondo Beach, Calif.

Bill Hunzeker and Harv Andres, members of traditions committee, organized and led the "Beat Tempe" rally. The rally was very successful, but unfortunately the same cannot be said of the game, with Arizona's fighting Wildcats defeated 47-0. Hopes are high with basketball season coming up, though, with Larry Ewald on the starting five. Harv Andres and Dick Nickey are bringing in their share of glory as members of the Greek Week committee. Pledge Phil Hendren has been active in drama production, and Pledge Pete Brower is on the varsity wrestling team.

The entire house is awaiting December 13, when the yoke of social probation is lifted from us. Our first social event of the season will be our Christmas Formal, to be held on the 13th in the Varsity Room of the Pioneer Hotel.

A visit from Brother Joice proved interesting and informative, as he filled us in on many of the activities of other chapters and gave us many good ideas on improving our own.

Various activities have kept the house constantly busy these past few weeks. Our Homecoming float unfortunately didn't bring back any trophies, but the chicken wire framework made a handy cage for Tri-Delt pledges. It seems that the Tri-Delt pledges failed to show up as designated rooters in the annual pledge pajama race. In retaliation, our pledge class held a mass kidnapping in which Greek letters were administered to the appropriate parts of the female anatomy. All was taken in good fun, and several dates were made as a result of it. Way to hustle, pledges!

To all of the brothers in chapters in colder climes, Arizona Alpha extends a warm invitation to transfer to an area long noted for its sunshine and warm weather. Snowfall for November exceeded six inches, as can be seen by the shocked expressions on the faces of Brothers Ayres, Herbert and Henry in the photo. Surely was a shock to all of us, but turned out happily as many of the brothers found themselves toasting marshmallows in the living room of the Pi Phi house, with real winter atmosphere.



Arizona Alpha submits a believe-it-or-not photo, with Brothers Ayres, Herbert and Henry watching snow fall in Tucson. More than six inches of it fell in November.

Recent work sessions, participated in by both actives and pledges, have resulted in a complete face-lifting for many parts of the house. The annex, known for years as the out-house, was completely redecorated and now looks quite respectable. The back porch, dining room, storeroom, basement stairs and hall, and several individual rooms were painted. "Sheik" Nemer will hardly recognize the place when he and his camel finally return to school.

Another new activity at Arizona Alpha is the formation of a fraternity within a fraternity, Beta Beta Mu, the Maverick watchers honorary. Rushing has resulted in a fine class of Chi Omegas who are presently learning such important items of pledge training as: the founders for whom the Greek letters stand (Bret and Bart Maverick); who brought mysticism to the fraternity (Dandy Jim Buckley); the pledge trainer's name (Palladin), and how to mark a deck.

A fond farewell will be given to graduating seniors Jim Casey and Harv Bershader. Jim returned to school for a final semester after serving a hitch in the Army and his experience as an older active has been of much help to the chapter. Harv served as GP for the first semester of 1957-58. Both will be missed.

So are you, McBride. COME HOME!

EMIL FRANZI, *Correspondent*



1959 DISTRICT COUNCILS

District	Host	Dates
I	Connecticut Alpha	April 3, 4, 5
II	Maryland Alpha	April 17, 18, 19
III	Pennsylvania Beta	March 26, 27, 28
IV	Michigan Alpha	April 24, 25, 26
V	Missouri Alpha	March 26, 27, 28
VI	Oregon Beta	March 6, 7, 8

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# 1959 FOUNDERS DAY MEETINGS

NEW YORK CITY .....February 19. ....New York Athletic Club (59th St.)  
PHILADELPHIA .....February 20 or 21 ..Mask and Wig Club (310 So. Quince St.)  
(Call Penn Iota)  
HARRISBURG, PA. ....February 19 .....Call Jim English, Radio WKBO  
ST. LOUIS .....February 27 ..University Club (Grand and Washington Sts.)  
INDIANAPOLIS .....Call Bill Black, 6129 No. Oakland Ave.  
CHICAGO ... ..February 20... ..Furniture Club, Furniture Mart  
TWIN CITY, MINN. ... ..February 20... ..Normandy Hotel, Minneapolis  
KANSAS CITY .. ..Call John A. Pearman, Independence, Mo.  
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## New York Alumni Association

After our first snowfall of the season in the New York Metropolitan area, we had our "Fall Luncheon." Before the luncheon, Charles C. Homer III, Md. Alpha '20, was showing his membership certificate card to a few of us younger members—we all were quite impressed.

Frank Kelley, N.Y. Gamma '28, gave a sparkling account of some of his personal experiences as a foreign correspondent for the New York *Herald Tribune*. The highlight of his talk was the way he obtained a visa to Russia during the days when it was just about impossible.

As always, a lot of things are happening in the New York area. Here are a few of them:

Bob Sluyter is moving from Westfield, N.J., to Boston. He will be general agent for the Loyal Protective Life Insurance Company.

Bill Hennemuth, N.Y. Beta, has changed companies. He is now with Ross & Slingman, New Brunswick, N.J.

Horace Curtis, N.Y. Beta '38, is now connected with the advertising agency of Sullivan, Stauffer, Colwell & Bayles, as vice-president.

David Zoellner, Mo. Alpha, has recently moved to the Metropolitan area; he is now working for the advertising agency of Cunningham & Walsh.

Henry Swab, Pa. Eta '41, has been appointed general sales manager in the Texas area for Atlas Powder Company. He will move to Houston early next year.

Fred Brookwell, N.Y. Beta, was recently appointed eastern regional marketing manager for U.S. Gypsum.

Lewis Moulton, N.Y. Beta, has been appointed agency and product manager for the eastern regional office of the Boston Insurance Group.

The New York Alumni Association is making plans for 1959 Founders Day dinner. This event will be held at the New York Athletic Club (59th Street) on February 19. There will be an interesting speaker at this celebration and, of course, it will give Phi Psis in the New York Metropolitan area an opportunity to see each other again. Anyone who has not received notices lately and would like to be placed on the list, please notify me at 18 Hall Avenue, Tuckahoe, N.Y. (SPencer 9-6638).

DONALD C. TUERS, *Correspondent*

## Philadelphia Alumni Association

The 1959 Founders Day dinner will be held at the Mask and Wig Club, 310 S. Quince Street either February 20 or 21. It's hoped to get John B. Long, Pa. Lambda '12, president of the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State University, as

guest speaker. Brother Long lives at Blue Bell, Pa. President Bayard M. Graf, Ill. Alpha, and his committee are working out plans. The luncheons at the Engineers Club, 1327 Spruce Street have been very well attended during the past months.

HARMAN YERKES JR., *Correspondent*

## Detroit Alumni Association

At a loss as to what has already been sent in this year, let's start with a successful golf outing held June 21 followed by a very pleasant afternoon in July at the Canadian summer home of Harold (Mose) Cherry.

Our fall plans, of course, included a football get-together at Ann Arbor and efforts on the part of the Detroit alumni group to give assistance in the form of closer liaison to the chapter at Ann Arbor.

Current agenda includes something new for us in the form of a between holidays get-together for alumni and undergrads to be held at the University Club, December 29. We are hoping that this will be a stepping stone to a record breaking Founders Day banquet in 1959.

JOHN E. REXFORD, *Correspondent*

## Saint Louis Alumni Association

The Saint Louis alumni have new officers and is presently in the process of reorganization. At the helm is President Harry Wimmer, who took over the job when Jack Keith was transferred to Little Rock. Harry has appointed Don Krechel to take over the post he vacated as vice-president. Jim Fell is secretary-treasurer.

A committee has been formed to bring up to date our membership list and to recruit members who are new in this area. A number of social functions are being planned in the future, including a Christmas luncheon, Founders Day (of course) and several stag nights.

We all enjoyed a delightful evening at Vern Henchel's home recently. A barbecue dinner was served, and we might add that Vern is quite a chef!

Many of the Saint Louis alumni attended the 50th Anniversary celebration at Missouri Alpha. It was a wonderful weekend. The active chapter at Missouri Alpha did a wonderful job of organizing this event, many thanks to all the brothers and pledges at MU.

Founders Day is planned for February 27 at the University Club at Grand and Washington in Saint Louis. We urge all alumni in this area to attend. For reservations call Jim Fell, PA 7-3593 or drop him a card at 6857 Plymouth, Saint Louis 14.



Any Phi Psis in the Saint Louis area are invited to attend all meetings and social functions. Let us hear from you; contact Jim Fell to get on our mailing list.

Many alumni are planning to attend initiation ceremonies at Missouri Alpha this spring. Let's really make it a big turnout and show Missouri Alpha that we are interested and willing to support them.

Hats off to Jim Higgins, who attended his sixth GAC. We are looking forward to his report to be given at the Founders Day banquet.

DAN B. FOSTER, *Correspondent*

#### **Indianapolis Alumni Association**

The silence is past. The Indianapolis Alumni Association has not gone underground. We are still in business.

The attendance at our monthly meetings had dropped off to the point where we found it necessary to discontinue them for awhile. We have, however, continued our major functions and present plans are to revive our monthly meetings beginning in January, with a slight change in format.

A brief report on our activities in the past year should properly include our thanks to Fred Hadley for allowing us to have our pre-Christmas cocktail party in his home in December, 1957. He has invited us again this year, and I am sure that December 22 will be equally enjoyable for all Phi Psis and wives who are able to attend.

Founders Day, 1958, was held at the Athanaeum and featured a talk by the Rev. Ray Montgomery, Indiana Alpha, the usual awards to the chapters, and a special award to Austin Rinne, who left Indianapolis a month or two later for Dallas, Texas, to open an agency for the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. He had heard that there was a shortage of life insurance salesmen in Texas, and decided to go down and fill the void. We all hope and trust that he will be even more successful in Dallas than he was in Indianapolis.

In August, Si Reagan offered us the use of a cabin on his grounds for a beer party, which was enjoyed by some twenty members. Not having had our regular election the previous November, we held an election to fill the offices of president and secretary until the following November. Tony Francescon was elected president, and Bill Black, secretary. Our faithful treasurer, Jim Carter, was re-elected.

Our annual Thanksgiving Eve banquet, an Indianapolis tradition since 1894, was held at the Columbia Club. The attendance was small due to the negligence of the secretary in getting out the notices, but the enthusiasm of those present made up for it. There was no speaker, but short talks by Doc Batman, Si Reagan, and others filled the gap. New officers were elected as follows: president, John Rabb Emison; vice-president, John Wallace; secretary, Bill Black; and treasurer, Jim Carter. All officers are from Indiana Beta, except our pres-

ident, who is from Indiana Alpha. (Where else for an Emison?)

Politically, Phi Psis were successful in November elections. Two of Indiana's eleven seats in the House of Representatives will be occupied in the next Congress by Winfield Denton, re-elected in the Eighth District, and Joe Barr, elected in the Eleventh District. Both are from Indiana Alpha Chapter. Indiana Beta members who made good are Bob Gramelspacher, re-elected state senator from Jasper and environs, and Zane Stohler, re-elected Randolph County prosecutor. Zane was also recently elected secretary-treasurer of the Indiana Prosecutors' Association.

Although not a Phi Psi affair, the recent Indiana University football banquet, which feted the coach who had brought IU out of the depths of the Big Ten standings, was well attended by Phi Psis. Among those seen there by your correspondent were Bob Boyd, Bob Cross, Doc Batman, Doug Scheid, Jim Mace, John Wallace and Bill McMurtrie.

I heard of something at the Thanksgiving banquet which deserves mention here, and amplification later. It is the story of the Indiana Beta class initiated in 1917. All fifteen members of this class are still living, and in the past several years all but one has been present at one or more of their reunions. Local members of this group are: Doc Batman, Hux Huxford, Bis Gray, and Oscar Frenzel.

We are looking forward to a resurgence of Phi Psi activity in Indianapolis in future months, and urge you to attend. If you are here and have not been getting notices, or if you are just passing through, get in touch with me.

BILL BLACK, *Correspondent*

#### **Chicago Alumni Association**

The Chicago Alumni Association has had a good year due to the fine support of our able officers, headed by Frank Whiting Jr.

We are looking forward to the annual undergraduate luncheon December 30. Chairman Pat Anderson, Indiana Gamma, has a record of success and this event will enhance it.

Founders Day Banquet will be Friday, February 20, at the Furniture Club. Kent Yowell, Colorado Alpha, is the chairman and urges all brothers in the area to plan now to attend.

Clarence Davis, Illinois Beta, with offices at 208 S. LaSalle Street, is our new Placement Director. Don Weiser, Penn Epsilon, is now National Director of Alumni Activity.

Start planning now to attend the 1960 GAC.

HUGH LEININGER, *Correspondent*

#### **Twin City Alumni Association**

The 1959 Founders Day Banquet will be held February 20 at the Normandy Hotel. Cocktails will be served at 6:30 p.m. with dinner to follow at 7:30. Our mailing list is not completely up to date,

so if you miss the mail announcement it is not an intentional slight. Contact all of your Phi Psi friends and let's see if we can really have a big turnout.

There has been some dissatisfaction stated by the members as to the present arrangement of our alumni luncheons. They would like to make better arrangements at Founders Day to increase attendance. If you have any good ideas, bring them to the banquet with you.

News items about some of our alumni find Bob Westlake serving with the Air Force; Don Kost being transferred to Eau Claire; and Bud Coe moving to St. Louis to work with a radio station there.

Remember Founders Day is February 20 at the Normandy. See you there!

DON REINHARDT, *Correspondent*

#### **Kansas City Alumni Association**

We find our pulses just now returning to normal after the fabulous finish of the traditional K.U.-M.U. football fray. Underdog M.U. did themselves proud with a 13-point lead until about the last five minutes. The nearly forty K.C. alumni and their wives who "traveled on a Greyhound bus" replete with revelry and spirits, saw K.U. stage a rally to match the best ever by using that five remaining minutes to tie-up the game and leave everyone happy. Of course, Frank Allen '33, appeared to sink lower and recover more completely than anyone else when his Jayhawkers saved the day for his wagering.

The hospitality and luncheon at the new chapter house at Columbia, carefree travel to and from, and the nostalgic serenading by elder tenors and baritones at the rear of the bus made that trip another highly successful activity. By the way, for the hospitality of both the M.U. and the K.U. chapter houses during the football season, on behalf of our KCAA, a word of thanks to the boys and housemothers MacLeod (Kansas) and Spangler (Missouri).

The other noteworthy event for this issue was the wonderful turnout at the Missouri Alpha Fifty Year Anniversary of the re-establishment in their new home. Gathered in Kansas City en route to Columbia were Dr. Roy McCubbin '08, Ted Wheeler, Cliff (Tony) Johnson, Grant Shockley of Orange, Calif., Ben Seward '11, Judge Duvaul Strother '13, Bones Williams '13, Frank C. (Happy) Thorpe, Otto Unfug of Sterling, Colo., E. D. Vasse of Alta Dena, Calif., Phil Brinkerhoff of Bishop, Calif., "Tige" Brown of Shreveport, La., T. O. Wright Jr., T. Fiske Marbut of Emporia, and James F. Boyle. A great time was enjoyed by those and many other old grads during the two-day stay at the Daniel Boone. The Chapter did itself proud hospitality-wise, and did you notice the handsome portrait of friend Bones Williams in their library? A fine tribute to his untiring work for the Chapter and for Phi Kappa Psi.

Congratulations to department:

Floyd Gibson, Mo. '28, on re-election to Missouri Senate and president pro-tem of the Senate. Also upon acquiring half interest in John A. Sea Title Company, Independence, Mo.

Joe Davis, Kans. '45, on re-election on Republican ticket as Johnson County magistrate.

William Randall, Mo. '32, on re-election as Judge of the Eastern Jackson County Court, and also upon becoming a director on the Independence Hospital Board.

Larry Winn Jr., Kans. '38, upon election to another national real estate planning post in Washington, D. C. (Sorry Larry was not available for details.)

Center-aisle department: Keith Chader, Mo. '48, and Angeline Snook, Alpha Gamma, Washington State; William Chiles and Carol Montgomery, M.U. Pi Phi; Eugene McCravy and Karol Kay, now at home in Greenville, S.C.; Don Olson, Mo. '52, and Ann Rumsey, K.U. Pi Phi; Bill Gilges, N.H. Alpha and Jane Denni, K.U., KKG.

Congratulations to Bob Hill, Bill Johnson and Kurt Youngstrom, three Kansas City men who pledged at Illinois Delta this fall.

Good for you, Austin Rinne. I noted by your byline in last issue that you carried the Indiana Beta banner right into "Big-D." Have those Texans convinced you Dallas beats Indianapolis yet?

JOHN A. PEARMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Southern California Alumni Association**

Our luncheons this fall have featured reports from distant places. Claude Ferguson finally attended an Oklahoma-Texas game but felt that the Sooners should have paid him to stay at home. John Gall brought back glowing reports of the 50th reunion at Missouri Alpha. Lyle Caldwell saw plenty on a short European jaunt. Marvin Simpson made his annual visit from Denver. We have had other brothers back from Hawaii, Mexico, Montana and San Francisco.

The most traveled brother joined us on October 30. He was our good National Treasurer Clyde Joice. Having already visited thirty-seven chapters and being well informed about the others there wasn't much he couldn't tell us about the state of the Fraternity. We greatly appreciated having the opportunity to have him with us.

Several of the brothers accompanied him to Santa Barbara to introduce him to the Phi Psis of that community. While there he got a good look at the campus and the Phi Psi Zeta local which seems to be developing lots of muscle for a new group.

On November 8 we had an enjoyable dinner-dance at the Hollywood-Knickerbocker Hotel. Fred Martin, Cal Epsilon (of nearby Capitol Records) was chairman for the affair and his efforts were greatly appreciated.

Our next affair comes December 18; the Annual Phi Psi Christmas luncheon. This is always a happy time and this year Bob Mount has promised to bring a store of his best stories.

In our last letter it was noted that Shirley Mcserve and Pappy Burgwald had had some ticker trouble. Their friends will be glad to know that they are on the mend very definitely.

Founders Day plans are not all completed but the banquet will again be held at the Rodger Young Auditorium. Notices will be in the mail with ample warning. A good attendance is looked for. See you there.

NEWMAN DORR, *Secretary*

#### **Arizona Alumni Association**

By the time this goes to press Phoenix members of the Arizona Alumni Association will have enjoyed another Christmas season, and will be well on their way towards a sunny new year. As of now Phi Psi festivities call for a Christmas luncheon meeting December 23, plus the annual Christmas cocktail party to be held sometime in December. Along with the holiday get-togethers we are all looking forward to attending the Founders Day celebration this year hosted by the Tucson alumni, and the active chapter at the University of Arizona.

The annual meeting of the Phi Psi Building Association was held in September at the chapter house in Tucson. Those who attended were left with a feeling of optimism regarding the future of our Arizona chapter. This optimism can be chalked up to a great deal of blood, sweat, and at times almost tears on the part of the active chapter, and the Tucson members of the Building Association. Dean Olson, of Phoenix, although 120 miles from our operation in Tucson, has done a terrific job of maintaining liaison with the active chapter, manipulating their finances, and keeping us all informed of the financial situation at Arizona Alpha.

Locally our fine weather is bound to attract a larger turnout of Phoenix alumni, and Phi Psi sun seekers for our Tuesday luncheon meetings. If you haven't joined us for lunch come on out. We think you'll enjoy our jovial crowd, together with the scenic picture window location of our table. This location provides Phoenix Phi Psis an unobstructed view of the green patio, blue sky, and attractive pool filled with pure Rocky Mountain spring water, and surrounded by beautiful girls. A real treat for tired eyes, guaranteed to cure sniffles and snow blindness. If you are in Phoenix we'll look forward to your joining us at our luncheon paradise any Tuesday noon in the Concho Room of the Hotel Westward Ho.

In the meantime Arizona Phi Psis extend belated yuletide greetings to all Phi Psis with our very best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

JIM WARBASSE, *Correspondent*



#### **Alumni Club of Santa Barbara**

The two-year work of the Santa Barbara Alumni Club and the Southern California Alumni Association came to a head this summer when the IFC of the University of California at Santa Barbara approved the formation of a local fraternity under the sponsorship of our Phi Psi Alumni Club.

An old Goleta Valley residence was remodeled, painted and cleaned by our spirited alumni club members and now provides adequate quarters for Phi Psi Zeta. Virgil Hepp, Calif. Beta '29, was the guiding force in getting the house in shape and in organizing the Rush Week program. Of the eleven charter members of Phi Psi Zeta only four returned to school to put in an appearance at the chapter house. When the doors opened for the first open house September 19, the following alumni were on hand to greet the 220 rushees who devoured the tempting food prepared by our Phi Psi wives and served by Sally Hepp: Ray McCoy, Minn. Beta '48; Virgil Hepp, Calif. Beta '29; John Knights, Minn. Beta '32; Harry Brelsford, Mich. Alpha '34; Larry Dunn, Calif. Gamma '23; Dick Lambert, Iowa Alpha '31; Bill Wade, Wash. Alpha '28; Wilbur Jacobs, Calif. Epsilon '39; John Russell, Calif. Delta '49; Walter Frye, Va. Beta '42; Jim Dow, Iowa Alpha '48; Harold Hatten, Penn. Iota; Don Welch, Wash. Alpha '28; and Luin Thacher, Kans. Alpha '29. We got off to a good start with a week of planned activities including a water skiing party, skippered by Virgil Hepp and John Tappeiner (John, although not an initiated Phi Psi, was former president of the UCLA chapter when it was a local and he was happy to assist).

Phi Psi Zeta took in 16 pledges and is off to a good start for the year. They have formed their own five-piece band, and under the guidance of Pledge Bob Anderson took second place for their float in the homecoming parade. The chapter entertained the alumni and their wives for a Homecoming breakfast Sunday morning, October 25, which was well attended.

Because of the tremendous interest and responsibility shown by our alumni club members, it was decided to have a weekly luncheon meeting every Monday noon at the Santa Barbara University Club. Our able president, Ray McCoy, Minn. Beta '48, has been instrumental in keeping the group well informed on all matters of the Fraternity, both local and national. Ray has asked that all new Phi Psis in this area please contact our secretary, Dr. Luin Thacher, 1513 State Street, for information. Also a cordial invitation is out to all visiting Phi Psis who frequent Santa Barbara to be sure and see Luin and attend our weekly luncheon.

We are anticipating having a large group from here going to Los Angeles in February for the annual Founders Day Banquet sponsored by the Southern California Alumni Association.

DR. JAMES R. DOW, *Correspondent*

# OBITUARY

## ALBERT AUSTIN HARDING

*Illinois Delta 1904*

Dr. Albert A. (Aus) Harding, 78, dean of American college bandmasters, Illinois Delta charter member, and director of band activities at the University of Illinois from 1905 until 1948, died Dec. 3, 1958 in Champaign, Ill. He had been suffering with cancer for several months.

He was world famous as a pioneer in the development of the concert band in the educational field. Bands at Illinois expanded under his guidance from a single unit of 50 members to three organizations with a total of 350 members, plus a fourth, the football marching band, which he organized each fall from the other band groups.

Brother Harding's innovations revolutionized instrumentation for the concert band. His bands were noted for their excellent musicianship and for their extensive repertoires which he widened by encouraging composition and personally transcribing more than 150 numbers for concert band use.

Born in Georgetown, Ill., Feb. 20, 1880, his mother died before he was two years old and he was raised on his grandparents' farm near Paris, Ill. He launched his musical career as a boy with a battered brass cornet he found in his grandfather's barn, using the dashboard of a sleigh as a music rack.

As a high school senior he directed the Paris City Band, and for several years led bands and orchestras in Paris, Urbana, Champaign, and Terre Haute, Ind. Soon after his twenty-second birthday he decided there was no future in music for him and he enrolled in the University of Illinois engineering school.

Although trained in engineering, he never entered the field. He had joined the university band as a freshman and in his senior year was named its director. It was a post he never relinquished until he reached mandatory retirement age in 1948, when he became director emeritus.

Under his direction, the Illinois band was first to spell out words and to perform intricate marching maneuvers while playing without whistle-blast or pistol-shot signals.

The late John Philip Sousa was Harding's close friend and wrote the "University of Illinois March" especially for him. When Sousa died in 1932 he left his personal band music library, contained in forty-two trunks, to the University of Illinois.

Brother Harding was honorary president of both the American Bandmasters Association and the College Band Directors National Association. As guest of honor at the 1949 Chicago Musicland Festival, he directed a mass band of 2,500 pieces in Sousa's "Stars and Stripes Forever."



DR. ALBERT A. HARDING

Numerous colleges and universities awarded him honorary doctorates in music, and he was frequently a guest conductor of outstanding symphony orchestras and concert bands.

In 1913 Brother Harding married Margaret Rogers, of Champaign, Ill., who preceded him in death in 1946. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Robert C. (Jane Austin Harding) Moss, Doerun, Ga., and four grandchildren.

## WILLIAM CONSIDER LAW

*New York Epsilon 1893*

William C. Law, who retired in 1941 after teaching for more than half a century in Vermont, died in August, 1958. He was 87 years old.

After teaching in several Vermont district schools, he moved to Westmoreland in 1903 where he taught in the high school for thirty-eight years.

A descendant of a family which came to America between 1620 and 1640, he was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Masonic Fraternity, and was active in church and community projects.

Among his survivors are a son, William O. Law, Bartlett, N.Y.; a daughter, Mrs. Erwin L. Coons, Montpelier, Vt.; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**KARL OWEN THOMPSON**  
*Massachusetts Alpha 1900*

Professor Karl O. Thompson, who retired after thirty-three years as a faculty member of Case Institute of Technology, died Dec. 10, 1958, in Cleveland. He was 77 years old.

Known to the student body at Case as "K.O.," he joined the faculty in 1914 as an instructor. In 1917 he was made head of the department of languages and literature. He held that post until he was given emeritus status in 1947.

After his retirement, he had served Case as its archivist, gathering material for a history of the school. He was author of two books: "English for Engineers," and "Technical Exposition." From 1921 until 1946 he also served as Case librarian.

Born in Springfield, Mass., he received his arts degree at Amherst College in 1904, and a divinity degree from Yale University in 1907. He held pastorates in Michigan and in Ohio before joining the Case faculty.

He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the Sons of the American Revolution, and the Cleveland City Club. He had received the Meritorious Service Award from the Case Alumni Association in 1956.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Maude Burnham Thompson, 3130 Essex Rd., Cleveland Heights, Ohio; two sons: Ralph B. Thompson, Gainesville, Fla., and Paul E. Thompson, Canton, Ohio; and four grandchildren.

**GLENN W. JOHNSON**  
*North Carolina Alpha 1942*

Glenn W. Johnson, production director of television station WBTV in Charlotte, N.C., died suddenly Oct. 27, 1958, in that city.

A veteran of World War II, he served three years in the Army Signal Corps before he was graduated at Duke University in 1948. After his graduation he attended Parsons School of Design in New York for one year and then returned to North Carolina to begin work in television.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Barbara Johnson and a daughter Diane, age 3, of Charlotte, N.C.

**WILLIAM JOHN CURRER**  
*Michigan Alpha 1889*

The Rev. William J. Currer, honorary rector of St. Edmund's Episcopal Church, San Marino, Calif., died Dec. 11, 1958. He was 88 years old.

He had served for more than thirty years in the Los Angeles Diocese before he retired as rector of the San Marino Church in 1952. He had been rector of Mt. Mark's Church in Downey, Calif., for eighteen years and was chaplain of Rancho Los Amigos Hospital.

He is survived by a son, William J. Currer Jr., Los Angeles; four daughters, Mrs. Leah Hix, Pasadena; Mrs. Catherine Steck, Arcadia; Mrs. Jean James, San Gabriel; Mrs. Helen C. Browne, Beverly Hills; and thirteen grandchildren.

**ROBERT G. REYNOLDS**  
*Illinois Beta 1937*

Robert G. Reynolds, management training supervisor for the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York City, died of peritonitis Oct. 18, 1958, in St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago. He was 40 years old.

After serving his chapter as GP, he was graduated from the University of Chicago in 1940. A year later he entered the Marine Corps, serving with the Fifth Marine Division in the Pacific Theater as a lieutenant colonel. He was awarded both the Silver Star and Purple Heart Medals.

After the war he joined the Illinois Bell Telephone Company. In 1948 he was voted one of Chicago's ten outstanding young men by the Chicago Chamber of Commerce. He moved to New York in 1956 to assume the executive position he held at the time of his death.

Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Loys Kever Reynolds; a son, Robert; and a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, all of 160 Belair Road, Ridgewood, N.J.

**WILLIAM LOUIS HENRY**  
*Pennsylvania Beta 1920*

William L. Henry, prominent Jefferson County (Pa.) attorney for many years, died in December in the Presbyterian Hospital, Pittsburgh, following a long illness. He was 59 years old.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ruth Truman Henry, and a son, William L. Henry II, initiated at Pennsylvania Beta, both of Brookville, Pa.; two brothers, and three sisters.

**PERRY EMMONS OXLEY**  
*Iowa Alpha 1909*

Perry E. Oxley, who had recently retired as state construction engineer for the Idaho Department of Highways, died July 30, 1958, at his home in Boise. He was 71 years old.

Brother Oxley had a long and distinguished career in engineering. After receiving his degree in civil engineering at the State University of Iowa in 1914 he worked with the Union Pacific Railroad, building the Boise to Idaho City branch. In 1920 he joined the Idaho Highway Department as district engineer at Shoshone. After serving in the Lewiston and Coeur d'Alene districts he became state maintenance and equipment engineer in 1927. Six years later he left the Idaho Department and worked in civil construction until 1939 when he was named district engineer at Boise. When World War II started, he returned for a second time to railroad construction engineering and did not return to the Idaho Department of Highways until 1947 when he was appointed to the position he held at the time of his retirement.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie L. Oxley and a daughter, Mrs. Steve Collins Jr., both of Boise; a second daughter, Mrs. T. W. Feeney, Lewiston, Idaho; two sisters; and five grandchildren.

**MERLE ROYSE WALKER**  
*Indiana Alpha 1909*

Merle R. (Ole) Walker, retired investment counsellor, oil man, and third generation member of Phi Kappa Psi, died Sept. 16, 1958 at his home in Laurel, Miss. He was 65 years old.

A grandson of Wilber Fisk Walker, Ind. Alpha '65 and son of Guy M. Walker, Ind. Alpha '87, he played football and basketball at DePauw for three years and was captain of the basketball team his senior year.

After he was graduated at Columbia University Law School in 1914 he served in World War I as a major in the AEF, and was in both the St. Mihiel drive and the Meuse-Argonne offensive.

Following the war, he represented Guaranty Trust Co. of New York in China from 1919 until 1921. Upon his return to the United States he became associated with his father in utility investments and industrial reorganizations in the South and Midwest, with principal interests in southern Mississippi. In the late 1930s he became active in the oil business until he retired in 1946 to move to Laurel, Miss. to manage family land and cattle interests.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elinor Ritter Walker, and three Phi Psi sons: Guy M. Walker, Ind. Alpha '41; F. Halsted Walker, Ind. Alpha '47; and Bruce Walker, Ind. Alpha '50.

**JAMES CECIL BEAN**  
*Indiana Alpha 1919*

J. Cecil Bean, insurance executive with the Peerless Casualty Co., died recently in Keene, N.H.

One of the first recipients of a Rector scholarship, he later received his master's degree at Indiana University.

He is survived by his mother, his widow, one daughter, and a brother, Harold E. Bean, Ind. Alpha '21.

**THOMAS TALBOT SULLIVAN**  
*New York Epsilon 1910*

Thomas T. Sullivan, an attorney in Massena, N.Y., died in Massena Memorial Hospital Dec. 1, 1958, after suffering a heart attack in his home. He was 66 years old.

An outstanding football player at Colgate and a member of Phi Beta Kappa, he coached football at Clarkson College in 1924 and was football and baseball coach at St. Lawrence University from 1925 until he retired from sports in 1938.

**LESTER REXHAM McCARTY**  
*Indiana Alpha 1899*

Lester R. McCarty, retired head of the chemistry department of the Kokomo (Ind.) High School, died Jan. 3, 1958 at his home in that city following a heart attack. He was 76 years old.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Lucile M. Shoaf, of Attica, Ind.

**WALTER JEFFREYS CARLIN**  
*New York Gamma 1900*

Walter J. Carlin, prominent lawyer, bank executive and reserve officer, died recently following a heart attack suffered while in his office at 37 Wall St., New York City. He was 77 years old.

Brother Carlin had served as a colonel in the Army Reserve and had a record of service with the New York National Guard which began in 1899, when he enlisted as a private.

He was chairman of the board of the Lafayette National Bank of Brooklyn, president of the Lafayette Safe Deposits Company, and was a director of Namm's, Inc., and of the 35 Park West Corporation.

A former member of New York's Board of Education, he served from 1933 until 1939 as chairman of its finance and budget committee. He served also on the New York City Milk Commission, and as a member of the City Committee on Plant and Survey.

Brother Carlin's wife, Mrs. Jeanette King Carlin, with whom he was returning from Europe in July, 1956, was lost in the sinking of the Italian liner Andrea Doria, which collided with the Swedish ship Stockholm.

His only immediate survivor is a daughter, Mrs. Robert Smith, of Michigan City, Ind.

**WADE CARLISLE STOOPS**  
*Iowa Alpha 1905*

Wade C. Stoops, who for many years was general manager of the Rock Products Co., Los Angeles, died Nov. 10, 1958. He was 74 years old.

Among his survivors is a son, George A. Stoops, 627 W. 8th St., Los Angeles, Calif.

**WILFORD STANLEY GLADFELTER**  
*Pennsylvania Epsilon 1898*

Wilford S. Gladfelter, who retired two years ago as an accountant for the American Tobacco Co. in New York, died Oct. 28, 1958, at his home in Forest Hills, N.Y. He was 79 years old.

He is survived by two brothers, Auburn H. Gladfelter and Cyrus L. Gladfelter; and a sister, Mrs. Ives M. Bricker.

**PETER VREDENBURGH CLOKE**  
*Pennsylvania Iota 1928*

Peter V. Cloke, mortgage secretary of the Guardian Life Insurance Co. of America, died June 2, 1958 at his home in Montclair, N.J. after a long illness. He was 50 years old.

A member of the executive committee of the board of governors of the Mortgage Bankers Association, he had been with the Guardian Company for the past twenty-five years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Louise Nichols Cloke; a son, Peter V. Cloke III, and a daughter, Carol.



# ***The Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity***

was founded February 19, 1852, at Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa., by

**WILLIAM HENRY LETTERMAN**

Born Aug. 12, 1832, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania

Died May 23, 1881, at Duffau, Texas

**CHARLES PAGE THOMAS MOORE**

Born Feb. 8, 1831, in Greenbrier County, Virginia

Died July 7, 1904, in Mason County, West Virginia

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**THE SHIELD**—J. Duncan Campbell, Editor, P.O. Box 363, Harrisburg, Pa., to whom all news letters and manuscripts should be sent.

**Centennial History**—Order through the Secretary.

**The Song Book**—James D. White Jr., 2345 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland 14, Ohio.

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## GRAND CHAPTERS

Pennsylvania Alpha (1852-56)	Pennsylvania Zeta (1869-75)
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Pennsylvania Delta (1861-66)	Pennsylvania Theta (1878-81)
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	Pennsylvania Epsilon (1884-86)

## PAST PRESIDENTS

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| 1—Joseph Benson Foraker (1886-88)<br>died May 10, 1918             | 16—Henry Hale McCorkle (1916-18)<br>died March 21, 1929       |
| 2—Robert Lowry (1888-90)<br>died Nov. 25, 1899                     | 17—Walter Lee Sheppard (1918-20)<br>died October 16, 1943     |
| 3—John Patterson Rea (1890-92)<br>died May 28, 1900                | 18—Dan Gardner Swannell (1920-22)<br>died April 11, 1939      |
| 4—William Clayton Wilson (1892-94)<br>died May 17, 1925            | 19—George Duffield McIlvaine (1922-24)<br>died Sept. 28, 1928 |
| 5—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1894-96)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 20—Shirley Edwin Meserve (1924-26)                            |
| 6—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1896-98)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 21—Howard Chandler Williams (1926-28)<br>died March 3, 1958   |
| 7—George William Dun (1898-1900)<br>died Dec. 19, 1914             | 22—Harold Guyon Townsend (1928-30)<br>died October 25, 1953   |
| 8—Ernest Milmore Stires (1900-02)<br>died Feb. 12, 1951            | 23—Edward Morris Bassett (1930-32)<br>died Aug. 2, 1941       |
| 9—Edward Lawrence Fell (1902-04)<br>died September 26, 1943        | 24—Thomas Aubrey Cookson (1932-34)                            |
| 10—George Bramwell Baker (1904-06)<br>died May 2, 1937             | 25—Harry Lambright Snyder (1934-36)<br>died March 26, 1958    |
| 11—Charles Frederick Mather Niles (1906-08)<br>died Sept. 20, 1933 | 26—Leverett Samuel Lyon (1936-38)                             |
| 12—David Halstead (1908-10)<br>died Nov. 19, 1940                  | 27—Charles Edwin Strickland (1938-40)                         |
| 13—George Smart (1910-12)<br>died May 16, 1925                     | 28—Andrew Gehr Truxal (1940-42)                               |
| 14—Orra Eugene Monnette (1912-14)<br>died Feb. 23, 1936            | 29—Harry Stewart Gorgas (1942-46)<br>died September 23, 1954  |
| 15—Sion Bass Smith (1914-16)<br>died Jan. 30, 1954                 | 30—Winston Rousseau Tate (1946-48)                            |
|  | 31—Howard Leeman Hamilton (1948-50)                           |
|  | 32—Harlan Bovell Selby (1950-52)                              |
|  | 33—J. Bart Aldridge (1952-54)                                 |
|  | 34—Willis Lyle Jones (1954-56)                                |
|  | 35—Edward Tyler Sturgeon (1956-57)<br>died December 30, 1956  |
|  | 36—James Colburn Addison (1957-58)                            |

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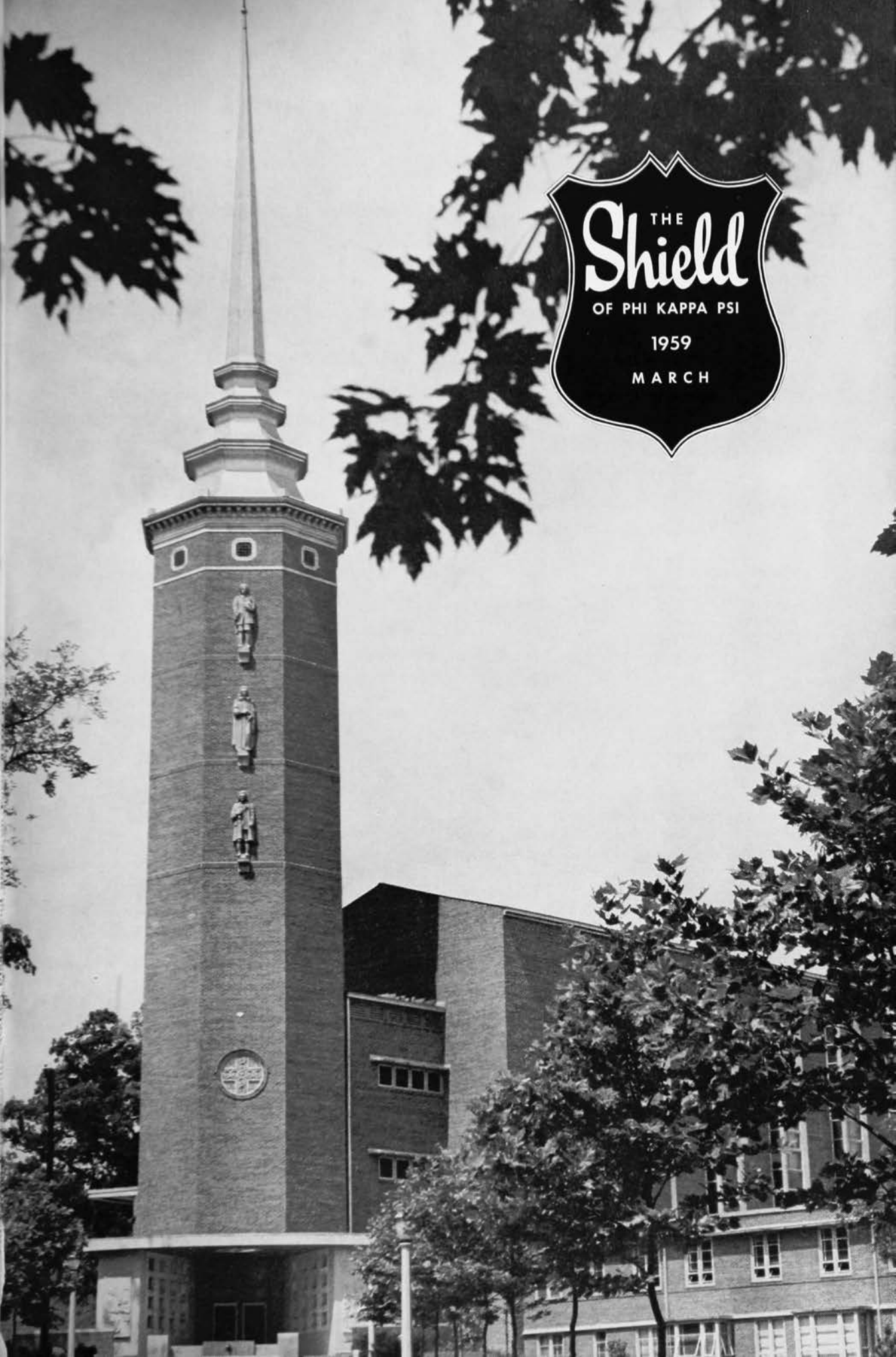
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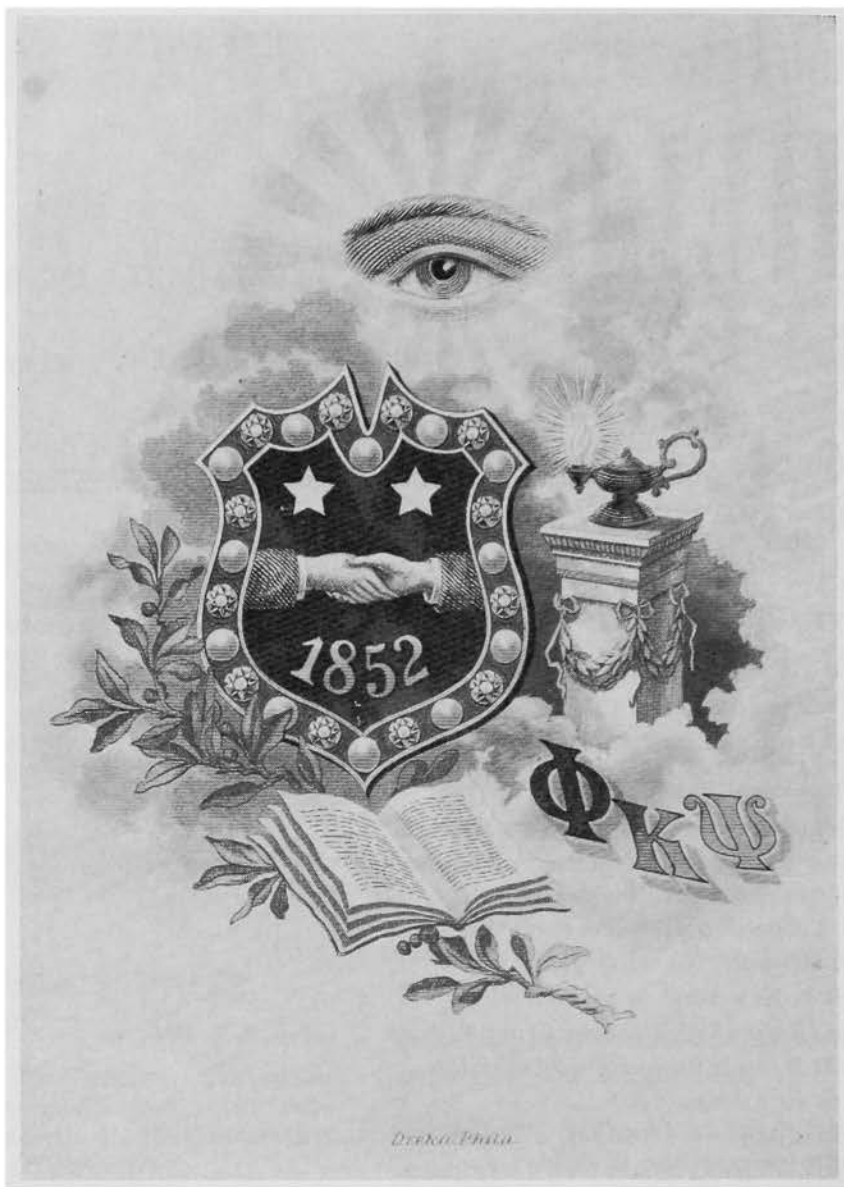
**FRONT COVER:** The new Weaver Chapel and Thomas Library at Wittenberg College. The entrance is a free-standing 212-foot tower. The chapel-library was built in 1955-56 at a cost exceeding \$1½ million. (Cover Story, page 193.)

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Typical of engravings in college annuals is this illustration by Dreka of Philadelphia, found in the 1892 edition of Dickinson College's *Microcosm*. Pennsylvania Zeta Chapter completed its first century at Dickinson on March 19, 1959. A Centennial Celebration is planned for the coming fall.



# Shirley Meserve Joins Chapter Eternal

by Secretary-Editor Emeritus C. F. WILLIAMS, III. Delta '06

*"To those of us who have come to the top of life's hill and now look down upon the valley, with its lengthening evening shadows, toward the sunset of our years, it seems but yesterday that we saw and heard the voices of those Brothers whose contributions to the welfare and advancement of our Brotherhood are in the aggregate immeasurable . . .*

*"I reason that the human mind, the heart and the human soul, the greatest gift of God to man, the highest evidence of the Almighty Himself, shall return to Him who gave it, to be used according to the wisdom of His purpose and the riches of His grace . . .*

*"But oh for the touch of a vanish'd hand,  
And the sound of a voice that is still!"*

Thus did Shirley Edwin Meserve, in a Memorial Address delivered by him at the Centennial Grand Arch Council in 1952 in part refer to those members of the Fraternity who had entered the Chapter Eternal in the preceding biennium.

Today, his widow, his two Phi Psi sons and their families, his intimate associates in the profession of the law, and his brothers in Phi Kappa Psi may find comfort and solace in the spiritual and philosophical observations expressed by him in his scholarly address at the Centennial GAC.

Today, Shirley E. Meserve is a member of the Chapter Eternal.

He died March 3, 1959, in a hospital not far from his home in Los Angeles. Interment was March 5, in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, Calif. The Phi Kappa Psi burial ceremony was delivered by the Rev. Frank Bowman Llewellyn, W.Va. Alpha '09. Born Oct. 7, 1889, Brother Meserve was 69 years old. A coronary attack July 13, 1958 precluded his attendance at the 1958 GAC.



Shirley E. Meserve, left, and J. Robert Meserve at 1956 Grand Arch Council.

He was initiated in 1908 by California Gamma Chapter at the University of California. He was President of the Fraternity, 1924-26, following a two-year term as Vice President. In 1943, he was called back into service as Attorney General, and served until 1947 as one of the six war-time officers of the Fraternity. At the 1952 GAC he was elected President of the Order of the SC Society of Phi Kappa Psi—the second member elevated to that high position.

Brother Meserve attended 18 GACs: 1908; '10; '20; '22; '24; '26; '28; '30; '32; '34; '36; '40; '42; '46; '50; '52; '54; and '56. He became a member of the SC in 1928, at Buffalo. In addition to presiding at a GAC, in 1926, Brother Meserve served at numerous GACs and with outstanding distinction as chairman of the Committee on the State of the Fraternity or as chairman of the Committee on Constitution. He was a frequent and popular Sympsiarch at GAC and DC banquets and was in demand as a Fraternity banquet speaker from coast to coast. He was the fourth SWGP to answer the call of the Almighty Archon since adjournment of the 1956 GAC. From the standpoint of service, he was the oldest Past President of the Fraternity.

Brother Meserve's father, the late Edwin A. Meserve, who belonged to the successful

petitioning local fraternity at the University of California at Los Angeles, became a charter member of California Epsilon in 1931. Shirley E. Meserve's two sons are both active in the affairs of the Fraternity: Edwin A., Ore. Alpha '32 and J. Robert, Calif. Beta '34, since 1956 Director of Extension.

In addition to his sons, Brother Meserve is survived by his widow, Leigh, a GACing member in her own right, who served as the gracious hostess of the Meserve home, 401 North June Street, Los Angeles, a veritable mecca for Southern California and visiting Phi Psis.

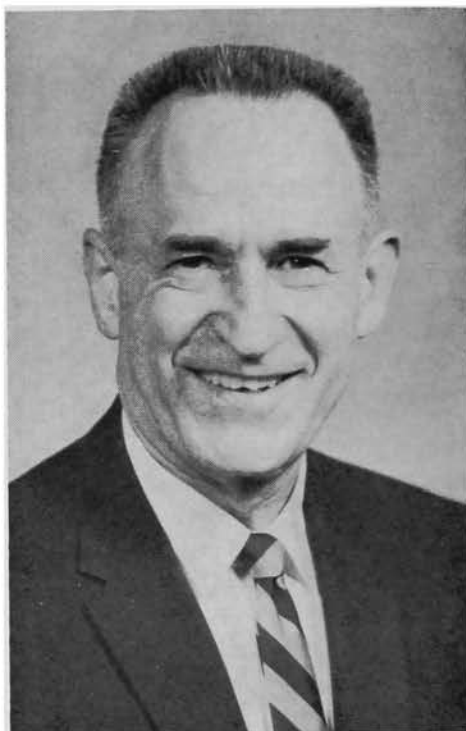
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## Brown University Cites Dr. Hunt

**W**HEN Brown University dedicated its new \$1½ million laboratory for psychology last fall, four former Brown professors now prominent in the fields of psychology or education elsewhere were invited to the ceremonies and granted honorary degrees. Among them was Dr. Joseph McVicker Hunt, Nebr. Alpha '26, professor of psychology at the University of Illinois. The citation accompanying his honorary doctor of science degree reads:

In you we honor the teacher whose strength is founded on equal love of men and learning. Countless are the students and friends who have sought your guidance in personal and professional problems, and great is their debt to you. You have brought your knowledge of hungry and frustrated rats to bear on the *Personality and the Behavior Disorders* of men; meanwhile you have held almost every office in your professional societies, culminating in the presidency of the American Psychological Association. Welcome home to the university you have served so well and to a renewal of our mutual affection.

An interested lifetime Phi Psi, Dr. Hunt was graduated with his A.B. degree at the University of Nebraska in 1929 and one year later received his M.A. degree. He earned his Ph.D. degree at Cornell University in 1933. When he joined the faculty at Brown University he became chapter advisor to Rhode Island Alpha from the latter 30s through 1946. He was chapter advisor to Illinois Delta from 1954 until this past



**DR. JOSEPH M. HUNT**  
... brother, friend, counsellor

year when he relinquished the assignment to a younger man, Robert W Bohl, Ill. Delta '45, an associate professor in the metallurgy department of the school of engineering.

Phi Kappa Psi's citation to Dr. Hunt would closely parallel that from Brown University. Countless have been the Phi Psis who have sought his guidance in personal and scholastic problems; he has won the esteem, confidence and affection of all those fortunate enough to know him.

# ANOTHER PHI PSI FIRST:

## The Solon E. Summerfield Awards

by GEN. LAWRENCE H. WHITING, III. Beta '09\*

**W**HEN England's magnificent African Empire builder, Cecil Rhodes, made a great personal fortune, he established the now famous Rhodes Scholarships to Oxford University, in England, his Alma Mater.

At the time he also established the qualifying standards which he desired used in awarding the scholarships. These in brief were, *Leadership* and *Scholarship*.

When Brother Solon E. Summerfield, Kan. Alpha '99, an outstanding and successful businessman in New York City died several years ago and left an estate of several millions of dollars for the establishment of the Solon E. Summerfield Foundation, Inc., he directed that three principal trusts be established, the income from one of which should go to his Alma Mater, the University of Kansas.

One tenth of the income from this trust was to go to the Endowment Fund of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. During each of the last three years the Endowment Fund has received an average income of \$9,500.

Brother Summerfield is said to have once remarked:

"I would like to have an appreciation of the members of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity who are leaders in their respective Colleges and Universities, and in their Chapters, and on their campus and leaders in their Chapters in scholastic attainments."

In brief, he too, as a successful man of the world, wished to identify, as early in their lives as could be done, the members of our fraternity chapters who possessed the natural characteristics of *Leadership* and *Scholarship*.

At the 49th Biennial Grand Arch Council held at Mackinac Island on August 25-28, 1958, the Chairman of your Endowment



**SOLON E. SUMMERFIELD**  
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Committee presented the program for the installation of a permanent annual award to every active chapter of the fraternity (at present 60 chapters) of \$100.00 each, to be awarded by the Chapter by vote in open meeting of the Chapter to an active member of the chapter—freshman, sophomore, junior, senior, or someone taking graduate work in the University—who has shown the greatest ability in the combination of leadership and scholarship activities. In other words, pick out the man whom you would most nearly like your son to be, or you would like to be, or what you think would be for the greatest interest of the Fraternity and the college.

There is now being prepared by the Endowment Fund Trustees a detailed explanation of the program, a copy of which will be mailed to each Chapter prior to March 30,

\* General Whiting is now chairman of the trustees of The Endowment Fund of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity; he has served the Fraternity ably and enthusiastically as a fund trustee continuously since Dec. 10, 1930.

1959, outlining the method of procedure in the Brother in each Chapter who is to receive the:

“Solon E. Summerfield Award”  
for the school year 1959.

The three trustees who administer the Endowment Fund, and who will administer this award are:

Lawrence H. Whiting, Ill. Beta '09; John

J. Yowell, Colo. Alpha '14; and Harold A. Moore, Ill. Beta '12; all of Chicago; and Secretary Ralph D. Daniel who also serves as assistant secretary of the Fund.

The program has met with tremendous enthusiasm throughout the Fraternity as it gives every chapter an annual award based on what Phi Kappa Psi so outstandingly stands for—Leadership and Scholarship.

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## Lutherans Honor Dr. Tulloss

**T**HE National Lutheran Council, at its 1959 annual meeting in Milwaukee last February, paid tribute to Dr. Rees Edgar Tulloss, Ohio Beta '02, Ohio churchman-businessman-educator, who is credited with having had a major part in opening the doors to women in the business world.

Dr. Tulloss, now 77 and a retired president of Wittenberg College, has wrought a notable career in an unusual combination of fields, and is one of the few persons included in the respective “Who’s Who” in each of these—religion, education, science and business.

Before he was 20, he invented a system of typewriting and founded a correspondence school which won international acclaim. With A. C. Van Sant of Omaha he is credited with the development of the “touch system” of typing which revolutionized the use of the typewriter after the turn of the century. This is said to have opened the door, more than any other single thing, to women in the business world.

Born in Leipsic, Ohio, he was graduated with special honors from Wittenberg in 1906 where he had been an outstanding football player, and from Hamma Divinity School in 1909. He later received master’s and doctor’s degrees from Harvard University.

As director of research at the U.S. Navy school of radio at Harvard during World War I he developed a mechanism for measuring radio operator reaction time and cut four weeks from the standard 16-week training course. This hastened the sailing of U.S. ships lying in harbors awaiting direly-needed radio operators.

After a two-year pastorate in Mansfield, Ohio, he went to Wittenberg as its president in 1920. Under his twenty-nine years of leadership, Wittenberg’s enrollment increased by 1,000 students. Its assets and endowment totaled more than \$9 million at the time of his retirement in 1949.

In 1930 he was named president of the First National Bank in Springfield, Ohio, and steered it successfully through the depression. In his twenty years service to the bank he saw its assets doubled to \$25 million.

A drive for funds for higher education by the United Lutheran Churches in America in 1949, headed by Dr. Tullos, topped its \$6-million goal by another million dollars. He is a past president of ULCA.

Dr. Tulloss delivered the keynote address at Phi Kappa Psi’s first postwar Grand Arch Council in 1946, recognized as one of the great speeches in GAC history. (THE SHIELD, January, 1947.)

## General Donovan Dies February 8

**MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM JOSEPH (WILD BILL) DONOVAN**, N.Y. Gamma '03, lawyer, soldier, diplomat and daring leader of this country's intelligence operations during World War II, died Feb. 8, 1959 in Walter Reed Army Hospital, Washington, D.C. He was 76 years old.

The former director of the Office of Strategic Services suffered a cerebral hemorrhage in April, 1957, and later underwent treatment for arteriosclerosis. He had been hospitalized since then. Death was attributed to cardiac failure.

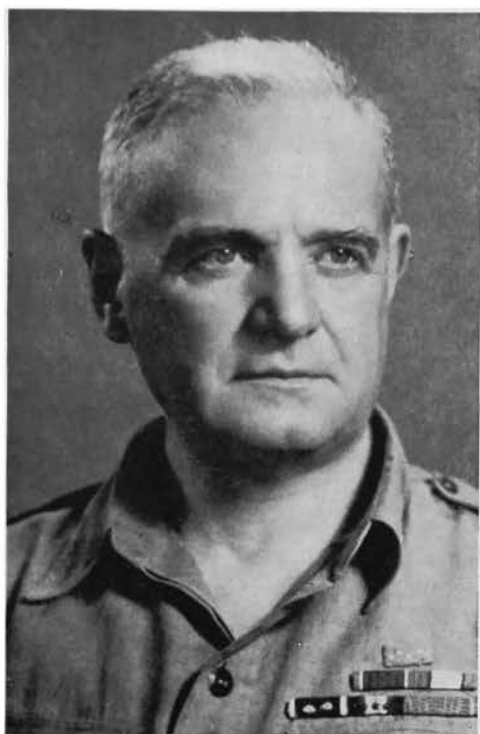
President Eisenhower issued the following statement:

"In the passing of Gen. William J. Donovan, the Nation has lost a truly fine American and I have lost a close personal friend. Mrs. Eisenhower and I extend our deepest sympathies to his family in the great personal loss they have sustained."

Brother Donovan, a Medal of Honor winner for bravery during World War I, gained his greatest fame as a fighting soldier. In the First World War he commanded the 165th Infantry Regiment (New York's "Fighting 69th") of the famed 42nd (Rainbow) Division. He was wounded three times in action and received, besides the Congressional Medal of Honor, the Distinguished Service Cross and the Distinguished Service Medal—the first soldier ever to hold three decorations. By the time of the Armistice he had become the most decorated American soldier in the AEF.

"His men would have cheerfully gone to hell with him," Father Francis P. Duffy, chaplain of the regiment, once said of its commander. "And as a priest, I mean what I say."

But the general's greatest game came during World War II as head of the OSS. Under General Donovan's direction was developed a series of techniques and trained personnel in the arts of espionage, sabotage and false propaganda. OSS teams and agents worked in every theater of operations except those under the command of General Douglas MacArthur, who did not approve of operations under commands



**GEN. WILLIAM J. DONOVAN**  
... fearless leader in war and peace

other than his own. General Donovan was responsible only to President Roosevelt.

OSS was a shadowy army that fought in silence. It also fostered resistance movements and made possible the escape of some 5,000 members of the armed forces who had been shot down or trapped behind enemy lines. The head of OSS carried as many secrets in his head as any of the Allied chiefs, and men were detailed to him to make sure he would not take unnecessary chances of capture. Theirs was only a partially successful task. General Donovan managed to reach France on D-Day in 1944 and was often seen watching action from what most of his subordinates agreed was a post far too forward for comfort.

When OSS was disbanded after the war, much of the techniques and many of the personnel who came from General Donovan's creation became a part of the present Central Intelligence Agency.



Born in Buffalo, N.Y. on New Year's Day 1883, he worked as a laborer to help his father, a freight-yard foreman, with the family expenses. He entered Columbia University in 1901 where he played football and received his A.B. degree and, in 1907, his law degree. Ever since then, on and off, he had practiced law—most recently with his own firm, Donovan, Leisure, Newton & Irvine, on New York's Wall Street.

As a private lawyer he won the celebrated Humphrey case before the United States Supreme Court. In 1935 the justices upheld his contention that President Roosevelt did not have the power to control the decisions of the Federal Trade Commission by arbitrarily removing its chairman. Many lawyers felt that this decision, as well as those knocking down the New Deal NRA and AAA, played a large part in Roosevelt's unsuccessful effort two years later to reorganize the Supreme Court.

After World War II, General Donovan served on the war crimes prosecution staff that prepared evidence against the principal Nazi war criminals at Nuernberg.

In 1947 he was decorated by President Truman for his wartime services. His citation read: "Through his successful achievements, General Donovan contributed in a high degree to the success of military operations in the prosecution of the war." The award was the Oak Leaf Cluster to the Distinguished Service Medal he had won in World War I.

In 1957 President Eisenhower awarded him the National Security Medal, and it was said at that time that General Donovan was the first man to win the nation's four highest decorations.

Columbia University presented its 1955 athletic award to him to commemorate his

days as one of the university's great quarterbacks and for his 50 years of devoted service as an alumnus.

The general was one of the founders of the American Legion, although he differed with the Legion when it sought special benefits for able-bodied veterans.

Throughout the postwar years he often asserted that the United States was losing the cold war with the Soviet Union and called for stiff measures to combat it. He urged use of the "best brains and most courageous spirits" to wage an economic, political and psychological counter-offensive to Soviet subversion throughout the world. He also called for a "just and reasonable" security program in government and warned against "muddle-headed" thinking on the subject.

Among his many other public services, General Donovan had served as Assistant Attorney General of the United States, 1924-25; Ambassador to Thailand, 1953-54; and as chairman of the International Rescue Committee, organized to aid refugees fleeing from behind the Iron Curtain.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ruth Rumsey Donovan; a son, David Donovan; a brother, the Rev. Vincent Donovan, a Dominican priest; and five grandchildren. A daughter, Patricia, was killed in an automobile accident in 1940.

General Donovan was buried with full military honors at Arlington National Cemetery on Feb. 11, 1959, with many leaders from government and civilian life in attendance. As the funeral cortege ascended the slopes of Arlington heights in bright sunlight, a thirteen-gun salute boomed over the Virginia hills. After the graveside service, a squad fired three volleys and taps sounded in farewell.

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### **Judge Donley Named Bank President**

JUDGE ROBERT T. DONLEY, W.Va. Alpha '21, of the West Virginia State Supreme Court of Appeals, has been elected president of the First National Bank of Morgantown, W.Va. Some years ago his father, the late Edward G. Donley, was president of the bank.

### **With Procter & Gamble Sales**

MALCOLM B. DAVIDSON, N.H. Alpha '54, is in the sales department of Procter & Gamble's San Francisco office, after serving in the Marine Corps under the Reserve Forces Act.

Brother Davidson, his wife, Judith Ann, and young son, Malcolm Bruce Jr., live in Oakland at 2274 Park Boulevard.



## Round-the-World With Chuck Banfe

**C**APTAIN CHARLES F. (CHUCK) BANFE JR., Ill. Beta '38, on vacation from his piloting chores with Pan American World Airways, ended his around-the-world-in-eight-days solo flight on Oct. 26, 1958, —fifty flying days later. He had hoped to be the first man to fly around the world solo in a single engine light plane and also to set a distance record for non-stop flight from Tokyo to Miami. He achieved his first goal under such circumstances that, when it is written into aeronautical achievements, the chapter should be headed "Rugged Determination."



CAPT. BANFE

The venture started at New York's Idlewild airport, where on Sept. 9, 1958 he opened up the throttle on his orange-and-black Mooney Mark 20A and took off for a nonstop flight to Rome, 4,312 miles away. Here's his story:

"Over the Atlantic, I flew for twenty hours by hand because the autopilot would not work. For ten hours I was on instruments. Twice the engine quit due to carburetor ice, and once I had to descend to 250 feet over the ocean to get rid of a load of ice. After 29 hours, 37 minutes out of Idlewild I had a forced landing, at night, in Bastia, Corsica, due to a leaking fuel line. I landed in a vineyard, knocking down six vines. We towed the aircraft to Bastia airport where we repaired the six holes in the leading edge of the wings and I took off for Rome. At Rome we found the prop housing cracked and put on a new one.

"I took off the next day into the worst low pressure area the Mediterranean had experienced in three months. Halfway to Athens the engine became rough and I had to land at Athens airport. The U.S. Air Force helped me repair the engine and the next day I took off for Karachi.

"En route, I was told near midnight to climb to 11,500 feet to cross the mountains

to Beirut. About that time the engine gave out again and I had another forced landing—at midnight.

"Air Liban's chief mechanic and Pan American's mechanics helped me at Beirut. We repaired both magnetos and I left the next day for Karachi. I worked my way through the mountains at 4,500 feet and picked up the Arabian American pipeline in Saudi Arabia.

"Over Behrein the engine began to run rough again, continuing as I passed over Sharjah, Trucial Oman Republic. Twenty minutes past Sharjah the engine became so rough I thought it was going to stop. I landed at the small RAF base on a sand strip where the temperature was 100 degrees, humidity the same, and a fog of mixed salt and fine sand rose to 9,000 feet. For two days we worked on the engine, fashioning tools from the British millimeter standard to the U.S. size. After engine repairs I attempted a takeoff but the engine became rough again and I had to return.

"After another day's work I was able to take off for Karachi. This time the engine became rough over the Arabian Gulf, but I was determined to go ahead unless the engine quit cold. I made it to Karachi—for more repairs.

"The next day I was off for Singapore. Over the middle of India I was watching elephants bathing in the Ganges River when the engine misfired. For the next three hours I babied the engine to Calcutta, going through a monsoon for two hours in violent thunderstorms.

"On the ground at Calcutta we worked on the engine with Air India and Pan American mechanics. We found fouled spark plugs, and short circuits in the ignition switches. We got another switch from a British Tiger Moth, and replaced a shorting magneto harness with one from a British Chipmunk.

"I had to return twice to Calcutta after takeoffs, caused by fouling spark plugs. By the time I took off for the third time, the monsoon I had flown through had passed



**Back in his office, Chuck smiles as he listens to four engines.**

eastward and I had to go through it again—right into an inter-tropical front which covered me for seven hours. Over Burma the engine started to roughen, and about the time I was going over the River Kwai it began to backfire. By using full takeoff power I could get no more than an indicated 100 mph airspeed. I barely made it into Bangkok.

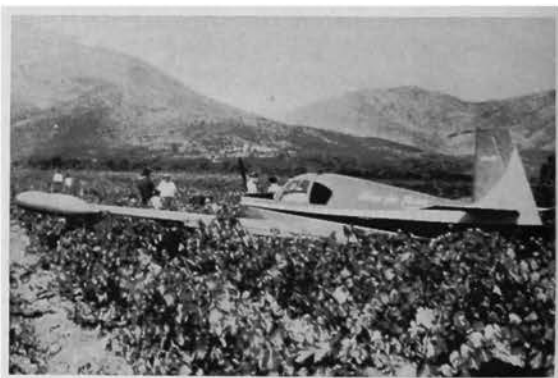
“At Bangkok we found the engine cowl-ing improperly rigged, the aircraft out of rig—and the plugs again fouled. By next morning everything seemed in order and I

took off again. Twenty minutes out of Bangkok the engine almost fell off. After I limped back into the field we found that when the mechanics had put the spark plugs back in the engine they had tightened them by hand but not with a wrench. Half of the wires to the spark plugs had fallen out.

“After more repairs I took off again, crossing Indo China at night, cruising at 7,500 feet threading my way through mountains ranging up to 10,000 feet. Over the South China Sea it came again—rough engine—and if that weren’t enough, I entered the edge of a typhoon. I finally made it to Hong Kong with a Pan American Clipper as a escort, joined by three British Venom jets for the last 50 miles. That last hour was a repeat on going into Bangkok, for once more full power was only producing 100 mph indicated airspeed.

“Coming in for my landing at Kai Tak airport the wind was northeast, 25 mph with gusts to 35. The runway was to the southeast, which meant that I had to land with a wind perpendicular to my landing path. The wind blew me off the runway and I just missed taking a bath in the China Sea.

“A company mechanic from Mooney Aircraft was flown from Kerrville, Texas. He found many things wrong, fixed them, and I took off. One hour out and the engine started to get rough. I went twenty minutes more and the engine began to lose power. Back to Hong Kong, where the mechanic found the carburetor float too low and



**At left, Chuck and his sleek Mooney before takeoff. First stop, right, was in Corsican vineyard after 30 flying hours.**

the exhaust valves pitted, scarred and warped; and the cylinders black and burned. We ordered a new engine.

"Several days later the engine arrived, and I was off again for Tokyo. Over Formosa the engine became rough, but I went on into Okinawa. The next day I went on to Tokyo's Haneda airport where the Mooney mechanic found that the factory had put the wrong spark plugs in the new engine. By now it was October 14.

"Next came the long leg of the flight. We took two days to get the aircraft ready for an assault on the long distance record to Miami—52 hours and 7,022 miles away. I had enough fuel for 42 hours—329 gallons.

"Since the flight was under the governing eye of the Federation Aeronautique Internationale the weight limit was 3,858 pounds, as it was for Bill Odom. Before the aircraft was put on scales and weighed we had removed everything we possibly could—even my shoes. (That's when someone tagged me "the barefoot pilot.")

"Off went all gas tank guages, landing light, cockpit lights, all radios except one—

we removed the door lock, the trailing antenna, even switches and circuit breakers. All this was exchanged for two 5-gallon cans of gasoline on the navigation table, and three 2-gallon cans underneath it.

"I took off for Fairbanks, Alaska, flying twenty hours without sighting land. I went on instruments and flew for six hours through icing conditions. The engine quit twice. Over the midpoint, between Shemya and Adak along the Aleutian Chain, the engine became rough. I pushed on for another four hours until the engine became so loaded with oil and lead bromide particles it wouldn't put out power. After almost 30 hours and 3,270 miles I landed in Cordova, Alaska. October 17.

"After two days there I headed for New York, with a forced landing at Yakutat and the next one at Juneau. At Juneau we found that the oil temperature was running too low and fouling the engine. After we fixed it and I took off, the oil temperature went so high the engine quit. I landed at Boeing Field, Seattle. More repairs.

"After I left Seattle I flew through the Rockies at night to Montana, but was



When the children asked "Where's Daddy?" Mrs. Banfe turned on the radio to get the latest bulletins. The youngsters, from left, are: Charles, 14; Juli, 2; Susan, 11; and Peter, 4.

forced down at Miles City (altitude 2,436 feet) and had to land without any landing lights.

"Next day I was off for Chicago—and when I touched down there, the landing gear collapsed.

"Two more days and I was off for New York. When I landed there October 26 in a cold rain I had logged fifty days of flying, 22,000 miles, eighteen cities, fourteen forced landings, and 212 hours of flying time."

As an undergraduate at University of Chicago, Chuck played varsity football as a halfback, and appeared several times as a thespian in Blackfriar productions. One of the first to get into World War II, he

went to Canada where he was a pilot instructor with the RCAF. He later served with the RAF, NATS and the U.S. Air Transport Command. He flew 185 missions during the Berlin Airlift and received nationwide acclaim for his *Operation Shoelift*, taking more than a thousand pairs of shoes to needy Berlin children.

Although he is only 39 years old, he's a veteran airline captain on overseas flights. He has made several hundred transatlantic crossings and is now piling up a similar record in transpacific flights to the Orient with Pan American World Airways. Between flights he's at home with his family at 2079 Edgewood Drive in Palo Alto, Calif.

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## Heads National Printing Magazine

PAUL B. HOLDER, Pa. Lambda '46, has been appointed publisher and business manager of *Printing Production*, a nationally circulated printing trade magazine, with publishing offices in Cleveland. The appointment was recently announced, effective January, 1959, by the president of Willsea Publishing Company, Clarence Seaman, Ohio Epsilon '17.



**HOLDER**

In his new post as publisher he will be in charge of all business departments including circulation, advertising and sales promotion. *Printing Production* is well known throughout the graphic arts industry in the United States and many foreign countries for its service to production executives in commercial graphic arts plants as well as in the newspaper field.

Holder has been connected with various firms in the graphic arts industry since his graduation from Penn State University in 1949. Until 1951 he worked in all departments of Hammermill Paper Co., Erie, Pa., during an extensive fine paper sales

training program. For the next four years he was a printing paper salesman with Hubbs & Howe Co., Buffalo, N.Y., the latter two years as resident salesman in Erie, Pa., his home town. Since that time he has served in a sales capacity in the photo-engraving, color printing and commercial art fields. In August, 1956, he began his work with *Printing Production* as central district representative for space sales. He has served as circulation manager, advertising and sales promotion manager and assistant to the publisher since that time. He is active in various graphic arts associations, both national and international.

During undergraduate days at Penn State his social activities centered around the field of music. He was a member of Penn State's famed Blue Band, Men's Glee Club, Chapel Choir, Phi Mu Alpha, national music honorary society, and played trumpet in many campus dance orchestras. VGP of Penn Lambda Chapter his senior year, he also served as social chairman for two terms.

Brother Holder now lives in Lakewood, Ohio, a suburb of Cleveland, with his wife, the former Roberta Hickman of Erie, Pa., and their two daughters, Sheila, 8, and Paula, 7.



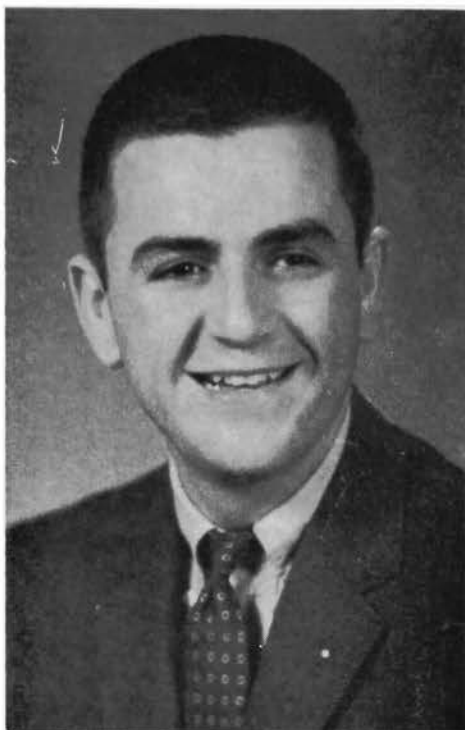
## Seawell Named Phi Psi Field Secretary

**R**OLLYN HOMER SEAWELL III, Texas Beta '57, has been appointed to the position of Field Secretary of the Fraternity. He is the first to be named to the post newly-created by the Executive Council of Phi Kappa Psi.

Brother Seawell was born in San Antonio, Texas, but now calls Dallas his home. Almost immediately after his graduation from high school he entered the U.S. Air Force for a four-year tour of duty which took him to many parts of the Western Hemisphere as a flight-crew member aboard KC-97s, the Air Force's huge tanker planes. During his tour of service his home base was at Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., where he received several promotions to the position of assistant flight chief. He was discharged as a staff sergeant.

After serving in the Air Force, Rolly entered Texas Technological College in Lubbock as a student of business and personnel management. He received his bachelor's degree at the end of the past semester.

In only four semesters in the chapter he succeeded in performing the duties of membership chairman, initiation director, and was active in the scholarship activities of Texas Beta. In addition, he was IFC representative for two semesters. In this council he was chairman of the Judicial Committee and chairman of the Committee on Constitution. Concurrent with these activities, Rolly was instrumentally active in raising the scholarship standards of the IFC. It was as a result of his investigations and leadership that Texas Tech became one of the first colleges to adopt the standard requiring that all pledges (on the delayed system) have a "C" average the semester before pledging. The results of this investi-



ROLLYN H. SEAWELL III

gation were presented at the 1958 Mackinac Island GAC (THE SHIELD, Nov. 1958). Rolly was awarded individual honors in scholarship by Texas Tech and is a member of Delta Sigma Pi.

In his new position as Field Secretary, Brother Seawell will be visiting the various chapters of the Fraternity as a liaison officer of the Executive Council for the purpose of improving chapter conditions and operations. He will report directly to the Secretary and other members of the Executive Council. His base of operations will be the Fraternity's headquarters at 1940 East 6th Street, Cleveland 14, Ohio.

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### On Alumni Council

W. LYLE (CASEY) JONES, W.Va. Alpha '27, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1954-56, was elected to the executive council of the West Virginia University Alumni Association on Alumni Day, 1958.

### Treasurer of Armour & Co.

EDWARD J. McADAMS, III, Beta '21, has been named treasurer of Armour & Co., Chicago meat packing firm. Louis R. Miller, III, Beta '32, is general counsel for Armour & Co.

# Jaycees Award to Judge Jankowski

by RICHARD C. (DICK) LYONS, N.Y. Beta '45

AS Tommy Dorsey and his men left the bandstand at the 1948 Interfraternity Ball, the chairman of the dance mounted the platform to award the first Interfraternity



JANKOWSKI

Chancellor's Cup. The recipient of this trophy was to be crowned as the "best house on the Hill" at Syracuse. When the name of New York Beta, Phi Kappa Psi, was read as the winner, probably few of the brothers stopped to realize that a quiet but smiling figure amongst them was primarily responsible for this achievement.

On Jan. 24, 1959, this same man was himself the recipient of a much more meaningful award, the New York State Junior Chamber of Commerce Distinguished Service Award. The award was made before some 500 delegates to the state Jaycee convention in Rochester. It's made each year to five New York men under 35 years of age on the basis of outstanding contributions to their community, state, and nation.

The inspiring story of Dunkirk (N.Y.) City Court Judge August R. (Augie) Jankowski, now 34, really began when the high school athlete lost his eyesight in a hunting mishap in 1941. Despite the fact that he lost five months of classes, he was able to be graduated with his high school class that June. Augie entered Syracuse in the fall of '42. For the six years that followed Augie attended classes and was awarded a law degree in 1948; he was admitted to the bar in 1949. During those six years Augie became a fixture on the campus. He was a GP and a mainstay of the house during the war years. Through his devotion to Phi Psi, the house remained alive during that period and it was, in large part, his spirit and personality that gave the house its quick start after the war and brought it to the top of the thirty-two

house fraternity list at Syracuse in 1948.

Judge Jankowski didn't let his handicap curb his undergraduate activities. He and his beautiful dog, Lou, were seen everywhere on campus. Augie used a disc recorder (which in those days was an expensive novelty to most people) to record the lectures of his professors. Dr. Clayton Brower, N.Y. Beta '42, recalls an item he read in the London *Daily Express* while he was stationed in that city during the war. The story told of the young law student at Syracuse who ran in intra-scholastic track meets by holding on to a tape along the track. Augie entered into and enjoyed all phases of college life.

The brothers at 113 College Place used to have fun with Augie by switching furniture within his room and he always had a retort in the form of a counter practical joke. He attended Sunday masses at Crouse and his brothers provided running commentaries for him at football and basketball games, and similar events.

After his admittance to the bar, Judge Jankowski went to work for a year and a half in the legal department of the Niagara Mohawk Corporation and then, in August, 1952 he opened his own law practice at 309 Central Avenue, Dunkirk; his office remains at this location. In January, 1956 as he continued his practice, the Judge became associated with David Glenn in the Glenn-Jankowski insurance agency. Augie's political career began in November, 1949 when he was elected to a two year term on the Erie County Board of Supervisors. In November, 1953 he received bipartisan support and was elected Dunkirk Justice of the Peace. In November, 1957 he won his race for City Judge; his four year term runs through 1961. During his first year in this office, the Judge has been particularly successful in lowering the number of speeding violations and in the solution of matrimonial problems brought before him.



Augie was married to the former Janet Millar in July, 1957. Janet helps him maintain his busy schedules in court, in practice, and in the many civic activities in which he engages—the Judge is an active member of twelve local, regional, and state organizations. As Augie was an inspiration to those who knew him on campus, so he continues to be, not only to those with whom he comes in daily contact, but more particularly, with those who share a similar

affliction, for Augie continues his leadership in blind groups throughout the Empire State.

The name and personal history of Judge Jankowski will now be entered by the Dunkirk-Fredonia Junior Chamber of Commerce in the national competition which selects the 10 outstanding young men in America. We of Phi Psi are united in the hope that Augie will be where we've always placed him—on top of the top ten.

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## Scholarship Winner Studies Abroad

WILLIAM WARREN EDWARDS, Okla. Alpha '49, is currently studying and traveling in Europe on a \$5,000 Dumbarton Oaks research fellowship in landscape architecture, awarded him last summer by the trustees of Harvard University. The award, one of the world's top honors in the field of landscape architecture, is officially known as the Junior Research Fellowship in Landscape Architecture of Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection in Washington, D.C. The winner is selected in competition with graduating seniors in accredited schools of design throughout the nation and practicing landscape architects under 35 years of age.



EDWARDS

After spending last July at the Dumbarton Oaks Research Library in Washington, D.C., he arrived in Sweden August 10, 1958 and has since toured Denmark, Scotland, England, Belgium, The Netherlands, Germany, Austria and Switzerland. He will return to the United States in May, after visiting France, Spain, Portugal, Italy and Greece. He attended the Edinburgh Fair in Scotland and the Brussels Fair in Belgium.

After his initiation into Phi Kappa Psi at Oklahoma, Warren transferred to Oklahoma State where in 1952 he received his B.S. degree in plant science. After graduation he served with the U.S. Air Force with the Strategic Air Command, and then entered North Carolina State College to earn an additional degree in landscape architecture with the class of 1958.

In 1957 Warren was awarded a \$1,000 summer scholarship from the same committee, and after a month a Dumbarton Oaks he traveled throughout the southeastern states. The American Society of Landscape Architects awarded him the certificate of merit, an honor voted in 1958 for the first time in four years, although it may be presented annually.

Warren's sister, Ronnie Claire Edwards, a University of Oklahoma Theta and beautiful young actress, was one of fifteen selected from a field of 300 aspirants for places in the Cleveland Playhouse's new professional acting company.

Warren's other younger sister, Helen, is a freshman at the University of Oklahoma and pledged to Theta.

It will probably not be until late next summer that Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hamilton Edwards will have all their youngsters home again at 1537 Northwest 37th Street in Oklahoma City.

# A Phi Psi Oasis

**A** TRADITIONAL Phi Psi geographical boundary was abruptly removed and a southeastern U.S. oasis created on February 19 when sixteen lonesome but intrepid brothers gathered at the Heart of Atlanta Motel in Atlanta, Georgia.

When the last "High—high—high" had died away the brothers were no longer lonesome; all had signed a petition requesting national recognition of the Atlanta Alumni Association, and a base of operations established from which to more personally and thoroughly evaluate future Phi Psi possibilities in the rapidly-changing southeastern states.

"Atlanta has become the unquestioned focal point for a tremendous influx of people, business, and, apparently Phi Psis, into a four-five state area," reported David B. Cowles, Minn. Beta '46, new president of the Atlanta group. "Within two weeks after our initial effort we were in touch with over seventy-five brothers in the immediate Atlanta area. The response and sincere interest has been phenomenal. We're very anxious to get in touch with all other Phi Psis in the area as well as those who get to Atlanta with any frequency."

In addition to Cowles, Atlanta petitioners and officers are: Wade G. Pepper, Vice President, W.Va. Alpha '47; William S. Brown Jr., Secretary, Miss. Alpha '30; William S. Ray Jr., Treasurer, Pa. Epsilon '22; George T. Macklin Jr., Member of Governing Comm., Pa. Zeta '35; William H. Martin Jr., Member of Governing Comm., Pa. Lambda '29; Earl W. Baggerly, Mo. Alpha '43; John C. Bair, Pa. Epsilon '47; George B. Beveridge, Minn. Beta '28; Robert F. Brady, N.Y. Gamma '36; Roger C. Buel, Ohio Delta '51; Hank S. Dilcher, Ind. Delta '54; Robert W. Edwards II, Texas Alpha

'50; G. Sam Engle Jr., Va. Beta '47; G. C. McLemore, Tenn. Delta '35; William B. Ross, Calif. Beta '41.

The Atlanta brothers did not seriously consider anything short of a formal petition for alumni association status. Group consensus indicated sufficient numbers, interest and need to warrant a formally-constituted association. A continuing attempt is being made to contact and inform all brothers of the existence of a strong center of Phi Psi activity. It is probable that a Founders Day function will be the annual highlight of a program to get all alumni together and to help in maintaining interest. THE SHIELD joins in urging all brothers in the area to contact one of the Atlanta officers.

Near-future plans of the Atlanta Alumni include assistance in contacting and rushing Atlanta high school seniors, to those chapters wishing such assistance. The five or six chapters closest to Atlanta particularly, will be invited to avail themselves of this help. It is hoped that young men of Atlanta, now active Phi Psis, will offer assistance to this project.

The Atlanta Alumni hope to be of help to the Director of Extension through their relative closeness to accreditation and extension possibilities in the Southeast. At the least, the association has hopes of performing a liaison function between scattered alumni, in the various college towns, and Phi Psi's national organization. These alumni are invited to contact the officers of the Atlanta Alumni.

The Atlanta Alumni Association will have its next meeting on March 26 at 6:30 P.M., at the Peachtree Hotel. This fine hostelry is managed by Bill Martin, Pa. Lambda '29.

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## **President of Wyandotte Worsteds**

THOMAS H. MCGOWAN III, R.I. Alpha '27, is the new president of Wyandotte Worsteds Corporation of New York City. He was formerly treasurer of the corporation.

## **Penn Alumnus Cited**

CHARLES W. ADAMS, Pa. Iota '23 (Wash. Alpha '21), of Seattle, Wash., received one of eight Alumni Awards of Merit given at the University of Pennsylvania Founders Day celebration Jan. 17, 1959.

# Ohio Beta's Formative Years, 1866-1900

by LARRY C. NELSON, Ohio Beta '56

**T**HE HISTORY of the Ohio Beta Chapter of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity seems hitherto to be cloaked in darkness. There are two accounts of the founding and founders of the Chapter. They do not agree on date of founding. There is no written history of the Chapter collected concisely.

C. L. Van Cleve's *History of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity* (1902) lists the date of founding of the Chapter as May 14, 1866. J. Duncan Campbell, in volume one of *The Centennial History of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity* says that the date of founding is May 26, 1866. It would seem that Van Cleve's date is correct.\* The minutes of the first meeting of Ohio Beta are dated May 14, 1866. These read:

The Ohio Beta Chapter of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity was organized after the members were duly initiated . . . Bro. Bennett presented the charter and constitution to the Chapter and gave additional explanations and instructions.

Additional substantiation of May 14 as the founding date is found in a newspaper record. The *Springfield Daily Globe-Republic* of May 15, 1886 reads as follows:

Last evening was one that will be long remembered by the Wittenberg chapter of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. The occasion was the celebration of the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the chapter.

There is accord, however, on the conditions of the founding of the Chapter. Essentially Ohio Beta owes its founding to Ohio Alpha, or at least to one of her members. Jesse Otis Davy, a student at Wittenberg College, attempted to return to the college from his holiday recess in the winter of 1866. Hindered by bad weather he missed his train connections in Delaware. While

waiting for the next train to Springfield he decided to visit a friend, Commodore Perry Rogers, a member of Ohio Alpha. During the course of their discussion Rogers convinced Davy that he should gather a group of men together at Wittenberg who would be acceptable to Phi Kappa Psi and then establish a chapter at Wittenberg.

Upon Davy's return to Wittenberg he did get a group of worthy men together and they forwarded their petition to Ohio Alpha. This chapter endorsed the petition and forwarded it to the Grand Chapter. The petition was granted and Ohio Alpha sent two of their members to Springfield to install the new chapter. These men are listed in the histories as I. N. Mast and C. W. Bennett. Brother Bennett is the only one mentioned by name in the minutes of May 14, 1866.

As is the case of the date of founding, there is also dispute as to just who were the charter members. There are eight men listed in the first minutes other than Bennett. Hardly any two sources agree on the list of names. It should be safe to assume that certain ones, by common consent, be considered charter members. These are J. O. Davy, I. W. Cassell, M. L. Garver, J. B. Pollock, W. H. Settlemyer and J. S. Weaver. Additional names mentioned in the first minutes are F. N. W. Stephenson and Swift. It should be safe to assume that all of these are charter members. Perhaps some later findings will clear this matter up for future inquirers.

The first meetings of the new chapter were mostly taken up with initiations of new members. The chapter grew rapidly. These meetings were held in the rooms of the various brothers. It was the careful selection of these first members that permitted the chapter to grow rapidly but still on a firm foundation. These were the days when men such as Ort, Linn, Prince, Geiger and Hiller were initiated into the chapter. Later Ort became Wittenberg's fifth president and the others are but a few of those

\* May 14 is undoubtedly correct.—Ed.

who came back to Wittenberg to teach. All have contributed substantially to the growth and development of the college. Others were initiated who became successes in business and fields other than education.

These early days were ones of thrift for the young chapter. Dues were collected sporadically by per capita taxes as they were needed to meet the meager expenses of the chapter. An idea of the size of assessments may be had from the initiation fee passed in the meeting of September 14, 1866: "That the initiation fee of this chapter be two dollars." Compare this with the large fees of today! This was too good to last long, and by the turn of the century we are to see this initiation fee being raised to ten times the original amount charged in 1866.

Comparing the minutes of these early meetings, and indeed those of all the meet-

ings as far as 1900, with the meeting procedure of today we find scarcely any points of similarity except the proper opening and closing of the meetings. This early chapter was mainly a literary organization. All meetings of the chapter included literary exercises.

These were of two varieties—voluntary and required. Different brothers were appointed to "declaim" before the chapter at each meeting. Others could add if they so desired. These "declamations" could be either original efforts or reading other well-known works to the chapter. It is interesting to trace this primary interest in literary exercises throughout the early chapter history.

Shortly after the start of the second school year of the chapter's existence the first mention is made of a meeting place other than the rooms of the members. On October 20, 1867 they met at Mr. Whipple's



This woodcut shows the lesser-known side view of Ohio Beta's house at 134 West Ward Street in Springfield.

on Main Street. They met here only once or twice. However, it was these first few meetings outside the members' rooms that witnessed the growth of interest and attention on the part of the local chapter to the national organization. In December of '67 the chapter decided to send a petition to the Grand Chapter "praying for the power to establish a chapter at Ann Arbor." This was the futile beginning of intense interest in the whole Fraternity.

At this very same meeting they took further steps in regard to their own welfare also. They moved that a committee be appointed "to inquire into the feasibility of procuring a Hall for meeting."

The chapter did take definite action and just after the turn of the new year the committee in charge of securing a hall reported that they could obtain a hall on Limestone Street for \$5 per month. They voted to secure this for three months. This was the Good Templar Hall or Hall of Good Templars as it is variously referred to.

They met here for the first time on January 31, 1868. At this meeting, even though it was now that they received a letter from the "Alpha Chapter" not in favor of Ann Arbor, that they, in undaunted spirit, appointed a committee of five to draw a design for a frontispiece of the next annual catalogue of the Fraternity.

This type of business did not hamper their interest in literary exercises. They still continued to have the usual exercises as well as twenty-five minutes of debate. In fact, their interest in this field was so keen that they even wrote to Ohio Alpha for information concerning the union of this chapter with a Lecture Association.

The next meeting place of the chapter was at the residence of Mr. Winters on High Street. They evidently did not have enough funds in their young treasury to keep the Good Templar's Hall for longer than the period contracted for originally. It was at this meeting that they initiated J. Warren Kiefer into the mysteries. He later went on to bring fame to the chapter as he had been a great Civil War general and was a Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The attraction of a meeting hall again

was evidenced at the first meeting of the new school year in 1868. Again a committee was appointed to get a hall. However, nothing came of this effort.

October 29, 1868 saw the institution of that infernal system of punishment into the chapter. A fine of 25 cents was passed for neglect of duty. According to the records of the chapter this was not used for a number of years thereafter. The first severe reprimand action on the part of the chapter was taken in the spring of 1869. Charges were preferred against a brother for failure to pay his dues, thereby violating his sacred oath. He was expelled after much discussion.

The next few meetings were held in the Murray house, the result of fruitful efforts of another committee. This did not last long and soon they were meeting in Keller's Hall, a college building. Shortly afterward they again met in the rooms of the various members.

Still looking for a definite place to meet they finally made arrangements with the proprietor of the Lagonda House Parlors to have their meetings there. They continued to meet there for the next few years. The Lagonda House must have been on the order of a restaurant or ice cream parlor, for it is common in the minutes on many occasions to adjourn for ice cream.

Ohio Beta, being the second fraternity to grace the Wittenberg campus (the first, Phi Delta Theta, left two years after its founding here in 1865), was faced with anti-fraternity agitation which was present also in those days. In the chapter meeting of April 10, 1874 they firmly resolved to fight the anti-fraternity men in their use of dirty tactics in persuading men not to join a fraternity before they even became acquainted with the fraternity members.

The financial condition of the chapter was still in a state of flux and consequently they met alternately in Lagonda Parlors and at other establishments. In February of '75 they did scrape enough money together to purchase one half bushel of apples "for the capricious use of the Frat'y." This is one of the first recorded purchases of the chapter.

The interest of Ohio Beta in the national

publications started in 1875. The chapter solicited subscriptions to the *Phi Kappa Psi Monthly*. Anything literary seemed to attract their attention. In 1876, still showing the same enthusiasm, they subscribed to seven copies of the *Phi Kappa Psi Quarterly*.

Starting in 1878 they met in either Lagonda Parlors or the St. James Hotel. Once again the main business of the meetings was initiation of members and literary exercises.

As early as 1880 they took an interest in the history of the chapter and "Summers was elected to write a history of the Chapter." There is no evidence, sorry to say, that this was ever done. Also about this time dues were definitely established at \$1.00 per man per month.

The year 1880 was an extremely good year for Ohio Beta. This was the year of the permanent meeting hall. The seeds of fourteen years of careful foundation building began to sprout and the chapter was looked upon by the townspeople as a leading organization in the area of Springfield culture. They rented this hall bare, the fourth floor of Hamlin's Building on the northeast corner of High Street and Fountain Avenue. At once they set to the task of furnishing it, as was evidenced by their arrangements made at the first meeting in this new hall on September 6, 1880. Immediately across the street was the Arcade Hotel, at that time one of the nation's leading hotels.

The rent and furnishings of this hall in so classy a neighborhood must have set the chapter treasury back a good bit! Noting this they immediately set out to rebuild finances. To do this a lecture series called the Classical City Lecture Series was conducted. They had outside entertainment and lecturers came in for these events for which tickets were sold. Attendance usually managed to fill the city Opera House. This venture was evidently successful, for in March they concluded the series with a net profit of \$486.74. That was a very tidy sum in those days and is certainly nothing to be scoffed at today. With this they not only paid their bills, but they also had the hall repapered.

Acquisitions of the chapter did not stop with just a new meeting hall and furnishings. They continued to get the best men available to populate it. A good indication of this is found in the minutes of June 4, 1881:

Under voluntaries all the brothers rejoiced over our new acquisitions. For some time we had had little or no support in the Philo Society; and the Betas had boasted of their power there: and now with one *coup de maine* we secured for ourselves and rescued from them the cream of that society. It was a victory worthy of Phi Kappa Psi.

The "Philo," or Philosophian Society, was a very elite group of literary-minded students.

Until this time the hall had never been dedicated, and no description of the interior of the hall had been given. At their meeting of June 18 the groundwork was laid for a formal dedication. This was held on the 27th. Full accounts of the event were carried in the *Springfield Republic*, the local newspaper:

. . . a company of 40 or 50 gentlemen gathered soon after the address at the church. The "Phi Psis" certainly have reason to feel more than ordinary pride in their "local habitation," and it may well be doubted if any other Chapter has nearly so elegant, commodious and comfortable home.

A brief description of the interior of the hall followed:

The room is richly carpeted, walls frescoed and elegantly decorated, lambrequins at windows, and furnished substantially, including a large cabinet organ, handsome secretary desk, etc. One large crystal chandelier lights the room.

It would seem that the boys "had done all right for themselves." By this time they had existed for 15 years and initiated 124 men, many of whom already had gained fame.

These brothers had evidently learned that strong alumni support is one of the



chapter's best assets, for they spent much time and effort cultivating alumni. In many of the meetings there is record of the chapter sending congratulatory notes to brothers who had made good, of efforts to keep in contact with all the "ex-actives," and of published resolutions on the deaths of departed brothers.

The brothers of this early era must also have been fond of sports as well as literary exercises. Early in the chapter's records there are accounts of organizing teams for football, baseball, lawn tennis, etc. Interest in lawn tennis must have exceeded the interests in all others, however, for they not only had a tennis court while they had the meeting hall, but that was one of the first investments when they finally moved into their first chapter house. In regard to sports, the chapter gave a first to the City of Springfield when it introduced lawn pool at one of their parties. A record of this is found in the Springfield papers for May 27, 1887.

The months of March and April, 1882, must have been ones of extravagance for them. They spent \$75 for a billiard table and bought some new furniture for their meeting hall—two sofas, two tables and a lodge chair. They also had the letters *Phi*, *Kappa* and *Psi* painted in gold on the front windows at a cost of \$2.50. Out of their literary regard also came a \$15 donation to *THE SHIELD*.

In June of '82 the chapter once again had cause for much rejoicing. Brother S. A. Ort was installed as the fifth president of Wittenberg College. A huge banquet was held by the chapter in his honor on the 26th of June. This once again put Ohio Beta in the social spotlight of the local newspapers. The menu was wholly complete with many courses—such as would cost about \$10 per plate today. (The expense was \$1.14 per person then.) There were about 90 people invited. After dinner they all listened attentively to the many speeches and responses to the toasts.

It was the Ohio Beta Chapter that first made *THE SHIELD* a business-like proposition. First mention of the chapter's desire to publish *THE SHIELD* comes in the minutes of December, 1882. The magazine is

referred to as the "Frat journal." It was decided to accept "Bro. Jacob's offer to publish the Frat journal as a private enterprise." In February, 1883 the chapter was appointed to publish *THE SHIELD* by the GAC.

It was first printed by Brother Winters of *The Globe*. The cost was \$45-50 per issue of 500 copies on regular book paper. Additional hundreds cost \$2.50 each. The type style was old style primer.

The chapter placed the management of *THE SHIELD* in the hands of five brothers—three editors and two business managers. Of the three editors two were to be "ex-active" and the third was an active. Both business managers were actives. The results of the elections for the positions were: editors—C. L. Van Cleve, A. N. Summers, Hull; business managers—Baker, Kiser. Under the direction of these brothers *THE SHIELD* made a profit and thereby greatly influenced the decision to maintain the publication as the permanent organ of the Fraternity. During the time that the chapter published *THE SHIELD* they petitioned the faculty and had a copy of *THE SHIELD* placed in the cornerstone of New Wittenberg, evidently a new campus building under construction at that time.

By this time the chapter first recorded the extent of their assets. They valued the furnishings of the meeting hall at \$550. To take care of this they hired care for the hall at 25 cents per week.

After *THE SHIELD* left the chapter the brothers needed an outlet for their literary interests. It was at this time that they decided to edit their own paper—"a cheap paper to which all brothers would contribute." This fancy, it would seem, was soon to wear off for just a few meetings later they passed a fine of 15 cents for any brother who didn't write an acceptable article for each edition of *The Phi Psi*.

This evidently turned out to be quite a chore, for they soon had to divide the chapter into two parts, each part to edit the paper on alternate weeks. Publication of this paper continued for some time under this arrangement.

Chapter houses are something most take

for granted now. Not so in these former days. First mention of any such desire is recorded in the minutes of November 20, 1886.

Brother Fischer moved a committee of three be appointed to inform chapter as to the advisability of building a Chapter House. Brother Gottwalt [sic] amended it to five, two of whom to be alumni.

The men appointed were Burtsfield, Gottwald, Ehrenfeld, Dr. Smith and E. E. Baker. At the next meeting this committee reported unfavorably. Discussion of a chapter house was tabled for quite some time.

Music was not a thing lost in this early chapter. A great deal of the early interest in music was due to Brother Robert H. Hiller. The minutes of January, 1887 show that he was appointed to direct the first Phi Psi Glee Club of Ohio Beta. This was a successful venture, for in newspaper articles they received many favorable comments when they made performances around town.

Hiller's musical talent was culminated to the Fraternity by writing "Noble Fraternity" and to Wittenberg by composing the "Alma Mater."

Another of the famous Ohio Beta firsts occurred about this time also. The chapter initiated Charles Bauer—after lifting him from Phi Gamma Delta. He had been initiated into Phi Gamma Delta at another school. When he came to Wittenberg he resigned his Phi Gam affiliation and was initiated into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. This caused quite a row on the campus and in town. Generally the comment was favorable. Most people congratulated Ohio Beta on getting such a fine man and congratulated Charlie for choosing so fine a fraternity. The Sigma (Wittenberg) chapter of Phi Gamma Delta did adopt a rather strong resolution but it had no effect.

Looking forward a bit, the chapter can be very glad that they did get Charlie. He founded the Bauer Brothers Company, a Springfield concern that makes equipment which is sold around the world. After Brother Bauer's death just a few years ago, the

management of the firm was left in the hands of more Phi Psis—the Shoumlin Brothers. A tradition worthy of Phi Psi!

Returning now to 1888, we find that the chapter hall has been refurbished. They had it completely cleaned, repapered, got new curtains and new window shades—all for the sum of \$43.60. If this was an indication of low prices things were soon to be changed. Only one year later the initiation fee was changed to \$10.00.

By 1894 they again turned their attention to the desire for a chapter house. Things were somewhat more conducive to such an acquisition now for the Springfield Alumni Association had been formed just a few years earlier—1889. The active chapter appointed a committee to see the alumni about raising money for a chapter house.

After a slight bit of shopping around they rented the Fry house. This is the big white house on the corner of College and Fountain Avenues. Although the condition of the house and surrounding land is much better now (according to Dr. Remsberg and Carl Ultes) it must have been a fine step for the chapter.

Rent on the residence was \$400 per year. Of course they had to pump their own water and shovel their own coal, but it was home. To govern the house the chapter incorporated and elected Howard as the first President of the Trustees. By September 4, 1895 Howard reported that the lease had been signed and recorded.

Three days later the chapter held the first meeting in the new house. In accordance with their increased expenses they again were forced to raise the initiation fee. This time it was \$20.00. They conducted a subscription drive to get new furniture. By March of '96 they had acquired furniture to the tune of \$1,200. As previously mentioned, one of the first improvements was to construct a tennis court.

They had not been in the Fry house very long before their eyes once again turned to getting a new chapter house. According to presently available chapter records they moved about a year later to a house on Ferncliff Avenue. There is still some dis-

pute as to where they moved. It is generally accepted that they did not live in the Fry house for longer than one year.

Things were going well for them. They had started just 34 years before. Expansion was rapid. Reputation grew fast and was envied by all. This was the foundation of a chapter that has initiated almost 900 men

into Phi Psi. About this chapter the *Springfield Republic-Times* once said:

Confessing no peer and acknowledging no superior, Phi Psi demonstrated its position.

A fitting tribute to Phi Kappa Psi and Wittenberg College!

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The purpose of a fraternity such as Phi Kappa Psi is *the making of men*. That is what we are for. If we do not have that as our purpose, we haven't the right to exist. . . .

Just as every balance sheet is divided into two sides, on one side the assets and the other side the liabilities, so, too, our fraternity balance sheet has liabilities. There are obligations, there are debts that we owe, not financial debts, but debts of a far more interesting and significant character. There is a debt that we owe to protect, interpret and serve the Founders' purposes. There are few finer words in the language than the word "trustee." A trustee is a man who is himself so worthy that someone has placed in his hands to hold and cherish something that is precious. We are the trustees of the ideals of our Fraternity. We are to know, to appreciate and to amplify those ideals. We are to appreciate and to increase our Fraternity's achievements. We have the obligation to serve and to be served by our alumni. We have a debt to maintain inviolate our fraternity obligations, to stand by our brothers, not by deception nor by advocating nor encouraging them in untrue practices, but by regarding every man with fraternal affection and seeking to make of him all that can be made.

We have another debt, the last I shall mention. It is to love, honor and serve our Fraternity with unswerving devotion, not as a duty, but as a high and glorious privilege. Every one of us is to adopt as his own the fundamental purpose of making the Fraternity a maker of men.—From the 1946 GAC keynote address of Dr. Edgar Rees Tullos, Ohio Beta '02.



Illinois Deltans, young and younger, meet at pep rally before last fall's game with Michigan State. From left, quarterback Bob Hickey, Dab Williams, Paul Bresee, and Rich Kreitling, Illini end named to several All-American teams.

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## going places . . . . doing things

### **Judge Randall Elected to Congress**

JUDGE WILLIAM J. RANDALL, Mo. Alpha '32, of the Jackson County (Mo.) court, was elected to Congress from the 4th Missouri District in a special March balloting to fill the unexpired portion of the term of the late George H. Christopher, who died Jan. 23, 1959.



**RANDALL**

Judge Randall, a Democrat, has been a practicing attorney in Independence, Mo., for more than two decades.

He and his wife, Margaret, have a daughter, Mary Pat, 16.

### **O'Brien Shatters Another Record**

PARRY O'BRIEN, Calif. Delta '50, holder of the world's record in the shot-put, set a new indoor world record on opening night of the 71st National AAU Meet at New York's Madison Square Garden on February 20.

Parry, twice an Olympic shot-put champion, hurled the 16-pound shot an amazing 62 feet, 13/4 inches on his first attempt to easily best his own listed world indoor mark of 61 feet, 5 1/2 inches. His former record was set at Los Angeles last February.

### **Cerf Cites Thurber**

Bennett Cerf, in a recent syndicated column of "Cerfboard," proposed a Pulitzer Prize for Humor, and then went on to name his first two nominees for the award, JAMES THURBER, Ohio Delta '18, and E. B. White, Phi Gamma Delta.

For many years both "nominees" have contributed outstanding works to *The New Yorker*.

### **Wins White Foundation Award**

DOLPH SIMONS, Kans. Alpha '22, editor and publisher of the Lawrence (Kans.) *Daily Journal-World*, received the William Allen White foundation's fifth annual award for journalistic merit on Feb. 10, 1959 at the foundation meeting at the University of Kansas.

A native of Lawrence and a 1925 graduate of the University of Kansas, Brother Simons was an *Associated Press* reporter in Chicago in 1924 and helped cover the Leopold-Loeb murder trial. In 1947 he visited several Central European countries at the request of the secretary of defense and in 1949 was a civilian observer on an around-the-world Navy flight.

He has been a vice president of the *Associated Press* and for several years has been on the board of directors of the *Associated Press*. He is a former president of the Kansas Press Association, and currently serves on the board of trustees of the Kansas University Endowment Association.

### **Haney Directs Chapter Finance**

The Executive Council is pleased to announce the appointment of Ralph R. Haney, Calif. Delta '27, as Director of Chapter Finance, a post created to assist the Fraternity's chapters in this important area of financial management.

The Fraternity is fortunate to have Brother Haney counsel and advise chapters in their financial affairs. He is eminently qualified, having served for many years as both chapter and financial advisor to California Delta, and is credited as an authority in chapter finance and interfraternity affairs in Southern California.

### **Phillips Increases Memorial Fund**

GEORGE F. PHILLIPS, W.Va. Alpha '10, has added another \$1,000 to the principal of the Irene Hutchinson Phillips Memorial Fund of West Virginia Alpha, bringing his total contributions to \$22,500.

This fund, unique in Phi Kappa Psi and uncommon in the Greek-letter world, was established by Brother Phillips in 1945 as a loan fund for West Virginia Alpha. At the present, the fund has more outstanding loans than the Phi Kappa Psi Endowment Fund, including almost \$10,000 invested in three Phi Psi medical students who might not have been able to finish their studies without aid. In addition there are about forty other outstanding loans ranging from twenty-five dollars to several hundred dollars.

Brother Phillips is a Florida citrus grower. A member of the SC of Phi Kappa Psi, he and his wife, Mrs. Glenn St. Clair Phillips, attended the 1958 GAC at Mackinac Island, Mich. This was his tenth GAC.

### **District of Columbia Alumni Honor Wilson**

District of Columbia Alumni Association members gathered Feb. 18, 1959 at the Washington Cathedral to place a Memorial Wreath at the tomb of Woodrow Wilson, Va. Alpha '79, 28th President of the United States. The welcoming address was given by President Robert R. Elliott, Ohio Alpha '35, and communications from chapters and alumni associations were read by Scholarship Director Dr. Louis D. Corson, W.Va. Alpha '34. After remarks by John B. Smiley, Pa. Gamma '02, president of the District of Columbia Alumni Association, the wreath was placed with the assistance of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson. Following a rendition by the Cathedral Boys Choir, a closing prayer was offered by Canon Luther D. Miller of the Protestant Episcopal Church, a retired major general and former Chief of Chaplains of the U.S. Army.

Chairman of the committee on arrangements was the Hon. Austin Cooper Waller, Ill. Beta '05.

### **On WKBO Radio Staff**



**ENGLISH**

'28), Jim and his wife, Debbie, live with their two young children at 2420 Adrian St. in Harrisburg.

S. JAMES (JIM) ENGLISH III, N.C. Alpha '54, has joined the staff of Radio WKBO, Harrisburg, Pa., as newscaster and director of sports. He was formerly a newsman with the Harrisburg *Patriot-News*.

Married to the daughter of a Phi Psi (George C. Cruden Jr., Pa. Eta

### **Division Manager for Sears, Roebuck and Co.**

F. W. (BILL) MARTIN, Nebr. Alpha '54, has been promoted to division manager for Sears, Roebuck and Co., at Lincoln, Nebr.

Both Bill and his wife, the former Mary Jo Hill, Chi Omega, of Omaha, are 1957 graduates of the University of Nebraska. Their daughter, Amy Jo, is just four months old.

### **Kelley Goes to Colgate**

ALVA KELLEY, N.Y. Alpha '39, has rejected security as Brown University's head football coach to accept a five-year contract at Colgate University, and a challenge to rebuild the Red Raiders.

Colgate Athletic Director Everett Barnes said "the appointment is an outgrowth of the long friendship with Alva and of firm ties with members of the Ivy League. He has an intimate knowledge of Ivy League policies to which we subscribe and he is in complete agreement with our aims in athletics."

In eight years at Brown, Kelley directed his teams to 31 victories, 39 defeats and two ties. His 1958 record was a successful 6-3.

A native of Natrona Heights, Pa., he was an All-East end on Carl Snavely's unbeaten 1939 Cornell team. After serving in World War II he spent four years as end coach at Cornell and one as line coach at Yale prior to becoming head coach at Brown in 1950.



### **New Member of Congress**

FRANK W. BURKE, Calif. Delta '39, has been elected to Congress from the Third District of Kentucky and is a member of the Committee on Public Works.

### **Assistant to Chief Justice**

WILLIAM G. PAULUS, Ore. Alpha '51, is deputy administrative assistant to the Chief Justice of the state of Oregon.

After his release from the Air Force in 1955 as a first lieutenant, Bill entered Willamette University Law School and received his law degree in 1958.

Married to the former Norma Petersen, of Burns, Ore., Bill and his wife now live in Salem, Ore.

### **In Postgraduate Study**

COL. J. S. McCANNEL, Ore. Alpha '30, is currently on postgraduate study leave from the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps, and is attending the School of Public Health at the University of Pittsburgh.

### **Heads Anatomical Board**

DR. BEN J. WILSON, Ind. Beta '39, recently was named chairman of The Texas Anatomical Board. Dr. Wilson, chief of surgery at Parkland Memorial Hospital and the City-County Hospital in Dallas, Texas, has had numerous citations for outstanding contributions to the field of medicine. Brother Wilson, who was born in Bloomington, Ind., 38 years ago, received his A.B. degree from Indiana University in 1942 and his M.D. degree from The Indiana School of Medicine, Indiana University, in 1944. He has been professor of surgery and chairman of the department at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, since 1953. He received his diploma from the American Board of Surgery in 1952. During the past year he has read papers on his specialty at national medical meetings in Chicago and San Francisco. Dr. Wilson is married to the former Elizabeth Rowe, Kappa Alpha Theta, Indiana '39. They reside with their four children at 8618 Inwood Road, Dallas, Texas.



Basking in California sunshine are Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, right, and his Illinois Beta chaptermate Nelson H. (Nels) Norgren, retired coach at University of Chicago who now lives in Mill Valley, Calif.

### **In New Post With Penn-Texas Corporation**

ROBERT W. KERR, Calif. Epsilon '31 charter member, has resigned as a vice president of American Machine and Foundry Company to take charge of all manufacturing operations of Penn-Texas Corporation and an affiliate, Fairbanks, Morse & Co., Inc.

Brother Kerr became vice president of Penn-Texas in charge of all subsidiary operations on March 1. He represents the parent company on manufacturing programs of Fairbanks, Morse, in which Penn-Texas has a 77 per cent stock interest, and those of Pratt & Whitney Company, Inc.; Chandler Evans Corporation, Potter & Johnson Company and Colt's Patent Firearms Manufacturing Company, Inc., all Penn-Texas subsidiaries.

The Kerrs live in Riverside, Conn. They have three daughters.

### **Assigned to Mechanicsburg**

LT. JAMES E. HAMMOND, USN, Nebr. Alpha '45, has been assigned to the Mechanicsburg (Pa.) Naval Supply Depot as trans-



portation officer and traffic division officer. He was formerly assigned to Cargo Handling Battalion One, Williamsburg, Va.

#### **President of W&L Alumni**

DAVID D. JOHNSON, Va. Beta '17, an executive in the oil industry, is the new national president of Washington and Lee University alumni. His home is in Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### **Named District Manager**

RICHARD D. (DICK) PENNEY, Nebr. Alpha '31, has been appointed district manager of State Reserve Life Insurance Company's Fort Worth agency.

A veteran of more than a quarter century in the life insurance business, he is a member of the Fort Worth Association of Life Underwriters and is active in the First Presbyterian Church.

Brother Penney, his wife and three children live at 2012 Provine, Fort Worth, Texas.

#### **Teaching and Coaching**

CARL K. FRISTROM, Pa. Kappa '52, has joined the faculty of the Point Loma High School in San Diego, teaching English and assisting in sports.

#### **New Book by Connell**

EVAN S. CONNELL JR., Kans. Alpha '46, author of *The Anatomy Lesson* (THE SHIELD, Nov. 1957), now gives us *Mrs. Bridge*, a light and delightful series of more than a hundred little chapters, each spotlighting a facet of experience in the life of a wife and mother—but not a typical one. Each episode is like the stroke of a painter's brush, and when the word portrait is complete, Mrs. Bridge emerges as a very human person for whom life has, at times, been mildly frustrating, utterly confusing or deeply misunderstood; but through it all her inability to cope with or comprehend carries her blithely down life's stream without any severe bumps en route.

Born in Kansas City, Brother Connell attended Dartmouth College, University of Kansas and Columbia University graduate

school. He served for two years with the Naval Air Force in World War II. He now lives in San Francisco. (*Mrs. Bridge* by Evan S. Connell Jr., 254 pages; Viking Press, New York; \$3.75.)

#### **Vice President of B. F. Goodrich**

DON C. MILLER, Mich. Alpha '33, formerly senior vice president of Kenyon and Eckhardt, Inc., advertising agency has been named vice president for marketing of The B. F. Goodrich Company.



MILLER

Joining Kenyon and Eckhardt in its Detroit office in 1948, Brother Miller was agency executive, assigned to the Lincoln-Mercury account, and vice president of the Detroit office before being transferred to New York in 1956.

He was elected senior vice president and became a principal stockholder in the agency in 1956, was elected to the executive committee in 1957, and supervised the development of major marketing plans for principal clients.

Before his association with Kenyon-Eckhardt he was director of market research and head of sales organization and analysis department of Packard Motor Company.

During World War II he served as a naval lieutenant on a destroyer attached to the Pacific fleet, was executive assistant to the Director General, War Production Drive division, and was a promotion specialist for War Bond sales, Treasury Department.

He joined Campbell-Ewald Company, an advertising agency, on his graduation from the University of Michigan, in 1936, and was on the Chevrolet account until 1942.

He is a native of Marion, Indiana, and lived in Birmingham, Michigan until he established residence in New York and Connecticut in 1956.

Brother and Mrs. Miller, and their two children moved to their new home in Akron, Ohio last February.



Maj. Joseph W. Powers, Pa. Epsilon '45, on left, receives Army Commendation Ribbon with Metal Pendant from Brig. Gen. Frederick R. Zierath, assistant commandant of the Army Command and General Staff College.

### **Dr. Wilson on 'Outstanding' List**

DR. HUGH E. WILSON, Mich. Alpha '42, was named one of America's Ten Outstanding Young Men for 1958 by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce.

A 34-year-old native of Ann Arbor, Mich., Dr. Wilson is a noted heart surgeon and department chairman at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, in Dallas.

Dr. Wilson moved to Dallas in 1956 after having served four years at Boston City Hospital in Boston. Besides his work in the field of heart surgery, he was cited for almost single-handedly raising \$120,000 for department research at Texas Southwestern Medical School.

Dr. Wilson has developed a device which actually substitutes for the heart and lungs during surgery and is credited with efforts providing normal lives to a semi-invalid Ft. Worth woman and a six-year-old Dallas girl, both "almost doomed to an early death."

As an undergraduate at the University of Michigan he was wrestling team captain and a Big Ten champion in the 145-pound class. He earned his M.D. degree at Michigan in 1948.

Dr. Wilson is married and the father of three children.

### **Retired by General Motors**

After twenty-five years with General Motors Corp., CORNELIUS S. GLOCK, Ohio Epsilon '12, has retired and returned to his native Ohio after most recently serving as assistant regional manager in charge of the New England area. He entered the automobile business in 1920, after serving in World War I.

### **Scholarships Available**

The National Foundation, 800 Second Ave., New York 17, N.Y. announces that annually, beginning in 1959, a minimum of 505 health scholarships will be available in the fields of medicine, medical social work, nursing, occupational therapy, and physical therapy. Awardees may receive \$500 for each of four years; the money may be used for tuition or any appropriate student expense. Full information will be sent on request to the above address.

### **New Dean of Students**

FRANK H. McCLOSKEY, N.Y. Beta '14, associate dean of New York University's Washington Square College of Arts and Sciences since 1946, has been named New York University dean of students.

Dean McCloskey will serve as a central administrative and coordinating officer for various non-athletic, extracurricular student activities and services in NYU's five undergraduate schools and colleges. Three of these units are located at the University's Washington Square Center and two are at NYU's University Heights campus in the Bronx.

Dean McCloskey, who is a professor of English at the University, joined the faculty in 1923. He became assistant dean of Washington Square College in 1931. A native of Pennsylvania, he received his bachelor's degree from Syracuse University in 1916. He also holds an M.A. degree from NYU (1924) and a Ph.D. from Harvard University (1929).

The author of several books on better writing and educational subjects, Dean McCloskey is a member of a number of scholarly societies. He resides at 212 Maple Street, Englewood, New Jersey.

# PHI PSIS . . . . on the campus

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## *District I*

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### **New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College**

As promised, Phi Psi had the best bar on campus and greatest pit completed in time for one of the most fabulous weekends. Winter Carnival, ever experienced. It was a co-operative effort directed by Pete Farquhar, Jim Crise and Bill Steck, which, after months of hard work, transformed a dream into reality. Very much larger than any previous bar, it is a sight to behold, made of stone and complete with a stainless steel double-sink, coils for the keg and a tap which actually pours beer without a head. Mirrored paneling on the wall behind finishes a beautiful party room. Adjoining this room and similar to it in size and design, the new pit features distinctive lighting and a cozy fireplace. Special thanks go to those generous alumni who gave us the opportunity.

Brothers, alumni, and their dates were provided with the finest entertainment available, and Carnival Weekend culminated in a pajama party where everyone wore bright-red  $\Phi\K\Psi$  nightshirts (the party favors) and drank special concoctions dreamed up by social chairmen Herb Finch and Ed Henriquez, who also arranged a terrific buffet dinner for the same night.

Other house innovations include, beside new ceilings, a new house manager, Ben Parish, and assistant treasurer, Jim Lawrence. We are all proud of Bill Steck for his excellent job performed the previous year as house manager and are sure Ben will follow suit. And Ken Ingalls was elected the new Hod.

Engrossed in campus activities are John Cook and Bill Woolley, who are being praised for their leadership in the building of the fine 40-foot Carnival ice statue on the center of campus. On the sports scene we find Gregg Millet and Don Baker consistently gaining honors in respective events in varsity track and swimming, as in varsity wrestling are GP John Chilson (captain), Jim Lawrence, Jerry Cantril and Jim Alfaro. Mike Wood is a member of the varsity ski team, Craig Jameson is manager of the boxing team, and Ivar Jozus is a manager for the varsity hockey squad.

The house basketball and hockey teams are not

faring as well as the varsity, but John Leopold and Larry Dingman are shaping up the teams and the second half of our season will be better.

Several of us are practicing for the IF play contest in which Phi Psi will present an original play written by Pete Farquhar. We are confident that we can do well, as we have always done in previous years. We're an optimistic group with great plans for the future.

SHELDON A. LIPPE, *Correspondent*

### **Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University**

The brothers were pleased to see most members return in good health after Christmas holidays. There was, in fact, only one serious injury to a member of the clan. George Ullrich suffered a fractured leg while skiing. He has, however, derived a certain amount of satisfaction as the injury was sustained when he attempted to "shush" the face of Mt. Washington—a most daring and formidable feat. He had left the slope and was moving along the valley floor with his skis chattering over the icy snow when he flipped. It is hoped that this will in no way hinder his campaign for the presidency of the student governing body, the Cammarian Club, a job which is now more than ever tailored to fit him.

Recent house elections produced the following officers: Kenneth H. Hauck, GP; Robert A. Hastings, VGP; Gill Long, AG; Foster H. Ballard, BG; Robert Laskey, SG; Arthur Dunham, HI; Donald B. Almeida, Phu; and Angus M. Green, Hod.

An art show at the university early this semester gave Brother Z. Hall a chance to display his ability as an abstract artist. Three of his paintings were exhibited, and received much acclaim. His one work, "Fried Eggs on the Refectory Wall," was the most controversial work exhibited, but despite its even more controversial title managed to capture first prize. Brother Hall reports that he has had several offers for the painting and plans to "clean up" on it. It seems that this is a more profitable and enjoyable pastime than hawking Harris tweed suits tailored in Hong Kong.

Congratulations go to three of the brothers who recently became engaged: Tom Jones to Rebecca Feldstein of Rockville Center, N.Y.; Meyer Houck to Jacquelin Roberts, of Bronxville, N.Y.; and Robert Hastings to Anne Marblehead, of Moulton, Mass. Other romantic activity in the house is centered around Bill Riley, who is barely seen as he moves in and out on frequent trips to Boston.

⎵ Sixty AGs have done it again, to hoist the undisputed Greek record to 91 issues without a miss! Chapter scholarship ratings, omitted this issue, will be back again, revised, in the May issue. As Dab used to say: "Kudos, low bows and salaams" to the All-Phi Psi AG Team! ⎵

B. G. (Me and Riley) Koether is never in, as he spends most of his time at Wheaton, with Marie Marvelle. There may be a crisis on hand as Mark Foster's romance seems to be going down the drain.

On the scholastic scene there is much need for improvement. The brothers have shown a growing concern to improve conditions here, and we all hope that the results of our future endeavors will prove us to be worthy of the ideals upon which Phi Psi was founded. However, all is not dim. *Dick Haskell, star hockey player and halfback on the football team, received a Rhodes Scholarship and will continue his studies at Oxford next year.*

The most recent activity at the chapter was the redecoration of the lounge and the library. The lounge was done in a hunter green and cardinal red motif. The furniture was redone with an ebony finish, and bamboo blinds replaced the curtains to give the room an oriental flavor. A large painting representing the jacqueminot rose is hanging over the mantelpiece.

GILL LONG, *Correspondent*

#### Connecticut Alpha—Trinity College

On December 14, Connecticut Alpha initiated sixteen men into the brotherhood in an early morning ceremony. Our new brothers are Les Schoenfeld, John Herzig, Jack Perry, Don Rotenberg, Bill Handler, Art Gregg, George Paré, Gene Refalvy, Tom Swift, Bob Dinsmore, Mark Lyndrup, R. C. Mackin, Pete Lue, Pete Kreisel, Phil Lovell and Tom Wilson.

On February 6, we pledged two fine men: Bert Draesel, Harrington Falls, N.J.; and Pete Knight, Westport.

Turning to the social scene, we had a highly successful Christmas party on December 15 with an excellent band and mistletoe to provide for a very enjoyable evening.

Although we have not done too well in IM squash, our basketball team has distinguished itself by winning three of its first four encounters. The team is composed of Les Schoenfeld, Bill Handler, John Herzig, Myles McDonough and Tim Horne. Lyndrup and Refalvy have had the distinction of becoming members of Trinity's well-known Pipes. This octet has sung at many New England colleges, and also has appeared on radio and television.

Bob Dinsmore was recently elected to the office of Hi, vacated by Gordy Martin on a leave of absence.

The chapter house has just undergone its mid-winter cleaning, and is ready for another semester. Fred Fishbein, George Pare, Arnie Lieber and Don Seastrom deserve due credit for making the dean's list this past semester.

On February 7, a Phi Psi contingent traveled to Hanover, N.H. for Dartmouth winter carnival. Thanks to our New Hampshire Alpha hosts we had a very enjoyable time.

T. HORNE, *Correspondent*

#### New York Alpha—Cornell University

Shortly before the completion of the term, NYAlphans elected officers for spring term. They are: Jim Mitchell, GP; John Gardner, VGP; Art Tasker, AG; Tom Revak, BG; Bruce Hoverman, SG; Bill Moore, Hi; Jeff Strauss, Hod; Scon Boccuti, Phu; and Pete Irish, IFC representative. We are all looking forward to another successful term under the leadership of these men.

At the time of this writing, N.Y. Alpha has just completed formal rushing. Al Foosse and Bob McDermott, our rushing chairmen, worked many long hours with all the brothers, taking care of all the details which had to be covered. House Manager Jim Beatty saw to it that the chapter home was in the best physical shape ever. Our bar has been extended and distinctive murals painted around the walls by Stu Carter, one of our talented architects. Right now, the chapter has some of the best social facilities on campus. As a result, Phi Psi again swept the hill as in past years and pledged another fine group of twenty freshmen. They are: William Noel Andrews and Arthur Selden Aylsworth, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Christopher James Berry, Turnbridge Wells, Kent, England; Gary Stuart Brayshaw, Bellmore; James Duncan Campbell Jr., Harrisburg, Pa.; Fred Grover Davis, Kingston, Pa.; Randall Hunt Decker III, Summit, N.J.; Ralph Henry DeOrsay Jr., Drexel Hill, Pa.; Allen Foster Juers, Louisville, Ky.; Roland Harry Kohl and Gabriel Howard Paul Jr., Cincinnati, Ohio; Jerome Patterson Parks Jr., Overland Park, Kans.; David Bruce Mack, Short Hills, N.J.; Donald Harwood Morgan, Claymont, Del.; David John Revak, Mount Carmel, Pa.; Charles Willis Ritter, Baltimore, Md.; Robert Emerson Simpson, White Plains; Kenzi Sugihara, Kearney, N.J.; Frank Leander Sundstrom Jr., East Orange, N.J., and Charles E. Umbanhowar, Indianapolis, Ind.

Jack Wright, social chairman for the term, has promised us another fine social season this spring. At the end of February, Cornell holds its annual overnight weekend, sponsored by the IFC. Three well-known artists, Chris Connors, Maynard Ferguson, and the Kingston Trio, will entertain us during the weekend. At the house, Dick Schriefer, with the help of Mr. Aus, our chef, is planning another delicious buffet for Saturday night. Following this will be our annual Pledge Formal, the high point of the weekend as far as all of us are concerned. Jack has organized the entire weekend expertly and it looks like it will be a bigger success than ever. Also coming up in the near future are our Jeff Duo party with Phi Gamma Delta, and Spring Weekend in May. Adding to these a few sorority exchanges, the social picture is very bright looking for the entire term.

In sports, both varsity and intramural, Phi Psis continue to distinguish themselves. Bob Pettus and Tom Gittins are getting back into shape in the crew tanks with Tatsy Matsushita and Pete Engel urging them on as coxswains. Our fencers, Jim Coatsworth, Ted Graves, By Brown and Gene

Murphy, are still scoring heavily on their opponents in Ivy League competition. Phi Psi's basketball team came out well in most of its games. The addition of Woody Sponaugle's 6' 7", 210-pound frame to the team accounted for a lot of wins. IM softball will be starting shortly and we have good prospects for improving our status over that of last spring.

A fond farewell from the entire chapter is bid to John O'Hagen, an outstanding Phi Psi on campus. John was graduated at the end of the semester and will enter the U.S. Army as a second lieutenant.

ART TASKER, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Beta—Syracuse University**

One semester down and one more to go. That's the feeling at New York Beta. Looking back over fall semester all we can do is breathe a sigh of relief that it's over and hope that the one coming up is as good. From the way things look now it will be even better—not only in social functions but also in grades.

As most of you know, Syracuse was involved in a post season game with Oklahoma at the Orange Bowl. John McFall and Jim Allen drove to Miami with the expectation of having a ball; they even went so far as to have a chauffeur, Jerry Ashwell. While these three motored, Fred Delmonico and Bob Doettling took things easy and went by train. Much to their surprise they were met in the city of sunshine by alumni Gene O'Neil and Bob (Cobb) Colliver, and the seven representatives of Beta had quite a time for themselves. All the other brothers now wish they had gone along so they wouldn't have to hear all the war stories that filtered up from the deep south.

On January 10 we held our annual Prohibition party. For the event all the brothers and pledges reverted to the dress, slang and music of the Roaring Twenties. With everyone working together the party was one of the best that we've had in many a moon.

New officers for this term are: John Powers, GP; Donn Harding, VGP; Andy Davy, P; John McFall, AG; Ted Bunga, BG; Peter Budelli, Phu; Robert Loftus, SG; Don Reid, Hi; and Brice Draper, Hod. To all these new officers go our best wishes.

This month we have scheduled our annual Founders Day Formal on the weekend of the 21st. In April we will celebrate our seventy-fifth anniversary on the Syracuse campus. This makes us the sixth-oldest house on the hill. For this event we are planning a banquet and a formal dance at the Hotel Syracuse.

This month we send our IM bowling, basketball and ping-pong teams into action. Next month our golf team will swing into action, hoping to duplicate last year's win. The team this year will consist of the same four as last year, led by John Powers as our number-one player, and followed by Don Reid, John McFall and Arthur Bradley. Archon Harvey Sanderson, who held down fifth position last year, is no longer with us. Harvey

is now on the staff of radio station WONG, at Oneida, N.Y.

Art Bradley and Bob Davidson are back from their prolonged trip as our good-will ambassadors at large, having visited chapters from Ohio to New Hampshire!

The chapter would like to thank our alumni association for the work they have done for us over the past three years. We wish there was something more tangible we could do for them but I hope that they all will accept our thanks.

JOHN MCFALL, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Gamma—Columbia University**

Our house has lately attained a certain well deserved prominence as a place of getting acquainted. To be more exact: Jack Tobin is anticipating a marriage in April; Tony Marx has returned to Israel on an archeological expedition with his cooperative woman; the wife of Placido D. Laval has retired to her Florida retreat to await the coming of a blessed event or two. Gamma's contribution to the national debt, George Larsinos, is also anticipating matrimony. At present, however, he is actively engaged in a project entailing aid to one of his uncles, named Sam. Other brothers also are planning marriage; their plans have not as yet solidified.

In recent elections Jim Collis was reelected president for the fourth time. Robert Montgomery was elected vice-president; Errol Ehrstedt was re-elected treasurer, Jim Collins was elected recording secretary and last but not least, a newly-initiated brother, Larry Shapiro, was elected corresponding secretary.

Our five newly-initiated brothers deserve mention; Mickey Harrington, Frank Giorgiano, Roger Smith, Larry Shapiro and Harold Hostmark. During Hell Week these five slaved industriously; they sanded every floor in the house and proceeded to anoint the floors with layers and layers of back-breaking work and stain. This was getting down to the bare essentials of the floors.

Activities around the house: The bar has been worked on and the walls and steps leading down to it have been painted a lovely hue of pitch black. It is now impossible for guests to escape from the bar. On the third floor there rages a constant war between the hi-fi classics of Jack Tobin and the stereo rock and roll of Roger Smith. The house is a mass cacaphony reminiscent of Schoenberg and Berg with perhaps a small dab of slaughter house sounds tossed in. And the walls came tumbling down.

The next newsletter you receive from New York Gamma will no doubt be written by someone else, as I am leaving for California soon. It has been short but immeasurably sweet. It has, in short, been a little bit of heaven.

LARRY SHAPIRO, *Correspondent*



It's time once more to draw blood from stones. On second thought, that might be easier than procuring news from the Colgate campus. Exciting activities are plentiful, so plentiful that each and every event is a new and unusual experience! Phi Psi has done her best to keep the corruptible ball rolling.

It might be better to stop now but I haven't even written 400 letters, let alone 400 words.

Somehow or other the brotherhood was unified in surviving the onslaught of fall semester finals. It is also rather amazing that we escaped "pro," but as stated above, Phi Psi does her utmost to keep the ball rolling.

We haven't planted any bushes, but we have made use of our yard. Cars on front lawns have always fascinated onlookers, much more than dead flowers. We had some painting done in our downstairs—now the walls are all clean, ready for a new onslaught of devastation. We've had new doors put up in all the rooms. No knobs, latches, hinges, or anything, just plain slabs of wood which we've been instructed to call doors.

We received into the brotherhood 23 new pledges as our formal rushing for the year finally came to an end. The new objects of brotherly pranks are: Chris Bell, John Bouzan, Charlie Cala, Vinnie Delia, Bill Dorr, John Fenniman, Dave Forman, Jiggs Geraghty, Stu Gilbert, Steve Grossman, Ed Hall, Dan Lehane, Bob Masterson, Jay McGiveran, Rick Murray, Dee Nason, Jere Northrup, Joe Simunovich, Tom Stiles, Dunc Taylor, Emil Usinger, Dick Sweet and Dick Wilson.

House elections were also held for a change! The new GP is Gene Murhpy. President of vice, rather VGP—Dave Shailer; Pledge Master, Dave Anderson; Social Chairman, Frank Bessell, with Jack Stovel as his assistant; House Manager, Tony Whaling; Rushing Chairman, Ev Stevenson, with Rick Lyon assisting. These men will pay dearly as the brotherhood had to sacrifice "Maverick" to elect them. Such is the operation of a hierarchy!

The school's administration has finally recognized the worthiness of Phi Psis. Alva Kelley, a Cornell Phi Psi and former head football coach at Brown, has been installed as head coach at Colgate. Brother Kelley can be sure of support from at least one contingent at Colgate. We're happy to welcome him aboard "the rolling ball."

Phi Psi can be cited for her continued opposition to the hierarchial actions of the administration. With the help of some Sigma Nus, we've made it possible to literally burn our social calendar. It seems the brass didn't like our attempt to spread our charms to other campuses. In fact it appears that the other campuses didn't appreciate the attempts either. We've now had our Greek letters posted on the rim of the Cazenovia campus. The poster reads in part: The following are banned from this campus:

A swinging Easter to all!

PAUL BEARDSLEE, *Correspondent*

As a result of recent elections, the following officers were named: James Urbanski, GP; Gene Mahaney, VGP; William Farner, P; William Daniels, AG; Henry Hueber, BG; Mike Sullivan, SG; Art Bevilacqua, Hi; Edward Kamien, Hod; and Robert Michienzi, Phu.

Activities of the past semester included our annual Christmas and New Year's Eve Parties, which a few brothers from Bucknell attended. Exams have kept most of the brothers busy during January. But now that the new semester is with us, rushing season follows. Fran DeYoung has planned what should be a very effective program, and it looks like another good semester for Buffalo Phi Psis.

Jack Barrett is planning our semi-annual formal dinner dance to be held at the Hotel Markcen. The brothers expect to see many alumni in attendance. After this event, the brothers plan to attend the Founders Day banquet of the Western New York Alumni at the Hotel Westbrook.

Phi Psi is well represented on campus this year. Brother Jim Urbanski was wing commander of the AFROTC last semester; Mike Sullivan is the editor of the University yearbook; Sam Lauricella was elected president of the College of Arts and Science student body; and Jim McPherson was treasurer of the Student Council first semester.

Sports have kept many of the brothers busy. Dick Hall is manager of the wrestling team while Mike Sullivan and Pledge Bill Carpender are using their ability on the swimming team. The Phi Psi IM basketball team is being coached by Herm Sapio. Players are Ron Malin, Bob Boyce, Doug Lang, Jim Urbanski, Burt Bachellar, and Pledges Paul Allen and Don Lacks. Howie Klein, who is now in med school, and Gordy Lang, from Duke, also in med school, play on the team. The team has a 2-1 record; the loss to Sig Ep was due to a basket in the last 5 seconds of the game!

Gail Gurtner, top man in his class, is now in Medical School with Gary Hauser and Howie Klein. Jim Ely is in the Dental School. Alex Drapnus has been accepted in Dental School, and Mike Sullivan in Medical School. Burt Bachellar is now in the Air Force aviation cadet program, and Jack Barrett expects to be accepted in June. Best of luck to the career brothers.

WILLIAM DANIELS, *Correspondent*

### *In Aetna's Spokane Office*

ARCH W. WATSON, Wash. Alpha '23, who joined Aetna Life Insurance Co. immediately after his 1957 graduation from the University of Washington, has been promoted and transferred from Portland, Ore., to the company's Spokane, Wash., office.



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## District 2

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### **Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University**

Penn Gamma has further strengthened its position of leadership on campus by regaining a respectable position in scholarship, after a regrettably long period of intellectual unconcern. This noteworthy achievement is supplemented by our continued supremacy in intramural athletic competitions.

The Phi Psi wrestling team, handicapped by inexperience but animated by the will to win, finished third in the interfraternity matches. Walt Smith is Bucknell's 130-lb. champion. Sam Waymer reached the finals in the 165-lb. class, winning three and losing one. Roy Sommer won his first match (the first he ever wrestled), and lost to the man who later won the 175-lb. class, in a very exciting match. Herb Hoffmeier, Phil Easterly and Tom Gillespie had the misfortune to encounter veteran grapplers in the first round matches, but nevertheless turned in performances deserving recognition.

Our bowling team repeated last year's victory, taking the championship from Lambda Chi after losing the first game by 88 pins. This year's team is unusual in that no bowler was outstanding among them. It was a combined effort, the total scores turned in by Gary Mulvihill, Beno Bovard, Roger Albee, John Morris and Vic Hendrickson providing us with the victory.

On the eve of this writing, Sophomores Skip Cannon and Vic Hendrickson were initiated into the mysteries of our fraternity. Welcome, brothers!

This weekend we are having our second combined party with SAE, featuring "Daisy Mae and the Hepcats." The following week is rush week, and the week after that the sophomore brothers will be relieved of their house duties, we hope. The third week in March is the date set for our annual "Shipwreck" weekend which should be wild; it always is.

Midst all the preceding good news our campus has not been entirely free of unpleasantness. This year's IF Council has been characterized by an unprecedented strictness in the enforcement of rushing rules. As a result, the Bucknell chapter of Kappa Sigma Fraternity, convicted of a major infraction, was denied rushing privileges to an extent which would have been financially damaging, if not disastrous. On the advice of their national executive body, they subsequently withdrew from the IFC. Ours was one of the two dissenting votes in this case and we feel that it is important to make our views known to our brothers everywhere so that they may join us in sympathizing with the Kappa Sigs' rebellion against the unjust severity of this penalty. It is by just such immoderate judgments and condemnations as these that fra-

ternities as a whole can weaken themselves and fall prey to the ever-present antagonism of university administration.

In the years to come the fraternity system is almost certain to encounter pressure and hostility from without, and it will survive only if it is united and strong internally, and financially solvent. We cannot afford to destroy each other. We at Penn Gamma deem it unfortunate that so few of the men at Bucknell have thought about the possible consequences of what has happened to Kappa Sigma, and for that matter, to IFC. It could happen to them. Let Phi Kappa Psi exemplify the foresight and good judgment we must exhibit if fraternities are to survive on college campuses and college life is to continue to be the complete and rewarding experience it has been for us. Put your vote with ours, and 10-2 will not seem so shamefully overwhelming.

SAM G. WAYMER, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College**

It was a cold snowy morning early in February as a shivering group of frost bitten brothers staggered down from the frozen heights of the third floor "blood pit" and the "land of fantasy" of Joe Steger, Hap McClure and Co., to find that, sure enough, the second semester had begun. Everything was running according to schedule as the underclassmen, led by Bill Conway (boy ROTC wonder)—enjoying his day of glory as on every Tuesday drill day—stumbled across the campus into the friendly atmosphere of the famed Dubbs' "kitchen casino." Ben Beal was starting to sweat second semester finals; Pete Sinnott and Dave Denman were recuperating; John Perry got off on the right foot by cutting physics again; and Dave Reeser had forgotten his upper plate again. Yes, it looked as though everything was going true to form as the second semester "big shue" got underway.

Socially, athletically, fraternally, and even scho-



**Penn Epsilon's G-Men: Phi Psi varsity lettermen in football, soccer, basketball, lacrosse and swimming.**

lastically, the chapter rose to new heights this past four months. At this time, unofficially, it appears that our overall scholastic average has improved after last semester's efforts, and it is hoped that it will be even better this semester. If all goes well, twelve of our pledges will be eligible for initiation in March.

The Junior-Senior Prom highlighted our first big weekend back on the battlefield campus and kicked off social activities for the second half of the year. After dancing to the music of Richard Maltby, we joined the Phi Gams for one of the best parties of the year.

Our IM basketball club remains unbeaten as it nears the end of another successful campaign. Volleyball and bowling are next on the slate in our drive for the IFC all-sports trophy.

The greatest interest shared by the entire house at this time is our campaign for funds to finance our proposed chapter house. All of our more than five hundred living alumni have been contacted in an effort to raise the necessary money to break ground some time this spring. Many brothers have spent their weekends and vacations meeting and visiting with our alumni and we hope to contact personally as many brothers as possible in order to renew interest in the chapter at this time. For those contributions and pledges which have already been received we are sincerely thankful, although we realize that we still have a long way to go before our building plans can begin.

Our congratulations to Dee Wahlers, Dave Reeser, and George Gunnell, all of whom became engaged recently.

BOB GRELE, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College**

Phi Psi has done it again! After a hectic and tense, but very fruitful two weeks of rushing, twenty-two men of the highest caliber have been added to the "House Behind the Pines." The new pledges are: Jim Acton, Salem, N.J.; Don Angeletti, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Lee Arters, Lima; Ross Bates, Freeport, N.Y.; Ken Bowling, Baltimore, Md.; John Clough, Princeton, N.J.; Bob Craft and Jack Op-paser, Westfield, N.J.; Nick Crosby, Joe Feraco, Dave Rilling, and Bob Weiss, all of Philadelphia; Tom Davis, Newton Square; Melvin Dildine, Waynesboro; Bryson Goss, Lewistown; Scott Greenfield, Coatesville; Bruce Hetrick, Camp Hill; Pete Joel, Bronxville, N.Y.; Howie Kalis, Pottstown; Carl Steindel, Moscow; Jim Strite Jr., Chambersburg; and Steve Watchorn, Drexel Hill.

Famous for his Simon Legree tactics, Joe Carver has been named pledgemaster. To insure that the new pledges toe the line and follow the straight path to brotherhood in our Fraternity, Bob Williamson will assist Joe.

Two dances were held at the house on successive Saturdays for the freshmen. During rushing, Social Chairman Chub Nieman acquired two rocking bands from York that attracted freshmen as moths to a flame.

In the winter varsity sports scene two pledges, Crosby and Clough, are performers on the wrestling team which is concluding a winning season. Dickinson swimming team, which has compiled an amazing record of twenty-five consecutive wins, has been aided considerably by the efforts of Pledge Dave Rilling.

Our IF basketball team has been bolstered by the return to the hardwoods of two giants in the persons of Tom Engle, 6' 11", and Tom Greelish, 6' 6".

Ed Black, who graduated this past semester, will begin studies at New York Medical College in September. Bob Davis has been accepted to Jefferson Medical School, and Gene (Scrooge) Connor has plans to renovate the entire plastics industry after graduation.

MIKE TAYLOR, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College**

Climaxing another exciting rush week, Penn Eta pledged seven fine men: Sherrill Babb, New Holland; Birney Bonner, Flaurton; Bill Ertel, Merion; Mike Heist, Bausman; Ted Peck, Kingston, N.Y.; Larry Reilley, Dobbs Ferry, N.Y., and Bob Sechrist, Red Lion.

The chapter wishes to thank alumni Bob King, James W. Shutte, Bernie Zimmerman and Dunc Campbell for their inspiring rush week after-dinner addresses. We regret that alumnus Henry Marshall was unable to attend because of illness. Bill Hobbs, however, more than rose to the occasion with his silver-tongued oratory!

Scholarshipwise, Phi Psi (as well as the rest of the student body) showed little improvement. Five brothers made the Dean's List, John Irwin, Dean Crystyle, Ralph LeCalsey, Irving Gorenberg and Linus Bingham.

New initiates include Norm Bell, Lancaster; Dave Reese, Drums; Bob Sullivan, Berlin, Conn.; and Bob White, Nether Providence, Pa. Congratulations to them all.

The alumni committee is now in the process of writing and editing the second issue of the *Dips-Eta*, chapter newspaper. We sincerely wish to thank all alumni who have written to compliment us for our efforts. All suggestions and criticisms are indeed welcome. Address your letters to *Dips-Eta*, c/o Phi Kappa Psi, Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pa. If you did not receive a copy of the first issue, please let us know; we will be happy to include you on our mailing list. And don't forget to include those newsy items and photographs! We shall return the latter, if desired.

Other alumni committee plans center around the annual Founders Day celebration plus the Spring Symposium which this year will honor Dr. Andrew G. Truxal, Past President of Phi Kappa Psi.

Spring Weekend will be celebrated May 8-10. It will feature a dinner dance on Friday evening and picnic and party on Saturday. Alumni are cordially invited to attend the festivities.

BILL BINGHAM, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College**

Life on college hill is slowly returning to normal after finishing hell week, the first week of second semester. This year's pledge class was one of the best ever, with twenty-four pledges completing hell week. Although we had the usual games, the brothers tried to make this a help week also with pledges undertaking a major project for the improvement of the house. They laid down a new floor in the dining room and worked on the kitchen. Both have contributed a great deal to the appearance of the house. On the Friday night of hell week the house had a stag party for the pledges.

Pledge Robert Kauffman is averaging twenty points a game for the freshman team as they continue undefeated in league play. The varsity basketball team has won its last two games with Jim Hurst leading the victory against Wilkes College with 18 points and Rich Kohler scoring 22 points in the win over Rutgers. James Haering, on the swimming team, and Bill Brown, on the wrestling team, are strong contenders for their respective middle Atlantic championships. Baseball season is just around the corner and the house will be represented on the varsity by Harry Boyko, Richard Richter and George Bendere. The house is eagerly looking forward to spring IF week with our annual trip to a resort in the Pocono mountains.

ALAN EWART, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania**

In our last issue, all you avid readers of news from Penn Iota were informed that a Christmas party was under way, and you are all doubtless breathless with anticipation to learn how it turned out. Well, fellas and gals, the thirteenth of December was indeed a memorable date for us here in Philadelphia, for the occasion was indeed a gala one. Decorations were hurriedly purchased on the Friday evening previous, as a small purchasing committee went hog-wild in the five-and-ten and spent extra money; then, when they came home, someone found still more trimmings left over from last year's party, with the result that Cochrane Hall became so Christmassy that there was barely enough room to dance in. The overall effect was quite pleasing, if a bit lavish, however, and the party went very smoothly, with many complimentary remarks on the part of the guests.

Due to the fact that official ire was aroused by the resumption of a feud of long standing, carried on between Penn Iota and a house which shall remain nameless, if depressingly damp, we were sentenced by the University of Pennsylvania's IFC (an august body) to invite a number of underprivileged children from West Philadelphia's teeming multitudes to an athletic event of our own choosing at the Palestra, after which we were to host them to hot chocolate and cookies. The brothers spent a hectic but happy afternoon watching the children storm around the house, and the allegory of Interfraternity Peace and Understand-

ing once more spread her cloak of repose over the dreamy Pennsylvania campus.

Rushing is on the horizon, and feverish preparations are being made to bag as large a segment of minimally wet Pennsylvania freshmen as possible. We hope to net at least ten representatives of mankind and other kinds, and anything over that number is gravy. To these ends, we of Phi Psi have secured a champion new ping-pong table (spelled backward is gnip-gnop) in our cellar and a great new Ice Box (spelled backward is refrigerator) which, in addition to being of great service to our steward, can be used on weekends as a repository for those blind dates who would have been better off unmet.

Ecktually, chaps, we have contrived as a coup-de-gras (I think that's the proper expression there) to have a rushing party at the veddy tweedy Rose Tree Fox Hunt Club, oldest in the country. The affair has been set for the eve of February 6.

Lest we forget, congratulations to our new Administration: GP (business as usual) Bob McClure; VGP, Dick Snyder; BG, Eugene C. Ged; Marshall Larrabee, Hod; Julian Devereux, Hi; and Raymond L. Osborne Jr., Phu.

ADRIAN BRONK, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College**

Before the final marks come out for the fall semester we think we should squeeze in the fact that Penn Kappa ranks first scholastically among Swarthmore's fraternities. This has been aided by the tendency of Swarthmore Phi Psis to get good marks or flunk out, a characteristic which aids our average considerably.

The annual off-campus Christmas dinner-dance was the rousing success it was expected to be, but the biggest social event we have had since our last newsletter was our annual Alumni Dinner at the Racquet Club in Philadelphia. Symposiarch Ed Mifflin '48, entertained us with his own inimitable quality of humor while Bill McPhail '41, Sports Editor of CBS, gave a worthwhile talk on the function of a fraternity. Despite the stymied effort of one over-spirited bacchical brother to remove a \$150 loving cup from a lounge, the evening was a great success and the reunion with the alumni was thoroughly enjoyable.

This semester the following officers were elected: Ed (Sassoon) Stainton, GP; Jim Forrester, VGP; George (Terry) Maisel, BG; Tom Stevenson, P; Kim Colket, Historian; Dave Bancroft, Hi; Gerry Schick, Hod; and Nate Price, Phu.

Bill (Zip) Zimmerman has filled in one of the few gaps in his extracurricular program by marrying one of the prettiest women in Swarthmore's senior class, Barbara Lamar. Best of luck!

Vic Ludewig, who has blundered through college gathering honor after honor, has shot down another one by being selected for the *Chemistry and Engineering News* Football Honor Roll. Our "fair haired paragon," ex-president of the Student Council, ex-

wrestler, football player and accomplished flutist, even got his picture printed in this magazine.

The pledges are also beginning to make their mark on campus, being represented on the wrestling, swimming, and basketball teams, and taking charge of the annual college Freshman Dance.

Ex-corporal (remember, Napoleon started as a corporal) George Ward, after years of strenuous struggle has passed his last set of finals and only awaits his comprehensive exams before he graduates. Big George accomplished this great feat even though he was suffering from the measles. (The measles, George?)

WOODY FLEISIG, *Correspondent*

#### **Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University**

The pledge training season here at Hopkins is drawing to a close and at this writing "Help Week" has just begun. The chapter would like to thank the brothers of Va. Beta, Penn Alpha, Penn Epsilon, and Penn Lambda for the help our pledges received from them. When the boys return from their pledge trips, they are put through a series of stunts, tests, and charity work. We expect to have some new brothers in the fold just in time for the Baltimore Founders Day banquet on February 20.

A visit from Archon Dick Butz is expected in the near future, so that the details for this year's Second District Council can be worked out. The committee has had its collective nose to the proverbial grindstone for two or three weeks now, and everyone seems sure that this'll be the liveliest one ever.

Billy DeVoe has been playing consistently good ball for the Jays all season, and, on the freshman team, pledge Bill Mahoney has been leading scorer with better than an eighteen point average and has been controlling the boards at both ends of the court. Phil Medenbach and John Harechmak have been winning them for the varsity fencers. Pete Merchant, business manager of the yearbook, has been joined on the editorial staff by Pledge Vaughn Winchell, who is now photography editor of the book.

Special congratulations go to: Tony Keating, who in one short week made his room unrecognizably neat, joined the ranks of the bourgeoisie by launching an admirable, but short-lived business venture, and threatened to buy out the entire house; Pete Josephs, who, due to his unparalleled feat of memory at a recent stag party in chanting 36 different verses in succession to the same song, is being proposed as poet laureate of the chapter.

We're more than pleased to announce that Alumnus Gene Coakley '58, and Becky have been spliced in a small ceremony on February 14. Gene is engaged in a two-year insurance training program in New Jersey.

We'll see all of you District II men in April—come prepared to enjoy the best D.C. in years!

DENNIS DONAHUE, *Correspondent*

#### **Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia**

It looks like another typical spring term as Virginia Alpha moves into the second semester. Exams and most of the resolutions made during the exam period are now somewhere in the dim past, the Brothers have returned to Charlottesville as has Virginia's "monsoon" season, and Jack Barstow is still trying to get back into the University. Rushing is moving in the final phase, that is to say we are beginning to give the matter some serious consideration. At present there seems to be a decided lack of rushees around the house, but the rush parties give the Brothers a chance to get together and talk the situation over.

Speaking of rushing, we would like to give a bit of warning to all chapters concerning their rush programs in the future. If you are in the habit of dropping illustrious Phi Psi names, be somewhat cautious about Woodrow Wilson. The national organization is once again breathing down our necks concerning certain financial matters which they seem to consider of no small importance. Thus it might prove a little embarrassing that Phi Psi's most illustrious member was president of a no-longer-existent chapter.

About scholastic matters. There has been a rumor about the house that "that Organization" has decided to take action to improve chapter averages. Which action, of course, terminated in another form letter to the effect that social probation or something of the sort (I didn't read the letter; our houseboy generally handles all mimeographed mail from Cleveland) might be a solution. However, Virginia Alpha is in a more secure position this semester scholastically with the return of Brother Toothe, whose academic endeavors will undoubtedly have a decided effect on the house average.

In closing we should like to offer our sympathy to three "casualties" in the house; Brother Fish Welles, who has had to leave the University for a while but will take a position as official "tester-taster" with the Anheuser-Busch Co.; Brother Durkin who is also no longer enrolled in the University, but is remaining in Charlottesville in the capacity of "academic advisor" to the chapter; and to Brother Walter Scott, who may have to leave town because of his popularity with our pledge class.

L. G. TURNER, *Correspondent*

#### **Virginia Beta—Washington & Lee University**

Virginia Beta was the scene of outstanding social activity this last weekend. The occasion was the "Golden Jubilee" which marked the fiftieth annual Fancy Dress Ball at Washington and Lee. The weekend was officially opened by a cocktail party at the famous Pine Room in the Mayflower Hotel. The student body and their dates were entertained by The Kingston Trio, who became universally famous with their recording of "Tom Dooley." The Costume Ball was held at the Doremus Ballroom on Friday night. Impersonations varied from the ridiculous figure of Little Lord Fauntleroy to

the more stately character of Alexander the Great. Urbie Green, who had interrupted his engagement at Birdland in Greenwich Village for the costume ball, provided the music.

To help the brothers meet the strenuous social pace of the weekend, Beer Belly Lockie, Yul B. Riddle, and Dr. Bohlman gave a milk punch party at their apartment before Saturday lunch. The party was greeted with such success that all were again ready for the formal dance Saturday night. Undoubtedly it was at this time that the University heard the best music of the weekend. Students danced to the music of Lester Lanin, who appeared with the versatile band made famous by Epic Recordings.

Both Friday and Saturday night Phi Psi provided combos to put the finishing touches on a most successful weekend.

On February 7, fifteen freshmen will be initiated into Virginia Beta. Those who will become brothers are: Peter Agelasto, London Bridge; Wayne Bradshaw, Ellicott City, Md.; James Carty, Frederick, Md.; Walter Cox, Rockford, Mich.; Ward Ellsasser, Washington, D.C.; Bryan Miller, Houston, Texas; Ray Miller, Baltimore, Md.; John Poynor, Birmingham, Ala.; Frank Smith, Bethesda, Md.; Reese Smith, Lynnhaven; James Russ, Hollidaysburg, Pa.; Paul Munyon, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Clark Valentiner, Havana, Cuba; and George Van Sciver, Bethlehem, Pa.

To celebrate this occasion there will be a cocktail party in honor of the newly-initiated brothers followed by an informal banquet. Not forgetting the social aspect, Phi Psi will plan to visit Hollins College for a joint party there.

Freshmen Jim Carty, Reese Smith and Bryan Miller are to be commended for their honor grades this semester, and helping to keep up the academic standards of the chapter.

Elections were held after Christmas Vacation for second semester officers. The four top positions were filled by Henry H. Bohlman, GP; J. Davis Reed II, VGP; Lloyd McMillen, BG; and Laurence Kingsbury, AG. To them we extend our best wishes and heartiest congratulations.

In closing, Virginia Beta would like to announce the engagement of A. C. Hubbard, ex-GP, and Penny Cox, of Mary Baldwin College. To both of them we wish the best of luck.

LAURENCE KINGSBURY, *Correspondent*

#### **North Carolina Alpha—Duke University**

Consider now our usual SHIELD report, albeit somewhat tardy.

Rush has begun and we are in the midst of a clutch of cabin parties, very open houses, and midnight meetings; hence the brevity of this epistle. Our thanks to the alumni who sent recommendations of outstanding freshmen. Rush Chairman Brian Thiessen has done a splendid job of organizing the program of events, many of which are being held in our newly-remodeled chapter and card rooms. The former room is decorated in a formal

cottage cheese motif; lamps and other accoutrements were selected for their Freudian significance. Upon the purchase of a new piano, we donated our large upright to the Durham Police for use in their cabin as a grateful acknowledgement for their kindness and considerations of the past; unfortunately, the piano rolled out of the truck on the way to the cabin. Pity.

John Harrington was elected GP in January. He is assisted by VGP Brian Thiessen. The new P and Assistant P are Bob Durrett and Lew Gorham; the AG is Jack Edwards; Phil Clutts, BG; Bob Lawson, SG; Ernie Taylor, Phu; Bob Moore, Hod; and Dave Evans, Hi.

Congratulations go to Dick Stacy, now captain of the Duke Soccer team, and to our faculty advisor, Dr. Robert S. Rankin, recently named Advisor to the Presidential Committee on Civil Rights.

OLIVER J. EDWARDS, *Correspondent*

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#### **Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington and Jefferson College**

At this writing, Penn Alpha Phi Psis have just finished a very successful Rush Week by pledging thirteen men. They are: Robert Edward Bingham, Munhall; William Fedorochko, Bayonne, N.J.; John T. Griffin, Bethel Park; Richard Miller Hadsell, Wheeling, W.Va.; Thomas Brill Heflin, Indiana; John Richard Hipsky, Clairton; Allen Lee Hurley, Pittsburgh; Nicholas Anthony Kosor, West Newton; Patrick Michael McCormick, Canonsburg; James Driscall Maloney, Meadville; Frank Anthony Pansino, Monongahela; Joseph Mazzer Salvitti, Bentleyville; and Harry Howard Wolfkill, Clinton.

Formal initiation for five new brothers was held last week. The new brothers are: David J. Cox, Baldwin; Robert William Hallman, Havertown; Eugene Leposki, Wexford; Samuel D. Pearson, New Castle; and David A. Sera, Bradford.

Coach Tom Gahagan brought home the IM Wrestling Trophy several weeks ago with his powerful team consisting of Dave Duncan, Bud Barnitz, Tom Gahagan, Frank D'Amico, Ed Davis, Ed Dillmore and John Bedick. Gahagan, D'Amico and Bedick went on to become champions of their weights, and Gahagan, Bedick, Grimm, D'Amico and Pearson are now wrestling for the newly-formed W & J Wrestling team. In basketball, Crazylegs Mihalek's team of Lenny Marshall, Bill Milroth, Dave Cox, John Bedick, Gene Leposki, Frank D'Amico and Bill Clark, is currently undefeated in its bid to make it three in a row for the IM basketball trophy. All the brothers are hoping that we take the trophy as our mantle has been sadly depleted in the last semester by a gang of international trophy thieves. It is presumed that these "hot" cups are sold through the black market to needy houses on campus.

Two new officers have recently been elected. Jack Garlitz, of Mt. Lebanon, is the new P, and Mike Pivar, of Freedom, is the new Hi. William Dourlaine '57, is our new alumni advisor, replacing MacDonald Weaver, whose assistance during his term of office is greatly appreciated.

Another alumnus in the news is Frank Greskovitch, elected president of his sophomore class at Pittsburgh Dental School. Congratulations also go to Ivan Breckbill, recently accepted by Temple Medical School, and Bill and John Griffin, who both became fathers since our last newsletter.

With finals and rushing over, the hearts of all Penn Alphans turn to Pan-Hellenic weekend. There are no definite plans yet but there is some talk of having an authentic Roman Orgy, complete with narrow lapel, 3 button togas and a replica of the coliseum in the basement. Since lions are restricted by city ordinance we would have to compromise by throwing midgets to chickens. The band selected is Oedipus Rex and his "Fling and Flex With Oedipus Rex" music. All brothers are cordially invited to partake in the festivities.

BUD BARNITZ, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College**

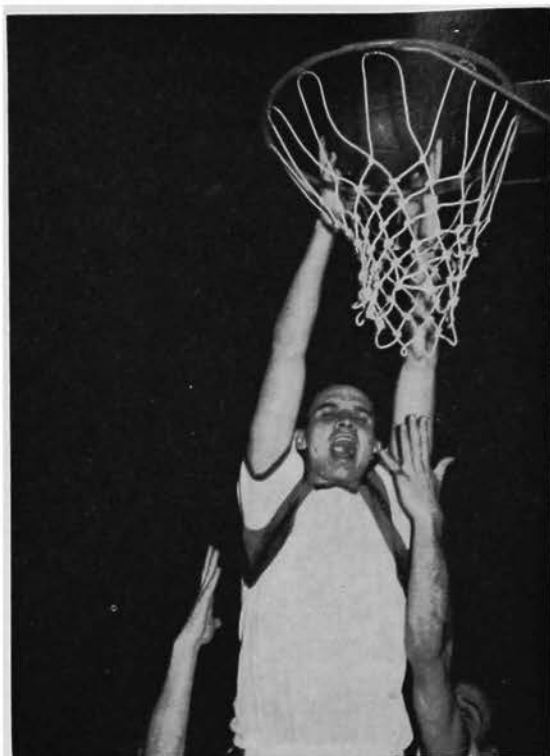
Now that rush week is over and the brothers are recovering from lost sleep due to long meetings and other activities, Penn Beta would like to announce it's new pledge class, consisting of fourteen of the finest prospects on campus: Glenn A. Beckert and James H. Berry, Pittsburgh; Harry B. Blackwood, Beaver Falls; Sherdan J. Boushie, Tupper Lake, N.Y.; Bruce Carlile, Meadville; James R. Donato, New Brunswick, N.J.; Gary Roger Johnson, Renovo; Ronald W. Jones, Curwensville; Thomas W. Leffingwell, Sharpsville, David J. Lipsitz, Beaver; Duncan Parkinson, Washington; Edmund M. Ravenscroft, New Kensington; Richard C. Seaburg, Jamestown, N.Y.; and William H. Schorry, Painesville, Ohio.

Ron Steiner was appointed pledgemaster with Topper Henry, Edgar Maldonado and Dick Fulton assisting him. We are sure that these brothers will make plain to the new pledges the real meaning and significance of Phi Psi.

Before semester vacation the new officers of the chapter were elected. Dave Hoag is GP; Jack Keppel, VGP; John Wheeler, BG; Harry Smith, Hod; Jerry Hepler, Hi; and Bob Stevenson, Phu. Penn Beta's best wishes go to two of the outgoing officers who are leaving us for the semester, Eli Silverman and Gary Mitchell.

Scholastically, Penn Beta expects to be on or near the top of the fraternity standings. Smokey Keppel, one of the more ardent and serious scholars in the house, made Dean's List this semester along with Grant, Silverman and David. It is the contributions of these brothers that enable us to keep our good scholastic record.

In IM sports, Phi Psi leads the pack by a considerable margin with a good part of the basket-



**Smokey Keppel, 6' 5" cager, rises on toes and drops one through. He's also one of four Penn Betans who made Dean's List.**

ball schedule left to play. Coach Ernst Cain's team is undefeated at this point because of the rebounding and outstanding board play of Edgar Maldonado, Cuddles Fulton and Jerry Hepler; and the ball handling and set shooting of Marblehead Barker, Ron Steiner and Topper Henry.

The Phi Psi fathers, during our Fathers Weekend this fall, decided to contribute toward house repair and remodeling. Under the direction of Mr. McPhaden, Mr. Wingerter and Mr. Keppel, half of the fathers have contributed to the cause with more contributions arriving rapidly. Our thanks to them for their generous act. Also, a new insurance policy for the brothers has been initiated by our frequent visitor Buzz Rankin. This policy will assure the house of an income for many years to come.

Penn Beta would like to welcome officially Paul Christian Kreuch, a transfer from Northwestern. Paul has already shown that he is a valuable addition to our ranks by his work and his interest in behalf of the house.

The chapter would also like to welcome Howard Borakove, who has returned after serving with Uncle Sam.

As a final note: the District Council Meeting will be held here March 26, 27, 28. More information concerning the Council will be forwarded to the chapters in the District by mail. We hope to have a large turnout for this affair.

TOM KENNEDY, *Correspondent*



### **Pennsylvania Lambda—Pennsylvania State University**

As spring rolls around, we find Penn Lambda putting out the "welcome mat" to rush some 350 fine freshman prospects. Since the beginning of fall semester, deferred rushing has been introduced at Penn State and with it has come an extensive rushing program. With our quota set at twenty-five new pledges for next fall, rushing smokers, weekend parties, sorority mixers and dinner invitations have become the "order of the day."

"The IM sports scene finds us in first place for the all-around trophy. This was greatly helping by our winning the boxing trophy through the excellent performances of Norm Neff (Hwt.) and Pledge Dick Gross (165-lb. class) who knocked out their opponents in the finals. Basketball is nearing its conclusion with the Red and Green still leading the league, and wrestling continues to show great promise.

February 18 the secrets of Phi Kappa Psi were revealed to Charles Suhvda and Tom Pauley, Johnstown; Chester Lucido, Pittsburgh; and Nick Freeman, Strafford.

In elections held January 5 the following men were elected: Al Zimmerman, GP; George McTurk, VGP; Gary Daum, P; Bill Russ, BG; Norm Neff, Hod; Dave Martinez, Phu; and Jim O'Connor, Hi.

The Phi Psis are again continuing their fine representation in campus activities this spring. George McTurk is now assistant advertising manager on *The Daily Collegian*. Dave Williams and Chuck Suhvda have recently obtained prominence on the football scene. Dave has been elected to head student manager while Chuck has been elected to the position of first assistant manager. Jim O'Connor and Dick Gross are helping to provide the spark for both indoor and outdoor track, and Bill Russ is representing us on the wrestling team.

A fond welcome was given to the area's Phi Psis at the dinner held in their honor at the chapter house on February 15. It was a real treat to have the area alumni back for a visit, if only for one day.

Another big event on our social calendar was the Jeff Duo held February 28 with the Phi Gams, commemorating the founding of both fraternities at Old Jefferson College.

DAVID F. WILLIAMS, *Correspondent*

### **West Virginia Alpha—West Virginia University**

All is calm on the home front. Things have quieted down after the usual Christmas excitement. Since the last report the pledge class has gone through an intensified training week. This week is designed to create a more unified pledge class and also to improve and repair the house. We believe that it was a successful week since both objectives were accomplished.

The second semester rushing program is under way and again Phi Psi is looking for another fine pledge class. The membership is under the direction of David McMunn, of Clarksburg.

The following Phi Psis have been elected or retained as officers for the second semester: Terry Gribble, GP; Paul Whalen, VGP; Tom Goode, P; George Vieweg, AG; Larry Oyler, BG; Chuck Dusic, SG; Mike Hall, Hod; Don Ferrell, Hi; and Jack Hunter, Phu.

As is the usual policy after the Christmas vacation many of the brothers returned married or engaged. The following brothers were married: Joseph Dunn married Suzannah Goad; William Brassine married Andre Bolle. The following brothers were engaged: Terry Gribble was engaged to Joyce Hammer; David McWhorter was engaged to Stephanie Jennings; Fred Davis was engaged to Sally Radford; Don Ferguson was engaged to Alice Lee Taylor; Hugh Stobbs is engaged to marry Doty Warren in February, 1959.

GEORGE B. VIEWEG III, *Correspondent*

### **Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University**

At long last final exams are over and the brothers, under the brilliant leadership of Robert (Alphonse) Duhme, can again retreat to the peace and seclusion of the luxurious Little Brown Jug. In addition to the "Jug," there are many other extra-curricular activities available during this first week of second semester. Perhaps foremost of these is guiding and directing the pledges as they merrily perform the duties and obligations of "Help Week."

As a unique part of the decorations for our annual winter formal, 39 West Winter was graced by the presence of a mammoth superstructure erected under the supervision of Bob Ginaven. It consisted of a chimney and fireplace, constructed in three stages, and assembled (to the amazement of many brothers inhibited by an "it'll never go up" attitude) with the aid of a block and tackle. The entire display was over 30 feet high, and it caused enough attention to make the front page of one of Delaware's finest newspapers.

Thanks to the generosity of Howard Ginaven '32,

we are now the proud possessors of a pedigreed Dalmatian pup, "Prince." Plans have already been made to honor Prince at an open house on February 9. The new mascot replaces a local mongrel who gained the affection of a few of the brothers, but only a few, and so was unsuccessful in his bid to secure a permanent home.

Phi Psi is again well represented in varsity sports at

Ohio Wesleyan. Starting at guard for the Battling Bishops in basketball is Sophomore Tom Eibel. Tom was awarded the Ohio Wesleyan "Athlete of the Week" award for his performance in the Heidelberg game where he was high scorer despite the fact that he played only three quarters of the game. The head manager of the team this year is Tom Jenkins. On the J-V basketball squad,

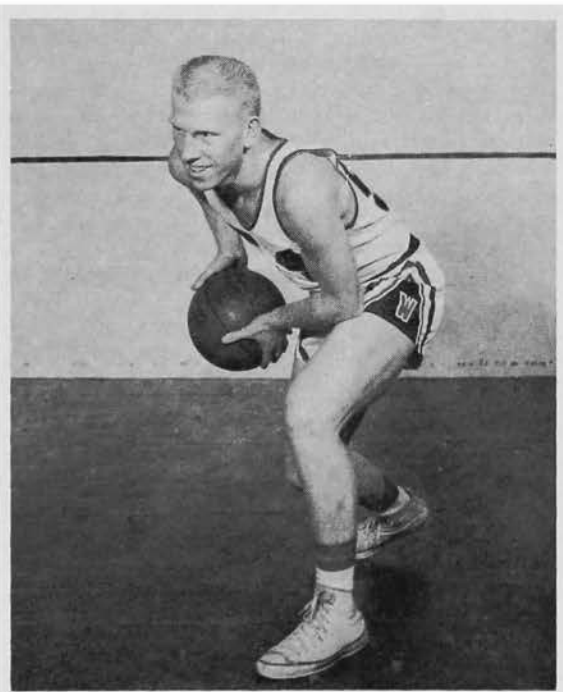


Pledge George King has been a regular starter, nailing down scoring honors for several games.

Besides basketball, Ohio Alpha boasts competitors on both the swimming and wrestling teams. Junior Larry Lays, who was selected for the All-Ohio Soccer Team, is now swimming and has already anchored the record setting 400-yard medley relay team at the Ohio Conference Relays. Another member of this record breaking relay is pledge Dick Ellenberger. Dick has also been approaching Larry's freestyle record in practice, and even succeeded in beating him at a recent meet with DePauw. Two Phi Psi members of Ohio Wesleyan's undefeated wrestling team are Sophomores Bob Walker and John Price. John is in a very rough weight bracket and is still battling for an opportunity to start, while Bob has wrestled in all the matches to date, compiling a 2-2 record.

Ken Scheidt and Carl Goodwin, who attended the University of Cincinnati and Dyke Business College respectively last semester, have returned to spend this semester with us. I am sure Brother Goodwin will contribute much toward the religious well being of the house, especially during Religious Emphasis Week, as has been his habit in the past. We are also pleased to have Skip Dodson with us this semester. Brother Dodson is a sophomore transfer from Ohio Epsilon. A belated welcome to Brother Spessard, another transfer from Ohio Epsilon, who joined us in September.

JIM SULZYCKI, *Correspondent*



Stellar play by cager Tom Eibel, Ohio Alpha, earned him Ohio Wesleyan's selection as Athlete-of-the-Week. He was high scorer in Heidelberg game although he played only three quarters.



Guests went through a 30-foot "fireplace" to get to Ohio Alpha's Christmas Formal.

#### Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College

What's the good word? Once again at Ohio Beta it's RUSH! The second semester is upon us, and the independent men are running around campus just waiting for the light of Phi Psi to be revealed to them (we hope). We have aspirations of getting another fine pledge class—and have every indication of success.

Second semester brings another event dear to the hearts of all pledges—initiation. On February 15 we initiated twelve men into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi: Dave Beach and Gene Haberman, Dayton; Joe Bender, Bellville; Bill Heideloff, Cleveland; Bill Martin, Detroit, Mich.; Dave Oliver, Versailles; Larry Palmer, Wavnesboro, Pa.; Dick Peard, Mansfield; Jerry Perry, Toledo; Paul Pretsch, Jamaica, N.Y.; George Scheerer, North Manchester, Ind.; and Pete Yackel, Rochester, N.Y.

Founders Day was celebrated with initiation, and brought a good turn-out of alumni. The day proved a profit for all in attendance—and we hope to have even more to offer next year.

The house athletes have provided leadership for the campus in many pursuits. In swimming, Frosh Dick Fagley is still hard at work breaking records at Wittenberg and elsewhere. Basketball has been enhanced by the presence of Frosh Bill Heideloff, who complains that he hopes to eventually get hold of the ball for more than a few seconds, but then he has three more years on a first-rate team. Wrestlers Dick Yurich, Jim Kunde and Frosh Bob Kekelik and Dave Oliver are strewn the mats with opponents. (And have been observed in some not too desirable positions themselves.) Dramatic aspirant Mitch Mitchell is projecting in many directions—and is heard, along with Brother Hanes, cackling in his room in the evening over Varsity Night skit plans. (As yet the biggest problem is to produce something that won't be censored.) In the line of skits, the pledge class laid out the audience at the

Greek Week Review with their skit: "Live! Live! Live!" In the musical category, Brother Masten has been getting enough sleep for the whole house in preparation for his recital. (Vocal type.)

A letter which we had long hoped for arrived from Dunc Campbell a short time ago, and we began to work on feature articles for THE SHIELD. All sorts of preparations were made, and in this process the house archives were cleaned out. Brothers Nelson and Hanes, fascinated by the minutes and scrapbooks, began a research project which culminated in the decision to write a chapter history. Any facts which alumni can contribute would be appreciated, and if there is anything which someone would like to know which can be found—they will oblige. As will be noted by alumni when they read the chapter history, several revisions were made after close scrutiny of the early minutes.

A recent flood in the metropolis of Springfield did not bypass the Phi Psi House. The event was celebrated in Room 4 by Brother Nelson, who broke his 10-gallon fish tank. Casualties: fish tank, book case and books, carpet and Brother Nelson.

In the early days of Lent, Ohio Beta's first second semester social event was held on February 18. We spent the evening on the floor of the side lounge with the Delta Gammas in an Arabian-type party. Shish-kabobs were served by waiters in authentic costumes and the whole event proved to be worthy of repetition.

What's for the future? Well, June is approaching and the seniors have retreated into the rooms to study in a valiant attempt to make their grades and snare the diploma. Bets are being taken.

TIM MASTEN, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Delta—Ohio State University**

Ohio Delta Phi Psis have initiated the New Year in great style starting with several New Year's parties throughout the campus. Winter quarter is under way and the brothers are busy with their studies. The house is operating at full capacity now that the alumni have purchased more desks for the study rooms.

As a result of recent elections, Ohio Delta is again under the able leadership of Steve Boynton, GP. Other officers are Jerry Mollica, VGP; Matt Kolb, P; Dick Hartley, AG; Ralph Hoffman, BG; George Overholt, SG; Dick Leiss, Hi; Jim Hopkins, Hod; and Bob Cummins, Phu.

On February 6, we had a "get acquainted" party with the Pi Phis from Ohio Wesleyan at Rathbone Ranch. The party was a great success. Next will be our Founders Day party on February 21. This year we have invited the brothers from Ohio Alpha and Ohio Beta to celebrate the memorable event with us and we are looking forward to having a good time. Lastly, will be our Winter Formal on March 7 at the Dragon Club. The favors will be beer steins which the brothers thought would be both appropriate and useful.

The latest word within the house is that "Hell-p Week" is just around the corner. Anxiously awaiting zero hour on February 9 are four "terrified" neophytes. These bold men are: Don Bandy, Washington C.H.; Bud Porter, Reynoldsburg; Gene Eddy, Marietta; and Ben Fisco, Cleveland. These men all qualify as future Phi Psis and we are hoping they make it.

Tom Stone has decided that two can live as cheap as one and plans to tie the knot on Valentine's Day. To help make up this loss will be the return of John Tabor and Bill Hamilton for spring quarter. Bill has an obsession for hearses so we imagine that before long there will be a big black Cadillac pulling into our parking lot. Stepping from it will be Brother Bill, dressed in black with a top hat and a grin.

Congratulations to Jerry Payne for his achievement of a 4.00 in engineering last quarter. We hope he will be spending more time at the house this year.

The IM program, supervised by Gary Korn is off to a sensational start with the bowling team at the trophy end of the finals. The basketball team is well under way with a 3-0 record.

In closing, we wish to sincerely thank our alumni who have given their valuable time and advice in helping us with our rushing program.

DICK HARTLEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Epsilon—Case Institute of Technology**

Scholarship is the outstanding issue at Ohio Epsilon this semester. Although we still maintained our standing above the all-fraternity average, we realized that we really didn't have a healthy attitude toward our primary responsibility while active fraternity men—grades. Many solutions have been suggested, ranging from study halls to enforced quiet hours and strict house admittance standards. Whatever we decide as our policy, we feel that much has been gained already by introspection and self-criticism. Phi Kappa Psi can look to us for real accomplishments this spring semester.

New chapter officers elected in January are Jim Kish, GPP; Ken Willis, VGP; Amilio Rodriquez, Hi; Dick Buta, BG; Wally Krewedl, Phu; Paul Fike, Hod; Jon Nevins, house manager with Glenn Avis, assistant; Nelson Maken, commissary steward with Chuck Kindel, assistant.

Big events coming up in IF competition are Sing-Off, under Fritz Beaumont; Junior Stunt Night, under Terry Farmer; and Senior Class Carnival, under Tom Martin.

Jim Graff started his semester as social chairman with two highly successful rushing parties and a combo party.

Eight new brothers will be initiated March 1, followed by a banquet at Karl Brown's Colonial Restaurant. The initiates are: Phil Meeker, Dale Unruh, John Donnell, Mike Grozdanoff, Jim Bulis, Ed Ducayet, Hal Jordan and Jerry Draper.

Rounding out the freshman class, we pledged

nine second semester pledges, Bob Stalder organizing our rush: Harry Dale Huge, Shaker Heights; John Parker Platt, Findlay; John Crosby Milliken, Rosebud, Pa.; John Marshal Gaffney, London, England; David Arthur Nippert, Columbus; Henry John Warren, Arlington, N.J.; David Bernard Michael Deioma, Dover; David Michael Smith, Jackson, Mich.; and Larry Donavan Leslie, Sandusky. Although this is quite a large second semester pledge class for our chapter, we feel that due to new rushing rules and procedures at Case and large numbers of trailer freshmen, many fine men such as these are available as fine pledges.

Phi Psi placed second in IM bowling competition and fourth in basketball and fourth in ping-pong. Next come wrestling, swimming, and track.

Founders Day banquet held by the Cleveland Alumni Association saw 61 out of 71 of us there! We felt that this was a good kickoff for our planned Alumni Weekend to be held at the house. The brothers, under Lee Huff, are working hard to make this event enjoyable and valuable for the actives and all our alumni.

Alumni—welcome to Ohio Epsilon, April 10-11!

AL EYENON, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Zeta—Bowling Green State University**

The brothers of Ohio Zeta, breathing somewhat easier following final exams and the release of first semester grades, are now preparing for the up-coming freshman rush period. The period will extend for two weeks this year and will include smokers for a total of seven nights. The largest group of freshman men ever to go through rushing at Bowling Green is expected by the dean of men.

Keith Sanders, newly-elected GP, was recently tapped for membership into Omicron Delta Kappa, national honorary leadership society. Keith was tapped for his outstanding contributions in the field of journalism and publications. He joins past-president Bob Kinstle in this select group.

Other newly elected officers for the present semester are: Don Nott, VGP; Mark Deewester, P; Dave Hindall, AG; Dick Elliott, BG; Ron Strause, SG; Jac Carrick, Hod; Barry Cobb, Hi; and Ron Baybutt, Phu.

Although it doesn't look like spring is very near, particularly with all the snow in the area, it must be closer than it looks, for Tom Myers has already donned the thinclads and spiked shoes for another track season. Tom is the varsity's number one quarter-miler and has already run in several indoor meets.

Ron Baybutt, a budding Hemingway, pulled down the top point average among the brothers. Ron, a sophomore English major, notched a 3.5 average.

Ohio Zeta initiated two upperclassmen on January 19: Richard Elliott, a business major from Fremont, and Jac Carrick, from Mansfield, a sophomore majoring in business.

DAVID HINDALL, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Eta—University of Toledo**

Ohio Eta Chapter was the only fraternity on campus to initiate all of its original pledge class. The newly-initiated Phi Psi's are: Ralph Ros-hong, Paul Arendt, Bob Kohli, Joe Higgins, and Dave VanHorn. We are proud of these men and welcome them into the mysteries of Phi Psi.

Rush parties for second semester will soon be under way and we will have the annual Hobo Convention as one of the rush attractions, for the good ole Phi Psi bum's rush. We hope we can do as well this next semester in pledging as we did last. Charlie Farrel is again in charge for the rush calendar.

The house has received lots of pledge elbow grease and the effort shows well. The kitchen and a hallway here or there were redecorated. The hallways also were tiled to better withstand the traffic. We will soon erect a fire escape from the third floor to ground zero as requested by one Fy R. Marshal. That will be a large project to keep our handymen busy. We also have a new aluminum storm door as a gift of the alumni.

Bob Berning was chosen as GP for the semester when circumstances forced Jack Britton to resign. We are confident that Bob will make this a productive and successful term.

On the athletic scene, we have just gotten into the basketball season with a double header on opening day. Well, that must be the way the (basket) ball bounces because we won one but we also lost a tough one in double overtime. As defending IFC basketball champs we will not be able to duplicate last season's undefeated record but we are still shooting for the number one place in the league. Last season's top scorer for the "Big Green" was Charlie Warr, whose services will be lost for this season and greatly missed.

JIM CONNORS, *Correspondent*

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#### **Gee-Eye Phi Psis**

LT. DALE K. BRUDVIG, Calif. Epsilon '54, has been promoted "to first" and transferred to the 2d Med. Tk. Bn., 13th Cav., 3d Armd. Div. in Germany. His address is APO No. 39, New York.

A3/C JAIME DELGADILLO, Pa. Epsilon '55, has been assigned to Griffiss Air Force Base, Rome, N.Y.

LT. JAMES F. EWING, Pa. Zeta '55, and LT. EDMUND S. PENDLETON, Va. Beta '55, are awaiting assignments after completing the officer leadership course at The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

LT. MAYNARD L. HOWARD, USN, Okla. Alpha '51, is currently in flight training at the Pensacola Naval Air Station, Fla.

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### Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan

The fall semester at 1550 Washtenaw wound up with final exams and election of new house officers. The scholastic ratings for fraternities have not yet been compiled, but officers for the spring semester include GP Jack States, VGP Larry Luoma, P Terry Cooper, AG Al Dickerson, BG Frank Rote, SG Ken Erickson. Hi Jim Jones, Phu Brent Smith, and Hod Steve Sherer. Appointments made by GP States include Nick Karagan as steward and Frank Rote as spring rush chairman.

"Help Week" ended recently for the fall pledge class and Michigan Alpha is very ship-shape. A finer group of men hasn't worked through the ranks in some time; and the house shows, from basement to attic, the spoils of their tireless efforts. Congratulations, men!

The mysteries of Phi Psi were revealed to sixteen men at initiation on February 15. New initiates include Donald Gillis Jr., Ann Arbor; Gaer Guerber, Birmingham; David Kibler, Mansfield, Ohio; Frank Lenzotti, Melvindale; David

Lucas, Westlake, Ohio; Frederick Meyer, Islip, N.Y.; Perry Morton, Arlington, Va.; Alfred Nickles, Bridgeport, Ohio; Wallace Newcomb, Painted Post, N.Y.; Raymond Powers, Poland, Ohio; Richard Schaus, Shelbyville, Ind.; Richard Small, Benton Harbor; Arthur Smith, Toledo, Ohio; Robert Stefan, River Rouge; Henry Stine, Ashtabula, Ohio; and Karl Weiman, Plymouth.

Michigan Alpha celebrated Founders Day with the Detroit Alumni Association and Michigan Beta at the University Club in Detroit, February 17. Art Batten, Archon in his undergraduate days here in Ann Arbor and now Attorney General of the Fraternity, was the principal speaker. We all appreciated the good fellowship.

Michigan Alpha was proud to learn that Dr. Hugh E. Wilson '42, 2540 Farmers Branch Lane, Dallas 34, Texas, was listed as one of America's Ten Outstanding Young Men for 1958. The selection was made by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce. Congratulations, Brother Wilson.

We are looking forward to the District Council April 24-26, especially since Michigan Alpha is host. Plans are being arranged now for a profitable as well as enjoyable weekend. Since rush for the spring semester will be taking much time until after March 1, the men at Michigan Alpha will have a full schedule.

AL DICKERSON, *Correspondent*



Chapter alumni and Detroit alumni were on hand for January initiation ceremonies at Michigan Beta. Among the smiling brothers in front of 522 Abbott Road are new initiates Errol Foss, Walter Kuenzli, David Orr, Don Paul, Douglas St. John, Wayne Wilson and Eric Witt.



### Michigan Beta—Michigan State University

Michigan Beta started out the new winter term in good form by initiating seven new brothers: Dave Orr, Crosswell; Wayne Wilson and Errol Foss, both of Grosse Pointe; Eric Witt, East Lansing; and your correspondent, Walter Kuenzli, Evansville, Ind. Also initiated were old timers who finally made their grades (2.2 required by the University): Don (Gabi) Paul, Grosse Ile (who has been around longer than most of the present brothers), and Doug St. John, Birmingham.

Immediately after the ceremonies initiating the new brothers, the new pledge class for this term took their pledge. With Freshman grades being very low and various other difficulties present here at Michigan State, rush was very poor for all fraternities. We were no exception, and took in only four pledges: Frank Doty, Detroit; Max Beardslee, Sheridan; Bob Piper, Skokie, Ill.; and Chris Christensen, Alma.

It was quite rewarding to see the turnout of area alumni who came to attend this term's initiation and banquet held at a Lansing restaurant the afternoon of that day. Local alumni and members of the Detroit alumni club made a good showing and we were pleased to have Secretary Dud Daniel with us for the ceremonies. Timely and very sensible speeches were delivered by Secretary Daniel and Ralph Chapman, outgoing GP.

We are working fast and furiously on our monstrosity for competition in the Spartacade fiasco. From latest reports it has been gleaned that we are producing another winner. Ken (Harry) Havenman, hard-working chairman of the operation, has been keeping the construction steadily underway; his only problem has been in rolling the brothers out of bed on Saturday mornings to work on the project.

Socially, we hosted the Delta Zetas to a dessert, and are going to invite the Tri-Delts in the near future. Also, much to our pleasure, we are invited to partake of a dessert at the Phi Mu house—and they do the work. On the drawing board is a dance involving the DZs and the Theta Chis of our immediate neighborhood, an "Abbott Road Triad" dance.

We are very interested in the findings of the committee headed by Dean Traywick, of MSU, which is looking into the fraternity system on our campus and is going to try to determine its good points and bad points and make recommendations based on its findings.

Newly elected chapter officers are: Tom Protsman, GP; John Klarich, VGP; Pete Olsen, BG; Robin Murray, P; Sam Post, Hod; Don Paul, Phu; Gordon Griffes, Hi; and Ralph Chapman, SG.

Archon Al Kishman stopped by for a short visit the first week in February.

WALT KUENZLI, *Correspondent*



### Indiana Alpha—DePauw University

Indiana Alpha ended substantially well in scholarship this last year with a 1.65 out of a possible 3.0. The senior class led the pack with a 2.15.

SDX, national honorary journalistic fraternity and ADS, national advertising fraternity, are planning together for the annual gridiron banquet. At this time rather humorous awards of a farcical nature will be presented to graduating seniors. Karl Nordling, ex-editor of the paper, is the present president of SDX. Also in SDX are Al Wilt, Bob Sharp, Rip Ripley, Jack Klingensmith and Jerry Dunphy. Members of ADS include Jim Trees and Jim Wood. Bob Sharp is also the new managing editor of *The DePauw* while Jerry Dunphy is a proof and copy editor.

Before this letter gets to print Indiana Alpha will have been the host chapter for Phi Psi State Day this year. This annual banquet will be held in Indianapolis, February 28, at the Athenaeum. Don Weiser will be the guest speaker. We hope that all the brothers and alumni will have an enjoyable time.

In the social line, Alpha is really going to get off the ground this coming spring. February 15 is the date of our sweetheart banquet and February 27 is the date of a splash party in the school swimming pool. Every Wednesday night we will have either faculty guests or exchanges with sororities. For April 25 we have planned a barbecue party and on May 8, Phi Psi spring dance. On May 16, before the prom, there will be a formal dinner for the brothers and their dates.

BILL CAMPBELL, *Correspondent*

### Indiana Beta—Indiana University

The big news at Beta, with final confirmation on the way, is the plan for a complete remodeling of the chapter house at 1022 East Third, plus an addition which will be built extending from the east side of the house onto the University property next door, now occupied by a University home economics practice house. It is believed that the University is planning to sell the property to us for the same price that they paid us when they bought it some few years ago. As soon as this sale is completed, an engineer will arrive later this month to learn just what portion of the present structure can be salvaged. Our present chapter house, built between 1911 and 1912, is presently the oldest house now standing on the campus. An architect will prepare plans for the construction, which, it is hoped, will be ready to be put on display for our rush weekends. Due to unsettled conditions, the exact date of completion is unknown, although we believe the project will be finished within the next three years.

Scholastically, thanks in part to Cousin Andrew Hayes, a law student extraordinaire and a member of the infamous SAEs, the Beta upperclassmen, for the semester just ended, came out with a 1.46 scholastic standing (on a 3.0 system). Cou-



sin Andy tells us that this is the second highest average that the upperclassmen have held in the past eight years. We are beginning our second semester with high hopes to better our average.

Plans are in the works for strengthening of our alumni relations, with such things slated as: two letters a month from the chapter, relating news and providing information concerning events at Beta. Personal contact with each alumnus now residing in Indiana will be accomplished by a committee of brothers of Beta during the summer months. We hope an issue of the *Hi-Baroo* will be forthcoming this semester.

We are now making plans for our spring rush, which begins during the latter part of March. We already have a few names of good high school boys to have come down (or up) to look us over and to give us a chance to meet them. As I said, we have a few names, but not nearly enough. We're expecting support from anyone who knows of any high school senior expecting to attend I.U. next fall. We at Beta feel that we are honestly working toward a stronger chapter with young men that you recommend. Just send a note to the house, in care of the rush chairman, and we'll get the boy down here. We'll be looking for those letters.

With veteran bike rider Karl Napper back for another year, this time in a coaching status, Beta is busy working on plans for this year's "Little 500," billed as "The World's Greatest College Weekend." This bike race, a 200-lap, fifty-mile affair, will be held this year on May 9, which is also Mother's Weekend. We're shooting for our second consecutive win, after last year's great race, with six brothers and pledges trying out for the coveted spots. With Lewis Cook heading the group, Don French and Pledges Jim Roy, Bob Arnold, Gerald Swisher, Dave Atha, and Steve Casey are competing for the three open positions. Even before the present semester began these men were out riding, going within the first week a grueling twenty-five miles in one day. A workout every available day is scheduled until the day of the event. Stamina is required in a race such as this and with the effort these riders are making, we'll be way out in front when the checkered flag falls.

In previous years, such events as a "Little 500" on tricycles, with sororities and the independent women's dorms competing, have been held. A variety show, which in past years has brought such top entertainers to the campus as LuAnn Simms, Denise Lor, Tina Robin, Steve Karman, Jill Cory, the McGuire Sisters and Hugh O'Brian, have added to the enjoyment of the entire weekend.

Our annual Jeff Hop, held in association with the Phi Gams, will be held February 14 at an electronics plant in Bloomington.

The chapter extends its best wishes to Martin Flynn, president of the I.U. Student Body, who married Kit Hartnett on December 27. A few hundred miles away on the same day, Barnes Latham, last semester GP, married Janet Busby. Other marriages which took place were: Harold

(Barry) Yap, present GP, to Joanne Puanani; Roger McWilliams to Jane Wiswasser; and Pledge Gerald Swisher to Sue Kretch. Concerning the last named, we think that something ought to be in the pledge rules about marrying while still on rules. Brothers Tiegler, Parks, Ulrey, and Harris have all announced their engagements.

Welcomes to Bloomington are in order for Bruce Anglemyer and Charlie Kendall who both have returned after one semester.

We'd like to hear from the alumni and hope to receive some rush information. If you have a name of someone you'd like to see become a Phi Psi, send his name in to us. We'll keep you posted on our activities from time to time and we'll have some more news about Beta in the next issue of THE SHIELD.

MICHAEL MCCOY, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Gamma—Wabash College**

Hell Week is over, grades are out, second semester has started, and the ever-present walls have again begun their inexorable squeeze on the students of ol' Bash. Scholarship is once again foremost in all the minds of brothers and pledges as we all tiptoe through the halls of Gamma, locking ourselves in our rooms with only bread, water, and books to sustain life. Yes, life is good at Wabash.

However, we did manage to take time from our already full existence to have one final fling during Hell Week. Much was accomplished this year, as the house took on a new look. Paint was liberally applied, of course, and in addition, we built a basement "bum room," complete with TV and bar. Meade Killion, our electronics genius, took this opportunity to build the house a stereophonic outfit from some old consoles. Ever since, the house has been filled with the sounds of rocket blastoffs, trains, racecars, etc. Meade really did a fine job on this project and Gamma is deeply grateful.

R. K. Schmitt recently became engaged to Miss Kathy Mulcahey, and Larry (the fox) Souders announced his August marriage to the former Miss Jeanine Etchison. You just can't trust those quiet guys.

New GP Chuck Sanders has begun what looks like a fine term. He is being ably assisted by Jack Yerkes, VGP; Lynn Kelley, AG; Jon Nicosia, BG; Jon Templin, Hi; Leroy Kercher, Phu; and Jim Mewhinney, Hod.

Initiation was held February 8 with three new brothers received into the brotherhood of Phi Kappa Psi. Dick Hummel, Zack Lazar and Dave Olsen are the new initiates.

Founders Day is rapidly approaching and hopes are high for another Song Contest plaque. Meade Killion has extended his talents to take charge of our thundering chorus for this affair, our statewide Founders Day celebration in Indianapolis, sponsored by the Indianapolis Alumni Association.

Jon Pontius recently sent word from Paris that

he can't tear himself away from the Old World culture to return to the hallowed halls of Wabash this semester. Jon is supposedly studying abroad.

Also, we have received word from Burt Goldstein '54, of his wanderings while serving with the Army. At one point in his travels, during a tour of the Riviera, he assisted Bob Griesser in apparently reducing the coastline of the Mediterranean by a few feet. Goldy is presently stationed in Germany.

LYNN KELLEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Delta—Purdue University**

The drudgery of rush is now at an end and Indiana Delta is proud to announce the pledging of eleven men, with a possibility that more will pledge later. The eleven pledges are: Owen Radcliff, Jim Hudson and Bob Coates, all of Kokomo; Frank Theisen, Cincinnati, Ohio; Dave Richards, South Bend; Don Leedy, Knox; Jim Iverson, Skokie, Ill.; Jerry Isenbarger, Osceola; Bob Hall, Queens, NY.; Dave Blank, Boyertown, Pa.; and Kent Bradley, Avon. Congratulations to Rush Chairman Ted Long and his committee, who succeeded in getting one of the better pledge classes on a campus for Phi Psi.

There have been two changes in the lineup of house officers. Trent Anderson has been elected P to replace Don Dalzell, who has now settled down to the life of a married man. Dick Pigman has been elected AG to succeed Dave Evans, who resigned due to the pressure of his academic career.

The official results are unavailable at this time, but it appears likely that Indiana Delta is going to win the Fraternity Scholarship Improvement Award at Purdue. The brothers have done a fine job of boosting a mediocre house index to one which can stand against the best. The pledges came through with one of the higher pledge class indices, too.

We wish to welcome Dick Hansen back to the fold after an absence of one semester. We wish also to bid a sad farewell to Don Sproule, who will be missed by the house poker players.

Several of the brothers were extremely tempted to journey south and take in the sights and sounds of the famous Mardi Gras. Something ultimately persuaded them to remain in Indiana and patiently await the yearly exodus to Florida during Easter Vacation. Several parties have made plans to take the trip. A majority of the house probably will move to Florida for a week or so. Not a bad idea at that. We'll see you in the Elbo Room!

DICK PIGMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Epsilon—Valparaiso University**

Howdy Brothers! From 801 Mound to each one of you all we extend warmest greetings. Life is sizzling around old Valpo. It's that time again when we're bending our backs and taxing our minds in an effort to grab a tough pledge class. Activities directed towards rushing have been rip-

ping off for months, with the final two weeks about to press upon us. Buzz Doerffler and committee are continuing to do one solid job. Schedule for remaining fourteen days includes a Smoker at the Union, several parties after the basketball games, and final Gary Pizza Party.

The house is taking on a newer look every day. Brothers Landahl, Bach, Fehrenkamp, A. Picpho, Scheffler, Jordan, Erdmann, and B. Piepho have done tremendous jobs of remodeling "O.S" and downstairs rooms. These additions have lifted the face of the home-base greatly. Old "Frandle Furnace" continues to putter away. Recently it got excited and sent smoke all through the lower regions of the house.

On February 7, the University had its first Mardi Gras. Included in the day's activity were five-minute skits on "Famous Moments in History." The Moundmen worked with Alpha Phi and reproduced the Declaration of Independence. Trophies were awarded for first, second, and third place winners. All brothers were pretty well moved about the first place we bagged. Here we come, Broadway. An outstanding directing job was done by the Fort Wayne Kid, Ken Ramming.

Sorry to report to all prosperous and easy going brothers that only one marital arrangement has been made lately. Willie Erdmann is engaged and ready to see further action. As for semi-marital activities, they also appear to be at a stand still.



**Captain of Valparaiso Crusaders is Dick Schroder, Indiana Epsilon.**

This is the 100th year of existence for our University and the Centennial celebration has officially begun. With all the wild festivities coming, all alumni are extended a fraternal welcome to come and visit. Big thing on the agenda several weeks ago was the election of new officers for the Spring semester. The brothers saw fit to re-elect Ed Koschmann as GP. Everyone was proud of his first semester job and hoped for another winning session out of the thin-man. Those elected to serve with Edgar were Richard Puffpaff, VGP; Don Graham, BG; Bill Karpenko, AG; and Bill Kraft, P.

Big event in February was the grubbing of Theta Chi, 45-33. This ran the record to 6-0 and prospects for a championship look wicked. In varsity athletics, Captain Dick Schroer continues to spark Crusaders. Giving aid to the Team Captain are Brothers Eby and Garrard. In campus activities, Ken Ramming and Dean Kell hold down sophomore and junior class presidencies, respectively.

**BILL KARPENKO, Correspondent**

#### **Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University**

The new year brought elections to Illinois Alpha. Our new GP is Gene Gossage, outstanding lineman on the wildcat football team. The VGP is Jim Cooper; George Riseborough, P; Gans Johnston, AG; Bob Boyd, BG; Ed Gilmore, Hod; Don Minchowitz, Phu; Mike Miles, Hi; and Huntley Baldwin, SG.

In scholarship our chapter moved up the ladder four places from twenty-second to eighteenth. We were aided greatly by the nineteen members of our pledge class of which almost all made their grades. A strict scholastic program has been introduced by scholarship chairman Bob Boyd, to aid the others this quarter.

The intense studying which accompanies winter quarter was pleasantly relieved by our annual Skunk Hollow Gavotte pledge-active party. The pledges supplied all decorations and entertainment based on a hillbilly setting. The walls were covered with authentic portraits of that crude civilization that still exists in the hill country of the south. Also, original songs were created for the play which added to the realism. It lived up to its past reputation of being one of the top parties on campus. This was followed by the Tower Club party which was also successful. The music was furnished by Brother Paul Winter, who has participated greatly in the musical life of Chicago as well as Northwestern. His well organized sextet has played all over town, and Paul participated in the well known Wa-Mu show last year.

In sports competition the chapter is well in the running. The fiery basketball team led by Captain Dean Smith needs to win only two out of the next three games in order to reach the playoffs. It is interesting to note that Paul Schutt, varsity letterman for the Northwestern swimming team, is now swimming for Chicago University where he has averaged fifteen points a meet.

Before long, winter will pass and a new spring quarter will be upon us, bringing the long warm days filled with new events. Baseball season will give Jim Cooper, who performed outstandingly his sophomore year, a chance to help bring Northwestern a championship. The new quarter will see our annual spring formal where everyone exchanges the patterned toils of the campus for Nippersink country club in Wisconsin to spend a day of needed relaxation. Most important, there will be a continued endeavor for scholastic improvement.

**GANS JOHNSTON, Correspondent**

#### **Illinois Beta—University of Chicago**

As mid-term approaches, things are quiet at Illinois Beta. Only the wild escapades of Brother Flaumenhaft mar the otherwise academically-oriented chapter. Rushing was extremely successful this year. We were fortunate enough to register sixteen top-flight pledges, among whom was the younger brother of Byron Enwright. Pledge Julius Enwright entered the University this fall after a protracted trip to the upper reaches of the Amazon where he tells us he met a Phi Psi from Stanford, and witnessed a rare tribal marriage rite. Another pledge, Shades Hartigan, is a "ham" radio operator, and has been communicating with a college student in Nairobi. At the moment, he is translating "Noble Fraternity" into Bantu for the IF Sing. The other pledges are Steve Beaver, Fargo, N.D.; Barry Preston, Dawson, Yukon Territory; Al Jacobs, Athens, Greece; George Gottlieb, Evanston; Pete Butterfield, Turkey Trot, Va.; Robin Freeman, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.; Joe Adle, San Francisco, Cal.; Hal Baum, Teasbury, La.; Elliot Finkel, Kings Point, N.Y.; Gersh Mayer, Chicago; Nick Tsoulos, Nicosia, Cyprus; Russ Witney, Kokomo, Ind.; David Sher, Intercourse, Pa.; and Scott Van Leuven, Germantown, Pa.

In athletics, we have had rather a hard time. Our basketball team was seriously hurt by the departure of Brother Nelson, leaving us with only one man over 6' 3", Slat Kaufman, but with the great shooting from the outside, of ex-varsity star Flynn, we have managed to win our share.

Socially, we haven't been quite the same since the internment of Brother Mohan, but we did manage to throw one party for our new pledges which was a roaring success. Not only were the refreshments in more than sufficient quantity and quality, but the excellent attendance by members of the opposite sex dictated success. Brother Pace, The Terrible Texan, deserves plaudits for the fine entertainment.

In closing, we have one note for our brothers at Virginia Alpha—You lose.

**BYRON ENWRIGHT, Correspondent**



### **Illinois Delta—University of Illinois**

Final exams are over, the Florida-bound brothers are back (their post-Florida parties on campus a thing of history), the wilds of registration have again been fought, and the grind of the first months of the second semester is upon us. The "out-of-the-question" weather we've been having is even ridiculous as far as Champaign-Urbana weather usually goes. It would take all the allotted space just to describe the weather we've been having and then you wouldn't believe it. We will say that "911" was lucky to be one of the few houses on campus with electricity the last few days of finals. In fact, the weather has been so bad that most of the griping has not been that we have to go to class, but that *weather* we have to go through to get there. Ah, there's always spring. . . .

Since this is being written soon after the start of second semester, there is no official report on grades as yet. But, unofficially, we think the actives did better than they have for a long time. Pledge grades aren't out yet, either, so we don't know how many we'll be initiating.

Second semester rush has started. Our house was too full to allow rushees to stay here during the period, but we are rushing. We've pledged one man and have several on the wire. We won't have room for many since we had few leave and even more come back.

In variety sports, John Fix has been doing well in Illinois swimming meets and steadily improving his time. John says he's going to surprise quite a few people in the meets to come. John Ravencroft has been out of track with very serious wisdom tooth trouble. He has the stitches out of his mouth now and is finally saying something besides, "Ughh mphph!" or something equally unintelligible. Pledge Jerry Colangelo has been stealing the show as far as freshman basketball goes. We don't want to give away any secrets to our worthy Phi Psi opponents in other universities, but Jerry will be first string next year.

IM spotlight is presently on basketball. We open against Sigma Nu. Ben Waldie is captaining the team and finding difficulty choosing his squad from the bountiful group of players at his disposal. We're hoping he can work out a team that will play well together and bring in at least one championship trophy to put next to the football one gained last fall.

Our social calendar gets into gear this week and next with exchanges and the Jeff-Duo. The Phi Gams are recently off probation, so the night promises to be a wild one at the local Moose Club. Juggling of preferences for Spring Carnival, or Sheequon, is currently going on at a dizzying pace for those brothers handling it. Our preferences seem to match those of the sororities, but even then the juggling done by the committee after our lists are handed in could completely upset things. But, whoever we get will be fun working with. Just thinking of it seems to bring spring with all its "picnics" a little bit closer.

BOB TELLEEN, *Correspondent*

### **Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University**

Now that the prolonged, hectic season of rush at Vandy has finally come to an end, it is my pleasant duty to report the January pledging of nineteen enthusiastic, if not yet completely grounded pledges. After all finals were only a week behind us and even the actives had not fully recovered. But all told, we sincerely believe that we pledged a fine group of young men with great potential. It is now up to them to prove their merit by, at present, not getting too many demerits.

Helping them to become better acquainted with Phi Psi, locally and nationally, is their very capable pledge trainer, Richard Geist, assisted by Jerry Stapleton. A program of study, rules, and work was quickly set up for the new members, who have responded quite admirably to their new tasks. Seeing the pledges strive so diligently should inspire the actives to work harder than ever for our chapter. The flow of new life into a chapter is indeed a miraculous thing; even the most staid old senior cannot keep from being affected to some extent (?) by their spirit. The pledges are: Peter Booher, Dayton, Ohio; Richard Daley, Memphis; Scott McLaughlin, Camden; John Dethro, Cleveland; Stephen St. George, Ketchikan, Alaska; Jackson Worsham Jr., Battle Creek, Mich.; Marshall Gaither III and John Breinig, Nashville; Leslie Smith, Paris, Ky.; Ned Stiemke, Atlanta, Ga.; John Sadler, Sweetwater; Douglas Law, Pontiac, Ill.; Stephen Brooks, Rochester, N.Y.; Larry Hagerman, Owensboro, Ky.; Gregory Sheenhan, Louisville, Ky.; David Christie, Glenview, Ill.; Fredrick Fry, Corpus Christi, Texas; Larry Lenon, Winnetka, Ill.; and David Briley, Antioch.

January surely was a busy month at Tenn Delta, for besides pledging and final exams, we elected new officers for the spring semester. Our new GP is a junior, Richard Niel, who edged Jim Hickey in an extremely close race. Other officers are: Alex Rhoton, VGP; Carroll Chambliss, AG; Granville Baker, BG; Walter Murphy, P; Jack Kemp, Asst. P and Meal Steward; Preston Taylor, SG; Jerry Stapleton, Phu; Boyd Riley, Hod; and Tom Davidson, Hi.

Turning to sports, our bowling team, after a blazing start, cooled, but still finished with a fairly respectable 14-11 record. Members reporting slightly stiff backs were: Jim Hickey, Tommy (Hooks) Knott, Sonny West and Clel Loveall. Serving as mascot for the squad was John Arbogast, a fellow we've really missed since his between semester transfer.

Our interest is now centered on hook and jump shots, as basketball replaces bowling. Our season got off to a slow start with two early defeats, but with the pledges now cheering us on, improvement is expected from the starting five, Loveall, West, Hickey, Neil, and Chambliss. We're hoping to improve on our football record as we get another shot at some of our arch rivals on the hardwood.

Lovely, red-haired Theta, Cynthia Mallard, our entry in the "Miss Commodore" contest made

every Phi Psi proud as she was chosen to the Queen's Court.

Those brothers who haven't been receiving our thrice-yearly chapter newspaper, *The Deltan*, are requested to drop us a card. Incidentally, alumni in this area who have changed address should also let us know because we are now including alumni addresses in the paper.

We appreciate the visits paid us by the brothers stationed at Fort Campbell.

We showed our pledges what a good time really was on February 7, with a minor blast featuring the Impollos. There was a multitude of late risers the following day. We're now making preparations for the Founders Day banquet on February 19. Everyone also is looking toward March 7, the date of our annual Apache Party, absolutely the wildest.

CARROLL W. CHAMBLISS, *Correspondent*

#### **Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi**

The biggest news around Ole Miss Alpha is, of course, the new house that is finally more than a pipe dream. The brothers have vacated the old house, which has served honorably for a number of years, and have taken up residence in the dorms. In this respect we join Sigma Nu and Delta Kappa Epsilon, also awaiting new homes. We are using committee meeting rooms in the Union Building for our weekly fraternity meetings. We extend our thanks to our alumni for their support, both past and future.

The plans for Founders Day are nearing completion at this time, and the Jacqueminot Spring Formal is in planning stage. Our annual Christmas house party was held the night before holidays began.

Ken Cline, outgoing GP, has been appointed editor of *The Greeks*, IFC publication which is distributed to all interested rushees. This is the second honor for Ken this year; earlier he was co-representative of all the fraternities on this campus at the National Interfraternity Conference in Atlanta.

We are happy to welcome another pledge to our rolls: Ronel Urice, of Midwest City, Okla. Our rush committee is working hard to increase our membership, and we plan to use our out-of-house situation to our advantage by rushing in the dorms. We feel that we can become better acquainted with the men in this way.

Officers for the spring semester are Harland Hagler, Clayton, Mo., GP; Luther Aldridge, New Albany, VGP; Ken Cline, Nashville, P; and David Shurden, Greenville, BG. Congratulations to these new officers. We feel confident they can do the job. The first major legislation was enacted at last week's meeting. We adopted several measures to improve the scholarship among the pledges. Any suggestions will be appreciated.

Memo to Texas Alpha: Where, Oh where has our skin gone? Did we win that Sugar Bowl game so long ago for naught?

RICHARD JACOBSON, *Correspondent*

#### **Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College**

At Beloit College the second semester is just starting off with a bang. With the commencing of classes comes the yearly election of student officers. The Phi Psis entered the race hot and heavy this year with four men throwing their hats in the ring. They are: Doug Williams, for president of the senior class; Bob Goodwin, for president of the junior class; Doug Davis, for president of the sophomore class; and Rich Sheriff, for treasurer of the student body. These four men are bound to put up a good showing for Phi Psi in their respective races.

In the past month our pledges have also honored Phi Psi. Perhaps this may best be illustrated by the first place award we received for snow sculpture at the Winter Carnival which the pledges designed and molded. In the line of pledging since the last newsletter, we have picked up two very fine upperclassmen; Ken Stransky, a junior from Chicago and Jim Burpee, a sophomore from Edgerton, Wis. Ken was recently appointed to the editorship of the Beloit College *Round Table*.

The IM basketball trophy is still up for grabs since we are now at mid-season, but the return of Edwin Jakab and Charlie Bergren to action on the hardwoods will be a great help to the A league team during the second half of the season. The uncertainty of the IM race is not carried over when estimating the value of Bob Scott, Bill Biederman and Tedd Olson to the Beloit varsity. These men have put on a very good show for the fans this year and although Bob and Tedd are graduating, Bill has another two years to perform at Beloit.

Recently we were honored by having Treasurer Clyde M. Joice visit us for dinner and we are expecting to see Archon Albert H. Kishman soon. The chapter is now looking forward to our annual winter formal which will be held February 7. We shall hold this yearly affair at a small restaurant just outside of Beloit.

RICHARD SHERIFF, *Correspondent*

#### **Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota**

Winter quarter is now in full swing on campus, and the brothers are fully settled into their schedule of studying, social activities and athletics. We started the new year with initiation of new brothers and the election of new officers for the rest of the school year. Received into the brotherhood on January 9 were Bob Sillerud, of Pelican Rapids; Scott Cairns, of Redwood Falls; Wally Rea, of Minneapolis; and Walter Smith, of Orlando, Fla. The fellows worked hard as pledges and are now sharing the responsibilities and activities of the chapter as active brothers. Early in January, elections were held for chapter offices. Under our new slate of leaders, Minnesota Beta is energetically holding her position as a campus leader. Elected were: Norman Dykema, GP; Warren Anderson,

VGP; Charles Benson, BG; Benny Grosz, SG; Peter Burkhardt, Ass't. P; Ralph Foster, Hi; Bob Sillerud, Hod; and Walter Smith, Phu. Jim Hewett and Herb Trader were appointed House Manager and Pledge Trainer, respectively.

Two fine Winter events which we Minnesota Phi Psis are looking forward to are Founders Day and the White Dragon Society Winter Formal. Founders Day in Minneapolis will again be held at the Normandy Hotel on February 20. Last year's event was a huge success and enjoyed by all. On February 28, we, the five oldest fraternities on the Minnesota campus, or the White Dragon Society, will hold our annual Winter dance at the Interlachen Club in Minneapolis. On January 24, the chapter held a Dinner-Dance at Coleman's in St. Paul. One hundred per cent attendance helped make this a great evening.

On the weekend of January 30, we enjoyed playing host to Archon Al Kishman; we enjoyed Al's company and think he enjoyed being on hand for our annual "Forty-Niner Miner" party. For that Saturday night, the cellar at 1609 became a

mine shaft to lend atmosphere for our renown costume party.

Committees from the Alpha Kappa Theta Sorority and ours are meeting regularly and forming plans and writing a skit for the University Campus Carnival which will be presented this coming Spring Quarter. Right now, a musical is in the planning stages.

Four brothers who are currently starring for the varsity wrestling team having one of its best seasons are George and Chuck Coffee, Vern Dykema and Scott Cairns. All have done impressively well this winter. In IM athletics, the Phi Psi hockey team won four consecutive games before being eliminated in competition. Our two basketball teams are doing extremely well in our leagues and will soon be in the University Class playoffs.

In closing, we would like to congratulate three brothers who were married over the Christmas holidays: Doug Hackett, Bernie Grootwassink and Larry Wilson. And with that, we wrap up the news from Minnesota Beta until May.

RICHARD VANNORDEN WILSON, *Correspondent*



Wisconsin Gamma won first place in the snow sculpture contest at Beloit's Winter Carnival. The work was completely designed and executed by the freshman pledge class.





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### Iowa Alpha—State University of Iowa

It has been proven beyond a shadow of a doubt that Iowa Alpha has definitely seen winter. Brother Galliher's 1917 Chevrolet attempted to explore our fair campus unmanned, but gave up the ghost at the bottom of the hill undamaged. Our elderly neighbor lady is expected to recover shortly.

The house in recent weeks has undergone a serious schism in meeting revolving about the question of a mascot. Brother Tinan's suggestion of a herd of Wart hogs was received with enthusiasm, until it was discovered that we couldn't purchase them wholesale. Also Brother Sichinger's suggestions ranging from vultures to sting rays were also rejected. This correspondent's suggestion was heartily received when he courageously recommended the appropriation of an Indonesian vahine.

Throughout this furor second semester's officers were elected. They are: Gene Mueller, GP; George Tiedens, VGP; Dave Abbott, BG; Terry Tinan, SG; Tom Arnold and Greg Galliher, rush chairmen; Tyler Edward Marshall, in a glorious re-election, AG; Terry James, pledge trainer; and Bob Price, song leader. With this impressive array of capable officers, we look towards a fine semester for California Beta.

With finals over we seem to be in good shape, scholastically speaking, and we all welcome the addition to the chapter of Brother Jim Coonley from Indiana Alpha.

Dave Nairn, president of our pledge class which still embraces pledge training with a passion, is, from all reports, doing an excellent job on the freshman tennis team, as is Brian Gauler on the swimming team.

Final reports concerning intramurals are not as yet posted, but things in this department seem to be going well also. First places won in events such as Fraternity bird-calling and fly-casting, plus seconds and thirds in mumblety-peg, kick-the-can, and hide-and-seek, seem to indicate a fine intramural year.

On behalf of the entire chapter this correspondent wishes to extend heartfelt Valentine's Day greetings to all our brothers everywhere.

TYLER MARSHALL, *Correspondent*

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### Transferred to Los Angeles

H. L. (HANK) GILLIAM, Tex. Alpha '50, recently promoted to associate landman by Humble Oil & Refining Co., of Houston, Texas, has been transferred to the company's Los Angeles office.

The most impressive thing at Iowa Beta this winter has been our rush program. Through the industry of our membership chairman, John Pigott, we have added nine sharp fellows to our pledge class in the last month. The new pledges are: Cliff Rick, Tulsa, Okla.; Larry Van Der Heyden, Moline, Ill.; Gary Astleford, Lake City; Gary Wheeler, Tama; Angelo Steffani, Nevada; Al Coe, Mason City; Bob Hein, Osage; Larry Mallicoat, Comanche; and Jim Scarpone, Township, N.J. As of February 1, our pledge class totaled twenty. It might just be thirty by the end of February.

We are getting together with the Phi Gams again this year for the Jeff Hop. It will be February 14, at the Kirkwood Hotel in Des Moines. It should be a good function. Speaking of functions, we are again celebrating Founders Day with Iowa Alpha. We've made plans for having it in Des Moines, February 21, at the Savery Hotel. Last year Iowa Alpha made the arrangements for Founders Day in Cedar Rapids. It was quite a party. We are anticipating as much this year.

As is customary, our house put on a fine skit for campus, "Varieties." We didn't win anything, but we still thought it was pretty good. Larry Swanson did a tremendous amount of work in producing and directing the skit. The Brothers have begun thinking about our float for "Veishia," the spring campus carnival. The central parade theme is "Island Travel," so we are going to present Peter Pan's, *Island in the Sky*. Our main goal is to make the float very inexpensive and yet effective.

*We are real happy about grades. Over the last three quarters, we have progressed from twenty-seventh to seventeenth, and then to seventh among thirty-two fraternities.*

Last fall we fared real well in intramurals, but this winter we fell down a bit. None of our basketball teams seemed to be able to win. This was bad. On the brighter side, however, wrestling looks pretty good; and with the coming of spring softball, track, and volleyball, we hope to win the IM trophy for the ninth time in ten years.

There are quite a few Psis in spring sports at Iowa State. In track, Ken Sweeney, captain of the track team, and Bob Brandt run the dashes; Ken Clark and Joe Bryant high jump; and Dave Henschen throws the shot. In baseball, Bob Harden, Doug Borth, and Jack Peeters are almost assured of starting positions.

Right after the Christmas break, Iowa Beta sent four pledges through a probation period of one week. They survived to become new initiates in our chapter. They are: Bob Brandt, Tom Rather, Dick Pattschull and Mick Stewart. We're really glad to make them a part of this organization.

Plans are still progressing for remodeling our house. Work should begin sometime shortly before school is out for the summer.

WALT KUEHNE, *Correspondent*

Spring is in the air at old Mizzou and Mo. Alpha waits only for its true realization which will come in the wake of our Shipwreck Party, Ozark Migration and the spring squirrel tripping the light fantastic ecstatically down the corridors of the Psi lodge with a freshly plucked daffodil clenched between his smug little lips.

Sixteen new brothers were initiated into the Fraternity on February 15. The brotherhood welcomes into the bond: Willis Baker, Dick Brigham, Gary Crabtree, George Herman, Jerry Huston, Jack Prather, Bill Rutledge and Gordon Stuck, all of Kansas City; Bob Ball, St. Joseph; Paul Coverdel, Decatur, Ga.; Bob Evans and Charles Newberry, Hannibal; John Gibson, Independence; David Ledbetter, Sedalia; Chuck Smith, Fulton; and Jack Talbott, Ottumwa, Iowa.

Grades are not yet officially published for the first semester but our tabulations show our overall average to be around a 2.1. Studying will now be more bearable since the dungeon-like walls have disappeared. The new wing now sparkles with pastel paints due to the recent efforts of our new brothers. The atmosphere of the house is changing both in appearance and scholastically. The chapter expects to raise its scholastic standing to even greater heights in spring semester. Incidentally, the new initiates rendered a 2.5 average to the cause.

Rush chairman Don Doxee is continuing his outstanding job. Five new men have been added to the pledge class bringing the total to sixteen. They are: Joe Agnew, Leawood, Kans.; Don Garrett, St. Joseph; John Rheinhold, St. Louis; and Frank Shaag and Wally Smith, St. Joseph.

Founders Day banquets and rush parties in Kansas City and St. Louis started off our rush program for '59 with a bang. We are confident that rush this year will be even more successful than last year.

The chapter would like to take this opportunity to announce the engagements of Ken Scheffel, G.P. Bart Pagel, Pat Price and Owen McPherson. Good Luck!

The Fifth District Council will be held in Columbia during the semester break. Mo. Alpha cordially invites you to attend. Write P. S. Price for full particulars. We expect to accomplish a great deal during the council and the "club" members guarantee to have around 2,000 Stephens girls on hand.

SAM WILKINSON, *Correspondent*

### **Finance Director**

JOHN R. CROXALL, N.Y. Gamma '35, has been promoted to finance director for the Lockland Aircraft Reactors Operations Office of the Atomic Energy Commission. He lives in Reading, Ohio, at 29 C Gahl Terrace.

With finals out of the way and a new semester lying before us, Phi Psis at Texas Alpha are planning for a good many activities. A new slate of officers, an ambitious social program, and a rough IM schedule will occupy a great deal of time this spring.

The social calendar for the spring semester consists of several parties with sororities, a house party, and a formal cocktail party. On February 28 Phi Psis will dress as tramps and turn the basement into a dump in order to have the annual "Shantytown Party." Also on the calendar are closed houses with Chi Omega and Kappa Alpha Theta. The house party will be toward the first of May and probably will be at the Fort Clark Dude Ranch in South Texas. Round-up Weekend this year will be highlighted for Phi Psis with a formal cocktail party on the Saturday night of Round-up Week. Weekly coffees and a Friday afternoon beer party with Kappa Kappa Gamma are also planned.

Phi Psi intramurals this semester will be devoted primarily to volleyball, handball singles, water basketball and softball. The volleyball season is underway with Phi Psi teams entered in each division. At the end of the first semester Phi Psi ranked in the upper one-half of the fraternity division and prospects are looking good for us winding up the year near the top.

Fifteen of Phi Psi's fall semester pledges made their grades for initiation. On the whole, Texas Alpha scholarship for the fall semester was good and, although we have no official reports, we expect to be well over the all-men's average on the campus.

Officers and committee chairmen chosen for the spring semester are: Kenneth Vernon, GP; Greg Martin, VGP; Bill Matthews, BG; Gus Drake, Hod; Lynn Hunt, Phu; and Ronny Platt, Hi. John Culpepper was elected 1959 Rush Captain by the chapter and at the present time Phi Psi is participating in spring rush.

Committee chairmen recently appointed are George Swain, pledge training; Joe Bob Hall, house and yards; Lawrence Mann, finance; Bill Schmidt, social; Bert Creel, activities; Greg Martin, governing; Bill Matthews, grievance; and Nelson Sanders, intramural.

BOB MOORE, *Correspondent*

### **Texas Beta—Texas Technological College**

With spring semester upon us, Texas Beta looks forward to it's best semester yet. Several major events will fill Texas Beta's athletic, rush and social activities during the next four months. Our basketball team, with high spirits and hard playing, is steadily pushing toward the top of the IM heap. Next comes track and softball to add to the many scheduled events.

Rush is in full swing for this semester, led by Jimmy Ratliff. Activities include a smoker, a new spring rush retreat to be held in Ruidoso, N.M., February 14-15, and finally, formal rush February

27 through March 13. We are eagerly anticipating an enthusiastic group of pledges. The present pledge class of seven men will soon be ending their pledgship with "pledge projects" and "parties" given for them by the brothers under Cameron Cunningham, new Pledge Trainer.

Sing, sing, sing, practice, practice, practice, for the IF Sing-Song to be held March 21. Under the capable and enthusiastic leadership of Ray Moore, who has led us to victory two years in a row, we are diligently working to win first place again.

For the rest of the semester, our calendar will be crammed to overflowing with numerous mixers, picnics, IM basketball, speech, track and softball events, the Senior Spring Festival, Junior Stunt Night, and many dances, including our South Sea Island Stomp or Phi Psi *Blast*, as it is better known, and our annual spring dinner dance.

Study! Everyone here is holding his breath, waiting to see if we have again regained first place scholastically on campus. With the advent of the national Phi Psi scholastic program, Beta will be making a concentrated effort to improve scholarship more and more.

One reason Texas Beta is looking forward to a great semester is the enthusiasm and drive shown by the following new chapter officers: Bill Pittman, GP; Johnny Cochran, VGP; Bill Downs, P; Marvin Armstrong, AG; Kenny Cummings, BG; Charles LeBus, Hod; George Dawson, Hi; and Edmund (Tex) Long, Phu.

Brothers noted missing around "the lodge" are: Rolly Seawell, recently named National Assistant Secretary; Delbert Sanders, Dick Dabney and Darryl Sanders, currently working for Uncle Sam; and Stanley Scott, just working. We are happy to have Freddie Blake back from "the wars" to be with us again.

MARVIN C. ARMSTRONG JR., *Correspondent*

#### **Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas**

Kansas Alpha's new officers this semester are: Neil Perkins, GP; Larry Dickason, VGP; Chuck Hydeman, P; John Rust, Hi; Fred Benson, Hod; Joe Dillingham, SG; and Norb Garrett, Social Chairman.

Our pledges also have elected new officers for the coming semester: Dennis Allen, president; Russ D'Anna, Bert Johnson, Doug Mayor, vice-presidents; Gary Jones, secretary-treasurer; and Dave Perce, sergeant at arms.

February 22, has been set as the date for initiation ceremonies. Our fifteen pledges eligible for initiation by meeting grade requirements are: Jack McFarland, Bert Johnson, Gary Jones, John Ward, Dick Bowman, J. B. Askew, Mark Dull, Bob Brooks, Marvin Evilsizer, John Boyd, Dave Perce, Doug Mayor, Russ D'Anna, John Tillotson and Dennis Allen.

Congratulations to Jack McFarland, our honor initiate, with a 2.8 average.

Kansas Alpha takes pleasure in announcing the

pledging of Phil Hulen and Bill Kaufman, both of Kansas City, Kans.; and Mike Harris, of Chanute. With the pledging of these three, our house is accommodating fifty-seven men this semester.

Two parties have been planned for spring: a barn party, to be held the Saturday night after the K.U. Relays, and a spring formal dance for which the date and place have not been set. Our new social chairman, Norb Garrett, is working hard to arrange sorority functions and buffets.

Two brothers have been married recently and two others have announced their engagements. Craig McKinnis has married Janice Wanamaker, AD Pi; Gary Underhill has married Dee Ann, KAΘ; Phil Loncar has announced his engagement to Sue Ulrich, Gamma Phi Beta; and Ed Wheeler announced his engagement to Sylvia Mahon, Alpha Phi.

Also of interest to the society-minded is the fact that our new president, Neil Perkins, affectionately known as "Baldy," due to his receding hairline, is now dating!!! His two most recent victims have been a debutante from the Kappa house and a Delta Gamma.

After this semester the Psis on Mt. Oread might be known as the best "kissers" on campus. The acquisition of a new mascot with the name "Kisser" might well help us achieve this notoriety. "Kisser" is a five year old pedigreed Boxer dog.

Since the news has now degenerated to individual cases and dogs, I bid adieu from the brothers at Kansas Alpha until next letter.

KEN GRAY, *Correspondent*

#### **Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska**

The first semester was a blessing to the Nebraska Alpha brothers and pledges. Twenty-two out of twenty-seven pledges made their averages and fifteen of them were above a 6. average (Nebraska U. runs on a 9.0 system). With this record we hope to capture the Innocents scholarship award and the Fifth District scholarship award which we had a year ago.

The second semester ushered in a new slate of officers topped by Bill Ashley our new GP; Tom Fulkerson, VGP; Glen Burgridge, BG; Jess Adkins, Phu; Tim Barnes, Hod; and Scott Tucker, Hi. Glen Speece, SG; and C. G. Wallace, AG, hold positions of yearly tenure.

During Christmas vacation Bob Luke, Fred Kluck and C. G. Wallace became engaged. The chapter congratulates them and hopes that their venture into the unknown will prove successful.

At the end of each semester the *Daily Nebraskan* chooses two outstanding Nebraskans, one from the student body and one from the faculty. Phi Kappa Psi entered three names for the award: Larry Schrag, Dick Shugrue and Steve Schultz. Brother Schultz was chosen as the outstanding Nebraskan from the student body. This honor is given only to those who have devoted a great deal of their time, patience and ability to worthy campus organizations and who have kept a high scholastic

standing. We congratulate him on this honor. The other two entries have also received a great deal of recognition for their activities participation, as members of Innocents, senior men's honorary.

Jim McCaffery, a second semester freshman from Omaha, transferred to the University of Nebraska and became the twenty-eighth pledge of Nebraska Alpha.

We certainly enjoyed the visit from Archon Gene Mueller during the first week of February. He joined a few of the brothers in proving that Bud is the life of every get-together in the USA.

February 21 is the date set for the annual Phi Psi formal; this year we have been chosen to have a Playboy formal. We all are eager to find an amiable Playboy playmate. It should be an interesting dance.

C. G. WALLACE III, *Correspondent*

#### **Oklahoma Alpha—University of Oklahoma**

Sitting on a powder keg at the opening of a new semester, Oklahoma Alpha is determined to explode into another active season of scholastic and social precedents.

Simon Legree, in the shape and form of Ken Elder, was largely responsible for the wonderful functioning of our excellent scholarship program. Due to this system, the Phi Psi pledge class surpassed sixteen other fraternities on campus in scholarship ratings and consequently, the largest percentage of pledges, in recent years, produced a satisfactory grade point to become eligible for initiation.

The brothers, not to be outdone, hope to finish in the upper third of fraternities in scholarship ranking. Jerry Kursar is launching a new semester of increasing grade points by increasing sentries, guards and the supply of bull-whips to assure Phi Psi proper ranking at "the head of the pack."

A salute and warm thanks go to our Wives and Mothers Club. Thanks to these glorious ladies, who raffled untold numbers of tickets for a color TV set, the Brown Palace now has \$1,000 in the till to be used for much-needed repairs and furniture. Under the leadership of Mrs. H. J. Garrett, the mothers proved once more that they are truly "the sweethearts of Phi Kappa Psi."

Our annual "Roaring 20's" party is to be authenticated with proper attire and will be a true representation of a prohibition party due to the actions of Oklahoma's newly-elected Governor, J. Howard Edmondson, and his crackdown on bootleggers and other forms of unscrupulous operators.

After wearing down a soapbox and a few candidates, the "Big Brass" of the chapter were duly elected. Press releases have it that the following officers won office without kissing one baby (infant, that is): Fritz Heinke, GP; Morris Curry, VGP; Tom Owens, BG; Tom Moore, SG; John Powell, P; Don Tillman, Asst. P; Jerry Rogers, Hod; Jerry Kursar, Hi; and Ken Elder, Phu.

The Phi Psi's glorious B team is headed along the well-trodden path to victory of the university "class B" basketball championship. Next—volley-

ball. The Phi Psi volleyball sextet takes to the nets in what they hope to be a successful defense of their volleyball crown which has adorned our weatherworn mantel for three consecutive years. Four starters return from last year's squad: Morris Cury, Barry Smith, Chris Mugler and Allen Paine.

A dart from the bow of one of the world's most independent infants has found its way to Jim Loving, who recently pinned Wanda Oliver. Cupid developed a "final sting" with Allen Paine when he married the lovely sweetheart of Venezuela, Carol Green. Cigars were imminent as Barry Smith announced the New Year's Eve arrival of daughter Elizabeth Ann.

The ferocious pledges recently held a "free election" in which they chose very dubious workers for their present officers: Wendel Foushee, president; Gordy Moore, vice-president; and Clark McManus, secretary.

Once again, and we hope for the last time, we wish to refresh West Virginia Alpha's mind to the "startling" fact that the skin which we so richly deserve is now six months overdue and we cannot conceive that pony express takes *that* long.

FRED MUGLER, *Correspondent*

#### **Colorado Alpha—University of Colorado**

With the initial shock of grades somewhat cushioned by time, Phi Psis at the Colorado State Penitentiary begin a new regimented semester. Colorado Alpha alumni will be interested in the fact that the tyrannical administration has virtually eliminated CU Days and has broken a long standing tradition by requiring seniors to take finals. It is quite obvious that the party atmosphere is rapidly being replaced by academic pursuits ever since the launching of dear old "Sputnik."

Even with the stiffening scholastic competition, we are proud to state that sixteen of our nineteen-man pledge class met the scholastic requirement of the University necessary to go active. If all sixteen men are initiated, it will break the chapter record of the number of men initiated at one time. These men will be exposed to the mysteries of the Fraternity March 1.



Colorado coeds enjoyed their house-warming visit to the new Colorado Alpha chapter house.

As a scholarship incentive for pledges, every year the pledge with the highest grade average is honored by having his name engraved on a trophy. This year Al Hofman led the pledges with a 3.88 average (4.0 maximum) and his name will appear on the trophy.

Colorado Alpha is capably led this semester by the following officers: Steve Mitchell, GP; Sam Spencer, VGP; Jerry Brunner, BG; Tom Diamond, Hod; John Menne, Phu; John Cornelison, Hi; and John Simmons, Asst. P.

We are happy to announce that for the first time since the re-activation of the chapter in 1946, we have a housemother. Before our new house was built this summer, there was neither a room nor facilities to accommodate a housemother. Mrs. Madsen joined us this semester from Omaha, Nebr., where she served as a registered nurse, and although she has had no previous experience as a housemother she seems well qualified for the position.

All of the brothers are looking forward to Founders Day banquet to be held at the University Club in Denver. This is always a good chance to meet new alumni and introduce to alumni our new initiates.

Brother Floyd Graham, who recently purchased the Aspen Annex (formerly the Alps Lodge), has given us a room to decorate and use as we please. As soon as the room is completed, it will be an ideal place to hold private parties or to use as a Phi Psi Lounge. The room was given to us in return for some work and publicity that the chapter gave to help the Lodge. Thanks, Brother Graham!

You can have McBride, Arizona.

BOB YOUNG, *Correspondent*

## District 6

### Washington Alpha—University of Washington

With a new stereo set in our living room and a victory in the recent Associated Men Students' elections, Washington Alpha is riding high on the campus! Winter quarter is off to a great start, and it looks as though it will be the best one for quite some time.

Pat Lynch was recently elected treasurer of the AMS, following a week of campaigning. Also in the AMS race were Loren Ceder, candidate for man-at-large, and Don Bailey, candidate for secretary. Both men were defeated by narrow margins.

A winter quarter initiation ceremony brought John Stephan into the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity.

The pledge-active football game was played the first part of January, with the actives coming out on top, as they usually do, 13-7. The game was played in mud a foot deep on one of the local fields, which was the actives' excuse for not scoring more touchdowns against the pledges.

Ron Ubaghs, Curt Tenzler, Don Edgers and Ralph Hawkins, members of the Phi Psi quartet, made a big hit at the Alpha Delta Pi formal last weekend. They sang several hit songs, including "Zombie Jamboree." The quartet has been very well liked throughout the Seattle area. We are expecting big things from them in the future. Who knows, maybe they will replace the Kingston Trio as the nation's top vocal group!

We are all looking forward to the "Speak-Easy"

## 1959 DISTRICT COUNCILS

<i>District</i>	<i>Host</i>	<i>Dates</i>
I	Connecticut Alpha	April 3, 4, 5
II	Maryland Alpha	April 17, 18, 19
III	Pennsylvania Beta	March 26, 27, 28
IV	Michigan Alpha	April 24, 25, 26
V	Missouri Alpha	March 26, 27, 28
VI	Oregon Beta	March 6, 7, 8

Alumni residents in or near Hartford, Conn., Baltimore, Md., Meadville, Pa., Ann Arbor, Mich., Columbia, Mo., and Corvallis, Ore., will find it both enjoyable and profitable to attend one or more sessions of the District Councils. Be on hand to learn what's going on these days in *your* Fraternity.

roaring twenties-type party coming up February 14. Several committees within the house have been planning the party, and it looks as though it will be a big success. The Sea-Farse costume party earlier this quarter was enjoyed by all. The annual "crew race" held at the party was won by the sophomore team of Dennis Reilly, Tom Joslin and Tony Chase.

Since Valentine's Day is just around the corner, we are planning an evening of serenading. A bouquet of roses will be presented to each sorority following the serenade.

Cigars were passed out to all the brothers following the recent announcement of the engagement of Dick Jackling to Sandy Satter, Delta Gamma. Congratulations!!

Several of the brothers have been spending a lot of their time down at the crew house getting in shape for the coming season. Jim and John Bingham are on the varsity crew, while Pledges Roger Rickdall, Bill Rodgers and Jerry O'Leary are working out with the freshmen. Gary Mapes and Bill Moser are also preparing for the coming track season when they will be defending their northern division championships.

The University's Varsity Ball was a big success this quarter, thanks to the all-Phi Psi committee of Harold Gismervig, George Richardson, Ralph Hawkins and Bill Moser. The dance was held in the Olympic Hotel's Grand Ballroom in honor of all "Big W" winners in all sports.

We will once again celebrate Founders Day at the College Club in Seattle. We are looking forward to the return of many our alumni for the occasion.

GERRY BARKER, *Correspondent*

#### **Oregon Alpha—University of Oregon**

Winter term on the Oregon campus promises to be almost as busy as fall term was, and the brothers are working hard to keep up with this somewhat dizzying pace. The term began with initiation of those pledges who had attained the necessary grades. Newly-initiated as brothers into the mysteries of our Fraternity are Donn Taucher, Dick Lolcama and Steve Reeder, of Klamath Falls; Dan Guthrie, Ed Hearn and Bob Kraus, of Eugene; Steve Millikin, and Jerry Kraft, of Portland; Bill Rosencrantz, Coos Bay; John Carbone, Berkeley, Calif.; and Jerry Laub, an honorary member who is an exchange student from Austria.

The week following the initiation ceremonies, elections were held for new officers. Elected were: Bob Embrey, GP; Donn Taucher, VGP; Larry Schmele, AG; Tom Jakobsen, BG; John Lindstrom, SG; Steve Millikin, Hod; Ted Yuen, Phu; and John Weber, Hi. Joel Buckner was later elected chapter P.

The brothers did not do as well as expected scholastically, consequently the house has been extremely quiet this term as everyone is studying quite earnestly. Our IM teams, after a somewhat disappointing performance last term, seem to be improving. Our basketball team is well on the way

to a championship; our handball team should place in the upper division. Carl Burnham, who heads our athletic committee, is currently swimming for the varsity swimming team. Olsen and Taucher are engaged in weight lifting in preparation for varsity baseball.

Besides the usual number of desserts, firesides, etc., a Founders Day celebration is planned for February 21 in Portland. Also on the agenda is a basketball game with Oregon Beta.

With the initiation of our new members, and the transfer of Gary Van Orman from Oregon Beta and Gordy Senner from California Beta, we now have some fifty-five active members in the house. The year continues to be one of constant improvement, according to tradition. The new members and officers have a tremendous task before them in maintaining the high points of achievement registered under the impressive but dictatorial regime of Mike McFink and Co. The loss of these able and qualified men as officers at first was thought to be a disaster, but even now it is apparent that under our new leadership we will continue to grow. It is the end of an era of odd personalities characterized by outstanding physical traits such as noses and excess hair, which is being replaced by new regime, whose principal characters are noted for their exceptional height, both mental and physical.

LARRY SCHMELE, *Correspondent*

#### **Oregon Beta—Oregon State College**

Winter term has been quite uneventful so far. Everything has been planned for the next six weeks. So far the biggest event was the initiation of Byron Ostrom '61, Portland; Maury Kurtz '60, Albany; and Dick Bjelland '62, Woodburn. The pledge class gained a new face with the addition of Bill Slack '61, Roseburg. John Fontaine '61, was elected to the position of P.

January 31 was the day of the annual Pledge-Member football game. The pledges were victorious but only because they threw the referee, Gary Bedsworth, into the river after he called back three pledge touchdowns. In his place they substituted



Oregon Beta fifteen-man pledge class stands in front of chapter "victory skins."



Pledge Lynn Curtis, a completely biased referee, and won 6-0. The members paid the penalty of losing by doing all the Saturday crew work the way it should be done.

Our IM bowling team split 2-2 with Phi Kappa Sigma, then went down 0-4 to Alpha Gamma Rho and 1-3 to Delta Chi. The ping-pong team has a perfect record, beating Delta Upsilon and Delta Chi both 3-0. The basketball team has a perfect record the other way, losing to Chi Phi and Phi Kappa Tau.

February 7 was Dads' weekend and many fathers made the trip to see their sons in their everyday corrupt life. Sunday they left rubber checks to cover their poker losses and went out the front door muttering something about revenge on Mothers' weekend.

Bushy Bedsworth has gone for two months without a haircut so that he can portray Pvt. Griggs in the play "Rain," adapted from Miss Sadie Thompson by Somerset Maugham. The other night, after his roommate, Pledge Curt Wells, had given him his weekly Toni, he found out that he will be wearing a helmet all the time he is on stage. Well, that's life.

By the way, was that conversation being carried on by Oregon Alpha in the last issue with the cook? As far as I know our rival institution doesn't have housemothers yet.

ALAN EBERLEIN, *Correspondent*

#### **California Beta—Stanford University**

With glad cries of "Hi! Hi! Hi!" the brothers of Cal Beta returned to find that, mainly because of the efforts of a few scholastic ringers, the house had bettered its record of last quarter and now stands second on campus in academic ratings. In line with this trend towards improvement a new body of laws was passed at the first house meeting, and a reform administration swept into office. Don Emerzian was elected GP; Stanley Crumwell VGP; Rich Morrison, P; Rich Royds, Social chairman; Roger Ding, BG; Scott Massey, SG; Bill Bennett, Phu; Pete Barnhisel, Hi; and Daryll Hen, Hod. This band of zealots promise a new deal for the chapter, especially in the area of alumni relations. In fact as this letter is written a large and probably successful alumni party is being planned.

The Phi Psi ski team recently won first place in an international competition held at Yosemite. The team was composed of Daryll Hender and Don Norquist, and a third man whose name was never disclosed. Other standouts in sports include Tom McDonald in rugby, Pete Barnhisel in wrestling, and Jim Weersing in basketball. Jim Westberg was awarded a Brown Belt for his performance on the Stanford Judo Team.

The IM teams appear to be doing well, and with the construction of a new basketball court in the back yard we should see some improvement over the quarter. Already several of the brothers have become so accustomed to the game that they no longer use the ladder. Of course we don't expect everybody to do as well.

Socially, the house has many parties planned for this quarter, and rushing begins immediately after spring vacation. Rushing Chairman Dave Turner has been laying the groundwork for what is certain to be a successful rushing season.

IVAN RUBY, *Correspondent*

#### **California Gamma—University of California**

A memorable fall semester at Cal Gamma is now history. But there were events which we can never forget. Picture the members tearfully waving goodbye to Brother Summers as he departed, diploma in hand, and with equal sadness greeting returning Brothers Paul Larson and Bud Jorgenson.

It is memories like these which give Cal Gamma strength as we strive to regain our University status in May. And with this new-found strength Doug Moore and Kent Newmark promptly joined the rugby team, Jon King, the track team, Hort Horn and Jim Burden the ski club, and John Schwobeda the Army. But our greatest achievement was the election of house officers for the coming semester. They are: Gene Kleinbauer, GP; Steve Brown, VGP; Kent Newmark, P; John Schwobeda, SG; Doug Moore, Steward; Bob Toll, Hi; Fred Henschell, Hod; Hort Horn, Phu; Roger Ferree, BG; and Richard Muldary, AG. GP Gene Kleinbauer is working diligently to get house back on campus through his new Guidance Program. It includes more community projects and an improved scholastic environment. Through better spirit and scholarship he hopes to get our charter back by May, 1959.

The chapter was recently visited by Archon Tom Millett. During his too-short stay he attended the Santa Clara-Cal basketball game with several brothers. Afterwards they got pizza. The remainder of that night is obscure.

Among the scholastic achievements of the chapter last semester was Hartley King attaining straight "A's" while completing his master's thesis in mechanical engineering. Also attaining straight "A" averages were Bob Cantu, Bob Polhemus and Clark Brown. Brother Kleinbauer attained a 3.5, Vivion, 3.2, and Newmark, 3.0. Jim Daniels, a Beta from next door, got a 1.1.

The chapter extends its gratitude to Brother Burden who braved slushy snow, icy roads, biting cold, and starvation. Brother Burden generously donated his valuable time with no hope of reward to teaching interested brothers the fundamentals of skiing. The chapter thanks you, Jim.

A memorable fall semester at Cal Gamma is now history. But history has a way of repeating itself!!!!

DICK MULDERY, *Correspondent*

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#### **Production Designer**

JAMES ROTH, Okla. Alpha '32, is in his second season as production designer with the Ozzie and Harriet (Nelson) series on network television.

### California Delta—University of Southern California

The January letter pretty well recapped our fall semester. Only finals remained unmentioned, but there's not much that can be said for them except that they're over. A look at the coming semester seems appropriate at this point.

Leading Cal Delta through the spring semester will be Owen Guenthard, recently elected GP. Other officers include Bruce McMahan, VGP and pledge trainer; Craig Scott, P; Dennis Timmerman, AG; Al Martin, BG; Dennis Dailey, SG; Bob Slavens, Hi; Neil Whittredge, Hod; and Dan Ficca, Phu.

Naturally, the high point of this semester, as far as university activity is concerned, is Songfest. Last year Phi Kappa Psi walked off with all the honors, copping first place in Men's division and Mixed division (with Tri-Delta) competition, and was also awarded the Sweepstakes trophy. We will try to repeat this year in the Hollywood Bowl May 16 with entries in the Men's and Mixed (this time with Kappa Alpha Theta) divisions again under the enthusiastic leadership of Barry Freeman; and a quartet entry in the Small Group division. The arrangement for the Mixed entry is being done by MGM's choral director, Bobby Tucker.

The formal rushing period begins after the date of this writing, but excellent prospects have been entertained at various house functions during the past semester. At the moment the present (fall) pledge class is giving the house its spring cleaning.

The spring social calendar has not been arranged at the time of this writing. However, the annual Spring Formal, held over a weekend in April or May in Palm Springs, will undoubtedly head a list of events including numerous cocktail and theme parties, dinner exchanges, and probably a few extemporaneous affairs.

The brothers recently enjoyed the weddings (and especially the receptions) of Brothers Bob Allen, Howard Morrow and Bill Keane.

DENNIS TIMMERMAN, *Correspondent*

### California Epsilon—Univ. of California at Los Angeles

With finals over and the spring semester in sight, the brothers at "613" are preparing for bigger and better things to come—parties, weekend trips to the mountains, beer busts, and more parties. In spite of all this the brothers have not overlooked their studies. A good example is George Cuning, who was graduated in January *cum laude*.

On February 2, rushing began on the Bruin campus. Thanks to the efforts of the fall pledge class, the house was in top shape; all that remained was a good rushing effort by the active chapter. The brothers did just that and on February 6, California Epsilon welcomed seven new pledges. They are: Fred Toland, Phil Alexander, Bill Miller, Rey Carr, Steve White, Jim Reach and Bob McCloskey. The brothers are justly proud of this new class as the number of men going through rush was one of the smallest in recent years.

The new officers for the spring semester have been installed. Commanding operations at Phi Psi will be Mike Cornwell as GP. Making up his staff are: Harry Baldwin, VGP; Bill Williams, AG; Don Ward, BG; Jerry Quigley, SG; Dave Farlee, Hi; Tony Longo, Phu; and Jack Miehl, Hod. These men should provide the chapter with the ingenuity and leadership to bring it through another fine semester.

Bob Ohland and his committee have scheduled some really outstanding social functions. Heading up the schedule will be the wildest of 'em all—the annual Viva Zapata party. Later in the semester there will be exchanges and more parties. Among the exchanges will be a beach party with Chi Omega, house parties with ADPi, Pi Phi, and Theta. The brothers are already preparing for the Theta exchange—weather stripping the house, parkas and the like. The spring formal is scheduled for sometime in May. No definite arrangements have been made regarding the location, but Brother Needle is pushing Death Valley.

Cal Epsilon will initiate seven new men on February 22: Terry Reckas, Steve Mack, Frank Macari, Jerry Smith, Gary Wadsworth, Chuck Boag and Gordon Engle.

The chapter extends its congratulations to the retiring officers of Cal Epsilon for jobs well done, and best wishes to the new officers for a successful year to come.

BILL WILLIAMS, *Correspondent*

### Arizona Alpha—University of Arizona

(*Scholastic Standing, 1956-57—15 in 21*)

The first social function of the semester was our social probation "coming out" party, held in the darkened basement of the house. This was a legitimate party, but the air of secrecy gave it added atmosphere.

The social pro party was followed by the an-



Bat Masterson Franz, AG, and B. Maverick Hunzeker, GP, bring law and order to Arizona Alpha.

nual "pajamarino," with first prize for the most original bedwear going to Brother Beedy and Kappa date, Liz Hass. An exchange with Alpha Omicron Pi the following day added to a full schedule and topped off a busy month.

January also found Cary Ellison, Bob Richard and Zeke Nemer returning to school and the chapter. Ellison and Nemer were at work, while Richard was serving in the Marine Corps.

Elections resulted in the following new officers: Bill Hunzeker, GP; Dick Nickey, VGP; John Ayres, P; Bill Herbert, BG; Fred Borchardt, SG; Al Johnson, Hi; and Charles Adams, Phu.

Three new brothers now wearing the shield are: Frederick Gifford Borchardt, Charles Kieth Adams, and Alfred Galen Johnson, Jr.

Participating in campus activities second semester are: Bill Herbert, Alpha Delta Sigma, national advertising fraternity; Tuffy Adams, varsity baseball; and Jim Henry, gymnastics team.

Things are going well for the newly-formed Beta Beta Mu (Maverick watchers' honorary) as shown in the photo of Brothers Masterson and Maverick (Franzi and Hunzeker). New BBM officers

are: Dick Nickey, head card-sharp; Cary Ellison, vice-card-sharp; John Ayres, Wells-Fargo agent; Emil Franzi, town judge; and Jim Henry, town marshal. Plans are under way for a Beta Beta Mu exchange and gambling party with one of the sororities.

Congratulations of the chapter go to GP Bill Hunzeker on his recent engagement to Molly Putz, Alpha Xi Delta.

Second semester rush is now beginning under the guidance of Brother Andres. We feel sure that a fine new crop of red-blooded American boys will be ours.

For those lovers of Western lore, Arizona Alpha wishes to report that, in the true tradition of Wyatt Earp, Bat Masterson, and Billy the Kid, Arizona Alpha boasts one whose courage and ability should not go without mention. John Ayres, "The fastest glass in the West." All those who think that they may be a faster glass are requested to challenge Brother Ayres at the Green Shack on any Friday afternoon between the hours of three and six.

EMIL FRANZI, *Correspondent*

## PHI PSI LUNCHEONS

ARIZONA (PHOENIX)	.....	Tuesday, Noon	.....	Concho Room, Westward Hotel
Atlanta, Ga.	.....	Call David B. Cowles	.....	Murray 8-1682
BALTIMORE	.....	First Wednesday, 5 p.m.	.....	Hopkins Club, Callege Campus
CHICAGO	.....	First Tuesday, Noon	.....	Toffenetti's, 65 W. Monroe
CLEVELAND	.....	Monday, Noon	.....	Mid-Day Club, Union Commerce Bldg.
DENVER	.....	Wednesday, Noon	.....	Daniels & Fisher Tearoom
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	.....	Tuesday, Noon	.....	Chapter House, 113 Vernon
HOUSTON, TEXAS	.....	Fourth Wednesday	.....	Houston Club
INDIANAPOLIS	.....	Call Thomas M. French	.....	5941 Hillside West Drive
KANSAS CITY	.....	Thursday, Noon	.....	University Club, 918 Baltimore
NORTH TEXAS	.....	First Tuesday, Noon	.....	Baker Hotel, Dallas
OMAHA	.....	First Thursday, Noon	.....	Call Dave Noble, WEBster 3344
PHILADELPHIA	.....	Wednesday, Noon	.....	Engineers Club, 1317 Spruce
PITTSBURGH	.....	First Monday, Noon	.....	West Room, Penn Sheraton Hotel
PORTLAND, OREGON	.....	Friday, Noon	.....	University Club
SANTA BARBARA (CALIF.)	.....	Call Dr. Luin K. Thatcher	.....	1525 State Street
SEATTLE	.....	Last Wednesday, 6 p.m.	.....	College Club
SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	.....	Tuesday, Noon	.....	Hotel Hoffman
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	.....	Thursday, Noon	.....	Clark Hotel, Los Angeles
LONG BEACH, CALIF.	.....	Friday, Noon	.....	University Club, 1150 E. Ocean Blvd.
TOLEDO	.....	Friday, Noon	.....	Golden Lily, 812 Madison Ave.
TWIN CITY, MINNESOTA	.....	Thursday, Noon	.....	Johns Place, 28 South 6th St.
WASHINGTON, D.C.	.....	Second Wednesday, Noon	.....	University Club
WESTERN NEW YORK	.....	Wednesday, Noon	.....	Carl Meyers Hof, Court St., Buffalo

## New York Alumni Association

Our Founders Day banquet celebration was the success we had anticipated. The evening was highlighted by a talk by Mundy I. Peale, III, Beta '26, president of Republic Aviation Corporation. Mr. Peale's talk was entitled "Advances in Aviation Technology," and featured a realistic flight through space which was thoroughly enjoyed.

Russell J. Housman, N.Y. Epsilon '45, president of the Association acted as Symposiarch. William E. Powell Jr., Tenn. Delta '22, was song leader, assisted by Charles G. Lattner, Pa. Epsilon '46, on the piano.

Dr. Louis C. Corson, W.Va. Alpha '34, Fraternity Scholarship Director, took a few moments to emphasize the need for scholastic improvement.

The Association was pleased to recognize Karl B. Norton, N.Y. Beta '08, for his fifty years as a Phi Psi.

In addition, new officers were elected, as follows: Dan G. Stevens, Ohio Delta '40, president; John H. Blankenship, Neb. Alpha '43, vice president; John E. Johnson, Wash. Alpha '50, treasurer; and Dickson J. Pratt, Ind. Beta '51, secretary.

We expect another good year and will keep you posted on all of our activities. Remember if you have not paid the \$4.00 dues yet, please mail it in to: Robert Ruddy, 478 Broadway, New York 13, N.Y.

If you are new to the New York area and would like to be placed on our mailing list, or if you aren't receiving our mailings, please drop me a line at 159 Crescent Avenue, Plainfield, New Jersey.

DICKSON J. PRATT, *Correspondent*

## Philadelphia Alumni Association

The Philadelphia Alumni Association celebrated Founders Day February 20 at the Mask and Wig Club in Philadelphia. Principal speaker of the evening was Edward C. Von Tress, Ind. Beta '17, senior vice president of the Curtis Publishing Company and formerly manager of *Holiday* magazine. Symposiarch William I. Woodcock, Pa. Theta '12, retired general counsel for the Reading Railroad, introduced the speaker and conducted the evening's activities.

Your correspondent, fleeing the cold Pennsylvania weather, spent Founders Day in Miami Beach, Fla. at the Eden Roc.

HARMAN YERKES JR., *Correspondent*

## District of Columbia Alumni Association

The D.C. Alumni Association has "done it again" for in addition to our regular Founders Day banquet, we were able to arrange and hold a Memorial Service at the Washington Cathedral for Woodrow Wilson, one of our greatest Presidents and a loyal Brother in Phi Kappa Psi.

This tribute to our famous Brother was held the afternoon of February 18 at the Tomb of President Wilson in the Cathedral (his final resting place) and we made it a red letter day for Phi Kappa Psi.

The Brothers assembled for Evensong in the Great Choir. The short service was held by Canon Luther Miller (former Major General of Chaplains, U.S. Army). His help and kindnesses in the preparation of this ceremony are deeply appreciated. Passages from the Bible and hymns for the service and ceremony were well chosen and, en-



NYAA new officers, from left: Dan Stevens, president; John Johnson, treasurer; Dickson Pratt, secretary; Russ Housman, past president, and one-half of John Blankenship, vice president. In right photo, Dan Stevens and Russ Housman flank former Archon Mundy Peale, banquet speaker.

hanced by the youthful voices of the Choir, lent to the appropriateness of our salute to Woodrow Wilson.

Immediately following Evensong, the procession to the Tomb was led by two grand nephews of Mrs. Wilson's, carrying the wreath, then the Boys Choir, Canon Miller and Brothers.

Our National President, Robert R. Elliott, spoke feelingly at the Memorial Service, as did Dr. Louis D. Corson. The wreath was laid by the D.C. Alumni President John B. Smiley, assisted by Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

Amongst those with us were Past President Andrew G. Truxal, President of Hood College. Word from others *in absentia* included Past President Leverett S. (Lev) Lyons; Ex-Congressman Robert F. (Bob) Rich; Federal Commissioner of Internal Revenue Dana Latham; and Senator Thomas Kuchel, of California.

Later the same evening, there was an excellent turn-out of Brothers at the National Press Club for our Banquet. This was a heart-warming affair. Everything "clicked" as planned. A masterful speech on "Woodrow Wilson, the Man and Statesman" was delivered by Judge Edgar J. Goodrich, Iowa Alpha '16. President Robert R. Elliott, in a stimulating talk gave us much national fraternity information, as did Dr. Corson.

Austin C. Waller, of Illinois Beta, announced the slate of officers for the current year. They are: Dr. Louis D. Corson, president; Robert Boggess, 1st vice president; B. B. McMahon, 2nd vice president; L. Russell Thrall, secretary-treasurer; and William E. Wright, assistant secretary-treasurer.

We all regret that John B. Smiley has seen fit to resign as President of our Association. He has served for two years, untiringly and faithfully, indicating his devotion to our great Fraternity.

AUSTIN C. WALLER, *Correspondent*

#### **Pittsburgh Alumni Association**

As we move into February, the Pittsburgh Alumni Association is making plans for Founders Day and expects another enthusiastic turnout on February 19. This year's dinner will follow the pattern of the past few years in choosing the University Club as its locale. Present plans call for showing moving pictures of the past season's highlights from the Professional Pittsburgh Steelers' football games, and a brief interlude to honor Brother Tom Pomeroy, who has recently been elected President of the Allegheny County Bar Association.

We are looking forward to seeing all of the old faces who gather each year for this occasion, and hope that many of the new names that have been added to our group in recent years will also find their way to the University Club on that date.

Our monthly luncheons continue to attract about fifteen to twenty of the local brothers in spite of the obstacles which have confronted us this fall, what with the local hotel strike and the real old-fashioned winter weather which has been almost a steady weekend visitor since Thanksgiving Day.

It was good to see Brother Bob Beal back in town after several years in Jamestown, N.Y., and we look forward to his active participation in our group again.

If any of you Phi Psis locate in the tri-state area, we hope you will give us your address so that we can keep you advised of our plans. If you happen to be in Pittsburgh on the first Monday of the month, look us up at noon in the Penn-Sheraton Hotel or call C. W. Borgerding at the Mellon National Bank and Trust Company, EXpress 1-14100, for a reservation. We assure you a cordial welcome.

C. W. BORGERDING, *Correspondent*

#### **Detroit Alumni Association**

Those who attended the between holidays get-together are looking forward to more of the same next year. Michigan Beta took attendance honors with about fifteen present.

At this writing arrangements are completed for our Founders Day banquet February 17 at the University Club of Detroit. W. Arthur Batten, Mich. Alpha '33, Attorney General of the Fraternity and Secretary of the American Louisiana Pipe Line Company, will be our speaker. Thanks to Mose Cherry we now have an up-to-date roster of 450 Phi Psis in the Detroit area and hope because of his efforts to double attendance this year.

January 18, four hardy souls braved the weather and early Sunday morning hour to journey from Detroit to Lansing in order to attend initiation ceremonies at Michigan Beta. H. L. (Pat) Eby, Bill Candler, Jim Robb and Bob George made the trip.

With spring only six weeks away were heard rumors about golf and a golf outing the other night, and if anyone can look as far ahead as summer, Mose Cherry declared that July 18 would be his day in Canada. Mose stated that we hardly dented the supply of Canadian ale last year and wants a bigger turnout this summer.

Tentative plans are being made for a regular Wednesday luncheon meeting at the University Club. Definite information will follow.

JOHN E. REXFORD, *Correspondent*

#### **Indianapolis Alumni Association**

After running off at the typewriter in the last issue, there isn't too much to say this time, and besides that, I'm late. I hope this one gets in under the wire.

Our Christmas party at the Hadleys' home on December 22 was enjoyed by about ninety brothers and wives. The Association lost money and we ran out of food early in the evening (that caterer has had it as far as we're concerned), but the liquid refreshments held out and those who weren't bothered too much by hunger pangs had a good time. Next year, some of the wives will prepare the buffet and we will guarantee to have enough.

Founders Day banquet will be at the Athenaeum on February 28. Our speaker will be Donald Weiser, Director of Alumni Associations, who

should be able to give us much valuable advice. We will also have the usual awards, singing, and general merriment. We are hoping for a good attendance from the chapters, and are also working on the out-state brothers to help swell the crowd.

It seems that in my last letter, I promoted Bob Gramelspacher (the dove-hunter) from state representative to state senator. I was in error, but it doesn't make too much difference since the pay is the same.

I want to join Pearman in his congratulations to Austin Rinne for getting off to a fast start with the association in Dallas. What with Rinne in Dallas and Pearman in Kansas City, the Indiana Beta underground seems to be infiltrating. Are there any other Indiana Beta correspondents?

BILL BLACK, *Correspondent*

#### **Chicago Alumni Association**

Chicagoland Phi Psis are looking forward to the Founders Day banquet to be held February 20. We anticipate reservations for over 400.

The monthly luncheons are now being held the first Tuesday at Toffenetti's, 65 West Monroe.

Clarence Davis is organized now and his placement bureau is suggested to alumni needing fresh and eager graduates to join their businesses.

A bowling league is being organized next fall. If you are interested please contact Frank Whiting Jr.

HUGH LEININGER, *Correspondent*

#### **Greater Rockford Alumni Association**

The governing board of the Greater Rockford Alumni association approved summer rush plans but voted to discontinue the annual golf stag held early in the summer for the past two years. The action was taken at a February meeting of the board.

A summer rush party for Rockford area high school seniors will be held in August but the board did not set a definite date. This also will be a family picnic for all Phi Psi alumni in the area. This will be the third year such a program has been carried out by the Rockford group. The past two summers the picnic has been hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Lou Caster (Rhode Island Alpha) at their farm near Rockford.

Alumni are urged to send names of young men who will be college freshmen next fall and their recommendations to the alumni group's secretary, John Whitehead, Suite 504, 321 West State St., Rockford.

The Rockford alumni lost their leader this past fall to Chicago when President Jack Quill moved to Chicago.

The board approved a motion to appoint three area vice-presidents to aid in enlisting help from Phi Psis living in the immediate area outside Rockford. These men were not selected but will be named at the next meeting of the board.

JERRY PIPER, *Correspondent*

#### **Twin City Alumni Association**

The annual Founders Day banquet at the Normandy Hotel on February 20 was, as it always has been in the past, a grand success. The new officers of the Twin City Alumni Association, by unanimous choice of the voting members present, are as follows: Bob Rueff, president; Jon Wallace, vice president-treasurer; and Ted Chalgren, secretary.

The month of February found Mike Sill and Dick Gerlach departing from the ranks of bachelorhood. John Burr Jr. has recently joined forces with Uncle Sam at Fort Benning.

DON REINHARDT, *Correspondent*

#### **Kansas City Alumni Association**

The big news is in the making for this issue as KCAA Prexy Jack Tusher is rounding out details for a great turnout at our Founders Day Banquet as we go to press. This is the most active and best attended function of the KCAA, again at the Bellerive Hotel, and for this and his other diligent efforts for the year, let's give Jack a rousing "Well Done!"

We hope to see a lot of the good brethren at Columbia, Mo., at our Fifth District Council, March 26, 27, 28. If time permits, rush on down to Missouri Alpha and get right into the middle of things.

Honored guest at our January 8 luncheon was Scholarship Director Lou Corson, Washington, D.C. His report on the December Executive Council meeting in Chicago was quite interesting—especially the "crackdown" on chapters coming up with delinquent scholarship during the next year. The National is determined to pull up our scholastic average, and in their support and the best interest of Phi Psi, KCAA is going into the possibilities for helping improve this vital area of fraternity very seriously. Our Thursday luncheons are a fine time and place to bring out your ideas . . . maybe a scholarship award . . . maybe you have another suggestion.

Clem Beels, Mo. Alpha '18, who had been in the foreign office of Standard Oil in London, took ill and passed on in December. Many will be sorry to learn of the loss of this prominent and successful brother.

At the election of KC Phi Psi Mothers & Wives Club, the following officers were selected: Mrs. Herbert Protzmann, president; Mrs. Selby R. Neff, vice president and secretary; and Mrs. L. W. Pagel, treasurer. The February meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Stanford Stuck. You wives and mothers are urged to get out to these meetings; there is room for a lot more of you!

*News about town:* John Musselman, K.A. '10, has joined the Paul Hamilton Real Estate offices. Larry Winn Jr., K.A. '38, and Winn-Rau Construction Corp. won themselves the "Oscar" awarded by *Practical Builders Magazine* for their public relations and sales techniques.

Robin Walker, Mo. A. '40, is new Veep of K.C. Mercury Club.



Walden E. Bush, Colo. A. '40, 750 W. 47th, elected Veep of Opie Brush Co.

T. Fiske Marbut, of Emporia, new Veep of Kansas Paving Contractors Association.

Bob Willits, Mo. A. '37, continues rise in pasture pool by getting up to semi-finals in the Bing Crosby Open Golf Tourney, amateur bracket.

F. Ashley Benson has returned to K.C. with Hardin-Stockton real estate and his wife is assistant to the President of University of Kansas City.

R. Dix Edward, K.A., '15, has returned to Commercial Property Dept. of H. V. Jones Co.

Frank Bolin Jr., K.A. '38, is with Waddell & Reed in United Funds, making four brothers there, including George Bowles Jr., John Galbraith and Norruth D. Graham Jr.

William Randall, Mo. A. '32, and Jackson County Judge, has been nominated as Democratic candidate for unexpired term of the late Rep. G. H. Christopher in the House of Representatives.

Bill Gilges now handling the men's clothing department of the new J. C. Penney store on the beautiful Blue Ridge Mall.

Your correspondent apologizes for any news items overlooked and offers as his excuse an extended and pleasant trip with wife, Maxine, via Salt Lake, Lake Mead, Las Vegas, New Orleans, and Miami . . . and then they cancelled my credit card!

JOHN A. PEARMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **St. Louis Alumni Association**

The St. Louis Alumni Association has had a fine year due to the leadership of President Harry Wimmer and VP Don Krechel. An up-to-date mailing list has been compiled of all Phi Psis in this area and plans are being made to have a directory printed listing all brothers.

We enjoyed a Christmas luncheon at the Mark Twain Hotel in December. Twenty-five members attended.

A number of activities are being planned. The St. Louis Alumni will be represented at the Missouri Alpha initiation in the near future. A Phi Psi family picnic is scheduled for late spring and a rush party will be held in the summer. St. Louis Phi Psis will be cheering for old Mizzou next fall. Plans are being made now to charter a bus to at least one football game.

Congratulations to Don Krechel, recently named sales manager of the Cummins Diesel Company.

We are looking forward to renewed interest in Phi Psi from members of the St. Louis Alumni in the future. If you live in the St. Louis area and have not heard from us please call me.

DAN B. FOSTER, *Correspondent*

#### **Montana Alumni Club**

The members who usually take trips in the winter time looked over the weather charts and decided to stay home. We are planning to get-together later in the month.

HUGH I. SHERMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Southern California Alumni Association**

Thanks to Bob Mount, Ill. Delta, Buck Burkwald, Calif. Delta and a fine turnout representing some 30 chapters, our annual Christmas luncheon was again a "howling" success. Several undergraduate brothers dropped in.

Had our luncheon day been Wednesday it is likely that we would have had in influx of Cal and Iowa Brothers at Rose Bowl time. Next year our Thursday meeting day will be just right for the visiting brothers from Purdue or Northwestern and Stanford or Washington. Or brothers from any of the other eligibles. If you come mark "Phi Psi luncheon, Clark Hotel" in the Dec. 31 square of your calendar.

Due to Thursday coinciding with both Christmas and New Years we had a long "dark" spell. During this time the E.C. met in Chicago and an interesting account of the proceedings was brought to our first January luncheon by Bob Meserve, Director of Extension. We received the distinct impression that we can be happy about the group of brothers entrusted with the leadership of Phi Kappa Psi.

We know that good judgment was shown in appointing Ralph Haney, Calif. Delta '27, to the position of National Director of Chapter Finance. His knowledge and experience in this vital field are unmatched and will be available to any chapter.

Now we approach our big event of the year, Founders Day, to be held on that day, February 19. Again over two hundred brothers will gather to "Toast Phi Kappa Psi." The happenings of this day will be reported in our next SHIELD letter. We are especially looking forward to meeting the young men from Santa Barbara who make up Phi Psi Zeta, the local which will petition to become California Zeta of Phi Kappa Psi.

We will also toast another successful year of our Association and particularly the able leadership of President Hal Boettcher.

NEWMAN DORR, *Correspondent*

#### **Arizona Alumni Association**

A happy, and relaxed group of Phi Psis gathered last December 23 for what proved to be one of the most enjoyable luncheon meetings on record. Gifts in the form of clever Christmas match books were provided by Reed Bachman, while Bill Swanson saw to it that each of us left the table equipped with a fine aluminum ball point pen. Although we did have to chip in and buy a new tablecloth to replace the one we ruined giving Bill Swanson's pens the butter test, the idea of passing out free samples and business mementos to the assembled brothers was a fine idea, and certainly well received. If the professional men among the alumni can catch this spirit of giving, our next Christmas party will feature the best in medical, and legal aid.

New faces at the Phi Psi table belong to Walter Murphy, of Miss. Alpha, and Cliff Warren of

N.Y. Alpha. Walter is a newcomer to Phoenix while Cliff has been on our mailing list for some time but just hasn't been able to shake loose for many luncheons. We hope that both Cliff and Walter will be familiar figures at our table by the pool from here on. Speaking of familiar faces—welcome back to former alumni president C. H. W. Smith. Smitty has been down in Arkansas looking the country over and only recently returned to the valley. It's good to see him back and our luncheon table once again looks the same. N. E. Carpenter of Wis. Alpha and Ralph B. Dibble, N.Y. Gamma, round out the list of additions to our growing Phoenix alumni.

Two traveling Phi Psis who dropped by for our last luncheon meeting of the Christmas Season were Jim Van Dissen, former member of the Arizona Alumni Association, and Matt Tomlinson, Arizona Alpha alumnus. Jim lives on the coast and is with Johns Manville; Matt hails from Wichita, Kans., where he works in the personnel section of Boeing Aircraft. Both Jim and Matt were high in their praise of the fine weather and we were sorry that their stay couldn't have been longer.

Founders Day 1959 saw approximately twenty brothers and their wives travel by chartered bus to Tucson. On arrival the wives were escorted to Brother Bob Nason's scenic Westward Look Guest Ranch for an evening of cocktails, dinner, and gossip. While the gals gathered at Brother Nason's, Phoenix and Tucson alumni, and undergraduates met at the Pioneer Hotel for celebration in song and story of Phi Kappa Psi's 107th Anniversary. All brothers who made the trip feel that the presence of a well-stocked bar on the bus, plus the charm of feminine companionship, added considerably to the festive air during the journey to Tucson and back. Those of us who have attended previous Founders Day activities in Tucson only to be faced by a 120-mile return drive to Phoenix heartily endorse the current Greyhound slogan.

Our meetings continue to draw big turnouts for lunch in the Concho Room of the Hotel Westward Ho. If you find yourself in the sun country be sure to drop by, you'll find us there any Tuesday around 12:00 noon.

JIM WARBASSE, *Correspondent*

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**ROBERT ARCHER WOODS**  
*Indiana Beta 1877*

Robert Archer Woods, oldest living graduate of Indiana University, oldest varsity "I" man (baseball), oldest thirty-third degree Mason in the United States, and believed to be the oldest (from standpoint of initiation year) member of Phi Kappa Psi, died at Greenfield, Iowa, Feb. 12, 1959. He was 98 years old.

Robert Woods was born on a farm two miles northwest of Princeton, Indiana, on Jan. 5, 1861. His father, John Brown Woods, went off to the Civil War as a thirty-four year old sergeant of the 80th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, and was killed in the battle of Resaca, Ga., May 14, 1864. His grandfather, Samuel Hamilton Woods, fought in the War of 1812; and his great grandfather, Joseph Woods, left his home in Albemarle County, Va., to fight in the American Revolution as a private in the 7th Virginia Regiment. In addition, Robert Woods' maternal ancestors fought in both the American Revolution and in the War of 1812.

In his sophomore and junior years he played on the Indiana University baseball team, the sole intercollegiate sport in those days, "in the hot corner at third base, without a glove, a mask, or any other protection," he once recalled. "And there's quite a knack to catching a hardball bare-

handed. You have to cup your hands and drop back with the ball. Even so, I broke a lot of fingers," he told a sports writer.

Robert Woods was graduated from the Indiana University in 1881 with a class of twenty-five, earning a B.S. degree in chemistry. After his graduation he read law and was admitted to the Bar, but he never practiced as an attorney. In 1885 he went to Germany, where he studied philosophy and history at the University of Leipzig. The following year he returned to Princeton, Ind., where he made his home until 1949, when he retired from insurance and banking and went to live with his daughter in Greenfield, Iowa.

He was an aide on the staff of Indiana's Governor James Putnam Goodrich (Ind. Alpha '85), a captain in the Indiana National Guard, an organizer of the Gibson County Historical Society, and a past president of the Southwestern Indiana Historical Society.

Active as a Mason, he served in all of the order's Indiana offices and nationally as grand reviewer, grand recorder and since 1945 as emeritus grand recorder. In 1944 he gave his library, recognized as the most complete Masonic library in existence, to Indiana University. It contained 423 volumes, including national Masonic records from 1797.

Survivors include his daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Sara Woods) Hamilton, of Greenfield, Iowa; and a son, John Hall Woods, Ind. Beta '11, of Evanston, Ill.

## **IRA CLOUSER** *Indiana Gamma 1895*

Ira Clouser, an attorney at Crawfordsville, Ind., died Jan. 3, 1959, at his home in that city.

A varsity football player while an undergraduate at Wabash College, he spent his lifetime practicing law in Crawfordsville. From 1934 until 1948 he was postmaster at Crawfordsville, and had also served his community both as a prosecuting attorney and as a state senator.

He is survived by his widow, a sister, a daughter, and three grandchildren.—EHK.

## **CHARLES SHYROCK EVANS** *Pennsylvania Zeta 1898*

Charles S. Evans, an attorney at Ebensburg, Pa., died Jan. 8, 1959, at his home in that city. He was 80 years old.

A graduate of the Dickinson Law School, he spent his entire lifetime practicing law in Ebensburg. He was a director and vice president of the First National Bank of Ebensburg, and was active in the Masonic Fraternity.

Among his survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Francis C. (Katherine Evans) Whitman, Norwalk, Conn.; and two grandchildren.

**EDWIN THOMAS GIBSON**  
*New York Alpha 1904*

Edwin T. Gibson, executive vice president of the General Foods Corp., from 1947 to 1951, died Feb. 23, 1959, at his winter home in Savannah, Ga. At the time of his death he was board chairman of the Market Research Corporation of America.

A 1908 graduate of the Cornell Law School, he was a varsity football player as an undergraduate and for two years after leaving Cornell he was football coach at Stevens Institute of Technology.

After serving as an attorney for the New York Legal Aid Society and the National Biscuit Company, he joined the legal staff of the American Sugar Refining Company in 1917. He became secretary of the firm after World War I, and in 1926 was made president of the Brooklyn Cooperage Company.

He joined General Foods in 1933, started and became president of Birdseye Frosted Foods and established International Frozen Foods in 1938. He was named a director of General Foods in 1946, and the following year was appointed executive vice president of the corporation.

Brother Gibson was a director of both the Merchants Refrigeration Company and the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of America. A past president of the Cornell Club of New York, he became a trustee of the university in 1952.

After his retirement from General Foods in 1951 he became director of the American Assembly, a nonpartisan citizens' round table for the discussion of public questions. He remained on the board when he became president of Eisenhower Exchange Fellowships in 1954.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Wilmonth Gibson, Bronxville, N.Y.; a daughter, Mrs. E. H. Uellendahl, Bedford Village, N.Y.; a son, Edwin C. Gibson, and a brother, Mortimer Gibson, both of Cleveland; and three grandchildren.

**DAVID B. ANDREWS JR.**  
*Pennsylvania Alpha 1947*

David B. Andrews Jr., a tax accountant with the American Electric Power Service Corp. of New York, died Jan. 15, 1959 in a New Providence (N.J.) hospital after a long illness. He was 32 years old.

Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Carolyn Andrews; a son, David B. III; and a daughter, Linda; all of 72 Gales Drive, New Providence, N.J.

**RANDALL MOSS KEATOR SR.**  
*New York Gamma 1906*

Randall M. Keator Sr., head of an investment firm bearing his name in Rumson, N.J., died Dec. 5, 1958, in a hospital at Long Branch, N.J. He was 70 years old.

A well-known yachtsman, he was honorary commodore of the North Jersey Yacht Racing Association, a member and past commander of the Monmouth Boat Club, and a member of the North Shrewsbury and Ice Boat Clubs.

**RAY NATHANIEL ROGERS**  
*Ohio Epsilon 1917*

Ray N. Rogers, an engineer with the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, died Jan. 20, 1959, in that city's Mount Sinai Hospital. He was 61 years old.

At the time of his death he was chief evaluation engineer for the Illuminating Company and had been associated with the utility for thirty years.

A 1918 graduate of Case Institute of Technology with a degree in electrical engineering, he was a fullback on the Case teams of 1917 and 1918. He also served with the Army during World War I.

He was a member of several Masonic organizations and many professional societies.

Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Evelyn Frampton Rogers; a sister, Miss Florence M. Rogers; and a brother, Alfred M. Rogers.

**LORMAN OPIE CHANCELLOR**  
*Maryland Alpha 1934*

L. Opie Chancellor, executive underwriter with Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company in the Washington (D.C.) area, died suddenly Jan. 5, 1959, at his home in Alexandria, Va. He was 47 years old.

Born in Baltimore July 18, 1911, Opie was an outstanding campus leader as an undergraduate at Johns Hopkins University. He was president of both the Athletic Association and of the Student Council; he was a member of the basketball and track teams; he was captain of the rifle team and was elected to Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity; he held several officers in the Maryland Alpha Chapter, and in his senior year was elected to Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary leadership fraternity.

After receiving his B.S. degree in economics and engineering, Opie joined the Maryland Casualty Company in the bond department of the Baltimore office. He later went to Boston with the Travellers Insurance Company to help organize their bond department when Travellers first entered into that field.

Called to active duty with the Army in 1941 as a captain in the Corps of Engineers, he served throughout World War II and left the service as a lieutenant colonel.

In 1946 he joined the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company in its Washington, D.C. office. A recipient of many honors in the life insurance field, he was a life member of the Provident Round Table, was author of several articles published in insurance trade journals, and had served as an officer in several underwriters associations and trust councils. He was also a past president of the District of Columbia Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ruth Ann Holzmueller Chancellor; two daughters, Ann Opie, 14, and Ruth Donnan, 11, all of 201 W. Alexandria Ave., Alexandria, Va.; and his mother, Mrs. Arthur B. Chancellor.

**JOHN EVERETT McFADDEN**  
*Rhode Island Alpha 1927*

John E. McFadden, a real estate broker and dealer in stocks and bonds, died Aug. 24, 1958, in Evanston, Ill.

Brother McFadden served as commissioner of the First Park District of Evanston for seven years and was active in Red Cross, United Fund, and other civic campaigns. He had been a director of the Union League Club, a trustee of Roycemore School, and a member of the Chicago Real Estate Board.

Among his survivors is his widow, Mrs. Josephine E. McFadden, 1215 Forest Ave., Evanston.

**JOHN NEWBURN McVEIGH**  
*New York Gamma 1933*

John N. McVeigh, executive secretary of the American Psychoanalytical Association, died Jan. 14, 1959 at Haverstraw (N.Y.) Rehabilitation Hospital. He was 47 years old.

A graduate of Columbia University with a degree in health education, he held various posts with the Young Mens Christian Association in New York before 1954 when he took he post he held at the time of his death.

Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Roberta McVeigh; a son, John N. III; and two daughters, Janet and Judith.

**WILBERT WARD**  
*Indiana Alpha 1906*

Wilbert Ward, who retired in 1950 as a vice president of the National City Bank of New York, died Jan. 15, 1959 at his home in Setauket, Long Island, N.Y. He was 70 years old.

A native of South Bend, Ind., he was the son of Wilbert Ward, Ind. Alpha '83. Following his graduation in 1910 at De Pauw University, he was graduated in 1913 at Columbia University Law School. He practiced law in New York before joining the National City Bank in 1920 as assistant cashier in the overseas division. He became assistant vice president in 1923 and vice president in 1941.

Long active in the National Foreign Trade Council, he was elected president of the Bankers Association for Foreign Trade in 1943. He also served on the U.S. Council of the International Chamber of Commerce and was its acting executive director after his retirement in 1950.

An authority on foreign credit, he was author of *Bank Credits and Acceptances* and *American Commercial Credits*. He was affiliated with the National Council of American Importers, the Foreign Exchange Commission of New York and the National Association of Credit Men.

At memorial services held for Brother Ward in New York on Jan. 19, 1959, the New York Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi was represented by Robert C. Emison and Ernest H. Garbe.

Brother Ward's first wife died in 1942. He is survived by his second wife, Mrs. Emily Ward, and a stepson, Gerard McKernan.

**HOWARD BENJAMIN CURTIS**  
*New York Epsilon 1915*

Howard B. Curtis, who had been associated for many years with Langdon and Hughes Electric Co., died Oct. 18, 1958 at his home in Utica, N.Y. after a long illness.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elsie S. Curtis, 28 French Rd., Utica.

**JOHN WOODBURN ROBERTSON**  
*Kansas Alpha 1905*

John W. Robertson, retired president of Robertson Metal Arts, New York City, died at his home in De Land, Fla., Jan. 9, 1959. He was 72 years old.

In 1910 he became associated with his brother, Francis H. Robertson, Kans. Alpha '96, in New York City in the art publishing business. In 1915 he established a similar business of his own in New York City which he conducted until his retirement in 1940. From 1941 to 1950 he engaged in dairy farming in upper New York state, and then moved to Florida.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nell Mitchell Robertson; two sons, James Francis Robertson and Colin Mitchell Robertson; a daughter, Lucinda Margaret DeLacy; eleven grandchildren; and his brother, Francis H. Robertson, Kans. Alpha '96.

**GEORGE LAWRENCE WILKINSON**  
*District of Columbia Alpha 1887*

George L. Wilkinson, considered the dean of patent attorneys, died Oct. 26, 1958, at his home in Evanston, Ill. He was 90 years old.

An 1888 graduate of Columbian (now George Washington) University, he worked as an examiner in the U.S. Patent Office from 1889 until 1901 when he began his practice in Chicago. He was associated with Wilkinson, Huxley, Byron & Knight from 1920 until his retirement in 1945. He was one of the few patent attorneys who presented as many as ten cases before the U.S. Supreme Court.

His estate, estimated at \$500,000, was admitted to probate before Judge Robert J. (Duke) Dunne, Mich. Alpha '18.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Adele Wilkinson; a daughter, Mrs. Frances Rosso; and three sons, Lucian, Lawrence, and Enloe.

**HARRY LEWIS MacPHERSON JR.**  
*Pennsylvania Iota 1936*

Harry L. MacPherson, director of advertising in the educational department of J. B. Lippincott Publishers, died suddenly Dec. 9, 1958, following a heart attack suffered at his home in Downers Grove, Ill. He was 42 years old.

As an undergraduate at the University of Pennsylvania he was active in the Mask & Wig Club, and was on the editorial staff of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jane Speakman MacPherson; a son, Lewis; and a daughter, Anne; all of 4837 Montgomery St., Downers Grove, Ill.; and by his mother, Mrs. Jessie R. MacPherson.

# *The Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity*

was founded February 19, 1852, at Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa., by

**WILLIAM HENRY LETTERMAN**

Born Aug. 12, 1832, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania

Died May 23, 1881, at Duffau, Texas

**CHARLES PAGE THOMAS MOORE**

Born Feb. 8, 1831, in Greenbrier County, Virginia

Died July 7, 1904, in Mason County, West Virginia

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| 1—Joseph Benson Foraker (1886-88)<br>died May 10, 1918             | 17—Walter Lee Sheppard (1918-20)<br>died October 16, 1943    |
| 2—Robert Lowry (1888-90)<br>died Nov. 25, 1899                     | 18—Dan Gardner Swannell (1920-22)<br>died April 11, 1939     |
| 3—John Patterson Rea (1890-92)<br>died May 28, 1900                | 19—Geoge Duffield McIlvaine (1922-24)<br>died Sept. 28, 1928 |
| 4—William Clayton Wilson (1892-94)<br>died May 17, 1925            | 20—Shirley Edwin Meserve (1924-26)<br>died March 3, 1959     |
| 5—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1894-96)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 21—Howard Chandler Williams (1926-28)<br>died March 3, 1958  |
| 6—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1896-98)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 22—Harold Guyon Townsend (1928-30)<br>died October 25, 1953  |
| 7—George William Dun (1898-1900)<br>died Dec. 19, 1914             | 23—Edward Morris Bassett (1930-32)<br>died Aug. 2, 1941      |
| 8—Ernest Milmore Stires (1900-02)<br>died Feb. 12, 1951            | 24—Thomas Aubrey Cookson (1932-34)                           |
| 9—Edward Lawrence Fell (1902-04)<br>died September 26, 1943        | 25—Harry Lambright Snyder (1934-36)<br>died March 26, 1958   |
| 10—George Bramwell Baker (1904-06)<br>died May 2, 1937             | 26—Leverett Samuel Lyon (1936-38)                            |
| 11—Charles Frederick Mather Niles (1906-08)<br>died Sept. 20, 1933 | 27—Charles Edwin Strickland (1938-40)                        |
| 12—David Halstead (1908-10)<br>died Nov. 19, 1940                  | 28—Andrew Gehr Truxal (1940-42)                              |
| 13—George Smart (1910-12)<br>died May 16, 1925                     | 29—Harry Stewart Gorgas (1942-46)<br>died September 23, 1954 |
| 14—Orra Eugene Monnette (1912-14)<br>died Feb. 23, 1936            | 30—Winston Rousseau Tate (1946-48)                           |
| 15—Sion Bass Smith (1914-16)<br>died Jan. 30, 1954                 | 31—Howard Leeman Hamilton (1948-50)                          |
| 16—Henry Hale McCorkle (1916-18)<br>died March 21, 1929            | 32—Harlan Bovell Selby (1950-52)                             |
|  | 33—J. Bart Aldridge (1952-54)                                |
|  | 34—Willis Lyle Jones (1954-56)                               |
|  | 35—Edward Tyler Sturgeon (1956-57)<br>died December 30, 1956 |
|  | 36—James Colburn Addison (1957-58)                           |

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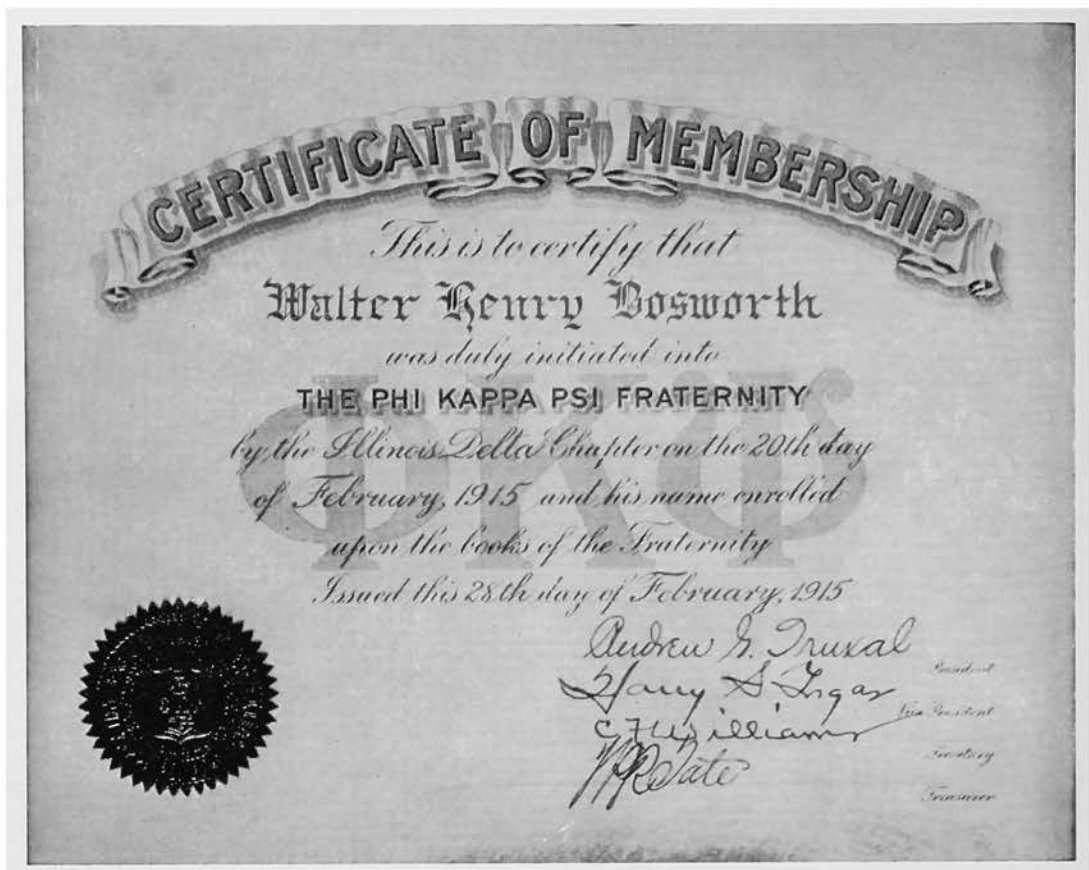
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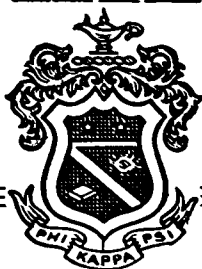
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## Treasurer Joice Dies March 26



CLYDE MORTON JOICE

**C**LYDE MORTON JOICE, Ill. Beta '09, who had served the Fraternity as Treasurer and member of the Executive Board since February, 1957, died in Evanston (Ill.) Hospital March 26 following a heart attack. He had been hospitalized March 15 for surgery; an operation had been performed several days prior to his death and he was believed to have been on the way to recovery.

Clyde Joice became Treasurer by Executive Council vote when that office was vacated by James C. Addison, named President of the Fraternity following the death of Edward T. Sturgeon, Dec. 30, 1956. He was elected Treasurer by the 1958 Grand Arch Council, at Mackinac Island, Mich.

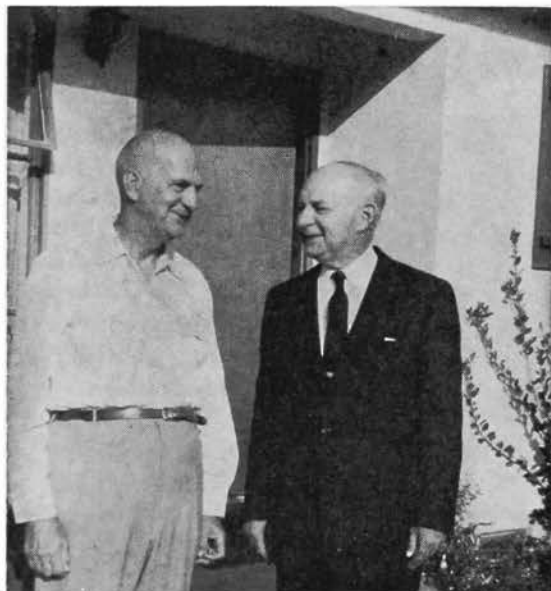
Born in Wells, Minn., Dec. 23, 1889, he was eleven years old when he moved with his family to Chicago and entered the seventh grade there in 1901. A classmate that year was the late Ed Sturgeon; the two became lifetime friends and Phi Kappa Psi brothers in the same chapter. While still in

Hyde Park high school, Clyde began his advertising career by working in the advertising department of a correspondence school. He entered the University of Chicago in 1908 and received his Ph.B. degree in 1912.

As an undergraduate he held every office in his chapter, becoming GP in his junior year. Among his chapter-mates were such stalwarts as Harry Gorgas, Roy (Turk) Madigan, Harold Moore, Leverett Lyon and Carl Birdsall. Among the chapter's advisors at that time were Harold Townsend and Dr. Theodore Soares.

After a year in the University of Chicago Law School, he went back to his first love—advertising, and soon became assistant advertising manager for The Fair, Chicago department store. In 1918 he became its advertising manager.

In 1920 he joined Mitchell-Faust Advertising Co., became its copy chief in 1927, and its vice president in 1933. Seven years later he formed the advertising firm of Goodkind, Joice & Morgan, of which he was president for many years. In 1955 he be-



During a 1958 California chapter visitation tour, Clyde Joice, right, visited Illinois Beta chaptermate Nelson H. (Nels) Norgren in Mill Valley.

came the firm's board chairman and after two more years sold his stock to an associate, Don Kemper, and assumed an advisory capacity as chairman of the board of the Don Kemper Co.

On Jan. 1, 1918, Clyde Joice married Rebekah Hazel Alden, who survives him. They became the parents of John Alden Joice, Ill. Beta '39, and Priscilla Alden Joice (Mrs. John E. Spiess).

A member of the SC of Phi Kappa Psi, he had attended ten meeting of the Grand Arch Council: 1912, '16, '38, '46, '48, '50, '52, '54, '56 and '58. A past president of the Chicago Alumni Association, he had served many terms as president of Illinois Beta of Phi Kappa Psi Educational Association of the University of Chicago, which owns and administers the chapter house. He also had served for many years as Illinois Beta chapter advisor.

Possessed of mature wisdom and sound judgment, Clyde Joice contributed much to the Fraternity through his participation in meetings of the Executive Council and in his extensive travels visiting the various chapters of Phi Kappa Psi. Most recently he had applied himself diligently and unstintingly to Colorada Alpha's housing problem, and lived to see that chapter move into modern, expanded living quarters.

Funeral services, at St. Luke's Church, Evanston, March 28, were conducted by Bishop Edwin J. Randall, N.Y. Delta '89. The pallbearers were all members of the Fraternity, and most were classmates, including Gen. Lawrence Whiting, Frank Whiting Sr., and John J. Yowell. The church was filled with many of his brothers in Phi Kappa Psi: among them Past President James C. Addison and Secretary R. D. Daniel.

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### **Hospital Design Engineer**

DANIEL M. ROOP, Pa. Kappa '41, has begun a private practice as a professional engineer specializing in hospital design and engineering management, with offices in Memphis, Tenn.



**ROOP**

A 1945 graduate of Bucknell University, after serving in the Navy he became a project engineer with Metcalf & Eddy, Boston consulting sanitary engineers.

From 1950 to 1952 he was plant engineer of Boston's New England Medical Center, then became chief engineer at Geisinger Memorial Hospital, Danville, Pa. In 1955 he moved to Memphis where he was administrative engineer at Baptist Memorial Hospital until 1959 when he resigned to open his own office.

### **Tredway Retires at Southern Pacific**

FREDERICK Q. (FRED) TREDWAY, Calif. Gamma '13, assistant to the vice president, system passenger traffic-public relations, of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, has retired after thirty-seven years of service.

Brother Tredway joined Southern Pacific in 1921 as a member of its public relations staff after a number of years in newspaper work. He became general advertising manager in 1930, and advanced to his position at the time of retirement in 1955.

Under his supervision, Southern Pacific's advertising won many local and national awards and wide recognition as an important factor in the growth and development of the West. In 1955 the Art Directors Club of San Francisco awarded him its gold medal "for advancement of art and design in advertising."

The Tredways live at 4 Hilarita Circle, Belvedere, Calif.



## Flower Drum Song Features Ed Kenney

**E**D KENNEY, Ore. Alpha '52, has made the long journey from his home in Honolulu, via the University of Oregon, to New York's Broadway where he shares one of the leading roles in the current Rodgers & Hammerstein hit musical *Flower Drum Song*, playing at the St. James Theatre.



ED KENNEY

Before coming to the mainland from our new 50th state, Ed had sung the lead roles of Curley in *Oklahoma!* and Billy Bigelow in *Carousel*, both in Honolulu. At

the University of Oregon he played leading roles in *Paint Your Wagon*, and, as Oregon Alpha AG Doug White wrote in *THE SHIELD* (May, 1953): "On the more aesthetic side of things, Ed Kenney's tenor voice managed to haul down a leading role in the campus production of *Brigadoon*." Earlier that year he had been Phi Psi's representative as one of six finalists for campus King of Hearts.

Perhaps Brother Kenney's biggest boost came when he was awarded a Rodgers & Hammerstein scholarship at the American Theatre Wing Professional Training Center. With the polish and stage presence gained there, he became a "natural" as a native Hawaiian to step into the role of Wang Ta in *Flower Drum Song*.

The story, set in San Francisco's China town, finds Wang Ta in love with a striptease dancer, Linda Low (Pat Suzuki) whom he wants to marry despite the ob-



Onstage, Ed Kenney's acting and singing talents in the character of Wang Ta have won critics' acclaim and predictions for a bright future.

jections of his parents who have selected a girl in China for him, in the orthodox Chinese manner.

Unmarried, handsome, age 24 and just beginning an era of stardom after all the disappointments and minor bruises which mark all theatrical careers, a note of sadness came in March when Ed flew home to Hawaii for his mother's funeral. She had lived just long enough to see her son attain the goal many youngsters seek—his name in Broadway lights.

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### Diplomate in Surgery

DR. FRANKLIN G. NORRIS, N.C. Alpha '41, has passed the surgical boards and has been named a Diplomate by the American Board of Surgery.

Dr. Norris has joined Drs. Kingsbury and Johnston in Orlando, Fla., as a specialist in thoracic and cardio-vascular surgery.

### Cartwright Is District Manager

WILLIAM L. CARTWRIGHT, N.Y. Gamma '39, is the new Providence, R.I. district manager for Provident Life & Accident Insurance Co. of Chattanooga, Tenn. A commander in Naval Reserve, he is assigned as executive officer of the Boston *Acorn* Division, USNR.

# 1958-1959 MEMBERSHIP

	Total Membership March 1, 1959	Initiates Between March 1, 1958 March 1, 1959	Members in Chapter Reported at March 1, 1959	Transferees Affiliated March 1, 1958 March 1, 1959
New Hampshire Alpha, Dartmouth...	1,120	27	59	0
Rhode Island Alpha, Brown.....	756	19	45	0
Connecticut Alpha, Trinity.....	69	20	40	0
New York Alpha, Cornell.....	1,003	23	68	0
New York Beta, Syracuse.....	1,055	8	16	0
New York Gamma, Columbia.....	807	6	14	0
New York Epsilon, Colgate.....	1,013	20	61	0
New York Eta, Buffalo.....	301	23	38	0
Pennsylvania Gamma, Bucknell.....	1,029	19	46	0
Pennsylvania Epsilon, Gettysburg.....	880	20	48	0
Pennsylvania Zeta, Dickinson.....	904	9	22	0
Pennsylvania Eta, Franklin & Marshall	904	23	43	2
Pennsylvania Theta, Lafayette.....	828	10	29	0
Pennsylvania Iota, Pennsylvania.....	992	17	31	1
Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore.....	732	18	34	0
Maryland Alpha, Johns Hopkins.....	530	8	34	0
Virginia Alpha, Virginia.....	905	9	17	0
Virginia Beta, Washington & Lee.....	779	31	57	0
North Carolina Alpha, Duke.....	431	15	44	0
Pennsylvania Alpha, W. & J.....	920	6	29	0
Pennsylvania Beta, Allegheny.....	1,156	24	51	1
Pennsylvania Lambda, Penn State...	745	22	34	1
West Virginia Alpha, West Virginia...	837	27	57	0
Ohio Alpha, Ohio Wesleyan.....	1,046	17	64	2
Ohio Beta, Wittenberg.....	886	15	27	0
Ohio Delta, Ohio State.....	1,003	12	31	3
Ohio Epsilon, Case.....	753	2	52	0
Ohio Zeta, Bowling Green.....	168	9	23	0
Ohio Eta, Toledo.....	320	17	33	0
Michigan Alpha, Michigan.....	893	24	47	0
Michigan Beta, Michigan State.....	97	9	29	0
Indiana Alpha, DePauw.....	997	16	41	0
Indiana Beta, Indiana.....	1,285	20	40	0
Indiana Gamma, Wabash.....	356	14	29	0
Indiana Delta, Purdue.....	1,049	13	45	0
Indiana Epsilon, Valparaiso.....	216	27	50	0
Illinois Alpha, Northwestern.....	1,097	12	49	1
Illinois Beta, Chicago.....	826	3	9	0
Illinois Delta, Illinois.....	803	4	27	2
Tennessee Delta, Vanderbilt.....	526	9	25	0
Mississippi Alpha, Mississippi.....	499	1	7	0
Wisconsin Gamma, Beloit.....	866	22	39	1
Minnesota Beta, Minnesota.....	847	11	27	0
Iowa Alpha, Iowa.....	985	17	31	2
Iowa Beta, Iowa State.....	711	21	37	0
Missouri Alpha, Missouri.....	753	28	50	0
Texas Alpha, Texas.....	875	20	76	0
Texas Beta, Texas Tech.....	158	16	53	0
Kansas Alpha, Kansas.....	1,109	32	78	0
Nebraska Alpha, Nebraska.....	885	17	45	0
Oklahoma Alpha, Oklahoma.....	594	11	45	0
Colorado Alpha, Colorado.....	551	15	31	1
Washington Alpha,* Washington.....	733	23	44	0
Oregon Alpha, Oregon.....	632	24	54	4
Oregon Beta, Oregon State.....	190	13	22	2
California Beta, Stanford.....	823	17	41	1
California Gamma, California.....	759	0	12	0
California Delta, Southern California.	824	26	53	2
California Epsilon, UCLA.....	583	5	36	0
Arizona Alpha, Arizona.....	151	6	18	0
	44,545	952	2,337	26

# 1958-1959 Reflects Continued Growth

## **Chapter Membership, Number of Initiates Increase Chapter House Values Hit All-Time High**

by RALPH D. DANIEL, Ariz. Alpha '47, Secretary

**F**OR the second consecutive year, Phi Kappa Psi's 60 collegiate chapters report an increase in both number of initiates and in undergraduate strength for the year ended March 1, 1959. A recapitulation of the annual statistical reports of chapter AGs indicate 952 young men became wearers of the golden shield, an increase of 36 compared to the total of 916 a year ago, and undergraduate strength numbered 2337 as against 2308 the year before, an increase of 29.

Chapter house values reached an all-time high during the period under review. New chapter house construction and improvements and additions to existing houses has increased value of chapter properties from \$4,576,800 to \$5,434,900, a gain of \$858,100. It is interesting to note that at the same time mortgage indebtedness on chapter houses decreased to \$614,214 compared to \$643,906 a year ago.

### ***Twenty-Four Have No Indebtedness***

These 24 chapters reported no mortgage indebtedness: New York Alpha, Pennsylvania Epsilon, Pennsylvania Zeta, Pennsylvania Theta, Pennsylvania Kappa, Pennsylvania Beta, West Virginia Alpha, Ohio Delta, Ohio Epsilon, Ohio Eta, Indiana Beta, Indiana Delta, Indiana Epsilon, Illinois Alpha, Illinois Beta, Mississippi Alpha, Minnesota Beta, Iowa Alpha, Iowa Beta, Kansas Alpha, Oklahoma Alpha, Oregon Alpha, California Beta, and California Gamma. Both Ohio Eta and Oklahoma Alpha joined the ranks of the free and clear since the last report.

Colorado Alpha completed its new house late last fall and Ohio Alpha has started construction on a new \$240,000 home to be completed this summer. Missouri Alpha, Nebraska Alpha and Oregon Alpha have completed extensive additions to their

houses at approximate costs of \$114,000, \$90,000, and \$60,000, respectively.

All but eight of the Fraternity's 60 chapters own chapter houses. Rhode Island Alpha, at Brown University, and North Carolina Alpha, at Duke University, occupy quarters in college-owned dormitories, as do all other fraternities at these institutions. Connecticut Alpha, Ohio Zeta, and Wisconsin Gamma, at Trinity College, Bowling Green State University, and Beloit College, respectively, reside in homes rented from the colleges. New York Eta at the University of Buffalo is the only chapter that does not occupy a house or lodge. Texas Beta, at Texas Technological College, rents an attractive lodge since fraternities are not permitted to own or operate chapter houses.

Rents paid annually by chapters to Phi Kappa Psi house corporations total \$226,735. Annual rent runs as high as \$15,750 at Texas Alpha to none at Pennsylvania Kappa, at Swarthmore College, and Mississippi Alpha, at the University of Mississippi.

### ***Total Membership Reaches 46,063***

Since February 19, 1852, when Founders Letterman and Moore organized the Fraternity at old Jefferson College, 46,063 have become members of Phi Kappa Psi, ranking the Fraternity fourteenth among the 61 member organizations of the National Interfraternity Conference, the same position as a year ago. Our 60 active chapters account for 44,545 of this number, and 2961 are accounted for by our inactive chapters, including transfers in both instances. Of those who have knelt at the altar, approximately 35,000 are living. The Fraternity's National Headquarters maintains addresses for more than 32,000 members.

### **Three More Chapters Join 1000 Club**

Three more chapters joined the exclusive 1000 Club during the year under review, which is made up of chapters claiming 1000 members or more. Joining the nine already members are: New York Epsilon, at Colgate University, 1013; New York Alpha, at Cornell University, 1003; and Ohio Delta, at Ohio State University, 1003. Members of the 1000 Club from prior years are: Indiana Beta, 1285; Pennsylvania Beta, 1156; New Hampshire Alpha, 1120; Kansas Alpha, 1109; Illinois Alpha, 1097; New York Beta, 1005; Indiana Delta, 1049; Ohio Alpha, 1046, and Pennsylvania Gamma, 1029.

These seven chapters claim 900-999 members: Pennsylvania Zeta, 904; Pennsylvania Eta, 904; Pennsylvania Iota, 992; Virginia Alpha, 905; Pennsylvania Alpha, 920; Indiana Alpha, 997, and Iowa Alpha, 985.

These 14 have initiated 800-899: New York Gamma, 807; Pennsylvania Epsilon, 880; Pennsylvania Theta, 828; West Virginia Alpha, 837; Ohio Beta, 886; Michigan Alpha, 893; Illinois Beta, 826; Illinois Delta, 803; Wisconsin Gamma, 866; Minnesota Beta, 847; Texas Alpha, 875; Nebraska Alpha, 885; California Beta, 823, and California Delta, 824.

These nine, between 700-799: Rhode Island Alpha, 756; Pennsylvania Kappa, 732; Virginia Beta, 779; Pennsylvania Lambda, 745; Ohio Epsilon, 753; Iowa Beta, 711; Missouri Alpha, 753; Washington Alpha, 733, and California Gamma, 759.

### **Initiates by Years**

The record of initiates by years, including transfers, for each year since 1920, follow: 1921: 499; 1922: 563; 1923: 524; 1924: 554; 1925: 601; 1926: 481; 1927: 542; 1928: 661; 1929: 704; 1930: 647; 1931: 642; 1932: 626; 1933: 508; 1934: 734; 1935: 690; 1936: 757; 1937: 683; 1938: 761; 1939: 729; 1940: 712; 1941: 718; 1942: 809; 1943: 1196; 1944: 555; 1945: 446; 1946: 603; 1947: 1291; 1948: 1185; 1949: 1045; 1950: 1951; 1951: 1230; 1952: 1014; 1953: 991; 1954: 1095; 1955: 985; 1956: 977; 1957: 882; 1958: 916; 1959: 952.

### **Initiates by Chapters**

Kansas Alpha, with 32, and Virginia Beta, with 31, initiated more than any other chapter in the year just ended. In the preceding year our chapters at the University of Kansas, and Washington and Lee University initiated 36 and 1, respectively.

These 20 chapters initiated between 20-29: New Hampshire Alpha, 27; Connecticut Alpha, 20; New York Alpha, 23; New York Epsilon, 20; New York Eta, 23; Pennsylvania Epsilon, 20; Pennsylvania Eta, 23; Pennsylvania Beta, 24; Pennsylvania Lambda, 22; West Virginia Alpha, 27; Michigan Alpha, 24; Indiana Beta, 20; Indiana Epsilon, 27; Wisconsin Gamma, 22; Iowa Beta, 21; Missouri Alpha, 28; Texas Alpha, 20; Washington Alpha, 23; Oregon Alpha, 24, and California Delta, 26.

An even 22 accounted for 10-19 initiates: Rhode Island Alpha, 19; Pennsylvania Gamma, 19; Pennsylvania Theta, 10; Pennsylvania Iota, 17; Pennsylvania Kappa, 18; North Carolina Alpha, 15; Ohio Alpha, 17; Ohio Beta, 15; Ohio Delta, 12; Ohio Eta, 17; Indiana Alpha, 16; Indiana Gamma, 14; Indiana Delta, 13; Illinois Alpha, 12; Minnesota Beta, 11; Iowa Alpha, 17; Texas Beta, 16; Nebraska Alpha, 17; Oklahoma Alpha, 11; Colorado Alpha, 15; Oregon Beta, 13, and California Beta, 17.

Sixteen chapters initiated less than 10 each: New York Beta, 8; New York Gamma, 6; Pennsylvania Zeta, 9; Maryland Alpha, 8; Virginia Alpha, 9; Pennsylvania Alpha, 6; Ohio Epsilon, 2; Ohio Zeta, 9; Michigan Beta, 9; Illinois Beta, 3; Illinois Delta, 4; Tennessee Delta, 9; Mississippi Alpha, 1; California Epsilon, 5; Arizona Alpha, 6; California Gamma, none, as the chapter was suspended by the University of California and has not been permitted to initiate.

### **Size of Chapters**

Kansas Alpha has succeeded Texas Alpha as the largest chapter in the Fraternity, with a membership of 78, compared to 72 a year ago. Texas Alpha is a close second with 76 members as opposed to 77 a year ago. These three chapters had 60 or more: New York Alpha, 68; New York Epsilon, 61, and Ohio Alpha, 64.

These 110 chapters reported between 50-59: New Hampshire Alpha, 59; Virginia Beta, 57; Pennsylvania Beta, 51; West Virginia Alpha, 57; Ohio Epsilon, 52; Indiana Epsilon, 50; Missouri Alpha, 50; Texas Beta, 53; Oregon Alpha, 54, and California Delta, 53.

Fifteen chapters accounted for 40-49: Rhode Island Alpha, 45; Connecticut Alpha, 40; Pennsylvania Gamma, 46; Pennsylvania Epsilon, 48; Pennsylvania Eta, 43; North Carolina Alpha, 44; Michigan Alpha, 47; Indiana Alpha, 41; Indiana Beta, 40; Indiana Delta, 45; Illinois Alpha, 49; Nebraska Alpha, 45; Oklahoma Alpha, 45; Washington Alpha, 44, and California Beta, 41.

These 12 chapters claim 30-39 members: New York Eta, 38; Pennsylvania Iota, 31; Pennsylvania Kappa, 34; Maryland Alpha, 34; Pennsylvania Lambda, 34; Ohio Delta, 31; Ohio Eta, 33; Wisconsin Gamma, 39; Iowa Alpha, 31; Iowa Beta, 37; Colorado Alpha, 31, and California Epsilon, 36.

Eleven chapters list between 20-29: Pennsylvania Zeta, 22; Pennsylvania Theta, 29; Pennsylvania Alpha, 29; Ohio Beta, 27; Ohio Zeta, 23; Michigan Beta, 29; Indiana Gamma, 29; Illinois Delta, 27; Tennessee Delta, 25; Minnesota Beta, 27, and Oregon Beta, 22.

On March 1, 1959, seven chapters reported less than 20 members. Mississippi Alpha was again the smallest chapter with 7 members compared to 12 in the last report. Mississippi Alpha is followed by: Illinois Beta, 9; California Gamma, 12; New York Gamma, 14; New York Beta, 16; Virginia Alpha, 17, and Arizona Alpha, 18. A year ago, Pennsylvania Lambda and Indiana Gamma were among the chapters reporting less than 20 members, but both are now in the 30-39 group, having been replaced by Virginia Alpha and California Gamma.

#### **Average Chapter: 39 Members**

The average Phi Psi chapter supports a membership of approximately 39, if the 2337 members who made up our undergraduate personnel to March 1 were divided equally among the 60 chapters.

#### **District Membership Averages**

For the third straight year Fifth District chapters average the largest membership, with 50, compared to 15 a year ago. The next highest is District I, with 43. Then come District III, with 41; District II, 37; District VI, 35, and District IV, 33.

#### **Scholarship**

As has been the case for a number of years, too few chapters have reflected respectable academic standings. Exhorting and encouraging the chapters to greater scholastic effort and offering incentive awards has not resulted in any improvement in the Fraternity's position among its Greek letter contemporaries. As a result, a resolution was adopted by the Executive Council providing punitive measures for low scholarship. The resolution, which became effective February 1, 1959, states:

WHEREAS, The Executive Council has expressed much concern about the low scholarship standing of the Fraternity in general, and about the lack of improvement over a number of years in the individual ranking of certain chapters in particular; and

WHEREAS, The Executive Council finds it difficult to understand how in present times, when such great emphasis is being placed on academic achievement, that individual Brothers and pledges would be unconcerned about their academic records, particularly when tensions and competition in modern life demand greater attention to scholarship by each undergraduate member and pledge; now therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That any chapter failing to raise the chapter average to a point equal to or higher than the All Fraternity average for its campus, as reported by the National Interfraternity Conference Scholarship Reporting Office, within a period of one semester, beginning February 1, 1959, be warned in a letter by the Secretary that the chapter's standing is not satisfactory; and be it further

*Resolved*, That unless the chapter average equals or exceeds the All Fraternity average by the end of the next academic year (June, 1960), the chapter may be placed on probation by the Executive Council, with probation defined as the elimination of all social activities and the barring of all women guests from the chapter house; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the continued low scholarship standing of a chapter may result in charges leading to the possible suspension or revocation of the chapter charter.

Every year hundreds of young men

pledged by our chapters are not initiated on account of scholastic ineligibility. In some cases one-half or more of the pledges in a single class fail to meet the scholarship requirements of the Fraternity and the college. Seasoned observers recommend, among other things, more careful screening of candidates for pledging.

#### *Honors to Some*

Despite the Fraternity's shortcomings scholastically, some undergraduates have distinguished themselves academically and have brought honor to their chapters. Phi Kappa Psi can boast of one Rhodes Scholar, 15 members of Phi Beta Kappa, 14 Tau Beta Pis, and four members of Phi Kappa Phi enrolled in chapters during the year under review. Apparently no budding Phi Psi lawyers were elected to the Order of the Coif, and no Phi Psis were chosen by Sigma Xi.

*Rhodes Scholar:* Roger C. Hagglund, Oregon Alpha.

*Phi Beta Kappa:* Scott E. Pardee and David A. Spaulding, New Hampshire Alpha; Harry Robert Leggett, Rhode Island Alpha; Fredric I. Fischbein, Steven H. See, and Durston R. McDonald, Connecticut Alpha; R. Kent Greenawalt, Pennsylvania Kappa; Robert W. Daniel, Virginia Alpha; David T. Evans (also Tau Beta Pi), North Carolina Alpha; Raymond H. Cox, Pennsylvania Beta; Richard K. Wertz, Indiana Beta; Paxton H. Howard Jr., Texas Alpha; David C. Cass, Oregon Alpha; Edward L. Epstein, California Beta, and Paul L. Schnur (also Phi Kappa Phi), Arizona Alpha.

*Tau Beta Pi:* William J. Sponaugle, Pennsylvania Gamma; Jon R. Blyth and David T. Evans (also Phi Beta Kappa), North Carolina Alpha; Ralph B. Hoffman, Ohio Delta; Anthony B. Babich, Ohio Epsilon; Marvin D. Drake, Ohio Eta; Daniel R. Hegg, Michigan Alpha; Gene R. Foy, Michigan Beta; Donald R. Dalzell, Donald M. Stuart, and John P. Janus, Indiana Delta; Robert F. Rodgers, and William J. Downs (also Phi Kappa Phi), Texas Beta; and James F. Holmes, Washington Alpha.

*Phi Kappa Phi:* William J. Downs (also

Tau Beta Pi) and Jack W. Beal, Texas Beta; and Paul L. Schnur (also Phi Beta Kappa) and Philip E. Weeks, Arizona Alpha.

#### *Extension*

The Fraternity continues to manifest interest in sound extension. An attractive petition for a chapter charter has been received from the Highlanders, a local Fraternity at Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., and the chapters have been presented a referendum ballot to place Westminster College upon the Accredited List. Already on the Accredited List through action of the 1958 Grand Arch Council are: Oklahoma State University, Stillwater; Florida State University, Tallahassee; and University of South Carolina, Columbia. By placing an institution on the accredited list, the Fraternity authorizes the Executive Council, by unanimous vote, to grant a charter to such petitioners as it deems proper, but such authority expires at the convening of the next Grand Arch Council.

#### *Alumni Associations*

As alumni support is basic to the Fraternity's continued progress and development, and to strengthen and broaden the enthusiastic leadership and interest of our alumni, Phi Kappa Psi has, through its Director of Alumni Associations, embarked upon a program to stimulate alumni interest. Reports indicate that alumni groups are responding with renewed vigor and activity. Since the last report of the Secretary, a charter has been granted to the Atlanta Alumni Association, Atlanta, Ga.

#### *Kudos to Chapter Advisors*

No other position in the Fraternity exerts so much influence in guiding and directing our undergraduates as that of the Alumnus Chapter Advisor and Alumnus Financial Advisor, to whom the Fraternity expresses its gratitude. It is our chapter advisors whose time and interest in the Fraternity and college youth is responsible for much of the success of our chapters.

#### *Executive Council Meetings*

The Executive Council has held three meetings since publication of the Secre-



tary's report for the year ending March 1, 1958. The first of these was August 21-24, 1958, at the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Mich., preceding the convening of the 1958 Grand Arch Council. In attendance were: President James C. Addison, Vice President Robert R. Elliott, Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, Secretary Ralph D. Daniel, Archons Harvey D. Sanderson, Richard R. Butz, Charles H. Carabell, Albert H. Kishman; Attorney General Webb M. Mize, Scholarship Director J. Fenton Daugherty, Director of Fraternity Education Robert E. Leber, Director of Extension J. Robert Meserve, Mystagogue John Henry Frizzell, and Editor of THE SHIELD, J. Duncan Campbell.

A second meeting of the Executive Council was held August 28, 1958, following adjournment of the 1958 Grand Arch Council, with the following in attendance: President Robert R. Elliott, Vice President Webb M. Mize, Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, Secretary Ralph D. Daniel, all elected to office at the GAC; Archons Harvey D. Sanderson, Richard R. Butz, Albert H. Kishman, Gene A. Mueller, elected Archon of District V by delegates to the 1958 GAC, to succeed Thomas J. Benner, Thomas O. Millett, and William R. Kitchel, appointed Archon of District III to succeed Charles H. Carabell.

The following officers were appointed: Dr. Louis D. Corson, to succeed Dr. J. Fenton Daugherty as Director of Scholarship; Robert E. Leber to succeed himself as Director of Fraternity Education; J. Robert Meserve to succeed himself as Director of Extension; John Henry Frizzell to succeed himself as Mystagogue; Donald K. Weiser to succeed Robert R. Elliott as Director of Alumni Associations; J. Duncan Campbell to succeed himself as Editor of THE SHIELD; and James D. White Jr. to succeed himself as Editor of the Song Book. W. Arthur Batten, Mich. Alpha '33, was appointed Attorney General to succeed Webb M. Mize through *ad interim* action following adjournment of the Executive Council.

The third meeting of the Executive Council was held December 27-29, 1958, at

the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, Ill., with the following in attendance: President Robert R. Elliott, Vice President Webb M. Mize, Treasurer Clyde M. Joice, Secretary Ralph D. Daniel, Archons Harvey D. Sanderson, Richard R. Butz, William R. Kitchel, Albert H. Kishman, Gene A. Mueller, and Thomas O. Millett, Attorney General W. Arthur Batten, Scholarship Director Louis D. Corson, Director of Fraternity Education Robert E. Leber, Director of Extension J. Robert Meserve, Editor of THE SHIELD, J. Duncan Campbell, and Director of Alumni Associations Donald K. Weiser. Ralph R. Haney, Calif. Delta '27, was appointed to the newly created post of Director of Chapter Finance at this meeting.

Three meetings of the Executive Board have been held since the last annual report. One was held May 23, 1958, at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, Ill. The second convened at the Drake Hotel, July 17-18, 1958, and the third on August 29, 1959, at the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Mich., following the adjournment of the 1958 GAC.

On March 26, 1959, Treasurer Clyde M. Joice passed to the stars. Although his death occurred after the period covered in this report, this great loss to the Fraternity is recorded here. As provided by the By-Laws of the Fraternity, a successor will be appointed by the Executive Council to serve the unexpired term.

#### Housemothers

Twenty chapters are fortunate to be served by able housemothers: Mrs. C. H. Kauffman, Virginia Alpha; Mrs. Sarah Jackson Evans, Virginia Beta; Mrs. McDowell, Pennsylvania Lambda; Mrs. Martha Folger, West Virginia Alpha; Mrs. Myrtle Terrill, Ohio Alpha; Mrs. Lucille Shields, Ohio Beta; Mrs. Ann Hughey, Ohio Delta; Mrs. Beulah Henry, Ohio Zeta; Mrs. Ruth Sanderson, Michigan Beta; Mrs. John Edwards, Indiana Alpha; Mrs. Edwin Daane, Wisconsin Gamma; Mrs. Ruth Claussen, Iowa Alpha; Mrs. Lurene Greer, Iowa Beta; Mrs. Claire Spangler, Missouri Alpha; Mrs. Thomas Ford Branstetter, Texas Alpha; Mrs. Donald C. MacLeod, Kansas Alpha; Mrs. Hird Stryker,

Nebraska Alpha; Mrs. Earnest Ross, Oklahoma Alpha; Mrs. Viola Madsen, Colorado

Alpha; and Mrs. G. Spencer Herron, Oregon Beta.

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### 1958-1959 MEMBERSHIP FIGURES

Total membership in active chapters to March 1, 1959 .....	44,545
Total membership in inactive chapters .....	2,961
Lost and unaccounted for .....	34
Total initiates and transfers to March 1, 1959 .....	47,540
Deduct transfers (26 in 1958-59) counted twice .....	1,477
Total membership to March 1, 1959 .....	46,063

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#### ***Assigned to Korea***

LT. FRANK W. MILES, Ohio Beta '54, has been assigned to the 2nd Battle Group, 34th Infantry, in Korea.

A 1958 graduate of the United States Military Academy, he attended "postgraduate" schools at Ft. Knox, Ky. (Armored Officers course); and at Ft. Benning, Ga. (Ranger School and Airborne School) prior to his present assignment.

#### ***Ralph Rises With Reynolds***

RICHARD G. RALPH, N.Y. Beta '52, has been promoted from stock, bond, and mutual fund analyst to account executive for Reynolds & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange, in their Syracuse, N.Y. office.

#### ***President of Texas Pacific***

EUGENE T. ADAIR, Texas Alpha '31, was recently elected president of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co., at a board of directors meeting held in Fort Worth. He had been executive vice president and general counsel for the firm since 1954.

A native of Dalhart, Texas, Brother Adair is a graduate of the University of Texas Law School with the class of 1933. He became company general counsel in 1949 and in 1953 was named a vice president.

#### ***Foreign Service Officer***

ROBERT G. RICHMOND, N.H. Alpha '54, has finished an intensive German language course and is now assigned to the Economic Defense Division of International Resources in Washington, D.C.

A former teacher in the Newport (Vt.) Junior High School, he received his presidential diplomatic commission in July, 1958.

#### ***With Aircraft Service, Inc.***

HUGH K. STEVENSON, N.Y. Alpha '39, has been appointed executive vice president of Aircraft Service, Inc., of Cleveland.

A Cornell graduate with more than twenty years' experience as a pilot, he was a member of the original group of "grasshopper" pilots formed by the Army to serve as aerial observers with the field artillery. He served in Europe during World War II and is a veteran of the Korean conflict.

#### ***Joins Advertising Staff***

WILLIAM R. (BILL) HARRIS, Pa. Lambda '57, has joined the advertising staff of the *Centre Daily Times*, published at State College, Pa. He will also be a part-time student at Pennsylvania State University until he will graduate next August.

A resident of Berkeley Heights, N.J., before entering Penn State, he is active in campus and fraternity activities, and serves as treasurer of Alpha Delta Sigma, advertising honorary fraternity.

# Meet Angus Wynne Jr. — Tall Texan

by AUSTIN D. RINNE

**B**ROTHER ANGUS WYNNE JR., Texas Alpha '33, is a poor patient. He is under doctor's orders to get on the golf course once every day or so. Wynne has made it twice—in six months.

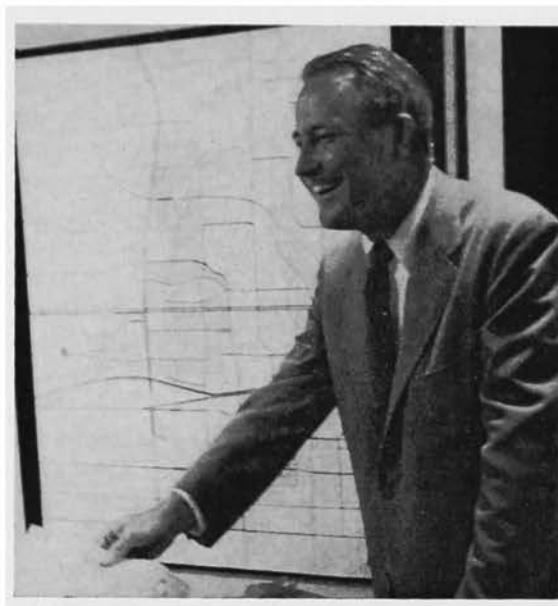
At present count, Brother Wynne is a director or an officer of 24 associations or organizations. Of these, five can be considered strictly business affiliations. The remaining nineteen are civic and humanitarian offices, each dedicated in some fashion to making greater Dallas a bigger and better place in which to live.

Wynne borders on self-deprecation in summing up his extra-curricular activities. "I don't hold a candle to men who've devoted their lives to working for Dallas," Wynne says. Nor will he give any explanation of his civic work. "If you take anything like an active part in the life of Dallas, you just work for the city as part of normal living."

Dallas, as far as Wynne is concerned, includes all of Dallas County and Wynne is involved in all types of activities affecting the county. But if there is a center to his activities it would be found in Oak Cliff, where he built Wynnewood, still the largest integrated development in the city, and where he is now busy developing a new area near Oak Cliff Country Club into what he says will be "the finest residential area in Dallas."

Wynne is on the Board of Stewards of the Highland Park Methodist Church. But when the Wynnewood Presbyterian Church in Oak Cliff needed a new location, it was Angus Wynne Jr., as president of the American Home Realty Co., who made an outright gift of nine valuable acres of land to the church.

As president of the Circle Ten Council of the Boy Scouts of America, Brother Wynne spends hours every week looking to the best interests of the boys of Dallas. Of all of his civic activities, Wynne singles out



ANGUS WYNNE JR.

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the Boy Scouts as the job requiring the most interest and work. "Every place you turn there is another job and a big job still to be done," he says. Typically, Wynne underestimates his own activities in the Circle Ten Council. "The president's job probably requires the least effort on the part of any Boy Scout official. The Scoutmaster, who seems like the lowest man on that particular totem pole," Wynne explains, "is the most important man. He must give the most devotion and the most work to his job."

By any rule of thumb, Brother Wynne could have been expected to have taken a business and social lead in the life of Dallas and let it go at that. Born into one of Dallas' oldest and most respected families, (his father, Angus Wynne, is Texas Alpha '04 charter member) and educated partially in the east but winding up at the University of Texas, Wynne had every reason for leading a relaxed and easy life. As was the

case with most young men, his future plans were interrupted by World War II. Wynne joined the Navy and prior to V-J day spent some five years on destroyer duty in both the Atlantic and Pacific Theaters. He came back to Dallas, "just another work horse who needed a job."

Wynne's civic activities began with his business activity. Early in 1946, John R. Mitchell Jr. asked him to serve on the Board of the Salvation Army. He has since retired from the Board, but his large quiet office in the Wynnewood Professional Building proudly displays a gold plaque, presented in 1953, by the Salvation Army and bearing the words, "in appreciation."

Presently, Wynne's civic and humanitarian activities embrace such diverse interests as the Board of Fundamental Education, the Dallas Citizens Council, and the Freeman Memorial Clinic, also the Dallas Citizens' Interracial Association to name only a few.

Occasionally Wynne has been heard to say that he has to cut down on all his activities. No one, including Wynne himself, expects that he will do it. But certainly, he need look no farther than his own family

for his best reason and excuse for seeking more leisure time. In 1941, Wynne married Joanne Ebeling, of Dallas. Angus Wynne III was born on Christmas Day, 1943. And the family now includes 9-year-old David Ebeling, 6-year-old Mary Temple, and 3-year-old Shannon Shelmire. What spare time Wynne has is spent with them and on occasional hunting and fishing trips. But the chances of Wynne lessening his devotion to the betterment of Dallas are slim. He himself points out that Dallas is blessed with an outstanding group of men who work ceaselessly for the city's behalf. Like others, Wynne attributes much of Dallas' phenomenal growth to their ceaseless endeavor, pointing out that the city really began nearly fifty years ago when Nathan Adams became the first of the long line of men who have selflessly worked for Dallas' best interests. "Those are the people I know," Brother Wynne says, "and it is hard to associate with them without working with them."

So far it would seem, the only entreaties which Brother Angus Wynn Jr. steadfastly ignores are those of his doctors—and the lure of the golf course.

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### **Senior Project Engineer**

GARY B. CHURCHILL, Pa. Alpha '49, has left the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics at Langley Field, Va., to become a senior project engineer for Good-year Aircraft Corp. in Akron, Ohio. The Churchills and their three sons—Roger, Mark and Kenneth—live in Tallmadge, Ohio.

### **Again Heads PSU Trustees**

JAMES B. LONG, Pa. Lambda '12, has been re-elected to his second term as president of the Pennsylvania State University Board of Trustees.

Brother Long, a consulting engineer who has gained wide recognition as an expert in highway bridge construction, has served on the Board since 1943 and was first elected president a year ago (THE SHIELD, March, 1958).

### **With U.S. Gypsum**

LANNY E. QUIGLEY, Calif. Delta '53, is employed as representative for U.S. Gypsum Co. and attending University of Southern California graduate school. A former varsity quarter-miler and half-miler at Southern Cal, he received his A.B. degree in geology in 1958. He is an older brother of J. Allon Quigley, Calif. Delta '56.

### **Director of Midland-Ross Corporation**

KENT H. SMITH, Ohio Epsilon '15, acting president of Case Institute of Technology, has been elected a director of Midland-Ross Corporation.

He is board chairman of the Lubrizol Corp., and has been acting president at Case since Sept. 1, 1958. He is also a director of the Cleveland Trust Co., the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce and of the Servo Corporation of America.

## International Realtor: Eugene Conser

**W**HEN THE Nth Congress of the Federation Internationale des Administrateurs de Biens Conseils Immobiliers (International Real Estate Federation) convenes in Rome on May 29, it will be under the guidance of a Phi Psi widely known throughout the western world. He is Eugene P. Conser, Calif. Epsilon '31, Secretary-General of the Federation, with offices at 53, Rue du Rocher in Paris, and known as "Mr. Realtor" in the United States, where he is Executive Vice-President of the influential 65,000-member National Association of Real Estate Boards, with offices in Chicago and Washington, D.C.

Conser is equally at home in the capital cities of western European countries as in the 50 states of this country. Each summer he spends a month or two holding conferences with real estate leaders, sometimes in Spain, Portugal, France, Italy, Austria, Switzerland, and at other times concentrating his travel in the northern tier of Scandinavian countries. Last year he was accompanied by Mrs. Conser (the former Helen Miller, UCLA alumna and a Delta Gamma), who this summer will remain at their home in Winnetka, Ill., to supervise graduation of their daughter, Paula, who will enter the University of California Berkeley). A son, Dick (Stanford '58), is a graduate student at Northwestern, and both children have shared in European travels.

International affairs held little interest for Gene Conser at UCLA, where he was one of the charter members of his chapter (No. 9), manager of the campus daily and financial writer for Los Angeles newspapers. Real estate would seem to be about as far removed from international politics and economics as any possible field of activity. But this country's problems in developing and distributing foreign aid to the underdeveloped nations of the world have increasingly drawn his attention to the need for better solutions. He became a crusader for more attention to the private development of housing, the creation of private



**EUGENE P. CONSER**

... private capital should develop housing

mortgage credit facilities and savings institutions to help stabilize local currencies, and elimination of governmental grants except as local private capital also participates.

His work in the international field is beginning to pay off, Conser believes, and this year will see some far-reaching changes in United States policy with respect to housing, savings and mortgage finance in the countries which continue to receive American foreign aid. Such a change in policy must precede, in his opinion, any substantial reduction in foreign aid if it is to be used upon a long-term plan for greater economic and political stabilization in the various countries.

Conser's activities involve continuing consultations with the state department, International Cooperation Administration, Housing and Home Finance Agency and the United Nations, where he is one of three accredited representatives from the Inter-

national Federation. During the Congress in Rome this year he will serve as chairman of the Commission on Resolutions. Following the Congress he will join with an American group in meetings in Milan, Zurich, Vienna, Prague, Bonn, Paris, and London.

Helping develop foreign policy is only one segment of the work. In this country the organization serves as national headquarters for more than 1,300 local real es-

tate boards and includes several widely recognized educational and professional arms, including the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers, the Society of Industrial Realtors, the Institute of Real Estate Management, the American Society of Real Estate Counselors, the National Institute of Real Estate Brokers, and the American Chapter of the International Real Estate Federation, all a part of the parent National Association of Real Estate Boards.

**Wins Jaycee Service Award**

FRANCIS M. WRIGHT, Ill. Delta '41, received the Jaycee distinguished service award from the Shelbyville, Ind., chapter. He currently is serving as chairman of the local Red Cross chapter, is president-elect of Rotary, and is treasurer for the local school for retarded children.

**Bank Vice President**

ROBERT B. MORRIS, Ind. Delta '20, has been promoted to vice president of the Indiana National Bank, Indianapolis.

Beginning his banking career in 1930 as a teller, he was with Union Trust Co. of Indianapolis for three years before joining Indiana National in 1951.

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**1959 Rushing Recommendations**

To the Brothers of ..... :  
(chapter)

I would like to recommend ..... as a prospective  
(name)

Phi Psi rushee. His home address is: .....  
(no. and street)

....., and he will enter .....  
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Swarthmore College	University of Nebraska
Johns Hopkins University	University of Oklahoma
Michigan State University	University of Colorado
Indiana University	Stanford University

University of California



**Chart 1: Scholarship Standings by Chapters, 1957-58**

Chapter	Institution	District	Rank on Campus	Chapter Index 1957-58	Chapter Index 1956-57	Gain or Loss Over 1956-57	Above/Below All-Men's Average	Above/Below All-Fraternity Average
1. IND. EPSILON	Valparaiso	IV	1—7	+13.25	+ 0.67	+12.58	Above	Above
2. OHIO ALPHA	Ohio Wesleyan	III	2—13	+10.15	+ 5.30	+ 4.85	Above	Above
3. CONN. ALPHA	Trinity	I	1—9	+10.01	+ 6.50	+ 3.51	Above	Above
4. N.C. ALPHA	Duke	II	6—19	+ 9.85	+11.85	— 2.00	Above	Above
5. IOWA ALPHA	Iowa	V	3—19	+ 8.29	+12.93	— 4.64	Above	Above
6. TEXAS ALPHA	Texas	V	10—29	+ 7.37	+ 2.65	+ 4.72	Above	Above
7. OHIO EPSILON	Case	III	2—11	+ 6.64	— 8.18	+14.82	Above	Above
8. TEXAS BETA	Texas Tech	V	2—10	+ 6.40	+ 7.78	— 1.38	Above	Above
9. OHIO BETA	Wittenberg	III	4—8	+ 5.16	— 7.43	+12.59	Above	Above
10. PENN BETA	Allegheny	III	3—7	+ 4.81	— 0.47	+ 5.28	Above	Above
11. CAL. BETA	Stanford	VI	3—24	+ 4.73	— 0.68	+ 5.41	Above	Above
12. W.V.A. ALPHA	West Virginia	III	7—20	+ 2.68	— 7.46	+10.14	Above	Above
13. MISS. ALPHA	Mississippi	IV	4—16	+ 2.01	—10.15	+12.16	Above	Below
14. COLO. ALPHA	Colorado	V	6—23	+ 1.76	— 5.37	+ 7.13	Above	Above
15. ARIZ. ALPHA	Arizona	VI	8—21	+ 1.76	—13.12	+14.88	Above	Above
16. MINN. BETA	Minnesota	IV	20—31	+ 1.71	+ 0.92	+ 0.79	Above	Below
17. OHIO ETA	Toledo	III	5—9	+ 0.98	— 3.64	+ 4.62	Above	Above
18. N.H. ALPHA	Dartmouth	I	12—18	+ 0.16	+ 2.51	— 2.35	Above	Below

*All-Men's Average*

19. N.Y. Alpha	Cornell	I	21—48	— 0.88	— 3.16	+ 2.28	Below	Below
20. Oregon Alpha	Oregon	VI	6—20	— 1.05	— 0.26	— 0.79	Below	Above
21. Mich. Alpha	Michigan	IV	19—38	— 2.64	— 6.62	+ 3.98	Below	Below
22. Ind. Beta	Indiana	IV	20—27	— 2.73	+ 0.06	— 2.79	Below	Below
23. Kansas Alpha	Kansas	V	10—26	— 2.99	+ 6.10	— 9.09	Below	Below
24. Penn Alpha	W & J	III	8—10	— 3.30	— 1.44	— 1.86	Below	Below
25. Tenn. Delta	Vanderbilt	IV	9—15	— 4.12	—10.19	+ 6.07	Below	Below
26. Va. Beta	W & L	II	10—17	— 4.80	— 0.35	— 4.45	Below	Below
27. Penn Lambda	Penn State	III	39—45	— 5.01	— 0.61	— 4.40	Below	Below
28. Ohio Delta	Ohio State	III	29—39	— 5.72	— 1.65	— 4.07	Below	Below
29. Cal. Delta	USC	VI	10—28	— 6.39	—10.10	+ 3.71	Below	Above
30. Penn Theta	Lafayette	II	16—18	— 7.03	— 8.99	+ 1.96	Below	Below
31. Penn Gamma	Bucknell	II	10—12	— 7.76	— 2.25	— 5.51	Below	Below
32. Md. Alpha	Johns Hopkins	II	10—13	— 7.87	— 9.68	+ 1.81	Below	Below
33. N.Y. Beta	Syracuse	I	19—26	— 8.06	—19.67	+11.61	Below	Below
34. Iowa Beta	Iowa State	V	26—30	— 8.26	— 2.69	— 5.57	Below	Below
35. Penn Epsilon	Gettysburg	II	10—12	— 8.35	— 9.14	+ 0.79	Below	Below
36. N.Y. Epsilon	Colgate	I	11—14	— 8.60	—15.42	+ 6.82	Below	Below
37. R.I. Alpha	Brown	I	14—16	— 9.02	—10.41	+ 1.39	Below	Below
38. Ind. Delta	Purdue	IV	37—37	— 9.43	— 2.21	— 7.22	Below	Below
39. Penn. Eta	F & M	II	9—11	— 9.90	—15.00	+ 5.10	Below	Below
40. Okla. Alpha	Oklahoma	V	24—25	—10.30	— 7.57	— 2.73	Below	Below
41. Cal. Epsilon	UCLA	VI	20—30	—11.45	— 8.72	— 2.73	Below	Below
42. Penn Iota	Penn	II	25—36	—11.55	— 7.19	— 4.36	Below	Below
43. Nebr. Alpha	Nebraska	V	22—22	—11.80	— 1.19	—10.61	Below	Below
44. Mo. Alpha	Missouri	V	26—30	—12.34	—10.26	— 2.08	Below	Below
45. Penn Kappa	Swarthmore	II	1—5	—12.45	— 5.11	— 7.34	Below	Above
46. Oregon Beta	Oregon State	VI	29—31	—12.50	— 4.73	— 7.77	Below	Below
47. Ind. Gamma	Wabash	IV	7—8	—13.52	— 3.91	— 9.61	Below	Below
48. Wis. Gamma	Beloit	IV	7—7	—13.65	—11.61	— 2.04	Below	Below
49. Ill. Alpha	Northwestern	IV	21—26	—13.68	—15.90	+ 2.22	Below	Below
50. Penn Zeta	Dickinson	II	10—10	—13.86	—13.33	— 0.53	Below	Below
51. N.Y. Gamma	Columbia	I	9—18	—14.21	—25.65	+11.44	Below	Below
52. Ill. Delta	Illinois	IV	43—51	—14.41	—21.10	+ 6.69	Below	Below
53. Wash. Alpha	Washington	VI	27—34	—15.77	+ 0.12	—15.89	Below	Below
54. Va. Alpha	Virginia	II	28—30	—21.76	—13.96	— 7.80	Below	Below
55. Ohio Zeta	Bowling Green	III	11—11	—22.20	—10.07	—12.13	Below	Below

The following chapters do not have comparable ratings: N.Y. Eta, Buffalo, I, 13—17; Mich. Beta, Michigan State, IV, 19—25; Ind. Alpha, DePauw, IV, Not rated; Ill. Beta, Chicago, IV, Not rated, and Cal. Gamma, California, VI, Not rated.

# Scholarship Report for 1957-58

by DR. LOUIS D. CORSON, W.Va. Alpha '34

**C**HAPTER scholarship standings for 1957-58 showed a slight improvement over the record for 1956-57. However, the small gain is not great enough to evoke cheers or excitement. Eighteen chapters were above the All-Men's Average on their respective campuses. This number constitutes an increase of six chapters over the 1956-57 year, with nine new chapters moving to a position above the line and three joining those below. Thus 32.7 per cent of the 55 chapters reported were above the All-Men's Average.

In his book *Improvement of Fraternity Scholarship*, Ray Blackwell (Phi Delta Theta) writes:

"The college fraternity exists because of its affiliation with and support of an educational institution. In its announced aims and ideals it encourages the development of scholarship among all its members. In its day to day operations, it often fails to live up to its high idealism in scholastic objectives. The striving to close the gap between fraternity principles and fraternity operations must continue relentlessly until the college fraternity can honestly proclaim to the educational world, 'The College Fraternity is in reality, as well as in theory, an influence for sound scholarship on every college and university campus upon which it exists.'"

We note with regret that the academic record of Phi Kappa Psi does not enhance the prestige of our Fraternity nor of the national fraternity system. There can be little prestige involved when 37 out of 55 chapters rank below the All-Men's Average and the All-Fraternity Average. In 1957-58, 28 chapters improved their standings and 27 chapters lost ground.

During the reporting year, Phi Kappa Psi had three chapters which ranked first on their campuses. They were: Connecticut Alpha; Pennsylvania Kappa; Indiana Epsilon. At the same time, the following five chapters placed last: Penn Zeta, Ohio Zeta, Indiana Delta, Wisconsin Gamma, and Nebraska Alpha.

Indiana Epsilon will be awarded the certificate for having the highest scholarship standing among all chapters for the aca-

demic year 1957-58. (See Chart 1.) Arizona Alpha will receive the certificate for having shown the greatest improvement in scholarship during the same year (See Chart 2.)

Chart 3 lists the chapters which have been above the All-Men's Average for two to nine consecutive years. North Carolina Alpha and Iowa Alpha are to be commended highly for their long records of achievement. In three of these nine years, North Carolina Alpha led the entire Fraternity in scholarship. We hope that additional chapters will be added to this list each year.

In Chart 4 you will find the Phi Psi chapters which have ranked among the lowest third of the fraternity groups on their campuses. If this list could be substantially decreased, the national scholarship record of Phi Kappa Psi would be much higher. These chapters are in a dangerous position with regard to our new national scholarship requirements.

During the last two academic years, we have seen a drastic change in attitude toward academic achievement on the part of educators and the public. Academic standards have been and are still being raised. At the same time, the extracurricular side of college life is being examined and questioned. In order to survive the current attacks and criticisms, every national social fraternity must show that it supports the purposes of the institutions of higher education. No fraternity can afford the appearance of being anti-intellectual.

Good scholarship requires emphasis in two areas: 1) the proper selection of members, and 2) the proper group attitude. It is not difficult to discover which rushees have the abilities to successfully complete the courses required for graduation. Creating the proper attitude toward academic achievement within the chapter requires more thought and effort. *But it can be done.* Awards, study rules, etc., may help to a certain degree, but the dedicated ef-

forts of a small group within the chapter will be necessary for complete success. Individual alumni and alumni associations can be of great help in this area.

Scholarship standings by Districts are given in Chart 5. In District I, New York Beta showed the greatest improvement, an increase of +11.61 from -19.67 in 1956-57 to -8.06 in 1957-58. New York Gamma was in close pursuit with a gain of +11.44. I have recommended to the New York Alumni Association that New York Beta receive the Harry S. Gorgas Memorial Trophy.

The Elbridge R. Anderson (Illinois Beta '81) Scholarship Trophy should remain at Connecticut Alpha for having the highest scholarship standing in District I.

In District II, North Carolina Alpha retains the Edward M. Bassett (Pennsylvania Kappa '01, President of Phi Kappa Psi 1930-32) Award for having the highest ranking.

The Cleveland Alumni Association plaque for the chapter showing the greatest improvement in scholarship in District III goes to Ohio Epsilon for a gain of +14.82 from -8.8 to +6.64. This plaque was

awarded to Ohio Alpha for the 1956-57 academic year.

The Chicago Alumni Association award for the chapter with the highest standing in the Chicagoland area was again won by Indiana Epsilon.

In District V, the Kansas City Alumni Association plaque for the greatest improvement in scholarship should go to Colorado Alpha for an increase from -5.37 to +1.76, or +7.13 percentage points. Iowa Alpha received this award for 1956-57.

The Scholarship Chair awarded by the Southern California Alumni Association to the chapter in District VI which has the highest scholarship rating should be presented to California Beta. Washington Alpha held this award in 1956-57.

In conclusion, the credit for any improvement in scholarship during the 1957-58 academic year should go to Brother J. Fenton (Mike) Daugherty, who was Director of Scholarship at that time. I have enjoyed serving as your Director in 1958-59, and I hope that we can continue to work together in the best interests of Phi Kappa Psi.

**Chart 2: Chapters Showing Improvement in 1957-58**

<i>Chapter</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>Gain Over 1956-57</i>
1. Arizona Alpha	Arizona	VI	+14.88
2. Ohio Epsilon	Case	III	14.82
3. Ohio Beta	Wittenberg	III	12.59
4. Indiana Epsilon	Valparaiso	IV	12.58
5. Mississippi Alpha	Mississippi	IV	12.16
6. New York Beta	Syracuse	I	11.61*
7. New York Gamma	Columbia	I	11.44*
8. West Virginia Alpha	West Virginia	III	10.14
9. Colorado Alpha	Colorado	V	7.13
10. New York Epsilon	Colgate	I	6.82*
11. Illinois Delta	Illinois	IV	6.69*
12. Tennessee Delta	Vanderbilt	IV	6.07*
13. California Beta	Stanford	VI	5.41
14. Pennsylvania Beta	Allegheny	III	5.28
15. Pennsylvania Eta	Franklin & Marshall	II	5.10*
16. Ohio Alpha	Ohio Wesleyan	III	4.85
17. Texas Alpha	Texas	V	4.72
18. Ohio Eta	Toledo	III	4.62
19. Michigan Alpha	Michigan	IV	3.98*
20. California Delta	USC	VI	3.71*
21. Connecticut Alpha	Trinity	I	3.51
22. New York Alpha	Cornell	I	2.28*
23. Illinois Alpha	Northwestern	IV	2.22*
24. Pennsylvania Theta	Lafayette	II	1.96*
25. Maryland Alpha	Johns Hopkins	II	1.81*
26. Rhode Island Alpha	Brown	I	1.39*
27. Minnesota Beta	Minnesota	IV	0.79
28. Pennsylvania Epsilon	Gettysburg	II	0.79*

\* The Chapter is still below the All-Men's Average.

### Chart 3: Honor Roll

(Consecutive Years Above All-Men's Average)

#### *Nine Years or More*

North Carolina Alpha  
Iowa Alpha

#### *Third Year*

Connecticut Alpha  
Indiana Epsilon  
Texas Beta

#### *Fourth Year*

New Hampshire Alpha

#### *Second Year*

Ohio Alpha  
Minnesota Beta  
Texas Alpha

### Chart 4: Lowest Third, Below All-Men's Average

<i>Chapter</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>1953-54</i>	<i>1954-55</i>	<i>1955-56</i>	<i>1956-57</i>	<i>1957-58</i>
<b><i>Five Years or More</i></b>							
Pennsylvania Epsilon	Gettysburg	II	8—11	10—12	10—12	10—12	10—12
Pennsylvania Eta	F. & M.	II	10—11	10—11	8—10	8—10	9—11
Pennsylvania Theta	Lafayette	II	13—19	17—19	17—19	16—18	16—18
Indiana Gamma	Wabash	IV	7—8	8—8	8—8	7—8	7—8
Wisconsin Gamma	Beloit	IV	7—7	7—7	7—7	7—7	7—7
<b><i>Fourth Year</i></b>							
Pennsylvania Zeta	Dickinson	II		9—10	9—10	9—10	10—10
<b><i>Third Year</i></b>							
New York Epsilon	Colgate	I			12—13	13—14	11—14
Maryland Alpha	Johns Hopkins	II			9—12	13—13	10—13
Pennsylvania Alpha	W. & J.	III			7—10	9—10	8—10
Ohio Zeta	Bowling Green	III			11—14	13—13	11—11
Michigan Beta	Michigan State	IV			23—24	21—24	19—25
Missouri Alpha	Missouri	V			18—28	23—29	26—30
Oklahoma Alpha	Oklahoma	V			18—24	20—25	24—25
<b><i>Second Year</i></b>							
Rhode Island Alpha	Brown	I				12—16	14—16
New York Beta	Syracuse	I				26—26	19—26
Virginia Alpha	Virginia	II				23—28	28—30
Illinois Alpha	Northwestern	IV				22—26	21—26
Illinois Delta	Illinois	IV				50—51	43—51
Iowa Beta	Iowa State	V				21—30	26—30
<b><i>First Year</i></b>							
New York Eta	Buffalo	I					13—17
Pennsylvania Gamma	Bucknell	II					10—12
Pennsylvania Iota	Pennsylvania	II					25—36
Pennsylvania Lambda	Pennsylvania State	III					39—45
Ohio Delta	Ohio State	III					29—39
Indiana Beta	Indiana	IV					20—27
Indiana Delta	Purdue	IV					37—37
Nebraska Alpha	Nebraska	V					22—22
Washington Alpha	Washington	VI					27—34
Oregon Beta	Oregon State	VI					29—31

**Chart 5: Scholarship Standings by Districts, 1957-58**

Chapter, Institution	Rank on Campus	Chapter Index 1957-58	Chapter Index 1956-57	Gain or Loss Over 1956-57
<b>DISTRICT I</b>				
CONNECTICUT ALPHA, Trinity...	1—9	+10.01	+ 6.50	+ 3.51
N.H. ALPHA, Dartmouth.....	12—18	+ 0.16	+ 2.51	- 2.35
New York Alpha, Cornell.....	21—48	- 0.88	- 3.16	+ 2.28
New York Beta, Syracuse.....	19—26	- 8.06	-19.67	+11.61
New York Epsilon, Colgate.....	11—14	- 8.60	-15.42	+ 6.82
Rhode Island Alpha, Brown.....	14—16	- 9.02	-10.41	+ 1.39
New York Gamma, Columbia.....	9—18	-14.21	-25.65	+11.44
New York Eta, Buffalo.....	13—17	N.C.*		
<b>DISTRICT II</b>				
NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, Duke	6—19	+ 9.85	+11.85	- 2.00
Virginia Beta, W. & L.....	10—17	- 4.80	- 0.35	- 4.45
Pennsylvania Theta, Lafayette.....	16—18	- 7.03	- 8.99	+ 1.96
Pennsylvania Gamma, Bucknell.....	10—12	- 7.76	- 2.25	- 5.51
Maryland Alpha, Johns Hopkins.....	10—13	- 7.87	- 9.68	+ 1.81
Pennsylvania Epsilon, Gettysburg.....	10—12	- 8.35	- 9.14	+ 0.79
Pennsylvania Eta, F. & M.....	9—11	- 9.90	-15.00	+ 5.10
Pennsylvania Iota, Pennsylvania.....	25—26	-11.55	- 7.19	- 4.36
Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore.....	1—5	-12.45	- 5.11	- 7.34
Pennsylvania Zeta, Dickinson.....	10—10	-13.86	-13.33	- 0.53
Virginia Alpha, Virginia.....	28—30	-21.76	-13.96	- 7.80
<b>DISTRICT III</b>				
OHIO ALPHA, Ohio Wesleyan.....	2—13	+10.15	+ 5.30	+ 4.85
OHIO EPSILON, Case.....	2—11	+ 6.64	- 8.18	+14.82
OHIO BETA, Wittenberg.....	4—8	+ 5.16	- 7.43	+12.59
PENNSYLVANIA BETA, Allegheny..	3—7	+ 4.81	- 0.47	+ 5.28
W.VA. ALPHA, West Virginia.....	7—20	+ 2.68	- 7.46	+10.14
OHIO ETA, Toledo.....	5—9	+ 0.98	- 3.64	+ 4.62
Pennsylvania Alpha, W. & J.....	8—10	- 3.30	- 1.44	- 1.86
Pennsylvania Lambda, Penn State...	39—45	- 5.01	- 0.61	- 4.40
Ohio Delta, Ohio State.....	29—39	- 5.72	- 1.65	- 4.07
Ohio Zeta, Bowling Green.....	11—11	-22.20	-10.07	-12.13
<b>DISTRICT IV</b>				
INDIANA EPSILON, Valparaiso.....	1—7	+13.25	+ 0.67	+12.58
MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, Mississippi.....	4—16	+ 2.01	-10.15	+12.16
MINNESOTA BETA, Minnesota.....	20—31	+ 1.71	+ 0.92	+ 0.79
Michigan Alpha, Michigan.....	19—38	- 2.64	- 6.62	+ 3.98
Indiana Beta, Indiana.....	20—27	- 2.73	+ 0.06	- 2.79
Tennessee Delta, Vanderbilt.....	9—15	- 4.12	-10.19	+ 6.07
Indiana Delta, Purdue.....	37—37	- 9.43	- 2.21	- 7.22
Indiana Gamma, Wabash.....	7—8	-13.52	- 3.91	- 9.61
Wisconsin Gamma, Beloit.....	7—7	-13.65	-11.61	- 2.04
Illinois Alpha, Northwestern.....	21—26	-13.68	-15.90	+ 2.22
Illinois Delta, Illinois.....	43—51	-14.41	-21.10	+ 6.69
Michigan Beta, Michigan State.....	19—25	N.C.*		
Indiana Apha, DePauw.....	Not Rated			
Illinois Beta, Chicago.....	Not Rated			
<b>DISTRICT V</b>				
IOWA ALPHA, Iowa.....	3—19	+ 8.29	+12.93	- 4.64
TEXAS ALPHA, Texas.....	10—29	+ 7.37	+ 2.65	+ 4.72
TEXAS BETA, Texas Tech.....	2—10	+ 6.40	+ 7.78	- 1.38
COLORADO ALPHA, Colorado.....	6—23	+ 1.76	- 5.37	+ 7.13
Kansas Alpha, Kansas.....	10—26	- 2.99	+ 6.10	- 9.09
Iowa Beta, Iowa State.....	26—30	- 8.26	- 2.69	- 5.57
Oklahoma Alpha, Oklahoma.....	24—25	-10.30	- 7.57	- 2.73
Nebraska Alpha, Nebraska.....	22—22	-11.80	- 1.19	-10.61
Missouri Alpha, Missouri.....	26—30	-12.34	-10.26	- 2.08
<b>DISTRICT VI</b>				
CALIFORNIA BETA, Stanford.....	3—24	+ 4.73	- 0.68	+ 5.41
ARIZONA ALPHA, Arizona.....	8—21	+ 1.76	-13.12	+14.88
Oregon Alpha, Oregon.....	6—20	- 1.05	- 0.26	- 0.79
California Delta, USC.....	10—28	- 6.39	-10.10	+ 3.71
California Epsilon, UCLA.....	20—30	-11.45	- 8.72	- 2.73
Oregon Beta, Oregon State.....	29—31	-12.50	- 4.73	- 7.77
Washington Alpha, Washington.....	27—34	-15.77	+ 0.12	-15.89
California Gamma, California.....	Not Rated			

\* Rating received is not comparable to ratings of other chapters.



# First District Council

**T**RINITY College's Connecticut Alpha Chapter, the baby fraternity chapter of the district and of the national, played host this year to the 1959 District Council on April 2-5. Present were representatives from all eight chapters, the Connecticut Valley and New York Alumni Associations, and several officers of the National Fraternity.

The delegates began to arrive Thursday evening, and by Friday morning all were present. Friday morning Archon Harvey Sanderson opened the general session and appointed committees and officers of the convention. After the introduction of alumni and officers of the Fraternity the meeting was adjourned in order that committees could begin compiling their data and reports. The entire afternoon was devoted to committee meetings.

Saturday morning Harvey opened the general session. A few committee reports were heard and received. The remainder of the morning and afternoon were devoted to leadership schools conducted by Dr. Louis D. Corson, Robert Leber, and J. Duncan Campbell. Much was gained from the lectures and healthy discussion which followed.

The Sunday morning session heard the

final reports of Finance, State of the District, and Constitution committees. The council, according to traditional order, voted that New York Gamma play host to the 1961 First District Council. The last order of business on the agenda was electing a new Archon to succeed Harvey Sanderson. After a very heated race Connecticut Alpha's candidate, Gene Lindemann, was elected Archon for the '59-'61 term.

Among the subjects covered in the council were the improving of scholarship of District I, the need for rushing assistance for New York Gamma and Beta, the problem of New York Eta not having a chapter home, and many valued and helpful hints for the efficient operation of a chapter. It was decided that the neighboring chapters of New York Beta and Gamma would give aid to them during rush periods. The council also agreed to bring the problem of New York Eta to the attention of the national. The council urged the immediate payment of all outstanding debts by the chapters.

Socially, the council was a success. Friday night we had a smoker at the house, with dates for all the delegates. Saturday evening everyone moved down to the Heublein Hotel for the traditional banquet.

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## ***Management Analyst***

ROBERT C. (DOC) CRAWFORD, Pa. Epsilon '50, has taken a leave of absence from his studies for a Ph.D. degree at Cornell University to work as a management analyst for the Schenectady (N.Y.) Naval Reactors Operations office of the Atomic Energy Commission.

In 1955-56 Brother Crawford was in The Hague, Netherlands, as a Fulbright fellowship award winner.

## ***Lukens Steel Executive***

RICHARD Y. MOSS, Ind. Delta '31, has been named manager-fabrications for Lukens Steel Corp. of Coatesville, Pa. He joined that firm in 1958 as manager of fabrications sales. He formerly was with E. W. Bliss Co., Canton, Ohio, where he had served 1951-58 as division manager.

As an undergraduate, Brother Moss was a member of many campus honorary societies and was elected to Tau Beta Pi.

# Third District Council

by COULSON M. SCHEUERMANN, Shield Correspondent

**"G**OD GAVE HIS children memories that there may be roses in December." During the Third District Council held at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., home of Penn Beta, word came of the untimely death of Clyde Joice, SWP of our Fraternity. Brother Joice was the fourth mainstay of Phi Psi to join our beloved Founders within the last two years. The other three were the past SWGPs H. C. (Army) Williams, Shirley E. Meserve, and H. L. (Jack) Snyder. A prayer was given by Brother John Henry Frizzell to honor these four new stars in the Firmament of the Almighty Archon.

A warm welcome was extended to visiting brothers by Dave Hoag, GP of Penn Beta. The warmth of this greeting set the mood of the Council, which could not be stinted by the somewhat inclement weather.

Shortly after the convening of the 1959 Third District Council by the Archon, Bill Kitchel, the permanent officers of the coun-



Archon-Elect George Kincaid, left, with retiring Archon Bill Kitchel.



Third District Delegates at Allegheny College

cil were elected. They were: WVGP, George Kincaid, W.Va. Alpha; WP, James Kunde, Ohio Beta; WAG, John Opdyke, Ohio Alpha; WBG, Richard Fulton, Penn Beta; WSG, Joseph Marchand, Penn Lambda; WPhu, John Garlitz, Penn Alpha; WHod, James Hopkins, Ohio Delta; and WHi, Fritz Gensing, Ohio Eta.

Under the able guidance of J. D. (Dunc) Campbell, C. F. (Dab) Williams, John Henry Frizzell, and Buck Tuppeny, the leadership school sessions were carried to a successful completion. The prepared papers were amply supplemented by informal discussions which provided many helpful suggestions which could be taken back to the chapters.

The smoker was held the first evening, and was thoroughly enjoyed. Many new friendships were made, and a few old ones were renewed. A jazz combo added to the festive occasion.

After expending untold amounts of energy the delegates arose from their beds the next morning to renew their efforts for

a successful District Council. This second day of the Council was spent in committee meetings.

The traditional banquet was held at the David Meade Inn. Symposiarch for this banquet was Archon Bill Kitchel, who introduced an impressive list of speakers, topped by the main speaker for the evening, John Henry Frizzell, Mystagogue of Phi Kappa Psi.

After a full evening of socializing, discussions, committee report-writing, and general enjoyment, morning seemed to come extra early. However, everyone, it is thought, was present for the Council photograph at nine o'clock. The final business meeting of the Council was called to order. After the committee reports were accepted and acted upon, the election of the new Archon was held. The Archonial Badge of the Third District was placed upon the shirt front of Archon-elect George Kincaid of West Virginia Alpha by retiring Archon Bill Kitchel of Ohio Epsilon.

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## Fourth District Council

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by JAMES C. DILLON, Indiana Alpha, W.A.G.

**E**NTHUSIASTIC sons of Letterman and Moore, meeting in Ann Arbor, worked hard, played hard, and accomplished much at the District Council meeting held April 24-26, in the heart of the Michigan campus. When the final raps of the gavel ended the three-day sessions, everyone present felt he had been an eye witness where Phi Psi history had been made.

Archon Albert Kishman opened the first session in the ancient manner. The Invocation was given by Dick Chamberlain, Michigan Alpha, and the Committee on Credentials named. Jack States, GP of Michigan Alpha, welcomed the assembled delegates to Michigan.

Installed as temporary Council officers were: Jerry Williams, Illinois Delta, WVGP; Douglas Williams, Wisconsin Gamma, WP;

James C. Dillon, Indiana Alpha, WAG; Perry Morton, Michigan Alpha, WBG; Thomas Rutledge, Illinois Alpha, WSG; James Mewhinney, Indiana Gamma, WHod; James Peller, Minnesota Beta, WPhu; and Lon Foster West, Tennessee Delta, WHi.

The Committee on Credentials report was given by Kenneth W. Cline, chairman, Mississippi Alpha. This was followed by a roll call of chapters. All chapters were present except Wisconsin Gamma, which didn't arrive until the evening of the twenty-fifth.

The Memorial Service, long a traditional part of every Grand Arch Council, was delivered this year at the District Council by SWGP Robert Elliott, who paid honor to our brothers who have answered the sum-

mons of the Supreme Archon since the 1958 Grand Arch Council, with special tribute to Clyde M. Joice, treasurer of Phi Kappa Psi.

The first leadership session covering chapter offices and committees was conducted by President Robert Elliott.

The meeting was turned over to Rollyn Seawell, Traveling Secretary, for the subject of rushing and pledge training.

As the meeting moved into the second leadership session following lunch, the topic of alumni relations was led by Donald K. (Don) Weiser, Director of Alumni Relations.

The second subject discussed was that of scholarship, led by Dick Regnier, Indianapolis Alumni Association.

Following the discussion on scholarship, the committees of the Fourth District Council were appointed, and their duties outlined by Archon Al Kishman. The Council was adjourned to committees.

That evening, at the chapter house, a party was held in the theme of "Harold's Club." Luckily no one left in a barrel.

On Saturday, April 25, the last day of the Council was called to order at 10:15. The meeting moved into the third leadership session, the subject finance, and led by W. Arthur Batten, Attorney General of the Fraternity.

The first committee report was given by Kent Owen, Indiana Beta, chairman of The State of the District committee. He was followed by Robin Murray, Michigan

Beta, chairman of the Committee on the Constitution. Next was the report of the Extension committee given by Kenneth W. Cline, Mississippi Alpha. The report of the Scholarship committee was given by Jim Trees, Indiana Alpha; followed by the report on the Fraternity Education, given by John Lamb, Illinois Beta. The last committee report was given by Ed Koschmann, Indiana Epsilon, on Finance.

Much was learned from these committee reports. The District seems to be comparatively low in scholarship. The financial standing of some chapters is in need of attention. However, on the whole, things look very bright and most problems will be solved with time.

Kent C. Owen, Indiana Beta, was elected new Archon by a unanimous vote and he chose Robin G. Murray, Michigan Beta, as his assistant.

Among the National Officers present were: Bob Elliott, President of Phi Kappa Psi; Art Batton, Attorney General; Ralph D. Daniel, Secretary; Donald Wieser, Director of Alumni Relations; and Rollyn Seawell, Traveling Secretary.

We were honored by the presence of Edward H. (Eddie) Knight, Ind. Gamma '93, who was attending his 30th DC and his fourth at Michigan.

The District Council was most worth while and was conducted in a manner that a council should be. Much profit could and should come from this recent meeting held at Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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### ***From Korea to Pentagon***

LT. COL. W. L. HUMPHREY, Iowa Alpha '38, has completed a tour in Korea as operations officer in I Corps and is now assigned to the Chief of Information Office, at Secretary of Defense level.

### ***CPA Partner***

PAUL LEE WRIGHT JR., Miss. Alpha '39, was admitted in February as a general partner in the firm of A. L. Evans & Co., Certified Public Accountants, of Gulfport, Miss.

### ***Bell Boosts Brown***

WILLIAM S. (BILL) BROWN JR., Miss. Alpha '30, prime mover in the Atlanta Alumni Association and brand new grandfather, has been promoted to general merchandising supervisor for Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. In his new assignment he handles marketing and promotional matters in nine southern states from North Carolina to Louisiana. In one phase, plant sales, Southern Bell has led the Bell System for the past year.

## Fifth District Council

by BARRY BRUTON, W.A.G.

**T**HE 1959 Fifth District Council opened March 26, in Columbia, home of Missouri Alpha and Stephens College for Women. Other than a few late arrivals, the meetings on the floor started promptly with Archon Gene Mueller presiding. Contrary to popular thought before the meeting, a large number of brothers gave up their Easter recess to attend what turned into a thrilling and inspiring weekend.

Notables in attendance included Ralph (Dud) Daniel, National Secretary; Winston R. Tate, Kans. Alpha '18 and President of the Fraternity 1946-1948, who gave an interesting and though-provoking talk at the banquet; James Higgins, who gave brothers (on an impromptu basis) a good deal of rushing information in his own inimicable way; and other alumni members from the

Columbia, St. Louis, and Kansas City Alumni Associations. Also in attendance were members of the Highlanders Fraternity of Westminster College, Fulton, Mo.

Brother Bruce Tomson of Missouri gave the address of welcome followed by the report of Archon Mueller, who mentioned the fine work done by Bruce in setting up the running order of the meeting. The Leadership School began on a rather esoteric plane, until the question most often held sacred by chapters and not often mentioned in GACs or DCs was brought up—drinking and cocktail parties in houses themselves. Surprisingly enough, the Brothers let down their hair and the various aspects were discussed in relation to problems it presents, various methods of handling it when it becomes a problem, and



Mo Alpha was host to extension-minded Fifth District.



**John Morrow, Jack Tusher and Gene Mueller** soak up Missouri sunshine between sessions.

a general high level discussion of what can be done about it. This set the tone of the meeting at one of complete honesty, making for some fine reports of the various committees.

Not that it should be said that the Brothers of Phi Psi holed themselves up day and night with Fraternity business, for, as usual, a huge round of social activities were scheduled. Brothers Barry Bruton and Tomson went to work with a passion and came up with good looking dates for all, most of the group retiring to the Coronado Club two of the three nights for evenings of revelry. The Brothers of Texas Alpha were leaders in this particular endeavor.

Highlight of the meeting could perhaps be the recommendation of, and strong resolution by, the Fifth District Council to petition the National for a charter to be granted to Highlanders local of Westminster College, as Missouri Beta. It was felt by the Brothers that this group is outstanding and could well carry the name of

Phi Kappa Psi with pride and distinction. It was the heartfelt hope of all who left the meeting that others will look with equal favor on this petition and approve its grant.

Don Litchford, Okla. Alpha '57, was elected Archon in a close race with Bruce Tomson. Brother Litchford was one of the outstanding delegates to the meeting, having chaired the Committee on the State of the District. His sincere belief in our Fraternity is a characteristic which will make him one of the finest Archons ever to hold the position; his easy-going personality will make him one of the most popular.

All who left the Fifth District Council felt that they had done a fine job, more perhaps than expected. As usual, many went away better aware of what our Fraternity really is and what it symbolizes.



**Archon Gene Mueller, left, and his successor, Archon-Elect Don Litchford of Oklahoma Alpha.**

### **Film Debut**

CRAIG DIXON, Calif. Epsilon '45, former national hurdles champion and advisor to California Epsilon, makes his first motion picture appearance in "Rally 'Round the Flag, Boys!" a 1959 release by 20th Century-Fox.

### **On Supreme Court of Appeals**

THORNTON G. BERRY JR., Va. Beta '31, resigned as Judge of the Circuit Court for the Eighth Judicial Circuit of West Virginia and was elected Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia. His home is in Charleston, W.Va.



# Sixth District Council

by RICHARD A. NICKEY, W.A.G.



Archon Tom Millett, right, turns over the reins to Archon-Elect Dick Andrews of California Beta.

**T**HE SIXTH District Council convened at Oregon Beta, Oregon State College, Corvallis, on March 6.

Archon Tom Millet welcomed the delegates to the Council and introduced SWGP Robert Elliott and the Director of Alumni Associations, Don Weiser. Roll call was then taken, and all delegates were present.

The first order of business was a Memorial Service for our late Brother Shirley E. Meserve, who for many years faithfully served the Sixth District and the Fraternity at large. SWGP Robert Elliott conducted the service and in his eulogy pointed out the dynamic part that Brother Meserve played in the expansion of the Sixth District and his election as the Twentieth SWGP, in 1924.

The next item on the agenda was the appointment and election of the District Council officers, as follows: WVGP, Owen Guenthard, California Delta; WP, Kent Newmark, California Gamma; WAG, Richard Nickey, Arizona Alpha; WGB, Don Bailey, Washington Alpha; WSG, Paul David, California Delta; WHOD, Don Taucher, Oregon Alpha; WPHU, Jerry Quigley, California Epsilon; and WHIER, Dick Roberts, Oregon Beta.

Leadership Labs were then conducted in the following fields: Chapter Officers and Committees, by Herb Zeller; Finance, by Norm Weatherly; Scholarship, by Dave Cass; Alumni Relationships by Bob Pollock; and Rushing and Pledging, by Al Kirk.

Each of the Labs were from 60 to 90 minutes in length with the floor open to discussion on each of the problems. The interchange of ideas, suggestions, and currently working systems is immeasurable in the good that will result. All the delegates were very active in the discussion with 100 per cent participation.

Commencing in the late afternoon Friday, committees were appointed and went into session.

Friday evening the District Council Banquet was held. Songs, speeches, and fellow-



President Bob Elliott and Tom Millett pay no attention to Don Weiser as he signs the register.



President Bob Elliott (bow tie) enjoyed every minute day and night with his western brothers.



ship were very much in evidence. After the Banquet, a dance was held at the chapter house, and thanks to the efforts of the Oregon Beta Brothers, all the delegates had a campus queen for the event.

Saturday morning at the all-too-early hour of 9:00 o'clock, the Council was reconvened, and the committees went back into session. Late Saturday afternoon the committees presented their reports which were accepted by the delegation. Unfinished and new business were conducted in that order.

The last item to be covered was the

election and installation of the new Archon for the Sixth District. Dick Andrews, of California Beta, was elected by acclamation. Immediately after his installation, adjournment occurred at 8:00 o'clock p.m.

The host Chapter, Oregon Beta, provided rooms for the delegates in their new Chapter House (the rugs were put on the floors minutes before the first delegates arrived). The accommodations were excellent, the meals were wonderful, and the hospitality outstanding. A hearty thanks to Oregon Beta.

### **Morrill Heads Hubbard and Company**

JOHN R. MORRILL, Calif. Beta '35, was elected president of Hubbard and Company, Chicago, leading producer of electrical utility distribution fittings and hardware, effective April 1. He was formerly general manager of the Evansville Division of Bendix Westinghouse Automotive Air Brake Co.



**MORRILL**

Brother Morrill, an engineering graduate of Stanford University, served with the Lincoln Electric Company of Cleveland, Ohio, prior to joining Bendix Westinghouse.

### **Supervisors Honor Pauley**

Los Angeles Board of Supervisors presented a scroll to EDWIN M. PAULEY, Calif. Gamma '21, last March 17 for his "contributions to the economic, cultural and educational programs of the country for the past twenty-five years."

Brother Pauley, a regent of the University of California since 1939 and board chairman 1956-58, was honored for several posts he has held. In 1945 he was a representative to the Allied Commission on Reparations; he is a director and treasurer of the Hollywood Bowl Association, and is a member of the Southern California Committee for the Olympics. A prominent Democrat, he also was commended for his part in having Los Angeles selected as the site of the 1960 Democratic convention.

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### **To Receive Doctorate**

THE REV. ALBERT H. KECK JR., Ohio Beta '28, is among four men to receive honorary degrees at the June 1959 commencement exercises June 6. He will receive a Doctor of Divinity degree. Brother Keck has been pastor of St. Andrew's Lutheran Church in Hickory, N.C., since 1953. From 1948 until 1953 he was a member of the faculty at the Southern Seminary in Columbia, S.C. He served as pastor of Emanuel Lutheran Church in Lincolnton, N.C. from 1945 to 1948.



**KECK**

An outstanding undergraduate, he was GP of his chapter, and also was president of Tau Kappa Alpha, Blue Key, Boost "W," Student Chest and of the sophomore class. He was captain of the debate team and a member of both Skull and Chain and Pick and Pen.

Following his graduation at Chicago Lutheran Seminary in 1934 he was married to the former Virginia Elizabeth Rhodes, Wittenberg '33. His first pastorate was at St. John's Church, Sterling, Ill., where he served eleven years.

Brother Keck is a former member of the board of trustees of the Chicago Lutheran Seminary and has been a member of the board at Lenoir Rhyne College (N.C.) since 1954. From 1940 until 1945 he was chairman of the stewardship committee for the Illinois Synod, and from 1952 until 1954 he served on the United Lutheran Church's committee on worship.



Penn Beta's John Grant, shown here with his wife Sally and their youngsters Cindy and Beth, is a most unusual young Phi Psi. He's been on the Allegheny College Dean's List for every one of his completed semesters and recently was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. A senior pre-medical student, he will enter the University of Pittsburgh Medical School next fall.

Despite family responsibilities and a heavy academic load, John has been active in chapter activities and is captain of Allegheny's championship swimming team. He was a member of the 440-yd. freestyle relay team which won the President's Athletic Conference Swimming Tournament at Cleveland and contributed heavily to Allegheny's victory.

Pennsylvania Beta is extremely proud of John's contributions to Phi Kappa Psi and his college.—Tom Kennedy, AG.

### **Dolph Simons Is A.P. Officer**

DOLPH SIMONS, Kans. Alpha '22, of the Lawrence, Kans. *Journal-World*, was elected second vice president of the Associated Press in a recent reorganization meeting of the 18-member board held in New York.

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Phi Psi contingent in Dallas YMCA membership drive, from left: Ivan Sorenson, Henry C. Fulcher III and Austin D. Rinne. Sorenson and Fulcher were co-captains of a team including Phi Psis Al Ruebel, George McLean and Howard West.

### **Awarded Life Membership**

JAMES E. GIBSON, West Virginia Alpha '46, has been awarded a Life Membership in the Dallas, Texas, Chamber of Commerce..



**GIBSON**

Only twenty-eight other men have attained Life Memberships in the Dallas Chamber's 50-year history, and Gibson is the youngest member of the organization's Life Members Club.

Now assistant manager of the Dallas agency of Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York,

Jim is married to the former Emmy Lou Randall, also a West Virginia University graduate. The Gibsons have a daughter, Chris, 5, and a son, Randy, 2.

To qualify for the Life Membership award, Gibson sponsored over 100 new members in the Dallas Chamber of Commerce during 1958.

As a stranger in Dallas, and with no previous insurance experience, Gibson joined MONY's Dallas agency in August, 1957. He has led the office in sales for three different months, while recruiting and training other new salesmen.

In Dallas Jim has been a division captain for both the Red Cross and Cancer Cru-

sade; he is an usher and member of the Commission on Evangelism at the Northaven Methodist Church, a second lieutenant in the Air Force Reserve and is active in Phi Kappa Psi alumni.

### **Keith Promoted by Bell**

JACK KEITH, Mo. Alpha '40, has been named general commercial manager of the state of Arkansas by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. He was promoted from his position as division manager in St. Louis.



**KEITH**

A member of Don Faurot's Sugar Bowl football team, he was graduated from the University of Missouri with an A.B. degree in 1943.

Jack earned a commission in the Army during World War II, serving with the 75th, 101st and 82nd Divisions in action in the European Theater, and became a captain.

Moving to Arkansas has forced him to resign the presidency of the St. Louis Alumni Association of the University of Missouri. He was also president of the St. Louis Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi.

Jack is married and has three future Phi Psis in his family, Lawrence, 13; James, 10; and John, 2.

### **F&M Benefactors**

Franklin and Marshall College will receive \$6,000 from the estate of DR. EDWIN R. KEEDY, Pa. Eta '97, who died last November. Dr. Keedy, former dean of the University of Pennsylvania Law School, left a legacy to the college which will be divided between endowment and a Latin prize.

The late CHARLES G. BAKER, Pa. Eta '93, who had been a member of the board of trustees of the college for forty-one years until his death in 1955, named Franklin and Marshall to share in his estate. Funds accruing to the college will amount to an estimated \$225,000. Brother Baker was a practicing attorney in Lancaster, Pa., for fifty-five years.



### **Director of Southwestern Area**

MARK D. SULLIVAN, Ill. Alpha '54, has been named an associate of Jack Morton Productions. Jack Morton is nationally known as a creator and producer of entertainment and dramatic presentations.

On March 1, Brother Sullivan will become director of the Southwestern division of the organization with offices at the Adolphus Tower, Dallas, Texas. He has previously been long active in the entertainment field in the Midwest, California and the Far East.

A native of Chicago and a graduate of Northwestern University, he was formerly active with theatrical groups at Marquette and Northwestern universities, with the Army Special Services and the Air Force Personnel Services, and has been active in community theatre groups.



**SULLIVAN**

### **In Michigan Regents Race**

ELLIS A. WUNSCH, Mich. Alpha '39, is one of four candidates seeking election to two expiring terms on the University of Michigan Board of Regents.

A Traverse City college administrator and fruit grower, Brother Wunsch was a four-year honor student at University of Michigan before receiving his degree in political science and economics. A year later he earned a master's degree in English and began study for his doctorate. He was a Fulbright scholar in France, 1949-50.

A veteran of World War II, he served as gunnery officer on destroyers in the Pacific Theater, was wounded off Okinawa, and separated from the Navy as a lieutenant.

After the war he taught English at Northwestern Michigan Community College, at Traverse City, and became department head. At the same time, he operated his 160-acre apple and cherry orchard. Since 1955 he has been academic director at the college.

### **Promotion for Chuck Kendrick**

CHARLES L. KENDRICK, Ariz. Alpha '48, has been named assistant manager of real estate sales and leasing for the Percy H. Goodwin Co. of San Diego, Calif.

Chuck joined the Goodwin Co. in 1954 and has specialized in the sale and development of commercial properties. He was formerly supervisor of lease records for Union Oil Co. in Los Angeles.



**KENDRICK**

A graduate of the University of Arizona, he has also earned a master's degree in finance from University of Southern California. In 1958 he was a delegate to the International Real Estate Federation meeting in Madrid, Spain. He is a salesman's director of the San Diego Realty Board, and director of the California Real Estate Association.

### **Named Eastern Sales Manager**

JOHN J. KEVILLE, N.Y. Gamma '31, has been named eastern division sales manager for the plastics division of Ludlow Papers, Inc. He was formerly eastern sales manager for the polymer chemicals division of W. R. Grace & Co., Clifton, N.J.

Brother Keville will supervise the eastern sales of Ludlow's newly developed plastics line which includes several completely new packaging films.

A native of Leominster, Mass., Keville was graduated from Columbia University in 1933. After three years with the circulation department of the New York *Herald Tribune*, he joined the plastics division of the Celanese Corporation of America. During his nineteen years with Celanese, he rose from salesman to assistant general sales manager.

Mr. Keville is a member of the Society of Plastic Engineers and the Society of the Plastics Industry. Married to the former Mary L. Yesley of New York City, the Kevilles live at 5 Lynwood Rd., Scarsdale, N.Y.



Three Phi Psis who "trode the boards" in the 1958 production of "Iolanthe," presented by the Savoy Company of Philadelphia were Lee Shepard (left) and Perry Kelson (right) in costumes of the chorus as Peers of the Realm. In the center is Clifford Hood, who sang the baritone lead role of Strephon.

Lee will appear in this year's production, "The Yeomen of the Guard," in the role of First Citizen.

### ***The Metzgers Move***

JOHN METZGER, N.Y. Beta '37, sends a message with an address change to Peekskill R.D. No. 3, N.Y.; "Have moved from Hicksville, Long Island to Peekskill with wife, seven little ones; Lucky, the dog, and two goldfish. Still flying to Europe as Captain for Pan-American Airways."

### ***Named Outstanding Young Man***

GORDON S. PETERS, Ind. Gamma '49, a 29-year-old Illinois insurance executive, was named Peoria's Outstanding Young Man of 1958 by that city's Junior Chamber of Commerce.

A Jaycee member since 1952 and its president in 1957, during his presidency Jaycee membership reached a high of 327 and five of the organization's projects that year were selected for first place state awards.

His many community activities include Peoria County Young Republican Club, Peoria City Beautiful, Visiting Nurses Association, Red Cross, United Fund, School Board Advisory Committee, Proctor Hospital Drive and Heart of Illinois Fair.

Gordon, his wife and three-year-old son live at 6911 N. Kimberly St. in Peoria.

### ***Alcoa Vice President***

ROBERT A. LEARNARD, Ind. Alpha '21, Washington district sales manager for Aluminum Company of America, has been elected a vice president of the company. He will maintain his headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Brother Learnard joined Alcoa in 1927, following his graduation from Washington University (St. Louis). He served as resident salesman for the company in St. Louis, and in 1939 was made manager of the New Orleans office.

During World War II he managed the alumina plant at Baton Rouge, La., which was built and operated by Alcoa for the U.S. Government. In 1944 he became assistant general personnel director for the company. Later the same year he moved to Little Rock as regional manager of Arkansas operation.

He went to Washington as assistant manager of the district sales office in 1946, and was named manager the following year.

A native of Danville, Ill., he attended DePauw University before receiving his degree from Washington University.

He is a member of the Metropolitan Club, Burning Tree Club and the Chevy Chase Club, in Washington. He and his wife reside at 4625 Garfield St., N.W., and are the parents of two sons and a daughter.



Robert B. Brown, Ind. Alpha '38, received President's Club award from John Burkhart, Ind. Alpha '25, president of the College Life Insurance Co. of America.



# PHI PSIS . . . . on the campus

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## *District I*

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### **New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College**

Spring has finally come to the Hanover Plain, and New Hampshire Alpha has taken appropriate action to take advantage of the long-awaited warm weather. Green Key weekend on May 6 and 7 will be the highlight of the festivities with picnics, parties, and other assorted wonders. Our softball team has also been in spring training and according to manager Pete Klaren, this may be a red-letter season for Phi Psi. Other springtime activities included Little Green Key on April 9 and 10, a very successful faculty cocktail party. A "well-done" to chairman Ed Henriquez.

Spring semester has been marked by the installation of new officers for 1959-1960. Newly-elected GP Ed Sedivy has begun what will be a tremendous job of leadership and many new projects have been undertaken. House thanks go to former GP John Chilson and his crew for a great year of leadership, and particularly to Tim Crane, our outstanding P for two years. Ed is assisted by VGP Larry Dingman, AG Jon Cohen, BG Bob Brown, P Jim Lawrence and Historian Tom Allen. Appointees of the new regime include Jim Baum, house improvements chairman who replaces Bill Woolley; George Hampton, special events chairman who will succeed Jim Crise; Pete Klaren who assumes the job of athletic manager from John Leopold, and Dunc Matheson, the new rushing chairman replacing John Cook.

Two new pledges have joined the ranks of New Hampshire Alpha. Norman Page is from Hanover, and John Biggs from Dallas, Texas. They are under the guidance of pledge advisor Gordie Wentworth. We are happy to welcome back Wayne Hamilton, George Hampton, and Bob Worthington who have returned to Dartmouth for further intellectual pursuits.

As usual Phi Psis are playing prominent roles on campus. Tom Allen and Dick Cowan recently were appointed chief announcer and national advertising director, respectively, of Dartmouth College Radio, the first and only commercial-AM radio station in the country run entirely by college students. Craig Jameson has been elected vice president of

the Dartmouth Outing Club, and Abe Ross will head the DOC's freshman trip in September. In Sports, Don Baker is a standout swimmer who broke a Dartmouth record in the butterfly event. Gregg Millette and Norm Page continue to turn in fine performances in track. John Chilson captained the wrestling team, and he and Jim Lawrence both received letters.

Academically, Phi Psi is climbing rapidly and will especially be aided by Larry Dingman's straight-A average. Our geology-Major brothers are preparing for extensive field trips throughout the great Northeast in the near future in search of many and wonderful specimens. The rest of us will be content to stay in Hanover to enjoy the warm weather and the matchless spring weekends.

JON COHEN, *Correspondent*

### **Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University**

The spring should prove to be an interesting and important one for Rhode Island Alpha. Among the many activities in the offing is the annual IF Sing competition which we won last year. Ably directed by Hal Lardaro, the brothers have been earnestly practicing since early February, and are confident of another victory. Rushing is just around the corner and will formally take place the last week in April, directed by Roger Barnett.

Sports continue to be one of the most important house functions. An IF hockey league has been instituted. The Phi Psi contingent has won two games and lost one. Special recognition should be given to Ron Formisano who has organized such a potent team and to Dick Haskell for his inspiring "chalk talks." As this article goes to press the team is bracing itself for the play-off game for its league championship. Our swimming team copped second place honors in the IF swimming meet, directed by Charlie Hamon. Our wrestling team also won second place in all campus competition.

However, the really big news comes to us from the District Council which took place during spring recess at Hartford, Conn. Our representative and chief party whip in charge of caucusing was Jim Mullen, a smooth politician of the sophomore class. He reported to the members at a meeting that he had personally instigated some behind the scenes maneuvers which snowballed his candidate for archon into office. This should give Jim some valuable experience in getting the perennially political-minded sophomore class behind his candidate for house president.

Volume 79 closes with the amazing record "still in orbit," and now stands at 92 issues without a miss! 1958-59 Citations for Outstanding Service go to: Jim Sulzycki, Ohio Alpha; Al Dickerson, Michigan Alpha; Claude Rogers, Texas Beta; and Emil Franz, Arizona Alpha.

Also in the public eye these days is Harry Leggett, who recently received the honor of being elected president of the IFC. Harry is also a member of Phi Beta Kappa (rumor has it that Dick Haskell is quite incensed that he wasn't elected to this intellectual society). Roger Barnett and Ed Marston are members of the student governing body, the Cammarian Club.

Two more brothers have become engaged: Jim Holsing to Sheila McCombe, and Jeff Goldberg to Jane Kisloff.

Spring Weekend is approaching, and the brothers can be seen at their nightly stations in the telephone booth, gazing fondly into space as they contemplate the weekend plans. However, sometimes sighs of despair are heard from the first floor phone as one smooth brother after another hastily re-oriens his outlook on life.

GILL LONG, *Correspondent*

#### **Connecticut Alpha—Trinity College**

Since the start of the second semester, Connecticut Alpha pledged one more fine man, Al Cowley, of Camp Hill, Pa. This gives us forty-two members, the largest Connecticut Alpha has ever been.

On February 18, our slap-stick grand opera skit was good enough for a first place in the annual fraternity stunt night activities. Gil Mackin, Jack Swift, Fred Mauck, Gene Lindemann, and Tom Swift were standout performers in this classic production. We owe Mike Lieber and Bert Draesel multi thanks for their tireless efforts.

On February 19, Conn. Alpha (en toto) attended the Founders Day dinner at Les Shaw's in West Hartford. Cocktails and dinner were enjoyed with the many alumni present. George Van Bibber, Indiana Delta, came to speak to us from his coaching job at the University of Connecticut.

On the IM scene, we won the ping-pong tournament (a coveted title) in our league with Les Schoenfeld, Tim Horne and Jack Swift copping the top three slots. Also noteworthy is Les Schoenfeld's election to the school all-star basketball team.

In swimming, led by John Herzig and Bob Hall, we managed to salvage a second place in our league by beating out Alpha Delta Phi by one point. Outstanding in the pool was Butch Lieber, a member of Trinity's record-breaking medley relay team.

Recently elected to the college senate were juniors Terry Johnson and Bruce Stone. We were the only house to have both of our candidates elected.

Frank Gudas was selected IFC representative for the coming term.

The 1959 District Council was held here April 2-5. We are pleased to announce that our retiring GP, Gene Lindemann, was elected First District Archon.

The scholastic report came out recently, and although the fraternity averages were very close, I'm sorry to report that we placed a low 7 out of 10. However, the house is working very hard to raise our standing this semester. Fred Fishbein, a senior, was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Good work, Flash!

Thus far this semester there has been little social life, the Military Ball being the only party. However, IFC weekend is coming April 18, and promises to be an amazing blast. Two weeks after that we will have the Senior Ball Weekend, the highlight of the Trinity social calendar. The chapter is planning a wonderful time, with two bands. Any and all Phi Psis in the area are welcome.

Taking part in Trinity's intercollegiate sports are Myles McDonough, an outstanding pitcher, who has been on the baseball team for three years; John Herzig, an excellent tennis player; Pete Knight, a fine trackster; and Art Gregg, who represents Phi Psi on the lacrosse field. Art was a starter last year as a freshman.

We elected our new officers April 8. They are: Gene Refalvy, GP; Bruce Stone, VGP; Tom Swift, AG; Mike Lieber, BG; Art Gregg, SG; Tom Wilson, Hod; Jake Bowden, Phu; and John Herzig, Hi. Congratulations to the old officers and good luck to the new!

TOM SWIFT, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Alpha—Cornell University**

With the return of the delegation from the District Council, the Florida vacationers, and brothers from all parts of the East, spring vacation was ended and N.Y. Alpha Phi Psis again took up their books and various activities for the remainder of the term.

Freshman orientation for next fall is being planned with the help of many of us. Al Foose is a member of the Orientation Executive Committee, scheming to limit the bewilderment of the class of 1963. Eighteen other Phi Psis have been chosen as orientation counsellors, more than any other house at Cornell. Art Tasker and Terry Reuland are on the executive board of the Rally Committee; Pledges Randy Decker and Bill Andrews are Rally members also.

In the world of sports, the IM volleyball team is sweeping the league with a 4-0 record. Coach Jeff Strauss has promised us a championship team and it looks like he will be right. Don Whittaker, a protégé of Yogi Berra, is catching for the varsity baseball team and Pledges Will Ritter and Sunny Sundstrom will be playing frosh lacrosse.

Within the house, Jack Weaver and Ed Rhodes, co-chairmen of the special projects committee, have a number of plans underway. Two of these in particular are sure to add a great deal to the academic and intellectual status of the house. A series of after-dinner talks has been underway for some time. So far we have heard talks by Cornell professors on such topics as Contemporary Arts, the academic atmosphere at Cornell, American relations with the USSR, and a series on China, India and Africa. They have also started a library extension program, intending to build up a collection of good reference books and current fiction to increase the use of our existing library.

Lee Ferguson was recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Lee, a former GP of the chapter, will graduate this June.

On the social side, the Jeff Duo was held on April 11 with Phi Gamma Delta. Cocktails, the Cornell Sherwoods, a delicious buffet, and Dixieland all added up to a memorable party. Jack Wright, social chairman, has another success planned for Spring Weekend in May. Among many things to take place will be the float parade on Saturday morning. Phi Psi and Kappa Alpha Theta will enter a winning float in this. Then, after final exams, Senior Week and Commencement, Cornell will be again left to recuperate during the summer.

ART TASKER, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Beta—Syracuse University**

This month marks an achievement for New York Beta, for it was seventy-five years ago this April (the 18th) that New York Beta received its charter from the Fraternity. At that time two brothers from New York Delta at Hobart College came to Syracuse and conducted the ceremonies for the charter members. To mark this diamond anniversary, New York Betans have gone all out to make this three-quarter century mark a day to be remembered by all the actives and alumni.

The festivities started a week ago with a covered dish dinner given by the Fireside Club of the Chapter. The Fireside Club is made up of wives, mothers, sisters and sweethearts of the actives and the alumni. At the dinner speeches were made by GP John Powers; Fireside Club president, Mrs. Wright; and alumni president, Burr Blodgett.

Six days later another dinner was held at the chapter house. This dinner was for alumni, actives and selected University officials. Among the alumni present were: W. J. Watins, Harlan Andrews, Ed Beadel, past alumni association president Dick Cooney, William Carter, Donald McCuen, Nick Harter, Bob Cranshaw and C. N. Lovell. Dean of Men Carlton Krathwohl represented the University. Burr Blodgett, John Powers and Dean Krathwohl were called upon to make a few remarks. One of the two high points of the evening came when Charles (Ping) Morse dedicated a flag to the chapter, and the second point came when the original badges of our late housefather, Charles (Pop) Lonergon were put on display.

The final event to close out the week will be held April 18, a picnic at one of the local parks and an informal dance here at the chapter house. All in all it has been a week which will be long remembered.

In closing, congratulations to our new brothers initiated last month: Dave Renner, Steve Dodge, Robert Darcanglis, Fran Miller and Larry Eskesen.

JOHN MCFALL, *Correspondent*

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#### **Aboard USS Recovery**

ENS. WILLIAM W. VAN LOAN, R.I. Alpha '54, is currently serving aboard the *USS Recovery* (ARS-43). He is a native of Evanston, Ill.

#### **New York Gamma—Columbia University**

Although finals are drawing near, the brothers are actively pitching in to make the last two social events of the semester great successes. On May 3, we are having a Student-Faculty-Alumni cocktail party. The Brothers will get their last chance before finals to convince the faculty of their superior intelligence. Six days later, the annual Spring Carnival will be held, with New York Gamma's traditional last blast afterwards. Phi Psi's chief engineer Placido LaValle has presented his orthographic and isometric views of our carnival booth. Last year we took second place and the year before a proud first. We are confident that Val's ingenuity and originality will earn us another first place.

We congratulate Jim Collins on making the lightweight varsity crew; he has worked assiduously to prove himself varsity material. Jim's room-mate, Errol Ehrstedt has done a tremendous job this semester as social chairman by producing the most successful parties New York Gamma has seen in quite a while—which reminds me that Tony Petriccione, one of our past social chairmen, returned for a short visit after giving Uncle Sam some of his valuable time.

GP Jim Collis, Jack Tobin and Placido LaValle will be receiving diplomas in June. After graduation, Jim will be employed as an announcer and disc jockey for a Radio-TV Station. Jack and Placido have received teaching assistantships; Jack, in the English Department at Miami University of Ohio, and Val in the Geography Department at Southern Illinois University.

Brothers Bell and Firth have joined Brothers Collins, Ehrstedt, Hostmark and Smith as economics majors.

New York Gamma thanks the Brothers of Pennsylvania Theta for their concern and contribution to our social life.

WILLIAM G. BELL, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Epsilon—Colgate University**

With eight of our pseudo charm spreaders now toeing the line (being forced to by balls and chains dangling from their ankles), N.Y. Epsilon is lined up for the final heat of the current season. Incidentally, the above-mentioned balls and chains are the property of the Colgate "Kremlin." You see, it was a correct presumption that our post pledge party activities on the Cazenovia campus would not be met with favor by our "sickle and hammer" leaders across the lake. Despite ridiculous odds and countless "casualties," Phi Psi shall not toss in the towel. We'll come up with something yet, that the hierarchial rule book will not cover.

Turning to other fronts, it seems that the Easter spirit did an overwhelming job in obsessing the minds of a couple of brothers who participated in the Florida-bound endurance race over vacation. We claim no winners—just an honorary addition to the Hamilton pastures! Her name—"Groid."

Her breed—an Easter bunny—ears and all. All contributions of lettuce and carrots will be welcomed.

Just prior to vacation, March 21, our 23 pledges became brothers after a much too short pledge program, thanks to our forever consistent administration.

Back to campus news—Phi Psi claims representation on a number of spring sports squads. Ray Harding leads Frank Rowan, Mike Norton, and Vic Cino on the lacrosse field. Bob Conklin, George Kingston and Rob McKinnon are our track men, and Bill Weatherwax carries the clubs, after a disappointing hockey season. On the baseball scene, we have new brothers John Bouzan, Jerry Northrup and Joe Simunovich on the frosh nine and closing out the sports scene we boast of a champ—Leo Dalzotti, our 137-lb. flash in the 4-cornered ring.

Colgate's social season is fast approaching and although we are not sure whether the "Kremlin" will allow our participation, we are formulating numerous and varied plans. Outstanding here is the work of our chief gardener, Bob Davenport. The flowers are growing steadily and the lawn is well fortified to protect against the onslaught of frisbee units and other flying debris. This, along with other well laid plans should make Party Weekend, Parents Weekend, and our annual senior banquet look very appealing—on the surface!

In closing, "Bon Voyage" should be forwarded to our enormous senior class, all of whom we hope shall have a sheepskin thrust at them next June 8. From the departing brothers, Dave Anderson, Renny Bowers, Bill Cashman, Al Van Beuren, Fred Flaherty, Leo Dalzotto, Pete Fallon, Bill Davenport, Barry Fossett, George Kingston, Rob McKinnon, Scoop Seibert, Paul Beardslee, Tony Whaling, John Fox, Frank Bessell, Steve White, Stu Fenniman, Neal Seltzer, Bill Robbins, Pete Crew, Bob Sauers, Ray Harding, Bob Conklin, Hunter Temple, John Leydon, and John Merz, echo the words: "Good luck to all and may your search for horseshoes prove more fruitful than ours."

Meanwhile, undermining attempts shall continue.

PAUL BEARDSLEE, *Correspondent*

#### **New York Eta—University of Buffalo**

On February 13, the following were initiated into the Chapter: Paul Allen, Rochester; William Carpenter, Buffalo; John Hedges, Snyder; Wayne Forrest, Buffalo; Gary Fries, Hamburg; and Donald Laks, of Orchard Park. Following the initiation, the brothers attended our semiannual formal dinner dance, at the Hotel Marquee. At the dinner, the Dunning Award was presented to Mike Sullivan, the outstanding senior, and the O'Hearn Award to John Hedges, the outstanding pledge. The dinner and dance were planned by Jack Barrett.

Fran DeYoung was responsible for the very successful second semester rush program. A rush-dinner came at the climax of the four-week rush period at which Duncan Campbell was the honored guest

and main speaker of the evening. Hubert Holler and other alumni also spoke at the dinner. The whole rush program was very successful, with the following men pledged: Richard Adams, Thomas Burke, Frederick Clarke, Paul Fox, Robert Greene, Edward Jenis, James O'Connell, Ronald Sorrentino, and Dennis White, all of Buffalo; Elwood Becker, Frederick Ganter and Barry Knox, all of Snyder; Mark Hansel, Kenmore; William Brennonson, Lakeview; Benjamin Natali, Ithaca; Edward Roseberry, Eggertsville; John Brogan and Michael Ryand, N. Tonawanda; and Gary Schupback, Williamsville.

In sports, Phi Psis haven't let the campus down. Sullivan and Carpenter, and Pledges Clarke, Brogan, Burke and Schupback were on the varsity swimming team. Dick Hall, Gary Fries and Pledge Barry Knox are on the varsity wrestling team and Pledge Fred Clarke is on the cross-country team. And in IM sports Phi Psi is third in swimming, second in cross-country, second in down-the-river swim, second in the basketball league, first in our football league and second in the university. Mike Sullivan and Jerry Lucachik went to the finals in IM wrestling.

Jim Urbanski, Bill Farner and Bill Daniels had a very enjoyable time at the Founders Day Banquet with the Western New York alumni. From what was heard later, it seems that they should have stayed a little longer that evening, for they could probably have financed a house for the Chapter.

Roaring Twenties time came again in March, so both brothers and pledges had to force themselves to go partying. It was a great success and was directed by Jack Barrett. The Charleston was heard coming from the Hi-Fi and some prohibition brew was tapped to help make make a tremendous party. Now the social atmosphere has turned to something more constructive. It's float time on campus. Our next few parties will be for flower making with a little beer served to stimulate production.

Now that the University has opened a new FM radio station, WBFO, the news is coming from the desk of Harry Spillman, news editor. We think he could announce another top year for Phi Psi.

WILLIAM DANIELS, *Correspondent*

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#### **Travelers' Insurance Vice President**

DAVID L. KEMPF, III. Alpha '25, has been promoted to vice president in charge of branch office administration for the Travelers Insurance Co.

He joined Travelers in 1928 and later served as assistant office manager in Indianapolis and office manager at Camden, N.J. He became assistant secretary in 1947, secretary in 1951 and secretary in charge of the branch office administration department in 1953.

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### **Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University**

As this correspondent sits weak and weary (which resulted from the very swinging Shipwreck weekend March 13 and 14), I heard a tap-tap-tapping at my chamber door. I peeled my body from the soft, comfortable (?) bed and painfully urged my fatigue worn self to the door. Alas, the caller was our new GP, Ched Mertz. He stated his business and I reacted with, "A SHIELD article!—So soon?" Sure enough, the campus was beginning to blossom forth with the assistance of the annual monsoons and I realized that the May issue will be on the presses soon. What could I write about? The past two months have held so many events, I didn't know where to start.

We held our elections for house officers on February 24 and the following men were placed in the chapter offices: Ched Mertz, GP; Joe Holmes, VGP; Warren (Flash) Grill, P; Tom Gillespie, AG; Rick Glantz, BG; Herb Hoffmire, Phu; Walt Smith, Hod; Jim Hand, Hi; and Wally Seward, SG. Bob

Daggett was later elected as House man, as were Norm George and Bob Runnette to the posts of social chairman and rushing chairman, respectively.

Rush week was extremely generous to us, as we pledged nineteen good men.

Our Shipwreck weekend was a tremendous success, and the artistic talents of some of the brothers blossomed forth to present some extremely impressive decorations for that annual affair. Friday night of that weekend we held our pledge formal. We also held two very successful parties with the Pi Beta Phi and Kappa Delta sororities.

The athletic prowess of the brothers has led us to a good second place in the IM race and the future holds an optimistic outlook for the all-important first place. The golf team is looking for that first place trophy which we so narrowly missed last spring. Track, volleyball, and softball will also give us some of those all important IM points.

Campus leaders? Yes, we have them too. When the annual Men's Student Assembly election returns were announced, Norm George held the post of treasurer, and Pledges Bob Scott, Bill Weydemeyer and Fred Bechtold were representatives for their respective classes for the MSA Judicial Board. This is Scotty's second term.

THOMAS E. GILLESPIE, *Correspondent*



**Pledge Class: Left to Right—First Row:** Paul N. Abbott, Needham, Mass.; Frank E. Famariss, Pittsburgh; William E. Weydemeyer, Jr., Cranford, N.J.; Robert I. Wevodau, Jr., Harrisburg; Charles P. Adams, White Plains, N.Y.; James R. DeLaney, Rutherford, N.J.; **Second Row:** Robert L. Jones, Bradford; David A. Fahmer, Tonawanda, N.Y.; Nicholas F. Ferrara, Rosedale, N.Y.; Thomas C.

Hill, Wilmington, Del.; William H. Dunn, Jr., Park Ridge, Ill.; Benjamin W. Jones, Cranford, N.J.; Arthur L. Lemkau, Plandome, N.Y.; **Third Row:** Frederick B. Bechtold, Kennett Square; John D. Vidinghoff, Wynnewood; Richard Stephan Skinner, Jr., Springfield, Del.; Richard George Buggeln, Orange, N.J.; Charles H. Hinkson, Wallingford; Carlos Weil, Jr., Drexel Hill.

### **Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College**

Penn Epsilon is proud to announce the initiation of thirteen men we feel will be true lifetime Phi Psis: John Montgomery, New Rochelle, N.Y.; Thomas Wilson, Manhasset, N.Y.; Takashi Sugimura, Seabrook, N.J.; Robert Simms, Philadelphia; Thomas Archipley, Linden, N.J.; Richardson Bainbridge, Merion; John Friling, Milford, N.J.; James Johnson, Winfield; Russell Glicksman, Larchmont, N.Y.; Charles Patti, Philipsburg; Harold Casey, Maplewood, N.J.; Peter Moss, Kew Gardens, N.Y.; and Edgar Burchell, Mamaroneck, N.Y.

Bill Conway, outstanding boy politician and ROTC major has achieved the honor of being elected the permanent president of this year's graduating class. Pledge Joe Wang was elected treasurer of the sophomore class. Bradley Bennetch has finally succeeded in resigning from his job as historian, which he performed admirably for two full terms, to take over as president of the German language honorary on campus. Garry Pflug was elected president, and George Gunnell, secretary of Psi Chi psychology honorary. Hank Abbott was elected vice president of the Varsity Club.

For the term of April to December the following brothers have been elected to office: Jack Perrine, GP; Howard McClure, VGP; George Gunnell, AG; Bob Grele, BG; George Schalick, P; Jim Johnson, Historian; Barry Gwinn, Hi; Tom Archipley, Hod; and Hank Abbott, Phu.

Our fight to regain, and take permanent possession, of another IM All Sports trophy is rapidly coming to a victorious end with the Phi Psis several points in front of our closest rival. We won our league in volleyball and bowling and the cards look good for us in softball. We are undefeated with only two games yet to be played. We are losing a lot of good seniors this year, but we hope to be able to get another typical pledge class, under the leadership of Ray Paskell, that will carry on the traditions and ideals of Phi Psi.

We had our annual Easter Egg Hunt for underprivileged children at which time we entertained about seventy-five children for three hours. They played games, hunted Easter eggs, ate ice cream, cake, candy and soda and ran the brothers into the ground. Many of the brothers had to resort to liniment and other "medicinals" after the day was over.

Our drive for funds for our new house is coming along, but slowly. About 15 per cent of the alumni have contributed. We would like to thank all the brothers who have contributed to the cause, and urge those who haven't to remember their good times at Penn Epsilon and try to help us in our expansion to make our chapter even bigger and better.

We all express our sympathy to the family and fraternity on the loss of a great Phi Psi, Treasurer Clyde Joice.

GEORGE GUNNELL, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College**

To assist our twenty two pledges in their striving for brotherhood, three more fine men have been pledged. They are: Ed Holmes, Scarsdale, N.Y.; Moral Jones, Bogota, N.J.; and Tim Kearney, Marlboro, Md.

Brothers and pledges alike seem to think spring is the time for other activities besides co-eds; consequently Phi Psi has a large number of men participating in spring sports. The track team has Bob Davis and Jerry Artters and Pledges Jim Strite, Pete Joel, Bryson Gass and Dave Rilling compiling points for the Devils. The lacrosse team, a sport which has become very popular at Dickinson the past few years, boasts Tom DeMarino, Ross Bates, and Jack Oppasser. On the baseball diamond we find Bob Williamson and Pledges Tom Greelish, Don Angeletti, Scott Greenfield and Carl Steindell.

The social life of the house has suffered a definite setback with the installation of a new and conscientious ranger at Pine Grove. However, a new location has been found, which is an adequate substitute if you do not suffer from hay fever.

The brothers were very much pleased to have for a visit, John Henry Frizzell, Mystagogue of the Fraternity. Everyone learned new facts concerning the mysteries of Phi Psi.

Three alumni have graced the chapter with their returns, although they were unexpected. Ed Shavelson just finished duty with the Marines while Ray Weaver related some war stories about his tour in the Army. Ray will have a position with the Pennsylvania Railroad in New York beginning in April. Jim Ewing is still in the clutches of Uncle Sam and will be stationed in California.

Our IF volleyball team broke a two-year losing streak with a spirited performance in the final game of the schedule. Prospects for the softball team loom much brighter. However, this all depends on whether or not Wild Bill Hoadley is ruled an amateur or is prohibited to play because of his professional past.

Bob Davis is lost—to bachelorhood that is, as he became engaged to a miss from Ohio Wesleyan. GP Tom DeMarino received the good news of his acceptance to Dickinson Law School and will tie the knot with a future schoolmarm this summer.

We would like to remind all alumni that Pennsylvania Zeta will have its Centennial celebration next fall at Homecoming. Plans are being made to make this a great success but the vital factor is strong alumni support. You will receive information concerning the details during the next few months.

MIKE TAYLOR, *Correspondent*

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### **In Private Law Practice**

RICHARD J. STEINBERG, Ind. Epsilon '53, has opened an office for the practice of law at 3420 West Vliet St., Milwaukee, Wis.



#### **Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College**

The annual Symposium at the Stockyards Inn highlighted Penn Eta's early spring activities. Loyal alumni for miles around gathered to pay tribute to one of the finest men ever to wear a Phi Psi badge, past SWGP Dr. Andrew G. (Andy) Truxal, now President of Hood College. Although brief, his address was truly thought-provoking and an inspiration to all present.

To compliment Symposium Chuck Gorenberg's all-alumni issue of the *Dips-Eta* hit the newsstands April 1. If you didn't receive a copy in the mail, drop us a line and let us know. This issue of the *Dips-Eta* is chock full of memories of your college days; plenty of pictures, too.

Hell week was highly successful despite the fact that the pledges locked the brothers out of the house on Friday night. Saturday, the Day of Atonement, featured numerous constructive activities, the end product of which was a sparkling new Penn Eta.

This spring Phi Psi is well represented on the playing fields of hallowed Nevonia (?). Sam Martin, Straight Arrow, Barry Yates, Charles Crystle, Ralph LeCalsey, Bob Houston, Pete Mowercat and Bluto McClain are busy on the lacrosse field. Bill Hobbs and Yogi Mathesius star for Penn Eta on the baseball diamond. Captain John Erwin, Evil John Kooser and Floyd Pseudo trot for the track team. Bob Sullivan and Mike Reynolds represent the Red and Green on the golf course.

BILL BINGHAM, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College**

As the temperature increases and activity decreases, the shadow of final exams again falls over the old gray barn. With the spring weather comes the start of varsity baseball, and Lafayette opened the season by defeating the University of Pennsylvania by a score of 18-1. Representing the house on the varsity baseball team are George Bendere, Richard Richter, and Harry Boyko. On the freshman squad are Pledges Bob Farmery and Tom Burns. In the Middle Atlantic wrestling championship this year Bill Brown took fourth place. The IM softball season is starting and the house will again be strong contenders with nearly the whole team that finished first in its division last year on the field again.

Senior Tom Norton has been elected to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Tom is also a candidate for the Pepper prize, an honorary award to the outstanding member of the senior class who comes the closest to representing the Lafayette ideal. In the theatrical world, Pledge James Hillgartner has one of the leads in the forthcoming Little Theatre production, "The Cave Dwellers."

If weekend, the big social weekend of spring semester, is rapidly approaching. Dancing on Friday night will be to the music of Les and Larry Elgart and the alternate band of Kai Winding. Saturday, the house will journey to Niomi lodge

in the Pocono mountains for a day of boating and a softball game between the brothers and their dates. Climaxing the day's events will be a party in the lodge that night.

The house is making a strong effort to raise its scholastic average this semester. At a recent meeting it was decided that anyone in the house on academic probation will be automatically placed on social probation.

The chapter will be well represented at the coming District Council meeting. Delegates are Robert Brodie, Richard Easton, Jon Nelson and Alan Ewart.

As another successful year draws to a close we wish the best of vacations to all Phi Psi chapters.

ALAN EWART, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania**

As the school year draws to a close at Pennsylvania, the brotherhood at Penn Iota has become increasingly embittered due to the unreasonable demands of college instructors. Most classes are by now fully cut and final exams are practically upon us. It is a cruel world indeed which forces upright, good-natured young men such as ourselves to submit to the narrow strictures of academic life.

But hark, the battle is not yet lost. One may still see the figure of Brother Packard against the skyline, hurling the last remaining incendiary bomb against the pompous walls of the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce in a vain attempt to crush that which would weaken and gradually destroy the very spiritual values by which we live. It reminds one of the futile effort of Hungarian freedom fighters to stop the Russian army with rocks.

Others, however, react differently to mounting scholastic pressures. More and more are turning out for Maverick seminar each week. Brother Cranston has retreated to purvey frozen delicacies on a stick as a protest against the outrageous Bachelor of Science requirements. Brother Song calls for the wisdom and strength of his honorable grandfather to withstand the severities of western culture.

On another front the commissar of the commissary, Steward Anderson, has organized an attempt to overpower the university administration by economic means. Penn Iotans will not have university dining rooms for the next three years. All available space is being used to store rations. Vacant rooms are not longer referred to by number, but rather as "the potato room" or "the hamburger room."

However, we are rapidly coming to the realization that we cannot stand alone. We must enlist the aid of all who are being subjugated as we are. And the first place to which we look for leadership in such a movement is the pre-selected group of bright, valiant young men who are members of Phi Kappa Psi. Men of Phi Psi unite, you have nothing to lose but your class schedules!

ADRIAN BRONK, *Correspondent*

### **Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College**

The spring sports season opened once again with Phi Psi's thrust into all five fields of activity. The undefeated lacrosse team, captained by senior Tom Stevenson includes 6 out of 10 starting players: Scott Hildum, Terry Maisel, Dave Griffiths, Dave Felter, Dick Quarles and Bill Boehmler. Nick Feodoruk, Bob Wray, Woody Fleisig and Dave Swanger are proving their mettle in JV lacrosse. Senior Bill Stauffer heads the baseball team which includes starting centerfielder Larry Christianson and pitcher Harvey Caplan (who recently struck through with a two-hitter). Senior co-captains Nate Price and John Hoffman have led the track team without defeat so far this season with a squad that includes Phi Psis Herm Feldhusen, Dick Bechtel, John Green, Chip Dickey, Pete Kroon and Dave Wegman. In golf and tennis we are represented by Dick Fink and Paul Rothman respectively.

We received a letter recently from Pete Knaur '50, associate editor of the *Nassau Guardian*, Nassau, The Bahamas. Pete is marrying Barbara Hunt of Katonah, N.Y., this April and all of us at Penn Kappa wish them a happy and successful future.

Bill (Solon) Boehmler was elected chairman of the Men's Judiciary Committee, the committee which judges less serious infractions of the college rules. This jurist of Solomon-like stature is rapidly endearing himself on campus for the generous way in which he hands out work penalties. Best of luck, Bill (you'll need it).

WOODY FLEISIG, *Correspondent*

### **Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University**

Once again it is our privilege to fill in the brethren in far-off and exotic places on the fascinating intrigues and merry doings of Maryland Alpha. Unfortunately, aside from the good old business of hearty fraternizing, I find an embarrassingly small amount of activity to report. However

Probably the most important thing we've done since the last letter is to slap pledge pins onto the hairless neophyte chests of Al Bricetti, of Somers, N.Y., and Tom Kelly, of Easton, Mass.

The Jeff duo met resoundingly in a recent IF softball game as a burly Phi Gam pledge came steaming into third and left Bill Dewey flat on his back with a few cracked ribs. We can now report that William is back on his feet, as is Lee Carter, would-be lacrosse player who sprained his ankle in a wild melee (specifically, stepping off a curb).

GP Gerry Smolinski and AG Dennis Donahue are discovering that running a District Council can be fun, if you like frazzled nerves, thinning hair, and are, in general, a masochist. However, as of now the thing is shaping up very well and since the whole thing will be but a memory by the time this issue hits the newsstand, we can only call for a vote of confidence from those who will be delegates. To the hapless brother who picks up this issue of THE SHIELD in a year and a half, a note of caution: never volunteer for anything!

Billy DeVoe looks like a sure thing for the Hopkins Student Council presidency this year. Bob Harrington, whose elaborate campaign is reputedly supported by the D'Allesandro machine of Baltimore, is also up for an SC post. Dave May has joined the hallowed ranks of the Tau Beta Pi boys and can be heard clanking his keys all over campus. Mike Hodge is throwing his famous slow ball for the Bluejay baseball team this year.

The Hobo Party, featuring Otis and his three Navel Contemplaters, has been the highlight of a young spring social season. Informed sources say that there may even be another party before June. Good grief!

Well, gentlemen, seeing as how it's very much spring outside and we've depleted our store of newsy trivia, we'll trundle off until the next issue, mumbling to ourselves: "Somebody else has to organize the D.C. next time—somebody—please, anybody?"

DENNIS DONAHUE, *Correspondent*

### **Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia**

On February 28 Virginia Alpha made an appeal to its Alumni for financial aid. This act, we admit, is an open transgression of tradition, but certain councils and committees of the national organization were becoming extremely anxious concerning various overdue bills for Pledge Manuals, Bound Shields, and a host of other taxes, fees, etc. We are pleased to announce that the generosity of our "Whisky-Alley Graduates" was such that the registered mail from Cleveland began to dwindle somewhat in quantity and that its tone softened somewhat in quality. Our most sincere and humble thanks go to our responsive alumni.

A mimeographed memorandum, dated March 24, concerning commemorative services for Brother Woodrow Wilson at the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C. came as a rather considerable surprise to Virginia Alpha. Evidently Brother Robert R. Elliott "... spoke briefly on Woodrow Wilson's undergraduate days as a Phi Psi at Virginia Alpha and Maryland Alpha." Though we have no record of Brother Wilson's undergraduate days at Maryland Alpha, they were very "brief" indeed at Virginia Alpha. As a matter of fact, we do not seem to be able to find anywhere in the records of the Chapter, the University of Virginia, or the Encyclopedia Americana that he ever attended the University as an undergraduate. There has, however, always been a traditional rumor that Woodrow Wilson was initiated into Virginia Alpha on Oct. 25, 1879 and attended the University of Virginia Law School.

Speaking of tradition, it will probably not come as a shattering revelation to most readers of THE SHIELD that the letters from Virginia Alpha have often been tinged, at least in the last two years, with a strong note of sarcasm. Since this is to be our last letter to THE SHIELD we feel that perhaps a word of explanation might be appropriate for the less perceptive readers of our Fraternity's worthy publication.

Perhaps we have never really understood properly the exact nature of this publication though we have always recognized that its primary purpose was the dissemination of fraternity news between chapters, alumni organizations, and the national organization. However, we have always felt that THE SHIELD should be more than a mere newsletter. While we do not advocate that THE SHIELD should attempt to assume the nature or tone of a literary publication, we would be extremely pleased to find an occasional letter concerned with something more than parties, pledges, and platitudes heaped upon visiting Archons and the National. Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity is a large organization; since the days of Letterman and Moore its character has necessarily changed with its continued growth and with the changes in collegiate life.

As our letters have suggested in the past (and we hope will suggest in the future), it might just be conceivable that our Fraternity, its various organizations, councils and committees are not beyond criticism. It is only through positive criticism, debate, and discussion that positive change can come about. We feel that no organization, especially one of the size and with the aspirations of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, is in such a secure position, physically and ideologically, that it can continue in the growth and development envisioned by its founders without the pillar of strength that is a constant criticism and examination of self.\*

LAWRENCE G. TURNER, *Correspondent*

*\* The Editor concurs heartily with the noble sentiments expressed in the final paragraph of Brother Turner's letter. Phi Kappa Psi knows full well that "through positive criticism, debate and discussion . . . positive change can come about," and that "no organization . . . can continue in the growth and development envisioned by its founders without the pillar of strength that is a constant criticism and examination of self." To answer this need the Fraternity conducts annually either a District Council or a meeting of the Grand Arch Council. Virginia Alpha delegates to the 1957 meeting of the Second District Council arrived on its closing day; it was represented by a lone undergraduate delegate at the 1958 Grand Arch Council; and in 1959 failed to send any delegates to the Second District Council. Need anyone suggest a proper place for Virginia Alpha to begin a course of "examination of self?"*

#### **Virginia Beta—Washington & Lee University**

With the increase of madras jackets and the amount of plannings for a multitude of parties at Goshen Pass, it has definitely been established on campus that spring is here. Virginia Beta has gone along with the trends of this season and has planned two parties. Our Spring House Party will take place on the weekend of May 2, and the "Fabulous Tams" from North Carolina will provide the music. The social committee is enthusiastically making arrangements now, in order to assure a

successful party. In order to take advantage of the surrounding environment, John Esperian has organized a Shish-ka-bob Party at Goshen for brothers and their dates. Mr. Esperian Sr. will be visiting us from New Jersey and will be the official cook for this weekend.

On April 17, the University will hold its annual spring dance in Doremus Gymnasium. The business board, directed by Joe Craycroft, has made all arrangements for the dance. On Friday night the students will dance to the music of Duke Ellington, and on Saturday they will swing to the solid rhythm of the Dukes of Dixieland, who have just finished an engagement in Las Vegas. The theme of the dance, reported Joe Craycroft, will be "Nassau Vacation." Also contributing to the success of this dance will be John Esperian, who has been given the honorary position of vice-president of this dance set. John will assist in the art work of the twelve murals which will be painted.

Phi Psi is in a precarious position in the fight for the athletic awards, but there is nothing but optimism among the brothers. Right now we are in the running for the championship in IM football. There is a three way tie at this point which holds us in fourth place for the IM trophy. However in the freshmen class there is great potential for participation in the Sigma Delta Psi athletic awards. This is an honorary athletic fraternity, and all the requirements last year were completed by sophomore Flash Danko. On varsity teams, the number of Psi Psi players is very impressive. Those who made the varsity lacrosse team are Skip Horst, GP Hank Bohlman; and freshmen Ray Miller, and Bart Mitchell. Senior Skip Villerot is manager of the team this year. On the track team Dwight Chamberlain has been setting an impressive record in the 100-yd. dash, with Flash Danko and Joseph J. Smith participating in the high hurdles. Freshmen Jim Russ and George Van Sciver have made the varsity baseball team.

Elwin Law is to be congratulated for his work as head of the IM committee. He is also to be commended for his being chosen as one of fifty students in the United States to tour Europe. Elwin was picked by the Winant Volunteers, a non-denominational church organization. Orientation will begin in Scotland for six weeks, and then there will be six weeks of actual work in London. The participants are then given three weeks to be at their leisure in any part of Europe they wish to go. We all wish Elwin the best of luck and a most successful trip.

Since February, Virginia Beta has heard nothing except the discussion of the Founders Day Banquet that was held February 18 in Washington, D.C. The brothers who attended the meeting enjoyed the speech made by President Robert R. Elliot and want to congratulate Dr. Louis D. Corson on his election as new president of the Alumni Association in Washington. These brothers who attended the meeting were Hank Bohlman, GP; Tommy Martin; Davis Reed, VGP; Lloyd McMillan, BG;

Louis Horst, Eugene O'Dell, Franklin Smith, and Steve Leonard.

The brothers are looking forward to the District Council Meeting to be held on April 17-19 in Baltimore, Md. Those who will be representing Virginia Beta at the meeting are Hank Bohlman, GP; Lloyd McMillan, BG; Laurence Kingsbury, AG; and Louis Horst.

Virginia Beta wishes to thank Editor J. Duncan Campbell for his visit to the chapter on March 18. We appreciate his interest in our historical records and we hope that he will make frequent visits down here, and enjoy our hospitality more often. Brother Campbell noted that Virginia Beta has the oldest national Constitution of Phi Kappa Psi, dated 1854, and apparently the only surviving copy. He commented that this is "one of the rarest documents of Phi Psi that still exists."

In closing Virginia Beta wishes to extend the best of luck to all the brothers in hoping that they will have an enjoyable summer vacation.

LAURENCE KINGSBURY, *Correspondent*

#### **North Carolina Alpha—Duke University**

In the Spring, a young man's fancy turns to how much he spent in Fort Lauderdale. All the brethren made it back from vacation to the limestone portals of the house . . . a little more tan, a little less keratoid. Bob Moore and his girl pushed deep into the heart of the Bahamas, and returned with four gallons of some exotic amber fluid, to the joy of the assembled brotherhood.

On campus, things continue well. In his position as chairman, GP John (Boss) Harrington has led the Campus Party in a sweeping victory at the polls. John's boys took eight out of the ten elected offices. As a result of the recent elections, Brian Thiessen is now the senior senator in the MSGA senate, and Dave Sanford has a post on the Publications Board. Recognition comes also for Roswell Smith, new business manager of WDBS radio, and to Brother Thiessen, who is Adjutant Recorder of the Arnold Air Society. (There is some investigation to see what the Arnold Air Society is.)

Brother Duncan Campbell visited us in March, and gave us an informative address on the advantages of belonging to a national fraternity.

The high points of the social calendar are to be the Spring Formal at the Raleigh Country Club, and Joe College Weekend. In connection with the Formal Dance, we are proud to announce that our bowling team is now tied for first place in the league.

One other note in sports: We would like to announce that Bob Lane is the best IM athlete who has ever come to Duke. We really would like to.

Well, as Copernicus once said: "That's about the size of it." The Brothers of North Carolina Alpha wish you a really fraternal summer.

OLIVER J. EDWARDS, *Correspondent*

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#### **Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington and Jefferson College**

Penn Alpha's harbinger of spring, Stan March, officially ushered in the season yesterday by taking the season's first on-the-roof sunbath, and our thoughts are lightly turned to thoughts of the Greek Sing-Jeff Duo Weekend. This year the Phi Gams are playing host for the festivities which include an afternoon cocktail party and a combo party in the evening. Singing coach Ivan Breckbill is conducting feverish practice sessions in preparation for the IF Sing. It is not known where Ivan acquired the music, but it is rumored that it was originally written by Lawrence Welk for Bill Haley and his Comets.

Bill Griffin, Jack Garlitz, and Bud Barnitz recently returned from the District Council at Allegheny College, bringing with them many new ideas on rushing, scholarship, and other subjects. All of us would like to publicly express our appreciation and thanks to the brothers of Penn Beta for the fine job done by them in preparing and conducting the District III Council.

Congratulations are in order for several of the brothers. Ex-GP Ron Salvitti recently was accepted for the class of 1963 at the Temple Medical School, and Bill Milroth, a junior pre-med, was married to Washington Hospital Nurse Pat Dolittle. Good luck Bill and Ron!

In IM sports, coach Steve Mihalek brought home the IM basketball trophy with his fine team of hoopsters, and Stan (Dooner) March is well on his way to making it four in a row for the IM track trophy. At this writing the Phi Psis lead the other member of the Jeff Duo, which shall remain nameless, by 5 points.

In cooperation with the Pittsburgh Bicentennial Celebration, we are planning to duplicate the famous Whiskey Rebellion as soon as some civic-minded individual provides the 9 barrels of whiskey. Not only is Washington the cradle of the Whiskey Rebellion, it is also a little known fact that here famous soldier-statesman-bartender Gen Thaddeus T. Sera poured the shot heard round the world.

BUD BARNITZ, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College**

Spring has reluctantly returned to Meadville and the thoughts of the Brothers of Penn Beta have turned to baseball, softball, Brooks Hall, and spring offensives.

The District III Council Meeting held here on March 26-28 proved to be enjoyable as well as educational. We are indebted to Brothers J. Duncan Campbell, John Henry Frizzell, and C. F. (Dab)

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Williams for their inspiration throughout the meeting and especially at the banquet on the 27th. John Henry was principal speaker and when he was finished we were all more dedicated to the aims and ideals of Phi Kappa Psi.

The inspiration of Duncan, Dab, and John Henry was extended to the Penn Beta Corporation with whom they and several Brothers met at a special luncheon during the District Council. The results of this meeting were that the Corporation and the active Brothers are starting plans for a fund drive to raise money for a complete remodeling and addition to the chapter house.

The Brothers of Penn Beta enjoyed being hosts for the District Council and we hope it was as worth while for Brothers of District III as it was for us.

In scholarship, Penn Beta placed third among seven fraternities on campus, a fraction of a percentage point out of second place. John Grant recently has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, for which our congratulations are extended.

We are well represented on Allegheny's baseball team by Keppel, Stranburg and Fleming, and Pledges Berry, Ravenscroft, Boushie, Beckert and Parkinson.

Brook, Lecky, Wheeler, Fulton, Schneiman, and Bastian are holding down the fort for the Phi Psis on the track team.

During the past varsity swimming season John Grant, Ed David, and Pledge Bruce Carlile led Allegheny to win the President's Athletic Conference Swimming Championship. These three men were on the winning 440-yd. relay team and Carlile won the butterfly breast stroke contest assuring Allegheny of the win.

Silverman has recently been elected vice-president of National and International Affairs in the election of officers for the student government. GP Dave Hoag has also been recently elected vice-president of the senior class. Both men will take office next fall.

In the race for the IM trophy the Red and Green is still in a good position to win with softball and tennis remaining to be played. At the next IFC banquet, we will be presented with trophies for winning basketball, football and volleyball. Penn Beta was undefeated in both football and basketball. The volleyball and basketball teams represented Allegheny at the President's Athletic Conference IM Tournaments in Cleveland. The basketball team took first place, the volleyball team a fourth.

Recently the Brothers gathered at the chapter house for the annual "Playboy Party" which proved to be a huge success under the guiding hand of our illustrious social chairman, Stuart Sherman. One of the highlights of the day was at the picnic held in the afternoon when Harry Smith, Allegheny's Carnival King and Meadville Freedom Fighter, fell in Woodcock Creek for the third time in three years. The Brothers wish to acknowledge

Brother Harold's commendable record and are looking forward to next year's performance.

Finally, to change to a serious note again: Penn Beta would like to wish all the best to our graduating seniors: Bill Henry, Elwood Hughes, Frank Maldonado, Jack Keppel, John Grant, Ernie Cain, and Sloane Barker. We are indebted to them for all they have done for Phi Kappa Psi.

TOM KENNEDY, *Correspondent*

#### **Pennsylvania Lambda—Pennsylvania State University**

Now that the excessive rushing period is over, Penn Lambda would like to announce its new pledge class, consisting of twelve fine prospects: Tom Bryan and Kirk Hughes, Pittsburgh; George Blackham, Glenshaw; Bill Long, Dillsburg; Bob Johnson, Corry; Ken Miller, Allentown; Jay MacMullan, Butler; Bill Moyer and Matt Benner, Sellersville; John Waters, Camp Hill; Wayne Chupko, Johnstown; and Sam Ryan, Staten Island, N.Y.

In IM sports Phi Psi has dropped for first to third place for the all-around trophy, although we were in the finals and quarter-finals in swimming and basketball, respectively.

Once again, Phi Psi continues to be well represented in campus activities. Marlin Stover has returned from student teaching to resume his position on the baseball team while Jim O'Connor represents us in outdoor track. Warren Armstrong and George McTurk were recently initiated into Alpha Delta Sigma, professional advertising fraternity. In addition George was appointed business manager of *The Daily Collegian* for the coming year. On April 12, Bill Russ was initiated into Thespians.

One of the finest honors Phi Psi has been given was the national honor bestowed upon our past fall GP, Howie Maierhofer. In early March Howie was one of the few chosen to represent Penn State in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." Congratulations, Howie, from all of us.

Cupid has again triumphed here at Lambda with two weddings. Recently alumni Walt Lowman and John Soper took the marriage vows. Some of the brothers traveled to the weddings, and at Walt's it seems Al Beliasov really had a great time with jokes, songs, and champagne.

We would like to welcome officially Warren Armstrong, a transfer from Penn Zeta. Warren has really shown that he is a valuable addition to our ranks by his industrious work and his interest in behalf of the chapter.

In addition, Penn Lambda would like to thank John Henry Frizzell for his gift of sanctuary lamps for the chapter room. They were very much appreciated and will certainly add to the formality of our meetings.

DAVID F. WILLIAMS, *Correspondent*



### West Virginia Alpha—West Virginia University

On March 15, fourteen more pledges were initiated into the brotherhood of Phi Kappa Psi. The following are the new Phi Psis: Howard Preston Boggess, Fairmont; Fred Carson Brooks, Morgantown; John Baker Carrico, Charleston; Jerry Arnold Hammett, Parkersburg; William Turner Kump, Elkins; Kirk Bernard Nolte, Wheeling; Harvey Jefferson Simmons, Charleston; Gary Franklin Spencer, Belle; Ward Day Stone, Jr., Morgantown; Jerry Ralph Sturm, Flemington; Thomas Henry Wall, Charleston; William Robert Wills Jr., Beckley; Raymond Karl Yagle, Morgantown; and Harold Stanford Yost, Paden City.

The initiation ceremony was conducted by Past President Harlan B. Selby. The main speaker at the initiation banquet was J. Duncan Campbell, editor of *THE SHIELD*. West Virginia Alpha was also honored by the visit of Ralph D. Daniel, national secretary, and Rollyn Seawell, field secretary. Also, on hand were Dr. Louis Corson, scholarship director, and Past President W. Lyle Jones. The initiation was a success thanks to the fine job done by each of the above.

The "old days" are finally returning to West Virginia Alpha. The Phi Psis captured first place in the men's division at the Sphinx Talent Show. They also added the traveling cup to the trophy case for the best act in the show. The chapter is indebted to Charles Mahan for the fine job he did in directing.

Phi Kappa Psi is, at the moment, in the finals of the IF basketball league. This is a big step in the battle for the All-Year Cup. With track and softball coming, things are looking up.

Jack Bowman has been elected student body president at West Virginia University. This is a great honor for Brother Bowman and the chapter. Chuck Dusic has been named editor of the "Monticola," WVU yearbook.

George Kincaid has been elected Archon of the Third District. The chapter is certainly proud of this honor as we know Brother Kincaid will do an outstanding job.



On hand early for West Virginia Alpha's initiation ceremony were Past Presidents Harlan B. Selby, left, and W. Lyle Jones, right. Secretary R. D. Daniel, center, is "Mountaineer-by-adoption."



Fourteen new golden shields, fourteen wide smiles.

Phi Kappa Psi has added six more pledges for the second semester: William Morgam, Charleston; James Stump, Grantsville; Robert Peyton, Wheeling; Richard Haden, Morgantown; Jerry Snyder, St. Albans; and Charles Tonchar, Weirton. The pledges recently had a very successful banquet for their big brothers.

West Virginia Alpha recently invited the alumni of Morgantown to a dinner and a chapter meeting. All enjoyed this gathering as the relationship between the active chapter and the local alumni is of utmost importance to West Virginia Alpha.

At present, we are hard at work preparing for the Mothers Day Sing, this year directed by Tom Dotson.

We would like to congratulate the Phi Psis at the University of California for their fine basketball team. We are looking forward to playing you again next year.

GEORGE B. VIEWEG III, *Correspondent*

### Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University

After a week filled with fun and games, a great deal of work, and climaxed by the annual "Serenade to the Pledges" under our spiraling staircase, eleven more pledges were initiated into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. In order of initiation they are: James Perrin, Wilmette, Ill.; John Ginaven, Akron; Charles Howard, Harlan, Ky.; Richard Ellenberger, Erie, Pa.; David Price, Ridgefield, Conn.; William Harper, Pittsford, N.Y.; Eric Anderson, Southwick, Mass.; Wayne Kutz, Euclid; William Vigor, Brecksville; John Gilmore, Lancaster, and Drew Peacock, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Congratulations to Dick Ellenberger who received this year's "Most Valuable Pledge Award." Dick was an outstanding member of the swimming team, compiled very close to a B-average, and showed a great deal of interest in fraternity activities.

Initiation was followed by spring elections with Ron Oches being re-elected as GP and Jon Denney taking over the duties of VGP. We are looking forward to another prosperous year under the leadership of these two very capable men. Other of-





Ohio Alpha "Most valuable pledge" Dick Ellenberger, left, receives award from last year's winner, Bob Roark.

Officers are: Bob Ginaven and Jim Sulzycki re-elected as BG and AG; Gene Cawood, P; John Warren, SG; John Ginaven, Hod; George Bitner, re-elected as Phu; Jim Perrin, Hi; Ron Koch, Pledge Trainer; and Skip Dodson, Parliamentarian.

Ohio Alpha is doing very well in both varsity athletics and intramurals. Don Pierce and Gene Cawood are key men on the tennis and golf teams, respectively. Backing Don in tennis are Bill Vigor and Jim Perrin, and swinging behind Gene in golf are Dave Price and John Mitchell. Representing Phi Psi in track are Bucky Vigor, Don Bourquard, and Bill Harper; in lacrosse, Fred Fri and Bob Ginaven; and in baseball, Tobin Koota. In intramurals, Ohio Alpha placed second in wrestling, with John Price and Tobin Koota copping individual championships, and third in swimming. Presently we are working hard in all intramural sports as we have an excellent chance to win the IFC intramural trophy.

At last our chapter house is well on its way to becoming reality. Work on the building began shortly after last minute details were attended to at a meeting of the Alumni House Corporation in March. Among those attending the meeting were local alumni Dave Reaney, treasurer; Gus Stewart, secretary; and Donald Watkins. Visiting alumni were Ed Cawood, president; Ed McFarland, and Dr. Bill Vigor.

We are looking forward to the Bohemian Beatnik party to be given in our honor by the brothers of Ohio Delta. The party is our reward for trouncing them in the annual football game between the two chapters that was played last fall. This is either the third or fourth year in a row (we have lost count) that we have succeeded in subduing them and we are expecting to continue this precedent in the future, *ad infinitum*.

JIM SULZYCKI, *Correspondent*

#### Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College

Spring! Ah, that time of year is here again. Everyone at Ohio Beta seems to be touched with this strange malady that overpowers all college students. As yet we have not had any real warm weather but the brothers are checking their turling gear in anticipation of the first warm day. All that is needed for the fine sport of turling is a blanket and a shady spot of grass and a female of the species *Homo Sapiens*. It's a wonder that anything gets done around here. But, who wants to?

Elections were held this month and the following men were elected: Jim Kunde, GP; Jay Ackerman, VGP; Larry Palmer, BG; Joe Bender, P; George Scheerer, Phu; Jerry Perry, Hod; and Dick Peard, Hi. We all feel that these men will give Ohio Beta the strong leadership it has had in the past. Jim Kunde was also elected president of IFC. This, of course, places Ohio Beta in a prestige position it hasn't enjoyed for some time.

Varsity Nite has just been completed and the IF Sing is fast approaching. Peter Hanes was Varsity Nite chairman. Ohio Beta put on a show centering around a small island in the Pacific. The show, even though we received no trophy, was a smashing success. The sing is our next project.

Spring formals are here again and Ohio Beta is planning one for April 24. The theme is "Moonlight and Roses" and is under the direction of Dennis Walterreit. Still thinking in the formal mood, there were two formal serenades given for Brothers Stroh and Hanes. Brother Stroh and his girl, Jane Herrod, were serenaded in front of the Gamma Phi Beta house and Pete Hanes and Diane Grossett in front of the Alpha Xi Delta house. There were receptions held at both houses after the serenade.

Ohio Beta is also planning a few telephone booth and car stuffing sessions in the future. Anybody have an old Jaguar they don't want?

TIM MASTEN, *Correspondent*

#### Ohio Delta—Ohio State University

Spring has come and once again we are anticipating our favorite season of picnics, serenades, and "Help" week. Unfortunately, the brothers can't forget the books and so the grind will continue.

Our latest event was the annual Pigalle Party held on April 4 at the Penguin Club. To collaborate with the French motif, the brothers and their dates wore French attire. Garters were given as favors and the party proved quite successful. Our next function will be the annual Family Banquet, to be held April 13. Along with the usual weekend parties, the quarter's social events will be highlighted with the spring formal and an all-day party at Skyland Ranch. Also, in the near future we will play host to the Phi Psis of Ohio Alpha.

Help Week in drawing near with nine sturdy neophytes impatiently awaiting their test. These brave men are: Paul Smith, Marietta; Bill Atkinson, Mansfield; Bruce Ewing, Barberton; Pete Minges, Cincinnati; Ross Austin, Bowling Green;

and Carl Berke, Dick Winegarner, Fred Thomas and Jon Boyes, all of Columbus. You will learn their outcome in the next issue.

Last quarter on February 13, the following men were initiated into the mysteries of the Fraternity: Don Bandy, Washington C.H.; Bud Porter, Reynoldsburg; and Gene Eddy, Marietta.

We are proud to announce that Jack Campbell is the proud father of a new baby girl.

Scholarship took first place in the house last quarter with Bill Kern and Ralph Hoffman attaining a 4.00. Congratulations to these men and to nine others who received 3.00 and above. However, there is still room for improvement and we hope to do even better this quarter.

As house elections will be held soon, the brothers would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank GP Steve Boynton, VGP Jerry Mollica, and P. Matt Kolb for their untiring efforts devoted to the smooth functioning and continuous improvement of the chapter.

Since this will be the last issue until fall, Ohio Delta hopes that all of you will have a fine summer vacation. If you are traveling through Columbus, stop in and meet the brothers.

DICK HARTLEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Epsilon—Case Institute of Technology**

IM sports and scholarship—seems like an impossible task to excel in both! Ohio Epsilon has had the good fortune to be among the leaders in both categories. Last semester found Ohio Epsilon in second place in scholarship (only one one-hundredth of first). This naturally put us well above the all campus and all fraternity average. We found that we have sixteen men on the Dean's list with John Donnell Jr., Past Archon Bill Kitchel, Chuck Rohde, and Ken Shumate having high honors, 2.5 or better out of 3.0.

Ohio Epsilon also finds itself second in the all-sports race under the leadership of Jim Frye, IM chairman. We won wrestling, with Carl Bochmann and Leo Enggasser winning their respective weight classes. We also won IM swimming (taking eleven out of fourteen trophies), and placed second in bowling. Practices have begun for track, softball, and tennis, while handball is now in progress.

Case's President, Dr. T. Keith Glennan, has taken a leave of absence to assume leadership of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. In his place, Dr. Kent Smith (Ohio Epsilon '17), chairman of the board of the Lubrizol Corporation, is acting President. Phi Kappa Psi and Ohio Epsilon is honored to have a man such as Dr. Smith assume the leadership at Case Tech.

Ohio Epsilon is in the process of laying plans for its BIG Alumni Weekend to be held April 10-11. The ball is rolling fast under the leadership of Lee Huff. We hope it proves to become an annual affair and that all chapters have some event set aside to honor their alumni.

Case Tech's annual Sing-Off found Ohio Epsilon taking third place under some tough competition.

Under the direction of Fritz Beaumont we sang "To the First Cherished Altar" and "Seventy-Six Trombones."

Rehearsals are starting for Junior Stunt Night. Chairman Terry Farmer is busy casting parts and assigning staging jobs.

Social chairman Jim Graff is also quite busy. Final preparations are being made for our annual Spring Formal to be held at the Mentor Harbor Yacht Club on April 25.

Spring is here, and the young man's fancy is keeping the pledge class busy and the pond crowded. Ball gloves are making an appearance and so are the legs of the fairer sex. Ohio Epsilon hopes you all have a safe and happy summer and will be looking forward to hearing from you again next Fall.

DAVE NELSON, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Zeta—Bowling Green State University**

With the arrival of warm weather Ohio Zeta is eagerly entering Bowling Green's program of outdoor activities. Among the features of the next few weeks we will be engaged in building a float for the spring weekend parade; we also will be constructing a vehicle for a chariot race. The brothers and pledges are getting good exercise in practicing for the annual bike race to be held in a few weeks.

We are now in the midst of a very successful pledge program. Our eight prospective Brothers are: Dick Frey, John Molnar, Joe Meeker, Joe Cherry, Nick Essinger, Mike Leymaster, David Fishero and Dal Horvath.

We are all proud of our scholarship achievements, rising to fifth place among the sixteen fraternities, with a point average of 2.53. In the meantime, however, the extra-curricular campus activities have not been neglected. Mark Deerwester and Barry Cobb are now in rehearsal for Bowling Green's next major theater production, "Cyrano de Bergerac." We all enjoyed Bob Kinstle's portrayal of a dying sea captain in the University's last major production, "Streets of New York" presented last March.

Our alumnus financial advisor Hal Dick, and GP Keith Sanders are presently drawing up a genealogy of Ohio Zeta, tracing the little brothers' and big brothers' family tree back to the original seven founders of Beta Sigma. All alumni who have not answered the questionnaire they received concerning the genealogy are asked to do so at once. Also, will anyone who knows the address of Hugh Strowder Smith Jr. (No. 54), or William E. Welter (No. 77), please contact the chapter?

JAC CARRICK, *Correspondent*

#### **Ohio Eta—University of Toledo**

Ohio Eta ended a very successful rush season for second semester, by pledging sixteen men: David Antolini, Paul Arndt, Ted Brewer, James DeVilbiss, William Marohn, Steven Paluck, John Shugar, David Wolford, Roi Young, John O'Donnell, and William Dukes, all of Toledo; William Croft, Sylva-

nia: Frank Nark, Maumee; John Oberwegner, Louisville, Ky.; and Raymond Radabaugh, Lorain. This was the top pledge class on campus in all respects. They will be under the able leadership of trainer Willie Schmidt.

We were not too successful in IFC basketball, however, in our bid for a second championship in a row. We finished in fourth place. Soon IFC softball will be underway, and we should be tough. With Chuck Farrell coaching, and Stan Walkowiak pitching, we'll be the team to beat.

We are now in the process of preparing for IFC Songfest. We have a good song and we all feel that this is our year. Besides the odds are on our side, because we can't always lose. Mary Drake will be directing again this year. Plans are also being made for the annual Spring Formal, which will probably be at Cedar Point again this year. We invited the Chi Omega's to our annual Sorority Basketball Tournament. After trying very hard the Big Green of Phi Psi were beaten by the superior team. Then there was a party afterwards where everyone had more intellectual forms of entertainment. Greek Week is about to begin and Bob Berning will represent us as a candidate for Greek Week King. He is presently bargaining with Van Gogh to have a portrait made. At the recent celebration of Founders Day we also celebrated the burning of our mortgage. It took place at the Sunningdale Country Club, and we had a good representation of alumni with us. The active chapter is very appreciative of the help and co-operation of our alumni in buying our house.

Ohio Eta was the host for an all-Ohio Phi Psi basketball tournament recently. Ohio Beta, Epsilon, Zeta, and Eta were in the tournament. It began with Beta and Zeta playing and at the same time, Epsilon and Eta. The winners of these two games were Beta and Epsilon, who then met for the championship. The boys from Wittenberg were real basketball players and beat Case. We were really amazed at this team's win because the tournament was fixed from the beginning, but we lost anyway. After the games were over we all went to the house for a dinner after which captain Kent Kazmier of the Beta team was presented with the trophy. After the dinner there was a victory celebration in Beta's honor at the Stork's Nest. We would like to thank the chapters that took part in the tournament and hope everyone enjoyed it as much as we did.

In June a number of brothers will be graduating. To Brothers Chuck Farrell, Norm DeMars, Terry Nessif, Terry Gorman, and Jim Connors, best of luck and may the future bring success.

JIM CONNORS, *Correspondent*

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### **Medical Director**

DR. S. EVERT SVENSEN, N.Y. Beta '32, is the new medical director of biological research for Hoffmann-La Roche, Inc.

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### **Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan**

Midsemester at Michigan Alpha seems to be the appropriate time for all the brothers to get caught up in past due homework, partially to have a successful semester but more so to make up for a too enjoyable, not as scholastically successful, fall term. Thanks to this practice our scholarship record in the past years has been improved.

However, study breaks have been more unusual this past semester. One evening the brothers heard a commotion in back of the house, and upon investigation found two raccoons and Brother Ballard high up in one of the trees. After an hour of firecrackers, spotlights, tree-shaking, thorough hosing and disappearance of one raccoon, the other soaked animal was left in peace.

Founders Day at Michigan Alpha was enjoyed by those men attending the banquet at the University Club in Detroit. The Detroit area alumni voted Michigan Alpha as the "better" singing group over Michigan Beta and we received a fine silver pitcher for our efforts. We hope next year we can more deservedly retain this trophy.

Our spring rush brought five fine men into the pledge world of our fraternity. Included in this group are Stephen Bennett, of Ann Arbor; Jonathan Durfee, Oberlin, Ohio; Gordon Lawton, Lathrup Village; Douglas Rasmussen, Richmond; and John Ullrich, Kalamazoo.

The main efforts at 1550 Washtenaw are now directed toward the District Council which we will host April 24-26. Those attending will stay at the Michigan Union where all meetings will be held, and social activities will be in the chapter house. The social calendar includes a wild west gambling party sponsored by Harold's Club in Reno, Nevada, and a typical Michigan Alpha Saturday night dancing party. In all, the weekend should be fruitful and enjoyable.

Our spring weekend will close with our annual Mothers Weekend and the spring pledge formal.

AL DICKERSON, *Correspondent*

### **Michigan Beta—Michigan State University**

The coming of spring to Michigan Beta has left strange and wondrous effects on Michigan State University's campus. After baffling the administration and dazzling the University with a move from twenty-second to third place among fraternities scholastically (for which we received a scholarship improvement trophy), we continued to amaze the troops by snatching a trophy in Spartacade for the third time in as many entries from the hands of our competitors.

From a membership standpoint, Phi Psi is again shining brightly. Although winter rush was com-

paratively poor, we were able to initiate 100 per cent of the pledge class (all three) into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. Our newest initiates are Max Beardslee, Sheridan; Chris Christensen, Alma; and Frank Doty, Detroit. Spring rush, however has been progressing with far above normal success. Even though rush hasn't terminated, we are assured of at least nine new bodies running around saying "Sir," with a possibility of four more. Our new pledges are: Paul Nelson, Buffalo, N.Y.; Ed Goodwin, Horton; Dave Atlee, Lansing; Walt Lindeboom, Oceanside, N.Y.; Bill Rocco, Ithaca, N.Y.; Jim Hedges, Joliet, Ill.; Walt Brown, Grand Rapids; Hank Hey, Grosse Pointe; and Bruce Bandurski, Michigan City, Ind.

On an individual level, signs of spring moved many from winter's hibernative settlement to various degrees of violent action. Jim Merritt ran out and got married to Myone Riley. This delighted the poker players in the house in that a new site for advanced study in mathematical probability was provided at Brother Merritt's new quarters.

The releases from winter's drabness took more expensive forms for others of the brothers. Walt Kuenzli was moved to purchase a bright, shiny, new Volkswagon convertible, while conservative Tom Protsman, conservative GP of our conservative chapter, conservatively purchased a conservative 1958 Chevrolet business coupe.

Having thus elevated himself into the limelight, Tom was duly elected to chief justice of Michigan State University traffic court. Needless to say Michigan Beta is no longer worrying about traffic violations. Other recent out-of-house elections include Ken Haveman to member-at-large in IFC, and Pete Olson and Doug St. John to Union Board.

Hardly subtracting from Michigan Beta's usual confused atmosphere, the coming and going of brothers has not subsided one iota. Al Walton has returned from his annual pilgrimage to Mexico, while John Kipley and Walt Kuenzli seemed to think that spring was not meant to be wasted on studying. (Some people will do anything to get out of ROTC drill.) Other deletions from the ranks of Michigan Beta will result from the graduation of Buck (Bret Maverick) Chapman and Fred (Gigles) Kinnamen.

Despite his hasty exist, Walt Kuenzli did succeed in fulfilling his promise to provide the chapter with a mascot. So now Michigan Beta is the proud owner of a rare Red-faced Ukari monkey. Aside from a distinct lack of manners and certain flaws in his toilet training, the monkey has adapted to fraternity life quite well.

DOUGLAS A. ST. JOHN, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Alpha—DePauw University**

Indiana Alpha greeted spring with elections of new officers. Handling the gavel as GP will be Bob Gibson. He will be assisted by Bill Campbell, VGP; Mike Bentzen, P; Bob Sharp, BG; John Tener, AG; Tom Abel, Phu; Fred Roberts, Hod; Walt Stewart, SG; and Terry Umbriet, Hi.

Spring rush, headed by Jim Trees, got off with a bang as the first member of the class of '63 was pledged. He is Dave Butcher, of Indianapolis, a top student (1 out of 700) and school leader. With rush weekends so prominent on the social calendar, new house manager Jim Dillon has been earnestly cleaning up the old Rockpile for guests, with the help, of course, of all his frosh brothers.

March 14 marked the initiation of eleven pledge brothers into the mystic bonds of Phi Kappa Psi. Those inducted were: Tom Abel, Noblesville; Don Ake, Richmond; Jim Dillon, Noblesville; Mike Evans, Blue Island, Ill.; John Holdeman, South Bend; Jim Lashley, Charleston, W.Va.; Ron Randall, Monticello; Fred Roberts, North Manchester; Jim Stringfellow (selected as the outstanding pledge), Huntington; Bill Vesey, Ft. Wayne; and Jim Zerface, Monticello.

Phi Psi played a major role again this winter in the DePauw sports program. With eight varsity letter winners in three sports, we easily topped the campus in monogram awards. Honored were Rich Howson and Phil Houston in basketball, Jim Trees (also Little State champion), Pete Work, and Hakki Ogelman in wrestling, and John Holdeman, Bob Lee, and Bill Campbell in swimming.

The rhines proved their worth, too, as they copped four numeral awards. Jim Zerface, Fred Roberts and Ron Randall were all starters on the hardwood squad, while Ed Van Riper excelled on the mats. Spring sports find Alpha represented by four lettermen on the baseball team and four on the track squad.

Alpha Phi Omega, national scouting honorary, was dominated by the brothers in the recent elections. Mike Bentzen heads the list as president, while Dick Holdeman is vice-president and Rich Howson holds down the treasurer's post. Bob Sharp, managing editor of *The DePauw*, was elected vice-president of Sigma Delta Chi. Senior Karl Nordling stepped down as SDX prexy, receiving many plaudits for an outstanding job.

Two Alpha brothers were honored recently at the annual Gridiron banquet, jointly sponsored by SDX-ADS to roast leading campus personalities and senior men. Dick Bruehl was recognized for classroom excellence by being awarded the "sienna proboscis" trophy, while Terry Savage achieved campus notoriety in copping the coveted "horn" award.

Phi Beta Kappa tapped seniors Rip Ripley and Jack Klingensmith at its annual chapel program. Rip is the retiring president of Student Senate, as well as managing editor of *The DePauw* and a member of Gold Key. Recipient of two graduate fellowships already (Woodrow Wilson and Danforth Foundation), he plans to go on to Harvard for graduate study in history. Jack will continue his studies at Northwestern Law School.

The fast-becoming annual pilgrimage to sunny Lauderdale has converted some ten brothers into deeply-tanned, suave and sophisticated socialites, waiting in anticipation of Alpha's big social docket

this spring. Already on tap is the annual spring house dance on May 8, plus a lawn party before the Prom (which will feature Stan Kenton). Symposium will be held, as usual, on June 6. We're looking forward to seeing as many alumni as possible come back to meet our gracious new house-mother, Mrs. John Edwards, who is completing her first year with us.

JOHN TENER, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Beta—Indiana University**

Well, things have really been moving here at 1022 E. Third the past few weeks. I think excerpts from Past President Tommy Cookson's letter to the alumni can explain it far better than I am able, so I quote:

"Saturday, March 14, 1959 will henceforth be known as one of the great days in the history of Indiana Beta Chapter of Phi Kappa Psi because on that day 57 alumni Brothers met with the Chapter and enthusiastically set up an organization that will lift Indiana Beta to the former position at the top. It was wonderful, inspiring and constructive reunion that topped anything of the kind in more than a quarter of a century."

Tommy continued: "We got down to business at 2:30 p.m. in the old Chapter Hall with about a half dozen of the actives present. The story of the decline of the Chapter and the feeling that we can no longer compete with many other fraternities was first brought out . . . it was quickly evident that we were agreed upon getting something done immediately that will begin to raise the Chapter to its old fighting stance. We believe we did this. There are now at work many willing alumni who, before the meeting, had been royally ignored. Everybody agreed to go to work. And we have letters from many of you who couldn't come to the meeting telling of your readiness to help in any program adopted."

Tommy then reported on the official meeting of Phi Kappa Psi, Indiana Beta, Inc. A board of directors were elected and Beta extends the warmest welcome to these brothers. They are: Philip Cornelius, Dr. Richard Davis, Wade Free, Willis Hickam, John Mutz, James Rogers, James Tucker, Richard Adams, Robert Allen, Thomas Cookson, Nat U. Hill, Thomas Meglemre, Frederick Miller, Richard Quaintance, George Riester, and Paul Jasper, who will serve as ex-officio member in his capacity as GP of the Chapter.

A Building, a Real Estate, a Finance, and a Fraternity committee were appointed after the business meeting, as well as a Membership committee.

Richard C. Quaintance, assistant dean of the Law School here was appointed alumnus advisor of the Chapter. We congratulate the directors on their choice and Beta extends a hearty welcome to Brother Quaintance.

A big meeting will be at the Chapter House on Saturday, June 6, and Sunday, the 7th. This meeting, similar to the one just held, coincides with the

University commencement days of June 5-8. I hope this letter reaches you before this meeting so you can make plans to attend. Every brother is welcome to come down to the house and visit. The work done at the last meeting and the visit of the alumni was more than to be hoped in the good that it did. We'd like to see all of the alumni return for this meeting.

The chapter has been proud to have Kent Owen selected as the chairman of the Organized party here at the University. This is an exceedingly important and busy post to hold, for student body elections are coming up on April 16. Kent, in serving as chairman, is heading the Organized party in its annual battle with the Independent party.

Marty Flynn has served as president of the Student Body for this academic year and has done a tremendous job. Beta feels extremely proud to be represented by Marty in student government.

With "Little 500" fever reaching epidemic proportions as the race draws nearer to its May 9 date, our team is working harder than ever to keep the trophy won by Phi Psi last year. The work that these brothers and pledges are doing in preparation for the race is magnanimous. We are justly proud of our team, win or lose. The desire is there, and you can't ask for more.

MICHAEL MCCOY, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Gamma—Wabash College**

Spring has sprung (more or less) in the lovely college town of Crawfordsville and once again the brothers and pledges of Indiana Gamma have the urge. What urge? Nothing definite, just the urge. Sometimes it takes the form of an increase in activities, spring sports, grades(?), etc. More often, however, the urge results in recumbent bodies on the living room and front porch floors and on the spacious expanse of brown which we fondly refer to as our lawn, broken only by "Misch's Folly," a gaping hole which was part of our Homecoming decorations. Several newsboys, riding across the yard, have bitterly complained that the upright bamboo splinters embedded in the bottom of the pit are hard on their tires. Oh well, the pledges must have their kicks.

Back to the matter at hand. We should grant some recognition to those stalwarts who have been greeting the return of the swallows with physical endeavor. Dave Krizman and Jon Templin are on the tennis team. Dave is the number one man on the team, as well as the winner of the MVP award last year. Chris Johnson is shooting for his old berth on the golf team and GP Chuck Sanders remained out for baseball long enough to get a new cap.

Gamma is represented on the track team by three pledges: Dick Alexander, a letter winner in cross-country, hurdler Skip Gilkerson, and 440-man Terry Fewell. Skip picked up a first in the lows in Wabash's first meet and shows great promise of improving his time.

In the winter sports, Jim Mewhinney and Zack Lazar wrestled on Wabash's little state champion team. Jim earned his letter by literally starving himself into the 130-lb. class and Zack wrestled 165. Both are sophomores.

We are keeping close on the pace in the scramble for the IM trophy, picking up firsts in badminton and the indoor track meet. The bowling team picked up third place in that sport. Basketball is the only sport in which we have finished less than third. With softball and track being the only sports left, we are hoping to secure enough points for the championship trophy.

Leaving athletics we come to the social life at Indiana Gamma. A highly successful jungle-type pledge dance was given by our pledges. I say successful because, although several of the brothers got slightly damp, nobody actually fell in the pond which cut the dance floor in half. Pan Hel is the next big event on the social calendar. Plans include the acquisition of a vulture for our booth. We hope the crittur won't be too hungry, since we're running short enough on pledges these days.

Kudos must be given Meade Killion and the all-male choir for the latest song contest plaque, which we picked up at the Founders Day Banquet in Indianapolis.

Bill Harvey really deserves a hand for his work in reactivating the "Caveman," Gamma's combined alumni newsletter and rush booklet. "Zilch" and his staff worked very hard at this. We would appreciate hearing from you alumni about this and also sending us news items. If any of you didn't receive a "Caveman," please send us your address and we will send one out by return mail. We are hoping to get out another issue in May.

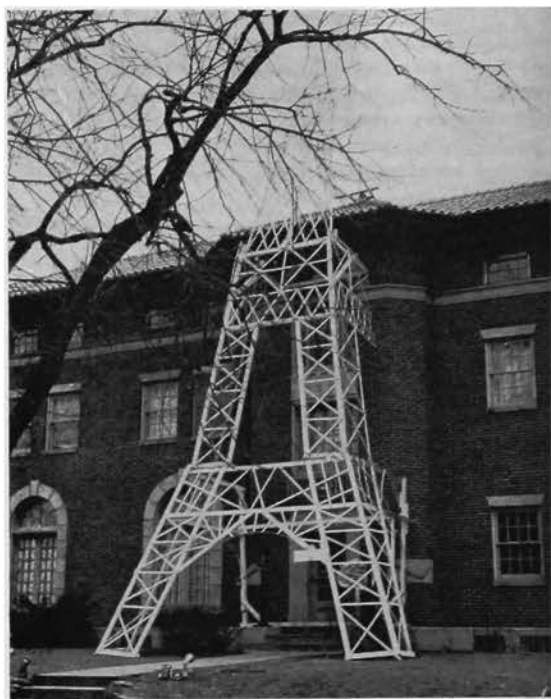
LYNN KELLEY, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Delta—Purdue University**

The brothers were extremely happy to learn that Phi Psi had placed first in scholastic improvement according to the first semester scholastic report released by the Dean of Men. *Our standing went from 40 out of 40 to 9 out of 40.* Now everyone is pulling for a great second semester so that we can win the Scholarship Improvement Award. The award is given on a yearly basis.

We note in the reports of some other chapters, such as Arizona Alpha, that there seems to be some sort of trend among Phi Psi TV watchers. We are glad to see this, but wonder if it might not be the reason for some of the grade reports which we have noticed. But far be it from Indiana Delta, whose members are among the most avid Maverick fans in the nation, to discourage the nationwide trend.

March 13 was the date of the Jeff Hop, held this year after a one year hiatus. The Hop was held in the ballrooms of the Purdue Memorial Union and was, according to all reports, a tremendous success. We hope that the Jeff Hop will continue



**Indiana Delta pledges ignored brothers who said *it-couldn't-be-done*, and built a 50-ft. Eiffel tower for Parisian pledge dance.**

to be held every year from now on, instead of being passed by every now and then.

Fraternity Appreciation Week is past, and on March 9 nine men were initiated into Phi Kappa Psi. These men are: Frank Alan, Knox; Jon Nelson, Wheaton, Ill.; Dick Sowerwine, Noblesville; John Winters, Golf, Ill.; Greg Baur, Carmel; Tom Beety, Bert Fridlin, Jerry Jackson and Chris Kellum, all of Kokomo.

Purdue is a great school for honorary fraternities and organizations. One must go through a pledge period, during which a pledge board is carried and in most instances a "pot" is worn. Several Phi Psis are among the people pledging the various honoraries. John Janus is pledging Tau Beta Pi, an engineering honorary. Ted Long is pledging Chi Epsilon, an honorary for civil engineers. Dick Buford, a member of the Purdue Glee Club has been selected for membership in the Gimlet Club, a coveted honorary whose members are the select of the campus Greek world. Trent Anderson and Jon Nelson are pledging Skull and Crescent, an activities honorary for sophomore fraternity men. Pledge Jim Iverson is pledging Dolphin Club, an honorary for members of the swimming team. Al (Doc) Bothwell is pledging Kappa Psi, a pharmacy honorary. As can be seen from the above list, Phi Psi is right in there with the rest when it comes to honorary pledging.

A new (to us, at least) sport has sprung up at Indiana Delta. It goes by the name of "Jeeping."



Jeeping is very simple to play—all you need is a jeep and several fun-loving brothers. Dates are optional. With a little experimenting, you can discover all sorts of places to go in a jeep, places that no other vehicle can go. In our case a bright red jeep is used, but any color is acceptable. We hope to arouse an interest in this fine sport.

DICK PIGMAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Indiana Epsilon—Valparaiso University**

O.K. readers, nothing but the facts. Here they come. Many, many words of rampant news prepared with a tap of the typewriter. Since the last times we communicated activities have been developing abundantly. Rushing came to a close and we found ourselves sitting with twenty-seven of the best men floating around camp. Perhaps most of them are foreign to your eyes, but here they are: Wes Baumann and Ted Leno of Chicago; George Beyer, Palatine, Ill.; Willie Beilfuss, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; Ralph Buhrow, Dundee, Ill.; Steve Congdon, Bill Harmever, and Hank Schollett of Fort Wayne; George Erickson, St. Joseph, Mich.; Jerry Goeglein, Fort Wayne; Al Jahnke, Cleveland; Wayne Jensen, Elgin, Ill.; Larry Koebke, Kewanna; Peter Kettner, St. Louis; Bob Lambertsen, Bayside, N.Y.; Jim Lass, Glenview, Ill.; Carl Leonard, Oak Park, Ill.; Jim Meter, Yonkers, N.Y.; Fred Neubronner, Hammond; Bill Nolting, Saymour; Norb Ritt, Algonquin, Ill.; Jim Rodehorst, Glenview, Ill.; Geno Ruggeri, Calumet City; Verdell Schramm, Garfield, Minn.; Don Schroer, Seymour; Bill Steinhaus, Brookfield, Ill.; and Ray Widmer, Fort Smith, Ark. The word is that these boys are nothing but the toughest.

At the present time the sky looks cloudy and rain is about to descend. Indeed, it is a typical Valpo spring day. Most of the brothers are hustling their "tail-pipes" off, either with the books, spring sports, or other activities that catch a man's eye about now. Kell, Pace, Puffpaff, and Ramming are busting helmets for the brown and gold. Comic comment around the house is "come out and see the Phi Psi's baseball team play today." As many as six 801 men have started at once in recent Valpo contests. Included in this salty aggregation are Doerffler, Goeglein, Kline, Suedekum, Henricks, Fehrenkamp, Bach, Thelander and Schroer. Giving the track game a run for its cinders are Max Eby and Fred Garrard. Then there is the Sam Snead of the house, Don Riegelman who is wandering up and down the links for the University.

The weeks to come seem to be teeming with activities. Student Council elections are in the making and Paul Manske is giving the prexy race a whirl. An opponent is there, but we all feel the big guy will stomp out ahead. Kraft was recently appointed assistant treasurer of the Student Council and will serve as treasurer the following year. Spring Festival is peaking in from the month of May and the brothers are urging it on. Everyone, as usual, has braced up and is prepared to sweep song fest with some rousing piece of music.

Needless to say the Psis haven't hung up their gear for the year because intramurals are on the most important leg now. We are hotly contesting other minority factions on campus for the all-sports trophy. Helping our drive for the coveted award were all-school championships in basketball and volleyball. Solid play by all involved aided in the triumphs. The challenges of the future are softball and Field Day.

Twice a month on Thursday evenings our chapter has the privilege of trying to develop closer teacher-student relationships. Prof. Robert Bertram comes to the house to discuss matters of common interest to everyone. Such sessions as these have proved most enjoyable so far. Another sprucing up of the monster at 801 took place over Easter as Pledge Widmer built a powder room at the end of the reading room. This room is to be used for brothers' dates and also for those brothers who feel the need for a quick powder.

Those brothers bringing honor to themselves and their fraternity at Honor Convocations were Don Graham, Paul Manske, and Dean Kell. And now, for a while, these are the facts, men.

BILL KARPENKO, *Correspondent*

#### **Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University**

The warm sunny beaches of Lake Michigan happily greeted the Illinois Alpha Chapter of Phi Kappa Psi on their return to Northwestern to begin the spring quarter.

Also greeting them was a notice in "The Daily Northwestern" that showed an improvement in scholarship in the fraternity standings from eighteenth to seventh out of twenty-eight. This extensive increase can be attributed to the elaborate scholarship program mentioned in the last article and a newly-organized file system initiated by scholarship chairman Bob Boyd in cooperation with the entire freshman class.

This great improvement can be partially reflected in the five remaining pledges who bettered their grades, and became new initiates. The five new members are: William Brown, John O'Conner, Robert Erdmann, John Mehalic and Thomas Wonders.

In sports, the basketball team had success as expected. However, it was a rough grind. The first challenge was to win two out of our last three games, which they did. This put them in the play-offs where they plowed through two top teams before being edged by Delta Upsilon. The result placed us third in the standings and increased our chances for the sweepstakes trophy.

The ever popular May Sing will soon be upon the Northwestern campus. The various fraternities compete to see who can sing the best. Having scheduled rehearsals a little earlier this year, we are more hopeful of success.

Nippersink country club in southern Wisconsin is again the number one choice for our spring

formal. Who can complain with such activities as swimming, horseback riding, and tennis?

What about the future? Two important things loom close in sight. First, last quarter we set a high standard in scholarship. We have to try to keep it. Second, summer rush and rush week seem a long way off but it's something we can begin preparing for soon.

GANS JOHNSTON, *Correspondent*

#### **Illinois Beta—University of Chicago**

Illinois Beta got the new quarter off to a rousing success with an All-Campus Beatnik Blast. Guests of honor were Allen Ginsberg and Jack Kerouac who read their latest poetry. The big surprise of the evening was the original poetry read by Pledge Joe Adle which was highly commended by both these Great American Poets. Another big hit was Erle Leichty reading his verse translations from the Akkadian.

Athletically Phi Psi carries on our fine tradition. Varsity athletes include the Galloping Greek, Al Jacobs, star southpaw of the baseball team. In intramurals, Guy and Birdick and Pledges Hartigan, Sher, and Freeman led the way to a Phi Psi victory in volley ball. In softball. Pledge Barry Preston is pounding the ball at a phenomenal .800 percentage for six games; but then everyone always said Barry had a flair. John Mohan is still good field, no hit.

We received a letter the other day from world traveler and soldier of fortune Byron Enwright who had just arrived in India after a 15-day journey by mule.

In closing the chapter would like to extend their congratulations to Brothers Duke Krock and Zeke Zimmeretti on their marriages.

DALE PACE, *Correspondent*

#### **Illinois Delta—University of Illinois**

Just so that no one will wonder when they see the national fraternity report of initiates for the past year, we did have more than two. Our "deserving" pledges were initiated on March 1, one day after the close of the fraternity year. Twelve new brothers initiated on that most important day were: Bill Johnson, Tim Kirkby, Dave Boge, Jerry Colangelo, Stu Lockwood, Al Swanson, Bob Hill, Gene Stuart, Paul Clarey, Chuck Pugh, Dick Dandurand and John Dodson. Stu Lockwood was proud to be able to accept his badge from his dad, William (Red) Lockwood '21. We're sure that the senior Brother Lockwood was equally proud to give it.

In order to set the record straight, we have two Al Swansons and two Bill Johnsons, all actives now with the older Bill Johnson graduated in February. We get confused, too!

Grades last semester were very encouraging! The actives came through well above the all-university men's average by being 16th of 56 fraternities. The

pledges didn't fare quite as well and brought our house average down just below the all-men's average. We still made a big improvement and with the new scholarship program worked out by Larry Tribbey and Harvey McCray, Mo. Alpha '58, we intend to keep going up!

Plans for Sheequon (spring carnival) are fast shaping up. We're in with Pi Phi this year and talked them into trying something new (not really new for us as we regularly won the movie division of the old spring carnival). Instead of working up a dance show for our booth that night, we made a color movie to be shown in our own theatre with a dance attraction outside. Sheequon's theme this year centers around Indians and that's what our movie is about. If you don't think it was fun making that movie with Pi Phi in their skimpy Indian-maiden costumes, you have another think coming! Saturday mornings "on location" were pretty cool. Last Saturday we had a scene to shoot in front of the famed Alma Mater Statue on the Quadrangle. The crowds we drew should be good advertising.

IM baseball has started. Last week we played Sigma Chi and whopped them 25-11. There are rumors in the air that they want an unofficial replay with a keg or two of beer at stake. We're all for it, because we can't lose. And that's a lot of free beer!

Spring is here, with picnics, parties, and the formal coming up. Spring also brings the thought of rush. As many high school seniors will be deciding on their colleges, we'd like to hear of any good Phi Psi material coming to Illinois.

As this will be my last letter for Illinois Delta, I'd like to say that I've really enjoyed writing them and hope my successor gets as much out of it as I did.

BOB TELLEEN, *Correspondent*

#### **Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University**

After a week's rest, play, or what-have-you called spring vacation at Vandy, the brothers have returned, full of tales of their good times. A fishing-camping trip to Tenn-tucky Lake was enjoyed by Riley, Murphy and McClurkan. Although no record fish were landed (Riley's luck prevented that) the group did acquire tans, or should I say burns? Also sporting a somewhat darker complexion is Steve Brooks, who spent his leisure time in Florida. Our golf enthusiast, John Flathe, had a fine time down Georgia way while attending the Master's golf tournament. The rest of us were content to settle for home sweet home, but to make home even better, Jerry Stapleton took his best gal Peg Smith back to Chicago with him.

Our return on April 5 was marked by an Open House arranged by our active Mothers Club. It was certainly a success because many of the out of town parents were able to attend since they were bringing their sons back to school after the holidays.

Partywise, I am happy to report that our Apache Party, as always, was a terrific affair. Everyone raved about the Left-Bank cafe type decor, and with Chick Chavis supplying plenty of danceable, pranceable music, we all had a gleeful gambol. The only thing marring the weekend, as far as the actives were concerned, was an early Sunday morning phone call informing us that the pledges had picked this weekend for sneak week. This traditional occurrence in the spring after informal initiation is a twenty-four hour hiding out period for pledges in some out-of-the-way place within one block of the campus. The pledges pick some unlikely weekend, sneak into a cosy, cramped cranny and make a phone call informing the unsuspecting actives that the event has started. It is then the actives' job to find them. The reward for detection and subsequent transporting of one pledge to the chapter house is a party given by the pledges for the actives. This year the actives weren't that lucky; hence, we had to pay for the party, but actives and pledges alike had a blast. The scene everyone would have enjoyed seeing was that of J. G. (Granny) Baker, aroused from a deep, exhausted slumber, following a night of rollicking merriment, go stumbling, bleary-eyed down the hall to receive the dramatic phone call. His reaction certainly must have been hilarious.

For the weekend of April 11, a Pajama Party is planned, and from the racy PJ's I've seen thus far, it should be a farce. Keeping the partying going, the following weekend Stan Kenton brings his band to town with the Four Freshmen as an extra added attraction for the annual Greek Week Dance, to be held this year in the Fairgrounds Coliseum.

May 9 is the date of Tennessee Delta's Spring Formal. The Tech Troubadours will play at the Andrew Jackson Hotel. We know this is going to be a swinging affair and we do hope some of the brothers from other chapters will drop in for the merrymaking.

Shifting finally to the sports scene, it gives me great pleasure to report that our softball team is undefeated, but this is all a little premature for we've played only one game, having two rainouts to date; but it was such a satisfying victory (21-5) over Kappa Sigma that I couldn't help bragging a bit. Generally the weather has been good except on game days, and therefore, we've been practicing quite a lot. The starting nine this year is composed of: Hickey, Murphy, Loveall, Davidson, Stapleton, West, Chambliss and Knott. It looks like a strong nine, and if "Hick" continues to mow down opposing batters like he did the K-Sigs, we should have a fine season. With airtight pitching, all the slugging exhibited in the opener wasn't necessary, but the batters have been really taking their cuts in practice, pointing for the day when the rain will go away.

We hope you all have a wonderful summer vacation.

CARROLL CHAMBLISS, *Correspondent*

#### Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi

Spring is in full bloom at Ole Miss, and the brothers have decided that spring semester grades depend entirely on the amount of spring fever resisted. Trips to nearby Sardis Lake beaches and spring formals are the highlights of social life on the campus. The chapter's forthcoming party is to be a ghastly ghost blast to be held in the old chapter house, now awaiting razing. We think Macabre Mansion will be a long remembered party.

Archon Al Kishman visited the chapter on April 4. We want to thank him for the fine suggestions and support he gave us, and we look forward to meeting him again when the District Council is held at Michigan Alpha. Those making the trip to Yankeeland are Luther Aldridge, Ken Cline, Tom Moore, Richard Jacobson, Gene Windham, and alum Conway MacCracken.

Two pledges became brothers recently. Initiated were Walter E. Lewis, Pascagoula, Miss. and Ronel M. Urice, Midwest City, Okla. Jerry Whittington, of Gloster, is the latest addition to our pledge class. Rush parties are being held each week in the campus "Y."

Crowned at the spring formal last month as Phi Psi Sweetheart was Nancy Ferguson, Kappa Kappa Gamma from DeWitt, Ark. Recently GP Harland Hagler pinned Lynn Anderson, Alpha Omicron Pi. Other Phi Psis and their dates have been entertained and enlightened by such outstanding campus attractions as the Kingston Trio, the Dukes of Dixieland, and Lord Clement Attlee. Everyone is looking forward to the big spring carnival, Rebelee, which will be held in May. The brothers will have a "game of chance" booth at the carnival, and hope to earn lots of silver and gold.

We were all pleased to learn that Ken Cline has been elected IFC secretary. He is also editor of the IFC rush booklet, and Richard Jacobson has been named co-editor of the booklet. Two Phi Psis in this post should be advantageous.

In closing, the brothers have requested that, once again, the Texans be reminded of the skin they owe us for the Sugar Bowl game. After all, they *did* lose!

RICHARD JACOBSON, *Correspondent*

#### Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College

Wisconsin Gamma has seen a lot of action since our March report, new officers, campus office holders, grades, intramural standings, a sunny spring vacation, and a visit from Archon Al Kishman.

We hated to see President Doug Baily and other top-notch fraternity officers step down from their ranks, but yet we're looking forward to another good year with our new leaders. The newly-elected officers are as follows: Richard Sheriff, GP; Mike Dudek, VGP; John Caldwell, AG; Ed Arkema, BG; Doug Choice, SG; Tom Clark, Hi; Dave Beebe, Hod; Larry Webber, Phu.

As far as campus leadership goes, Phi Psi has a pretty impressive list of BMOC. Newly-elected office holders include ex-VGP Bob Goodwin as junior class president and John Caldwell, station manager of campus radio station WBCR. Bill (Hocker) Hollingsworth was honored by being Campus Carnival King. Hocker is to reign until next year at this time.

Grades, which are always big subjects at Wisconsin Gamma, did not quite show up to what they should have been, for out of seven fraternities we pulled seventh. But not all is lost, for this low standing has moved us into taking definite action. At the present time we are building a study room in the basement where actives and pledges can go and study in quiet. As soon as we secure some light this study room will be a reality.

IM is another big word here. By sweeping first place away from the other houses in swimming and wrestling our present position has moved to third. But don't think we're happy. We've got our eye on the top, and with a good showing in volleyball, track, baseball and golf we'll be there.

Wisconsin Gamma was among other Phi Psi chapters represented at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, during the spring break. Those returning black and with smiles were Bob (Lard) Allan, Doug (Ernie) Choice, Bob (Red Dog) Anderson, and Ed (Jake) Jakab. "Chaperone" for the trip was Ted Perring '52.

We were very happy to have District Archon Al Kishman visit us this past March. He, with our officers, sat down and discussed rushing, finances, scholarship and social activities. Some recommendations for improvement were drawn up and we are now trying hard to incorporate his suggestions.

We're looking forward to some good times with some of the alumni during the next month and a half. The Rockford alumni smoker is slated for May 1, and this means a good evening. Then, of course, the first week in June will bring many Wisconsin Gamma Phi Psis back to Beloit for reunion time. We'll be seeing many of you at that time.

The immediate future holds Phi Psi's annual Wine Cellar Dance, April 18, which is quickly becoming a tradition. The rest of the year looks pretty bright from this end, and right now we're gaining momentum for a flying finish with good grades.

JOHN CALDWELL, *Correspondent*

#### **Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota**

Spring quarter has arrived to both the Minnesota campus and Minnesota Beta. We are greeting the new quarter with great hopes and expectations for finishing a fine year with an even finer spring. The brothers are back to start classes after good vacations in Florida, Colorado, or at home with friends.

We can look back on a winter of excellent scholarship, house improvements, and a full social

calendar. During the winter, we celebrated a successful Founders Day with alumni; the White Dragon Winter Formal with four other top fraternities; Greek Week; and of course, our Saturday night parties. We also added to our house furniture with a good assortment of tables, chairs, and lamps. A fine pledge class, still growing, was begun and will continue to build this spring.

We are beginning the spring quarter with an energetic program of house improvements. Currently, we are undertaking the reconstruction of our front porch, which has been gradually sagging out into University Avenue. Inside, too, the house is getting a complete overhaul of painting and redecorating, all being done by the brothers themselves. Many of the rooms are taking on new faces under fresh coats of paint.

After we finish putting the house in shape, Minnesota Beta will jump into a full schedule of activities, headed by spring rush, and Campus Carnival with Kappa Alpha Theta. Plans for what we hope to be a successful carnival show are nearing completion with the Thetas, with Campus Carnival Weekend wrapping it up.

We are also looking forward to a successful defense of our All-University wrestling championship, which we have won for the last two years. The newer men in the house should make up for the loss of several key members of last year's team. Victories here and in a few other sports events will give Minnesota Beta a good chance to win the All-Participation trophy in IM sports.

On the social side, we are anticipating our Spring Formal to be held at the Lafayette Club on May 16. This will be the last big social event for many of the brothers who will be graduating.

Minnesota Beta wishes all Phi Psis and their families and friends a good summer. See you next Fall.

RICHARD WILSON, *Correspondent*

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#### **Harvard Vice Dean**

LOUIS TOEPFER, Wis. Gamma '37, former director of admissions and of financial aid to students at Harvard Law School, has been promoted to Vice Dean of the School.

A native of Sheboygan, Wis., and a graduate of Beloit College, his studies at Harvard Law School were interrupted by World War II. After serving in the Navy, he returned to receive his LL.B. degree in 1947. Named assistant dean in 1948, he held that post until 1956 when he was made Secretary of the School.

Brother Toepfer and his wife, the former Alic Mary Willy, live in Harvard, Mass. with their five sons.

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### Iowa Alpha—State University of Iowa

Ah spring, when the cocktail parties give way to picnics and the picnics give way to heavily-armed state troopers. Now that the last traces of snow have vanished, the brothers anxiously look forward to our traditional spring parties; the Jeff DUO, Spring Formal, Bastille Day masquerade ball, and the annual smoker with Theta Xi. It promises to be a wonderfully wet season.

The final tabulations in scholastic ranking at SUI for the first semester have been announced and once again Phi Psi has captured first place. This was due in no small part to our fine pledge class who had a 2.69 average. Special congratulations are also due GP Gene Mueller who got his usual 4.0. Quentin Miller gave moral support. *This marks the tenth consecutive year that Iowa Alpha has placed no lower than third in all-campus ranking, an accomplishment of which we are justly proud.*

Phi Psi has also made its mark in intramurals this semester. At the time of this writing several championships have already been secured; Brian Gauler won the all-university javelin throw, Dave Bradbury has won the squash championship, and Gene Bier reluctantly repeated as SUI ping-pong champ. Athletic chairman Tom Arnold has assured us that we will do equally well in baseball.

March 15 was activation day at Iowa Alpha and the following men were introduced to the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi: Doug McAuley, Charles Jons, Vic Wilson, Ben Scrogg, Tim Cote, Bowan Campbell, Tom Burns, Robert Winders, Brian Gauler, Louie Glutz, Joe Harkness, Alan Malv, Joe Hladky, Randall Mather, James Turner, Robert White and Robert Mulder. Charles Gilfillan was finally able to convince the Organization that he was eligible and was activated February 15. They are a fine group and we are very proud to have them with us.

On February 23 we played host to Iowa Beta at our annual Founders Day Banquet in Des Moines. The dinner was graced by the presence of Past President James Addison and was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The house has been besieged by European fever this spring. Several of the brothers have voiced opinions as to the climate in southern France in the summer and John Price, Alan Leff, Bob Price and Fritz Keefner have even gone so far as to secure passports. The state departments of several European countries have been properly notified.

We would like to thank Albert R. McLaughlin '48 for his kind letter and his gracious offer to donate an Indonesian vahine to the house. We always like to hear from our alumni and want to encourage them all to write us an occasional line.

JAMES J. HASS, *Correspondent*

### Iowa Beta—Iowa State College

Would you believe it? Spring is here! We thought it was a long time in coming, and we weren't even sure it had arrived until ex-GP Con Short grabbed his pin-mate and headed for a picnic. She came back, but he hasn't been seen since. Zorro strikes again.

Spring is going to be a little different around here this year. We're building a float for the big spring festival, "Veishea." Due to the fact that our chief financial wizard, Bill Bywater, Inc., has allowed us the minimum operating expenses, we have taken it upon ourselves to economize by building part of the float out of a cheap building material, such as beer cans. Of course, the labels on the cans will be covered with paint. Too many big-name cooks spoil the brew.

Besides the float we've got to start thinking of the Tri-Phi. Oh yes, the Phi Gams and the Phi Delts said they do feel up to it. Of course, then there's our annual spring party, the "Moulin Rouge." This will be fun.

Dave Day wanted to start this spring out right, so he brought his dog, "Maverick," back to school with him. Nice dog—where is my hand?

Since our last letter we have picked up four new pledges. They are: Bill Miller, Evanston, Ill.; Dick Pilgrim and Jim Carstens, Davenport and Gene Shipley, Ute.

In IM sports last winter, Dick Pattschull really came through for us by taking the 190-lb. class title. This spring we're hoping to win in softball and track.

In varsity athletics, Bob Harden is again a stand-out for Iowa State at third base. In track, Ken Sweeney, captain of the squad, is still running, and Joe Bryant is still jumping.

Jim Bunn, Bill Bywater, and John McKim returned from the District Council in Columbia, Mo. with nothing but praise for Archon Gene Mueller and the Brothers at Missouri Alpha. It seems that these fellows really set up a good convention.

We're really getting excited about the remodeling job which has been planned for our house this summer. It's just about time for the contractors to start the work.

We recently elected new officers for the next half-year. They are: Pete Davis, GP; Bob Hill, VGP; Bill Bywater, P; Walt Kuehne, Asst. P; Bob Henderson, AG; Bob Swan, BG; Tom Rather, Hod; Don Dingman, Heir; Mick Stewart, Phu; and Dick Pattschull, house manager.

WALT KUEHNE, *Correspondent*

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### Superintendent for Sherwin-Williams

J. STARR COUGHLIN, Iowa Beta '39, has been named superintendent of the Los Angeles plant of the Sherwin-Williams Co., paint manufacturers. His home is in nearby Whittier, Calif.

### Missouri Alpha—University of Missouri

With spring semester rapidly nearing its end at Mizzou, Phi Psi is busily turning to the books. Mo Alpha stands higher than it has in the more recent years scholastically and the house intends to capitalize on its position this term.

The spring formal was a tremendous success. Hats off to Jerry Waters for a great party. The theme was an oriental cruise carried out with decorative lanterns and a formidable green dragon as a backdrop for the bandstand. Phi Psi will now change ships and strap on extra rations for an anticipated shipwreck in the south seas. Then back to fresh water for the Ozark migration.

Phi Psi ranks about ninth in IM sports, but with softball and track coming up we expect to finish at the top. Captain Barnhart says he expects a winning ball club this season with such men as Peno "The arm" at backstop, Speedo Pittenger at third, Shotgun Davis in the outfield and Fireball Bart, Lipp "The Leo" and Slick Mick on the mound.

In track we have the fastest men on campus to carry the Phi Psi colors to victory. George Herman, Jack Prather and Pledge George Mansfield were three of the four men on the Southwest (K.C.) high school team that placed third in the nation last year in the 880-relay. Pledge Jim Streeby was the Iowa state high school champ in the high hurdles.

These four men, with their combined speed and effort, will undoubtedly win the annual Campus-town races for Phi Psi this spring. Phi Psi had the best time in last year's annual spring event and we fully intend to drink from the victor's cup this year.

SAM WILKINSON, *Correspondent*

### Texas Alpha—University of Texas

Texas Alpha will wind up the spring semester with a hodge-podge of politics, variety shows, intramurals, and the usual social season.

Two Phi Psis will be in the running for campus political posts in the elections on April 22. Bill Joor is running for arts and sciences assemblyman and John Culpepper for business school assemblyman.

Rush this semester netted four new pledges for Texas Alpha: Joel Roberts, Waco; Ken Rosenblad, Taylor; Jim Bartlett, Beaumont; and Morris Waites, Houston.

On February 22, Texas Alpha initiated fourteen men into Phi Kappa Psi. The new brothers are Buddy Banack, Ronny Bumpus, Scott Cantine, Doug Chilton, Greg Gannaway, Larry Hilley, John Huggins, David Jarrell, Bruce Knierim, Bill LaFont, Charles Owens, Bob Patterson, George Ramsey, and Hugh West.

Bill Joor and Mike Cooper were named to the Silver Spurs and Cowboys, respectively, early this semester. Both organizations are honorary service groups.

On the weekend of April 10, Phi Psis will take off for Fort Clark Dude Ranch in Brackettville, for the annual house party. Approximately 25 brothers and pledges and their dates will enjoy three days of swimming, horseback riding, and relaxation.

Also on the social calendar are three closed parties, with Alpha Chi Omega, Chi Omega, and Kappa Alpha Theta.

When graduation time rolls around Texas Alpha will lose eight brothers. Graduating seniors include Bill Biggs, Pat Bond, Morris Creel, Jody Davis, Harry Kirkpatrick, Scott Mullins, Gage Van Horn, and Kenneth Vernon.

Varsity Carnival is again commanding a great deal of time and energy from Phi Psis in preparation for their presentation of Phi Psi "Varieties" on May 2. The script has been completed by Harry Kirkpatrick, Jim Miller, Joe Edwards, and Doug Atwill.

BOB MOORE, *Correspondent*

### Texas Beta—Texas Technological College

WE WON !!!!! Texas Beta again came out first on the Tech campus in the IF Sing and in scholarship. For the third year in a row, Ray Moore has led Texas Beta to victory in the IF Sing. This year we won with a medley of songs, consisting of "Do Don't Touch a My Garment," "Gonna Jump Down, Spin a Round," "Go Down Moses," and "Soon a Will Be Done," plus our own "Noble Fraternity." Prizes for first included two trophies, including the huge Phi Psi traveling trophy. Last semester, under the aggressive leadership of Cameron Cunningham, scholarship chairman, we again walked off with first place in scholarship. Phi Psi won with a 1.31 overall grade point average, based on the 3.00 system. This average was well over the all men's and all college average.



Ray Moore, Bob Key and Marvin Armstrong beam over their clean sweep of trophies in Texas Tech IF Sing.





**GP Bill Pittman, proud leader of an outstanding all-around chapter, holds first-place scholarship plaque won by Texas Beta.**

Seven new brothers were initiated into the fraternity on March 1. The brotherhood welcomes into the bond: Jon Gilchrist, Gus Hamblett, and Donnie Williams, all of Lubbock; Leslie Finnell Jr., Holliday; James Hedgecock Jr., Amarillo; John Porter, Andrews; and Joe Wheeler, Floydada.

Under the efficient leadership of Jimmy Ratliff, Texas Beta took a pledge class of 20 men. They are: Bob Briton, Bryan Edwards, Jim Isham, Dale Johnson, Jerry Kimbrell, Bob Pittman, Don Roper, Jack Shisler, Don Sledge, Don Weldon, and Danny Williams, all of Lubbock; Ralph Eubank, James (Bo) Grimshaw and Dickie Johnson, all of Ft. Worth; Walter Lee, Houston; Wendel Morrow, New Home; John Robinson, Childress; Trev Seymour, Amarillo; Mike Shortridge, Roswell, N.M.; and Donnie Skipworth, Copper.

The social schedule of Texas Beta is, as always, crammed full with activities, the main ones including Phi Psi Beatnik Blast, April 24; Annual Dinner Dance, May 8; Parents' Day Breakfast, and many IM events and picnics. Texas Beta is also undertaking an expansion program by taking in another room across the hall. The coming election of officers is also stirring up quite an air of excitement these days.

You can tell spring is really here by the increasing number of brothers getting dropped, pinned and engaged. The chapter would like to take the opportunity to announce the engagements of Bob Key to Ray Ola Schneider and Ray Moore to Mary Pfingston.

*MARVIN ARMSTRONG, Correspondent*

## **Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas**

Only seven more weeks of school left and the pace is quickening—both in school work and extracurricular activities. After finishing eighth in scholarship last semester among 29 fraternities, we are making an all-out drive to land in the top five for the year.

Initiation was held February 22 and fifteen men entered into the brotherhood of Phi Kappa Psi. They are: Dick Bowman, Doug Mayor, Mark Dull, Jack McFarlane, Gary Jones, Bert Jonson, Marvin Evilsizer, Bob Brooks, John Ward, Russ D'Anna, John Tillotson, Dennis Allen, J. B. Askew, Dave Perce and John Boyd.

Phi Psi is being represented on the tennis and track squads by Jerry Williams in the former sport, and by John Book, Jim Londerholm, Paul Rearick and Bruce Brient in the latter.

In IM sports, Phi Psi has teams entered in golf, softball, tennis and swimming. Doug (Ducky) Mavor (the only man in the house with webbed-feet) is deemed to be a threat in the 40-yd. free-style. Due to his tenacious spirit, gritty perseverance, and stamina, together with his near perfect dog paddle style, Doug has the eyes of the swimming world agog here. Teammates C. V. (Tarzan) Fishel and Stuart (Frog) Smith are fierce competitors, having taken swimming lessons from two pet piranha fish.

Kansas Alphans have an Alumni Weekend planned for May 16. Activities for the weekend will consist of attending the K.U. Varsity-Alumni football game on Saturday afternoon and a stag party here at the house. We're looking forward to seeing and meeting our alumni.

On the social calendar, a schoolhouse party, a Lakeview party, and a function with the Chi Omegas have already taken place and in the coming seven weeks functions with the Thetas, Gamma Phis, and Pi Phis, plus our K.U. Relays Barn Party and a Spring formal will take place.

Kansas Alpha wishes everyone a successful and happy summer.

*KEN GRAY, Correspondent*

## **Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska**

As we enter the last lap of the sperm-term, as it is commonly called around biology circles, the sun is beginning to set later and later, and the bemoaning cries of the brothers whose futile attempt to stay in and study for that hour exam is lost in the tinkling of a case . . .

On March 7, Nebraska initiated 23 candidates into the mysteries of the Fraternity. BG Glen Burbridge, who has taken leave of absence because of illness, has been replaced by Dave (IBM) McConahay for the duration. Dave was awarded the first Innocent's Memorial Scholarship to be given in memory of three Nebraska Innocents.

Volleyball, softball and golf have taken over the

Phi Psi sport list as the sun registered 70-80 degrees in the shade. Our volleyball team is unbeaten even though our star server Jim Good was out . . . "out of his mind" at the last game. Tom Fulkerson and Dave McConahay are defending Phi Psi's traditional place on the varsity golf team. They both claim, though, that they are just going along for "chucks" in an attempt to impress the coach.

We had a prospect for a pinning with the Thetas tonight until Fulkerson went golfing. Bob Hall has agreed, however, to take Tom's place so the chapter wouldn't be disappointed.

The University administration is still trying to pin something on us but we have a standing agreement with the campus cops.

The pledge return party (a little late this year) crammed quite a few couples and odds and ends into their houseparty called "An Out-to-Lunch Party" or beat neck.

Sid Stacey, outstanding freshman basketball player, has wanted his name in *THE SHIELD* letter for the last two months so I promised him a space. He just wanted everyone to know that Korea was tough and that the chapter should have more respect for veterans. Bill "Hurricane" (Big Blow) Hill also warrants consideration for his five or six years of service to his Fraternity. He has finally decided to change his bed and leave.

Our delegation to the District Council was quite impressed and hoped that the Texas delegation got back to their chapter all right.

Nebraska Alpha hopes that all the brothers are able to return home for the summer with a stiff upper lip.

C. G. WALLACE III, *Correspondent*

#### **Oklahoma Alpha—University of Oklahoma**

Initial cries of anxiety and disbelief from natives of the state and a few "outsiders" prevailed as repeal of prohibition was declared in the NEW Oklahoma. The brothers are now seriously considering running Governor Edmonson for President in '60.

At the annual Spring Formal, to kick off the glorious outcome of the election and to bring a connotation of sobriety to bootleggers, Oklahoma Alpha selected the 1959 edition of "Miss Phi Sigh." She reigned supreme in the form and shape of Martha Phelps, drop mate of GP Fritz Heinke. One of the greatest events of the social season resulted as the Phi Psis and dates developed nose-bleed on the 33rd floor of the Beacon Club.

The more athletic participants in intramurals demonstrated Phi Psi power under their coach, trainer and band-aid stripper, John Engelson. Wearing sweat-soaked jerseys, the "B" volleyball squad now clutches the fraternity championship trophy in their hot little "Texized" fists for the fourth straight time. In the softball wrap-ups, national television is spotlighting the versatile "B" team again as the play-offs begin. Sun-soaked Dick Mason and Ted Beakey have almost sewed up university championship in doubles golf. Ed Sullivan is anxious to receive these boys.

With Mothers Day having passed and having been thoroughly enjoyed by the "Brown Palace," we are very proud of two things: our wonderful mothers and their loving attention to Phi Psis and our excellent representation in University Sing under the baton of Tom Owens.



These twenty new brothers, initiated March 8 at Oklahoma Alpha, learned what "sooner" meant—they'd sooner be Phi Psis.

All is quiet on the "Western Front" as our 20 new initiates settle down in the brotherhood and proudly exhibit the badge of Phi Psi. Sporting two tiny holes in their dress shirts are: Bert Paine and David Downing, Oklahoma City; Dan Hill, Claude Williams and Clark McManus, all of Muskogee; Paul Calvert, Midwest City; Gary Dorson, Ardmore; Richard McClain, Winnemood; John McClure, Bartlesville; Lonnie Schmitt, Dorchester; Dick Baker, Okmulgee; Mike Taylor, Richard Parker and Dick Henslev, all of Tulsa; Ted Beakev, Perry; Ben McDermott, Nashville, Tenn.; Keith Montgomery, Ardmore; Jim Zongker, Wichita, Kans.; Bruce Warden, Dallas, Texas; and Clark Nash, Guymon.

The two outstanding pledges were Jim Zongker and Dick Henslev. Both were awarded copies of the *Centennial History of Phi Kappa Psi*.

Although matrimonial ties may be somewhat discouraged in other primitive societies, some brothers are planning on taking their medicine rather early. Chris Mugler announced his engagement to Heidi Ochsner and Jack Andrus will wed Gail Lewis in the very near future.

Having never met any worthy brothers from West Virginia Alpha, I cannot say that they are ignorant of the fact that Oklahoma Alpha has a superior football team. However, I would like to present the evidently enlightening fact that this statement has been amply proven. If you persist on refusing to deliver our so-richly deserved skin, it can easily be arranged to tattoo, soak in Oklahoma's ever-increasing vats of 3.2, and tack to our beloved basement wall "an extremely eastern" brother.

FRED MUGLER, *Correspondent*

#### Colorado Alpha—University of Colorado

Since the last newsletter Colorado Alphans have looked up from their mugs long enough to discover that they are the proud recipients of the Fifth District Scholarship award. Brother Ozmun noted that Colorado had won the trophy more times than any other chapter. At first we were more than pleased at the thought of being tops, then upon closer examination we noticed that it was given to the chapter showing the most improvement for a given year. If, over the thirty year interval, we have done the most improving, we must have also done a lot of slipping down to a position from whence we could improve.

Toward the end of February the actives decided that the house was in need of a thorough cleaning, and a solid weekend of work was settled on as the answer. Men drifted in from all parts of the campus to help and they did such a good job that we decided to make them brothers. They are: Bif Baldry, Bob Brown, Wes Brown, John Dicaro, Bill Dickey, Tom Fontaine, Al Hoffman, Dick Kelsey, Bill Kammerer, Steve McWilliams, Jerry Oehm, Tom Pepper, Ed Reilly, Bob Richards, Mil Sartin,



First group of initiates since Colorado Alpha moved into its new quarters last fall numbered sixteen new brothers.

and Craig Tennis. Seriously, we are extremely proud of our new initiates, for sixteen out of a pledge class of nineteen were able to meet the requirements necessary to go active. Not only did they break a University record by having the highest percentage of men out of a pledge class able to go active, but they also managed to receive the highest grade average for any pledge class on campus.

Music can be heard floating up from our new rec-room almost continually as Gailen Zinn readies the chapter for the annual CU Days songfest. This year we have entered the men's division, and are singing "Don't Fence Me In." Also preparing for the CU Days holiday is Phi Psi's bike team, this year sponsored by the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. Sam (Sheepherder) Spencer, coach for the gala event, is hopelessly putting severe smoking and drinking restrictions on the team in order to get them in top shape for the big race.

In my last newsletter I stated that the tyrannical administration had virtually eliminated CU Days in favor of academic pursuit. However, since then, the tyrannical administration has decided not to be so tyrannical, and become less tyrannical, and temporarily give us back our beloved CU Days.

The big news socially for this semester, is the annual Spring Formal being held this year at a resort near Estes Park. The social committee did a marvelous job in choosing a place that has a swimming pool within close proximity of the dance hall. The Chapter's bookie, Fred Files, is currently taking bets as to which brother will be the first to take the big leap. For the benefit of those chapters located in the more southern states, a swim on May 15 in the Colorado Rockies is not the warmest of possible swims.

Arizona, PLEASE take McBride back!

BOB YOUNG, *Correspondent*

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## District 6

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### **Washington Alpha—University of Washington**

At Washington Alpha everyone is eagerly looking forward to the varied social events in store for them this spring quarter. The sun has finally succeeded in overpowering winter quarter's rain clouds leaving the campus and surrounding beaches basking in the sun. Bob Pollock, last year's "Suntan Champ," is doing his best to outdo his sophomore challengers, Don Edgers and Gary Michels. May the best tan win!

Dick Hull took on the job of head "Bidder" at the annual Chinese Auction between the fraternities and sororities. Due to his clever and cunning bidding we acquired two excellent social functions; a beach party with Kappa Delta and an Hawaiian Beach Luau with Alpha Chi. During May our annual Spring Formal and Hawaiian Party will round out the year's calendar of events.

Washington Alpha is proud to welcome ten new men into the mysteries of our Fraternity. Those initiated were: Bob Denny, Bob Jungar, Dennis Reilly, Doug Steensland, Bob Beebe, John Bingman, John Brownfield, Ken May, Jerry Oflock and Roger Wolf.

House elections were held at the close of last quarter. Those brothers honored with Chapter positions were: Dick Troyer, GP; Bob Pollock, VGP; Bill Doell, P; Bob Greenwell, AG; Doug McCallum, BG; Ralph Hawkins, SG; Gary Mapes, Hod; Steve Hungerford, Phu; John Stephan, Hi.

Congratulations go to Ed Jensen who recently announced his engagement to Miss Marilyn Norris, Alpha Delta Pi.

Spring sports have attracted a large number of Phi Psis. Included are: Bill Moser, track; Dick Goff and Tony Chase, golf; Steve Hungerford, tennis; Dean Weyrick and John Holland, baseball; and Jim Bingman, crew. Jim is now rowing first varsity boat for the Huskies.

Activities on campus are well underway with elections for class officers here again. Everyone is busily campaigning for Dick Hull, who is running for the position of junior class president. Dick, along with Jack Moldenhour, is also an active member of Program Panel.

Oregon Beta was the site of the Sixth District Council. A large group of brothers "sacrificed" two days of school to attend. Among these were official delegates, Don Bailey, Bob Pollock and George Richardson. The council was considered a successful one and a great time was had by all. The brothers wish to express their thanks for the genuine hospitality they received during their stay in Corvallis.

We were very honored to have President Robert R. (Bob) Elliot visit us last quarter. Although he

could stay only a short while the brothers enjoyed talking "shop" with him and gaining first hand information from our National Fraternity.

Our summer rush program is now well underway. This year we are asking active help and support of our alumni. With their aid we hope to get more names of prospective members and to obtain new and better sites for summer rush parties. We encourage any alumnus with such facilities who has not been contacted to get in touch with the house or alumni association as soon as possible.

Our new alumni chapter representative, Bill Thraikill, is, with our aid, working hard to bring Washington Alpha closer to its alumni. However, he cannot do the job alone. We wish to extend an open invitation to all alumni to visit our Monday night chapter meetings. By doing this you will be able to get a first hand account of house activities, and your visit will do much to strengthen undergraduate and alumni relations.

BOB GREENWELL, *Correspondent*

### **Oregon Alpha—University of Oregon**

As spring term settles on campus, the brothers look forward to an enjoyable time, punctuated by frequent studying. After returning from a week of vacation, the members found to their amazement that three freshmen pledges had succeeded in attaining the grades required for membership in the chapter. The brothers also learned, with varying degrees of amazement and surprise, of the marriage of Robert Napier.

Continuing in the fine tradition of our chapter, this school session promises to be one of intense study. Members of Oregon Alpha are noted for their scholarly outlook upon college life and have acted accordingly. The brothers have adopted a moderate social program for the term which will be highlighted by our spring term house dance with its world renown traditional theme, "A German Beer Garden." This event is expected to be especially outstanding this year as we will have the competent advice (if not the willing assistance) of Gerhardt Laub in planning and performing the extravaganza. Other plans for the term include a reconstruction of the bridge from our own back yard across the millrace to the steps of a neighboring sorority. Using his exceptional talent to head this project is David Diercoff, who is planning a bridge which should be able to withstand the attacks of rival fraternities.

Also planned is our entry for the annual canoe fete. Phi Psis have always played an important part in this all-campus event.

Graduating this term will be approximately a dozen men, give or take a few depending upon their success in flashlight school. This great loss is expected to be thoroughly compensated for by an outstanding pledge class which we hope to get next year. Plans for this are already being made by rush chairman John Holmes, who will inaugurate a summer rush program this year.

LARRY SCHMELE, *Correspondent*

## Oregon Beta—Oregon State College

Winter term at Oregon State was very eventful. Starting with our winter term formal "Unlucky in Love," the house had events going on every weekend until closed week. During the term we had some exchanges, which are always great if you are in with the social chairman. Founders Day proved to be a great weekend. Not only was it great getting together with the brothers from Oregon Alpha, and the alumni, but from the looks of Brother Hartman's party room the night of and the morning after, I think we all brought a little something more home with us.

The highlight of the term was the Sixth District Council held here March 5-7. We were very honored to have our National President, Brother Robert R. Elliot, and Brother Don Weiser here for the meetings. Both men added much to our Sixth District Council by taking part in our meetings and social functions. The details of the meetings, dances, serenades, and blasts, I'm sure, will be covered elsewhere in *THE SHIELD*, but I would like to say that we hope that everyone enjoyed themselves as much as we enjoyed having them.

Leading us through this full scheduled term are our newly-elected officers: Al Eberlein, GP; Jim Phillips, VGP; Jay Sumner, P; Dick Roberts, AG; John Benedict, BG; Gary Laugen, SG; Gary Bedsworth, Hod; Maury Kurtz, Phu; and Dick Bjelland, Hi.

Plans are now being made by our graduating seniors for what we hope will be successful careers. One of our seniors left us at the beginning of this term. Lonnie Hartman is now student teaching in Portland. It has been brought to the attention of your correspondent that all his eighth grade girls think he is cute. Don (Sawbones) Patton will be going east to Kirksville College of Osteopathy. Best of luck, Don, we hope they play a better game of pinochle there. Don Ong, upon graduation, has decided to capitalize on his good Irish name and start a home laundry in San Francisco. Bob Platt is going to turn his college education toward the banking business. Bob is our past P and we are sure that the First National Bank will have all their bills paid on time. Draft dodger John Benedict will finally have to yield to Uncle Sam. Brother True finally gave up being a ditch digger and came back to complete his thesis this year. Upon graduation he will return to the same job, but with much more prestige.

Plans are now being made for the annual "Skid Row Squeeze" and many leisure hours on the beach. John Grotefend, our able Scholarship chairman of last term, has informed us that we will spend those leisure hours with a book in our hand. Oh, such is life. Thank you for your kind contributions of nickels and dimes, which enabled your correspondent to be partially rehabilitated. Watch me type, ¢ \$ % ! " ★ —

DICK ROBERTS, *Correspondent*

## California Beta—Stanford University

First of all, a successful rushing season has been accomplished under the able leadership of Dave Turned. New men pledged are: Tom Glenn, La Canada; Dave Essner, Redding; Cliff Harris, Coalinga; Dave Rudnick and Jim McIntosh, Los Angeles; Tom Neel, Burlingame; Ron McDonald, Corcoran; John Whiteley, Chula Vista; Bill Stripling, Fort Worth, Texas; Bruce Cullen, Belvedere; Dick Fregulia, and Ron Cameron, Palo Alto; and Ted Teren, Portland, Ore. Our congratulations to these men. Needless to say, the house intends to keep rushing.

As part of its "Strength Through Joy" program the house plans to put on a Spring Sing extravaganza rivaling the Bolshoi Ballet. Roger Ding, leader of the unity-in-song clique, has promised to come up with something even better than last year's hearty rendition of Hayden's "Creation." Soloist will be John Fairborn, former lead contralto with the Hillcrest boys choir.

Along this line, the house intends to put out an alumni newsletter in the near future, edited by Bill Sullivan. Speaking of alumni, we're always more than happy to have alumni Phi Psis visit the house, and we extend an open invitation to any alumni who might be in the neighborhood to come for dinner.

Although the season is barely underway, our IM teams look very promising, especially the softball team sparked by Rich Mor and Jerry Basset. On the social side, capable Ham Royds has mapped out a string of gala events for the quarter, including a Pledge Formal; the traditional overnight to Carmel; and, of course, the annual Grouse Hunt. This year Daryll Henderson has promised to be the grouse. All this, plus much more, promises to be a barrel of fun.

Once again scholastics are a strong point, with the house standing third among fraternities for last quarter.

California Beta takes this opportunity to express its sorrow over the recent death of Brother Clyde M. Joice, Treasurer of the Fraternity.

IVAN RUBY, *Correspondent*

## California Gamma—University of California

Sunday, May 17, is the date for the 60th Alumni Reunion of California Gamma. The time: 1:00 p.m. The place: the ol' chapter house at 2625 Hearst Avenue. Guest speakers will be Edwin Pauley, Regent of the University of California; and Richard Millar, President of the Board of Trustees for Occidental College. Ed Flinn will be MC. Other alumni attending will include J. Robert Meserve, Bert Austin, Phillip Merrill, Frank Donant, Heath Angelo, Harold Stone, Lud Renick, Mike Little, Guy Goodwin, Herb Moore, and Harold Reed. The chapter expects this reunion in commemoration of the founding of the house in 1899 to be a more gala affair than the 50th reunion held in 1949.

In March the chapter had the great privilege of entertaining SWGP Robert Elliott and Donald Weis-



er, Director of Alumni Association. During Brother Elliott's visit the chapter was shocked to hear of the passing of Phi Psi's beloved and devoted brother, Past President Shirley Meserve.

California Gamma's three delegates to the District Council in Corvallis, Doug Moore, Kent Newmark, and Gene Kleinbauer, wish to thank Oregon Beta for their generous hospitality during their visit. These delegates returned to the chapter house, exhausted but sober, with some solid ideas on improving chapter policy.

As the basketball fans in Louisville were jubilantly acclaiming the new NCAA Basketball Champions, the California Bears, Cal Gamma in its TV room was cheering about this hard-fought victory, 71-70, and a wallskin which had just been won on a fair wager with its Mountaineer brothers from West Virginia Alpha. Speaking of wallskins, cough-up Cal Beta. The Big Game *was* won by the Bears *last* November.

Our hard-working House Corporation, under the well-directed leadership of Heath Angelo, recently joined up forces with the Stuart Howe Alumni Service. This organization will bring up to date the chapter's voluminous but ill-kept alumni records. This service will also play an integral part in our extensive fall rushing program.

California Gamma's twelve brothers raised their scholastic average last fall semester to one above Cal's All-fraternity average. Indications are that it will be even higher this semester.

Doug Moore, who broke his little fingers playing Rugby for the Bears, finally had his sympathy cast removed with no sympathy signatures. This is good news for the brothers, too, because Brother Moore can now tie his own shoelaces and feed himself again.

Three of our brothers will not be with us next semester. Bob Cantu, a straight-A student, will be attending medical school in San Francisco. Gene Kleinbauer will be at the Boalt School of Law in Berkeley. Tom Innis will be getting married to Miss Andi Day of Hawaii June 12, on Treasure Island.

A burglar hit the house for the second time in a year. This unknown prowler walked into various rooms with sleeping brothers and walked away with \$50. Fearing this possibility of becoming habit forming, the brothers recently purchased a watch dog. This three-week-old ferocious pup of dubious ancestry has been christened Snoopy and has been already nominated to four house offices.

RICHARD MULDERY, *Correspondent*

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### **Wins "Great Teacher" Award**

CARL F. KAYAN, N.Y. Gamma '18, professor of mechanical engineering at Columbia University, was one of two Columbia faculty members given "Great Teacher" awards at the January meeting of the Society of Older Graduates.

### **California Delta—University of Southern California**

Evening water riots on the Row, 80-90 degree weather, the clatter of barbells on the patio accompanied by CQ McMahan's stereo, and strains of various Songfest entries indicate the arrival of spring on the SC campus. California Delta sits in the middle of all this, especially the Row Riots.

As a prelude to spring, Cal Delta initiated four outstanding men into the mysteries of Phi Psi on March 1. The new actives are Joe (Bugs) Bogdanovic, Dave (Elwood) Ellsworth, John (Moony) Nootbaar, and Dave (Jeep) Prince. A small, but elite, group of athletes was pledged including Al Bishop, Lynn Gaskill, Ron Kiczenski, Bruce Munn, Denny O'Conner, and Pat Shea. Bruce McMahan, pledge-trainer extraordinaire, Captain Ed Sawyers, and Big Dan Ficca have taken the pledges under their wing.

Founders Day was spent with the Southern California Alumni Association, Cal Epsilon, and Phi Psi Zeta, a local at UCSB seeking a Phi Kappa Psi charter. Scott FitzRandolph walked off with the annual Scholarship Trophy.

The District Council for our district was hosted by Oregon Beta at OSC. Delegates Paul David, Owen Guenthard, Bruce McMahan, Steve Morris, Ed Sawyers, and Craig Scott were filled with fraternalism, among other things, up there and returned with many valuable tips on house organization and functions. On the athletic scene—we took fourth in IFC basketball and still have several men, including defending singles champ Rich Gates, in tennis competition. Phi Psi dominates the PCC favorite Southern California golf squad with Gerry Zar, Lary Brown, Pat Altnow, and manager Carter Shrum. Steve Morris and Hank Marvin are stalwarts on the Trojan net team.

Socially, Cal Delta has several stags, cocktail parties, dinners, and exchanges to look back on. Coming up are TGIF's, a Palm Springs formal May 1-3, a Dixieland party, a beach party, several cocktail parties, exchanges, a Luau with the previously mentioned Phi Psi Zeta at Santa Barbara, and Songfest.

Speaking of Songfest, Barry Freeman has the Brothers practicing every evening and many afternoons polishing the "Songs for the Young at Heart" and "Lowland Sea" arrangements for the May 16 engagement in the Hollywood Bowl. A quartet doing a medley of songs built around "Sentimental Journey" is also competing. We hope to repeat our sweep of last year.

A Father and Son dinner, held in March so that the men could be acquainted with the house, was so successful that another is planned before the end of May. This will probably be a dinner-affle-Dodger ball game affair.

Stubby calls. . . .

DENNIS TIMMERMAN, *Correspondent*





Scott FitzRandolph, president of the Student Council at the University of Southern California, receives the Southern California Alumni "Student-of-the-Year" award from E. W. McCorkle, Va. Beta '23.

#### California Epsilon—Univ. of California at Los Angeles

Over Easter vacation many of the brothers thought it appropriate to hail the coming of spring. To most young men spring is a time for romance and life in the great outdoors. The 28th of March saw many departing in assorted directions—all seeking retreats from which to partake in the assorted pleasures that come with spring. A few of our pleasure seeking naturalists made their way to such pearls of natural beauty as Laguna Beach and Balboa Island. These quaint little beach areas provided the brothers with the opportunity to observe the unadorned symmetry of nature uncluttered by man's efforts at embellishment. Others, not attracted by the "charms" of sand and sea headed for the mountains in order to enjoy the vanishing symbols of old man winter—the snow and all that goes with it. The display of spring beauty on the slopes of snow covered mountains such as Mammoth Mt. in the High Sierras, was somewhat more ostentatious than that found at the beach areas. In mountain areas, nature's beauty was adorned not only by a blanket of snow, but also vestments leaving little to the imagination of our red-blooded connoisseurs of pulchritude. Upon returning to Westwood all were in agreement that whether it be amidst sand and sea or mountain and snow—"in spring, a young man's fancy lightly turns . . ."

Perhaps of greater interest to alumni than thoughts of spring, is the first printing of the California Epsilon roster soon to be in the mail to all alumni. For those alumni who have lost contact with one another over the years, the new roster

will be a handy source for information concerning the whereabouts and occupations of their classmates in Phi Psi.

Not since 1953 has Cal Epsilon participated in the school's annual Spring Sing. This year the brothers with the help of the Kappas are planning not only to enter, but win!! Thanks to the hard work of director Al Bailey we have made very good headway, and should be well rehearsed by pre-lim time.

The setting for the Spring Formal will be the Mission Inn, at Riverside. Brothers and dates will be partying amidst an atmosphere reminiscent of old Spain.

To date the social season has been very successful with several good exchanges and, of course, the Viva Zapata party. The final "big event" of the season will be the annual Pajamarino—another Phi Psi first at UCLA.

WILLIAM F. WILLIAMS, *Correspondent*

#### Arizona Alpha—University of Arizona

As we head into the stretch in this academic year, we find the happy Brothers at Furnace Alpha are doing their combined best to end things with a bang. In fact with several "BANGS." These noises may be heard emanating from the black of night in the aggie land north of town as ex-correspondent Emil Franzi and his Mu Phi Alpha (Mafia) boys avenge their unrequited love lives on the rabbit population. It seems that the boys speed up and down the country roads in Lee Christianson's Porsche, blasting away merrily at those hapless rodents who might venture across the road into the beams of their headlamps. We normal brothers feel that something should be done to prevent this cruelty to dumb animals, not cruelty to the rabbits, but the way these coeds treat poor Franzi.

Speaking of "poor Franzi," it seems that he got a little wound up on some of his basement home brew about the time he was writing the last newsletter, and subsequently included some ridiculous statement congratulating our GP, Wheels Hunzeker, who is happy to report that he was, is, and ever shall be a completely free, happy, and fun-lovin' bachelor. I would appreciate it if this last statement could be printed in bold-face type to relieve Brother Hunzeker's melancholy which has hung over his cave like a dark cloud ever since one of the pledges read THE SHIELD to him. (Being just a Senior here at Party School Alpha, he has not reached the reading course yet, be patient Brother Hunzeker!!)

Speaking of courses, there has been a new course added to the curricula here at Arizona and also at the University of Sonora, Mexico. It is a practical course entitled, "The Gringo Turista Problem—and the Care and Cleaning of Swimming Pools." This course will be taught by a roving prof. by the name of Mike Grant who has, we understand, appointed as his two roving lab assistants, Rich Royds and 17-year-old Bruce Hansen.

We isolated brothers here in Tucson have been honored during the last month by several distinguished visitors. Included in this list were Archon Tom Millet who was busy teaching his party-officiating ability to new Archon Dick Andrews. Dick made quite a hit with a certain young lady here in Coor'sland.

We have several parties lined up to finish the year off with a "slush." Among these are the Beta Beta Mu party and the annual Streets of Paris Party (a sure thing for achieving social probation). We also hope to have our Spring formal at Brother Bob Nason's Westward Look Guest Ranch. Since

there is a large swimming pool at the WLGR, we would like to extend a cordial invitation to the non-conformists at Cal Beta, cousin Lonnie Hartman from Oregon Beta, and the boys from Cal Delta.

We are all looking forward to the coming house elections, mainly because we are all getting sick and tired of the clods that are in office now (the AG excepted, naturally).

In closing, we wish to make public notice that bidding is now open on McBride—do I hear two cases?

IVAN RUBY II, *Correspondent*

**PHI PSI LUNCHEONS**

ARIZONA (PHOENIX)	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Concho Room, Westward Hotel
Atlanta, Ga.	.....Call David B. Cowles	.....MUrray 8-1682
BALTIMORE	.....First Wednesday, 5 p.m.	.....Hopkins Club, Callege Campus
CHICAGO	.....First Tuesday, Noon	.....Toffenetti's, 65 W. Monroe
CLEVELAND	.....Monday, Noon	.....Mid-Day Club, Union Commerce Bldg.
DENVER	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Daniels & Fisher Tearoom
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Chapter House, 113 Vernon
HOUSTON, TEXAS	.....Fourth Wednesday	.....Houston Club
INDIANAPOLIS	.....Call Thomas M. French	.....5941 Hillside West Drive
KANSAS CITY	.....Thursday, Noon	.....University Club, 918 Baltimore
NORTH TEXAS	.....First Tuesday, Noon	.....Baker Hotel, Dallas
OMAHA	.....First Thursday, Noon	.....Call Dave Noble, WEBster 3344
PHILADELPHIA	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Engineers Club, 1317 Spruce
PITTSBURGH	.....First Monday, Noon	.....West Room, Penn Sheraton Hotel
PORTLAND, OREGON	.....Friday, Noon	.....University Club
SAN FRANCISCO	.....First Thursday, Noon	.....Fly Trap Restaurant, 73 Sutter
SANTA BARBARA (CALIF.)	.....Call Dr. Luin K. Thatcher	.....1525 State Street
SEATTLE	.....Last Wednesday, 6 p.m.	.....College Club
SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	.....Tuesday, Noon	.....Hotel Hoffman
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	.....Thursday, Noon	.....Clark Hotel, Los Angeles
LONG BEACH, CALIF.	.....Friday, Noon	.....University Club, 1150 E. Ocean Blvd.
TOLEDO	.....Friday, Noon	.....Golden Lily, 812 Madison Ave.
TWIN CITY, MINNESOTA	.....Thursday, Noon	.....Johns Place, 28 South 6th St.
WASHINGTON, D.C.	.....Second Wednesday, Noon	.....University Club
WESTERN NEW YORK	.....Wednesday, Noon	.....Carl Meyers Hof, Court St., Buffalo

## **New York Alumni Association**

Our Delegates to the First District Council, Jack Blankenship and Bob Leber, brought back an interesting report, which included the news of the election of Gene Lindeman as District Archon. Congratulations, Brother Lindeman!

Congratulations are also in order to Bob Ruddy for his boy born on April 1; to George Cooper on his recent promotion in Union Carbide Chemical Company, although we regret his transfer from the N.Y. area; and to S. Evert Svenson, who was promoted to Medical Director of Hoffman-La Roche,

For those of you who haven't heard of our Monthly Luncheons, we welcome your presence. We meet on the last Wednesday of each month from 12:00-12:30 and on, for a drink, and/or lunch, at the: 465 Lexington Restaurant, 465 Lexington Ave. (between 45-46th Streets). Our first luncheon in April produced a fine group, which we expect will continue to grow.

Last of all, we would like to welcome this year's graduates to the N.Y. area. Please drop me a line at 159 Crescent Ave., Plainfield, N.J. and we will introduce you to our Association.

DICKSON J. PRATT, *Correspondent*

## **Philadelphia Alumni Association**

The Founders Day Dinner held February 20 at the Mask and Wig Club, was a grand success. William I. Woodcock, former general counsel of the Reading Railroad was the Symposiarch and did a splendid job of keeping the festivities within bounds of proper decorum. Edward C. Von Tress, senior vice president of the Curtis Publishing Company gave a very thought provoking talk on "Scholarship." Everyone was most impressed with his presentation. The Annual Meeting of our Association was held after a very enjoyable luncheon at the Engineers Club, 1317 Spruce Street on Wednesday, March 18. The following officers were elected for the coming year 1959-60: Putnam R. Stowe, president; Paul H. Yeoman Jr., vice president; Herman Yerkes Jr., corresponding secretary; William P. Quinn, recording secretary; and John W. Batdorf, treasurer.

HARMAN YERKES JR., *Correspondent*

## **Pittsburgh Alumni Association**

The Founders Day Banquet was held on February 19 at the University Club with 44 Brothers in attendance.

A "Social Hour" prior to dinner saw the evening off to a fine start. Yearly, quarterly, or monthly greetings, as the case may have been, were ex-

changed in an atmosphere charged with Brotherhood.

The charged Brothers were seated, and following the Invocation by Brother Harold Brooks a delicious dinner was enjoyed by all. Sam Johnson was desperately trying to avoid his place at the Speakers' Table, but modestly accepted his designated position when guaranteed the applause of his 15 fellow Penn Betans. The large turnout of the boys from Penn Beta was due in no small way to the tireless efforts of Tireless Effortless Paul Zavorella.

Self introductions by chapter and year of initiation were made during the course of the meal with the usual side comments such as—"North Carolina What?" and "It was a damn sight earlier than 1921!" or "Boy, has he aged." Brother Ed Pomeroy, Pa. Theta 1893, was deservedly acknowledged with a warm round of applause.

Following dinner, Left Banks Smith, our erstwhile and devoted past president called to order the Business Meeting. If memory serves correctly, John Allison read the minutes of the last meeting. As you may know, John has an outstanding reputation and is much in demand as a minutes-of-the-last-meeting reader. We understand he is well known for this talent as far west as Ingram.

The Treasurer's Report was given simultaneously with an appeal for fattening the larder for Fiscal 59. This letter makes an appeal in behalf of the registration for membership in the Alumni Association. Your \$3.00 dues will be cheerfully accepted by Charley Borgerding—refer to THE SHIELD for his address.

Sam Johnson, now at the Speakers' Table, gave the report of the Nominating Committee. The report was accepted, a vote was called, and railroaded in as officers for 1959 were: President, Charles W. Borgerding, Pa. Lambda; 1st V.P., E. Lincoln Van Sickle, Pa. Lambda; 2nd V.P., John N. Allison, Pa. Lambda; 3rd V.P., R. T. Coates, Pa. Beta; Treasurer, Paul Zavorella, Pa. Beta; Corresponding Secretary, Robert M. Beal, W.Va. Alpha; Recording Secretary, Samuel G. Reed, Pa. Beta.

The 4th and 5th V.P.'s are honorary offices awarded each year to two of the Brothers behind the Iron Curtain who have done the most to crush Communist domination of Freshman Rushing. We are, of course, not at liberty to mention their names.

Incoming Charley Borgerding was introduced by outgoing Banks Smith. Brother Smith asked that the same support given him during his term of office be given Brother Borgerding during the com-

ing year. As near as we can figure, this means Charley will be working for himself.

Brother Earle Braden, Pa. Alpha '01, reported on the 1958 G.A.C. to which he was a delegate from the Association. Brother Braden appealed to all Alumni members to support their Fraternity and to offer assistance to nearby chapters. The Association is mighty in numbers and could do much in both these fields.

Tom Pomeroy, a distinguished Alumnus in many respects, was recently elected President of the Allegheny County Bar Association. Tom gave a short speech at the banquet. During the course of the speech all the attorneys present were asked to stand. The other five of us still seated felt a twinge of respect for the Legal Profession and a deep sense of security at cut-rate prices.

A word must be said of the four Brothers in attendance who have given 50 years or more service to their fraternity. We are proud to list the following as members of the Association: A. D. Finkel, Ohio Beta 1907; James A. Green, Ill. Delta 1908; Earle Braden, Pa. Alpha 1901; Ed Pomeroy, Pa. Theta 1893.

Secretary Dud Daniel honored us with a visit at our March Luncheon. Preliminary discussion of some missionary work required of the Alumni ensued. It will require the attention of all of us, and we ask that you keep in touch with your officers and attend the luncheons for additional information.

The April Luncheon brought forth some new faces which was satisfying to say the least. If we can get all the old faces back and more new ones we have been promised excellent catering service in Pitt Stadium.

We again appeal to all Brothers in the Pittsburgh area to join us at our monthly luncheons the first Monday of the month in the West Room of the Penn-Sheraton Hotel. The coffee is good and the conversation is stimulating. Only last month Ed Van Sickle was telling us the one about the—but no, you come and hear for yourselves.

We also ask that all Brothers within wage tax distance of Pittsburgh contact Charley Borgerding by phone, postal service, or semaphore flags so we can get you on our mailing list. We want to have a record of you if for nothing more than to be able to notify next-of-kin. Seriously though, let us have your last known address. Your small effort will go a long way toward making the Alumni Association the best customer the Post Office has.

Until the next time, we send regards to all Phi Psis everywhere. Goodbye and good luck.

BEALER, *Correspondent*

#### **Detroit Alumni Association**

JULY 18, 1959: All Detroit area Phi Psis put a circle around July 18. Brother Cherry has again thrown out the welcome mat at his Canadian summer home and extends a cordial welcome to all those who can attend this outing.

District IV will hold its Council meeting at Ann Arbor this year, April 24, 25, and 26. Delegates from the Detroit Alumni Association are Harold Cherry, Hyatt Eby, and James Bryant.

JOHN REXFORD, *Correspondent*

#### **Indianapolis Alumni Association**

The Indianapolis Alumni Association observed Founders Day on February 28 at the Athenaeum with 170 brothers in attendance. The five chapters in Indiana were represented by about 120 undergraduate members. We even had two, Dunlavy and Stroh, from Ohio Beta Chapter who made the trip to Indianapolis for this occasion.

The following brothers came from out of town to augment the alumni ranks: J. W. Barber, Reed Canady and George Smith, Anderson; Tommy Cookson, Bob Allen and George Henley, Bloomington; Bob Fry, Columbus; Doug Scheid, Frankfort; Dick Regnier, Tipton; and Bill Chenoweth, Ralph Henry and Bob O'Maley, Richmond. The latter three had planned to fly down, but finding that the airport at Indianapolis was weathered-in, took the coward's way out and came by Greyhound. That's the story the way I heard it anyway.

Our speaker of the evening was Donald Weiser, Director of Alumni Associations, whose talk on the responsibilities of the alumni to the undergraduates was well received. We were also privileged to have Secretary Ralph Daniel as our guest. Brief messages from Past President Tommy Cookson, Secretary Daniel, and District IV Archon Al Kishman, and reports from the chapters completed the portion of the evening's program which was given to speaking.

The Scholarship Trophy was awarded to Indiana Epsilon, a very fine chapter which we all wish were closer to Indianapolis so that we could get to know it and its members better. This chapter is indeed one of which Phi Kappa Psi can be proud. The Song Contest, capably conducted by Dick Bixby, was won by Indiana Gamma.

In addition to the above awards, alumni and undergraduate members of Indiana Gamma presented a suitably inscribed plaque to Eddie Knight in appreciation of his many years of devotion to his chapter.

**RECOMMEND A RUSHEE—SEE PAGE 265 FOR RUSH CHAIRMEN LIST**

I think that most, if not all, of the members of Indiana Beta who were able to get to Bloomington on March 14 were greatly pleased by the outcome of the meeting which was held at the chapter house. I think that we realize now that a good many of the difficulties which the chapter has been having in the past two or three years can be attributed largely to a lack of alumni interest. In my opinion, we are well on the way to a solution to this part of our problem with the election of a new and larger board of directors and the appointment of Dick Quaintance as alumnus advisor. The question of whether to modernize or build can now be looked upon as our real problem.

I was in St. Petersburg, Fla., a few weeks ago for several hours and ran into Dr. Batman at a restaurant, and Walt Vonnegut at a motel. Talk about coincidence!

Several brothers at the Founders Day Banquet are new in town, and we all want to welcome them. They are Jim Rogers, Indiana Beta; Bill Chumley and Bob Schroeder, Indiana Epsilon; and Bob Curtis and Dahn Cappel, whose chapter affiliations I do not have a record of at the moment. We hope to see more of these brothers at future meetings.

I just want to remind the brothers in and around Indianapolis to keep in touch. We'll get this thing off the ground yet.

BILL BLACK, *Correspondent*

#### **Greater Rockford Alumni Association**

Robert Pottle, Rockford insurance agency owner, was installed as the new president of the Greater Rockford Alumni Association of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity at the group's annual Founders Day Banquet held February 19 at the Rockford country club.

Twenty-five Rockford area alumni and seven undergraduate members from Wisconsin Gamma attended the affair. The business meeting was preceded by a cocktail hour, dinner and song fest of fraternity songs. John Whitehead gave a secretarial report and Phil Peterson presented the financial condition of the group. Jerry Piper, second vice-president, was MC for the evening.

The most successful of the group's three annual banquets was made so by the appearance of a national officer, Donald K. Weiser, director of alumni associations, from Chicago. Brother Weiser brought us some fresh information on the Fraternity from both the national and college level. He told of the expansion plans of the Fraternity, scholarship work and the efforts of the alumni office.

Other officers elected were Eugene Crawford, first vice-president; Jerry Piper, second vice-president; John Whitehead, secretary; Phil Peterson, treasurer; and board members Peter Ford, Salvatore Guerrera and Roger Erkert.

At a previous meeting of the old board of directors it was decided not to have the annual golf stag in June. However, the annual August family

picnic, which has been a fine reunion of alumni, undergraduates and prospective college students for the past two years, will be repeated for the third time at the Lou Caster farms. Members will learn more about this picnic through direct mail. If you are not on the mailer please contact John Whitehead at Rockford WO 25568.

JERRY PIPER, *Correspondent*

#### **Twin City Alumni Association**

Same day, same time, NEW PLACE.

This spring, the alumni who have been meeting at the weekly Thursday noon luncheons decided to move from John's Place to the Normandy Hotel, with hopes that the new location would bring in some new faces. So far this experiment has worked quite well. Fred Armstrong has a reserved spot waiting for our group each week in spite of other customers waiting in line to eat. Besides enjoying a good meal, we have come close to solving such earth shaking problems as "How to improve the U of M athletic situation," "How to make a good highball," "How to beat the Yankees," "How to retire at 45," and "How to bring back the Alvin." We hope that anyone who can help us with these problems, or anyone who has heard a good new story, would drop in at the Normandy at noon on Thursdays and join us in a "Henry the Eighth."

Some of our alumni couples plan an enjoyable evening out on May 16 when they will join the active chapter at the annual Spring Formal Dinner Dance to be held this year at the Interlachen Country Club.

Some changes around town: Tom VonKuster has become the president of the Minneapolis Athletic Club for the year 1959. Bob Rueff, our alumni president, has moved over to the Oreland Johnson Advertising Agency. Dave Darrell is now employed by 3M, and Wendell Halvorson will be working for the U.S. Army for the next six months.

We are still trying to compile a complete address list. Will any alumnus who did not register at our last Founders Day Dinner please send me his name and address so that we can be up to date?

TED CHALGREN, *Correspondent*

#### **Atlanta Alumni Association**

The dogwood trees covered the "Gone With the Wind" city again this year as they never have before. At least it seemed that way. Your correspondent also serves as secretary-treasurer of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers for the District meeting which was scheduled eighteen months ago to coincide with the peak dogwood and azalia season. Luckily we hit it on the head! We rebels were sho nuff proud to show our 600 guests and members why we got so mad at Sherman for burning our town.

Thanks to the wonderful publicity our newly-formed Atlanta Alumni Association got in the March SHIELD, we rounded up several new mem-

bers. One case, Ronald Dall, was directed to us by his mother. Mrs. Dall, in Pittsburgh, wrote that she had read "all about us" in *THE SHIELD*, and that she would appreciate our contacting Ronald. Needless to say, we called and wrote to Ronald who is here training to be a banker. (Thank you Mrs. Dall; who doesn't need a banker?—take a look at our balance and we'll show you one group who does.) Also, John Arnold, Ind. Delta '43, saw *THE SHIELD* one day before our meeting and came by for our Thursday night meeting. Those of us who live in Atlanta are fortunate in that we can attend meetings at the Heart of Atlanta Motel, run by our president, Dave Cowles. Believe me, it is the only way you can get in the place. It is so beautiful, so convenient, has so many swimming pools and other nice things that it has had 100 per cent occupancy since opening. Of course, the fact that a Phi Psi manages the place must have some bearing on its popularity.

If there are any more Phis Psis in and around Atlanta known by YOU, please contact Dave Cowles at Heart of Atlanta, or W. S. (Bill) Brown in the Hurt Building. Any of you college brothers who happen our way please call us or drop by for a chat.

The correspondent is beginning to feel a little like Uncle Remus' Brer Rabbit and the Tar Baby. A few months ago I "Jes sorta tech this Alumni Association," kinda soft like. But old tar baby hole on real tight like. So I swat at him again and fust thing you know here I is "Secretary." I pulls back to really wallop him and now he done sick Bro. Weiser on to me—now I got my lef foot stuck. Here I sat last Thursday night happily contemplating that first new grandson—still with my right foot free. All of a sudden—like here comes Bro. Dave Cowles and he say; "see here Bro. Brown, how come you sittin' dere with that grin on your face a wastin that right foot?" I say "uh wah," he said, "jes as I was gonna say—man yo is the new correspondent to *THE SHIELD*—git goin!"

The Atlanta brothers were honored to have Brother Bob Elliott, President of Phi Kappa Psi, pay us a visit in March. We hope he and other Phi Psi brothers will beat a path to our city and help us build up *THE BEST* Alumni Association in the nation. To do this, we need a "cause" and we are looking around this Southland to see if there isn't a campus worthy of a Phi Psi chapter. The ideas and moral support of the rest of you out there will be most appreciated.

We are thinking in terms of "summer" outings, rush parties, Christmas parties and the like. Keep in touch with us if you know of some high school or prep school boys who should be given a good working over. Also, those of you who are planning a career in or around Atlanta, get in touch. We will help you get acquainted with the Phi Psi brothers and others "in the know."

W. S. BROWN JR., *Correspondent*

## Kansas City Alumni Association

Initially, we wish to express our sincere sorrow on hearing of the death of our beloved national treasurer, Clyde M. Joice. His passing leaves a gap in the ranks of our great.

Check off Friday night, May 15 as the night of the spring "Coming out dance" for all K.C. alums. It's at the Ranch Mart auditorium. This is a good chance to start getting in shape early for the football season next fall.

Come June the Kansas City Mothers and Wives club will throw another gala picnic for all brothers and pledges.

Win Tate, Jack Tusher, and Jack Darrow all sojourned to Columbia March 25 for the Fifth District Council. Brother Tate, past national president, made a speech to the delegates, and they were all three in on the recommendation to the Executive Council that Missouri Beta be established at Westminster College, Fulton, Mo. Seems like the members of the 38-year-old Highlanders would be initiated into the mysteries under the proposal. Incidentally, the deans and faculty of Westminster College say the Highlanders are the tops. They appear to have an enviable record in class officers, athletics, activities, size, and best of all, take note Lou Carson, scholarship.

Phi Psi has a new, as yet unofficial, alumni club in Columbia, Missouri (Mo Alpha) as of last fall. It was established primarily to provide alumni assistance, guidance, and advice to Mo Alpha at local, person-to-person levels. This cuts out 125 miles in communication lines and should provide some real tangible benefits to Mo Alpha. The roster lists such distinguished brethren as: John Niewohner, Pres.; John Hughes (former District V Archon) Vice Pres.; Satch Dodge, Treasurer; Clay Davis, Jean Madden, Tom Rutledge, and others.

New K.C.A.A. officers for the coming year are: President, Jack Tusher; Vice Presidents, Bill Lacey, Curt Williams and Jack Darrow; Secretary, Benny Bruton, and Treasurer, John Galbraith.

## NOTES ABOUT TOWN:

"Hypo" Dick Rodgers now with Geo. K. Baum selling Stocks and Bonds . . . "Boomer" Roberts has left IBM to go with Leonard Childers Real Estate in Kansas City, Kansas . . . Former *SHIELD* correspondent John Pearman "gave it all up" and has bought half interest in a fabulous Florida motel; reduced rates, John? . . . Jim Young, Weir Realty has been elected to the Platte County Metropolitan Planning Committee . . . Jack Tusher, after a lengthy vacation from all cares and worries, has gone to work for National Bellas Hess . . . Bruce Browne is now in Turkey with the U.S. Govt. Engineers (wonder if there's any connection between Bruce and the current Terry and the Pirates script?) . . . Ernest E. Clark has purchased a new home at 57 Emerson Court in Decatur, Ill. . . . Ellsworth Filby, N.Y. Alpha, has been



elected Vice Pres. of engineering and manufacturing of Havens Steel Co. . . . Jean Weber, Mo Alpha, succeeds Brother Frank Bolin as Pres. of the Jackson County Society for Crippled Children and Adults . . . Alex George, Kans. Alpha, is with the "A"'s Pensacola, Fla. minor league club this season after spring training at West Palm Beach, Fla. . . . George G. Fluke, Ohio Beta, is on J. C. Nichols real estate sales staff . . . Miller-Stauch Construction Co. (Duncan Miller) was awarded the contract for construction of the J. C. Nichols Memorial Fountain on the Country Club Plaza . . . Max Dean has joined the forces of Wier Realty at Parkville, Mo. with Jim Young . . . Tucker Woodson leaves the Navy in July, will be prospecting for a geology job . . . Parker Parrish is new sales manager for Cake-Box frozen foods . . . Chal Wood has moved his office to 11 E. Gregory; he is Mfrs. Agent for Bassick Casters and other lines . . . Linton Bagley, Advertising Manager for Folger's coffee has been named the new chairman of the Assn. of National Advertisers newspaper committee, succeeding Anton Bondy, Lever Brothers . . . Ron Phillips is now with Bruce P. Brewer Advertising Agency . . . *Middle Aisle Dept.*—Dick Felkner, Mo. Alpha to Sherry Doran, St. Louis in June. *Prolific Brothers Dept.*—Bob and Ruth Hyde, Chicago; Tim and Darlene O'Leary, Dick and Nina Mackey, Ralph and Sue Finlay, all with legacies this time. Congratulations brothers!

The Mo. Alpha rush chairman is Don Dooxsee, 5211 West 65th Place, phone number is HE 2-1672.

The Kansas Alpha K.C. Rush Chairman is Chuck Hydeman, 2809 West 48th Terrace, phone number is SK 1-1358. How about giving them each a couple of real Phi Psi potentials, they would sincerely appreciate your help.

BENNETT L. BRUTON, *Correspondent*

#### **Saint Louis Alumni Association**

Approximately eighty Phi Psis gathered at the University Club in St. Louis February 27 to celebrate Founders Day. We were honored by having Treasurer Clyde M. Joice attend. Jim Higgins acted as Master of Ceremonies and Clay Davis, of the Stewart Howe Alumni Service in Columbia, Mo., gave the main address.

Don Krechel, chairman of the activities committee, announced plans for a dinner meeting to be held in May. The annual Bar-B-Q will again be held at Vern Hentschel's home June 19. At that time plans will be made for a rush party to be held in August.

Harry Wimmer has again been elected president of the St. Louis Phi Psis. Don Krechel is vice president, Jim Fell is secretary, and Ken Thorp is treasurer.

DAN B. FOSTER, *Correspondent*

#### **North Texas Alumni Association**

The North Texas Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi is looking forward to an energetic and productive administration under the presidency of Brother Al Ruebel during the calendar year of 1959. Al was elected to office at the Founders Day Banquet which was held on February 19 at the Melrose Hotel in Dallas. Other officers, nominated and elected on that occasion, are: Austin D. Rinne, 1st Vice-President, Frank Shannon, 2nd Vice-President, and Turner Baxter, Secretary.

The principal speaker at the Founders Day Banquet was Col. Bill Rogers, Chief Editor of the *Dallas Morning News*, Editorial Page. His subject was "A Quick Look at the History of Phi Kappa Psi." Brother Rogers was introduced to the assembled brothers by Brother Ned Fritz.

At the March meeting, we were honored to have the Assistant District Attorney of Dallas County, Brother Jack Hampton, talk to us on "The Role of the District Attorney." We have been having very good attendance at our monthly meetings on the first Tuesday of each month at the Baker Hotel, and we invite all brothers who are in Dallas on that date during any month to "stop and break bread with us."

The Alumni Association had a team in the recent Metropolitan YMCA membership drive. Brother Ivan Sorenson captained this able group. In addition to Ivan, team members included Al Ruebel, Jack Steele, and Henry Fulcher. Brother Austin Rinne was chairman of one of the downtown divisions.

Brother Jack Steele recently won a trip to Los Angeles, California for his outstanding sales record in the IBM Typewriter Division.

President Al Ruebel is making plans for a summer picnic which will include wives and children of brothers, and we are hopeful of a large turnout. The date of the proposed picnic will be announced at our May meeting at the Baker Hotel.

AUSTIN D. RINNE, *Correspondent*

#### **South Texas Alumni Association**

Welcome from South Texas. The Houston Alumni Association held its observance of Founders Day by having a banquet February 19, at the beautiful Houston country club. Texas Alpha honored our group with several of their undergraduates. We received a full report on their 1958 accomplishments and plans for 1959. The situation in Austin is fine. Brother Flowers of Tennessee Delta gave the main address, telling stories about some real Phi Psis. He gave the needed touch. The Brothers then indulged in a song fest. Pretty good, if I do say so . . . songs surely bring back memories. Us olde duffers can still sing. We had fourteen different chapters represented. The Phi Psis sure move

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around. Elections were held; the results are as follows: Jim Noonan, Missouri Alpha, president; Henry Hodell, Indiana Delta, vice president; Leonard Lowes, Texas Alpha, sec.-treas.; Henry Champman, Texas Alpha, second vice president; Doug R. Zwiener, Texas Alpha, third vice president.

Hank Champman will co-ordinate the Houston Alumni Association activities with those of Texas Alpha and Texas Beta. We hope to work closer on rushing with both chapters in 1959. Doug Zwiener will do the planning and execution of the social end of the Brotherhood should be good. We have high hopes for 1959.

JIM NOONAN, *Correspondent*

#### **Southern California Alumni Association**

Past President Shirley Meserve's passing brings us sadness and regret. His enormous efforts for the Fraternity are widely appreciated but we in Southern California were the chief beneficiaries. We can only resolve to ably carry on the work for the Fraternity he so greatly loved.

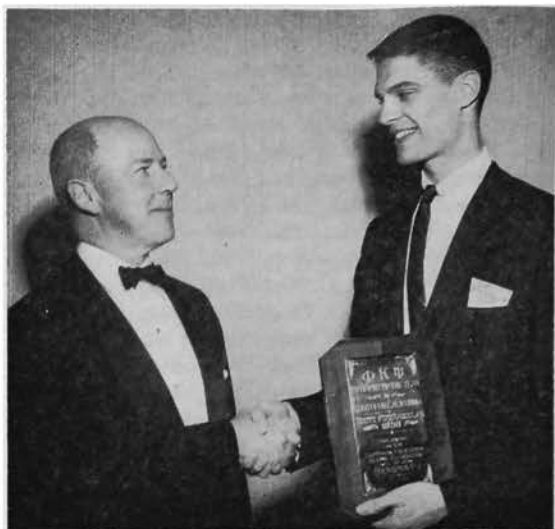
He attended our Founders Day Celebration on February 19 at the Rodger Young Auditorium. He seemed in the best of spirits chatting with old Phi Psi friends and greeting Brothers he had not previously met.

The banquet, as always, was well attended and enjoyable. Some eighty undergraduates from Delta and Epsilon produced the zest for the occasion with their Phi Psi songs and cheers. The large delegation of Phi Psi alumni and Phi Psi Zeta undergraduates from Santa Barbara were enthusiastically welcomed.

For our Association, Brother E. W. MacCorkle, Virginia Beta, presented our "Student of the Year"



**E. Avery Cray, Iowa Alpha '15, president of the Los Angeles Bar Association, was SCAA Founders Day Banquet speaker.**



**E. W. McCorkle, Va. Beta '23, presents SCAA award to "Athlete-of-the-Year" Harry Baldwin, Cal Epsilon, UCLA varsity football center.**

plaque to Scott FitzRandolph of Cal Delta and our "Athlete of the Year" plaque to Harry Baldwin of Cal Epsilon. Both of these Brothers have made outstanding contributions to their Chapters and their Universities.

Brother E. Avery Cray, Iowa Alpha, President of the Los Angeles Bar Association gave us a thoughtful, sincere Phi Psi talk well laced with appropriate humor. Hal Boettcher presided skillfully.

At the conclusion of the meeting our perpetual chairman of the nominating committee, Brother Harold Reed, Calif. Gamma, presented the names of officers for the ensuing year and they were elected.

President, F. Hal Boettcher, Calif. Beta; Vice-Pres., Wixon Stevens, Ill. Alpha; Treasurer, John U. Ball, Mo. Alpha; Secretary, Newman Dorr, Iowa Alpha; Ass't. Secretary, Fred Martin, Calif. Epsilon; Chaplain, Rev. Frank B. Llewellyn, W.Va. Alpha; Directors, Claude A. Ferguson, Okla. Alpha; J. Robert Meserve, Calif. Gamma; Frank S. Donant, Calif. Gamma.

*Phi Psi names in the news:* Tom Kuchel, Senior U.S. Senator, provoked two or three items a day for a spell in the middle of February. Lincoln Day speeches, Republican women meetings, young Republican meetings, regular Republican meetings, etc. He is now California's Republican top man. Edwin W. Pauley, California's Democratic strong man, was honored on March 18 by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors who presented him with a scroll for his "contributions to the economic, cultural and educational programs of the county during the past 25 years."

Whichever way the political winds blow, Phi Psi can't lose.

Our Thursday luncheons at the Clark Hotel continue to be fairly well attended. Hugh Alderdice, Calif. Delta and Frank Stutesman, Ind. Beta, seem to have joined the ranks of the "regulars." It would be pleasant to have some more. How about YOU?

NEWMAN DORR, *Correspondent*

**Arizona Alumni Association**

March 17 marked an unusual date for the Arizona Alumni, in Phoenix, who hosted a luncheon for Edward Everett Horton, N.Y. Gamma '08. Brother Horton was in Phoenix appearing in his new English play, "Not in the Book." The play was presented with success in Palm Beach, Fla., and next moved to the Sombrero Playhouse in Phoenix for

revisions. In April the show moves to San Francisco and in the fall goes to New York.

Jack Murphy, Ariz. Alpha '48, made it a real St. Patrick's day by bringing real Irish shamrocks for table decorations. President Dean Olson, Ariz. Alpha '50 introduced Brother Horton, who responded as only he can with a wealth of stories. He was grateful for the Phoenix hospitality and thanked Secretary John Stanton, Calif. Beta '28, who arranged the luncheon. The turnout was a fair cross-section of the eighty Phi Psis in the greater Phoenix area.

Regulars, plus new faces constantly changing, make for an active alumni group. We are also fortunate to have so many prominent winter visitors. When you get to Phoenix, remember our meetings: Tuesdays, at noon—in the Concho Room of the Westward Ho Hotel.

JOHN E. STANTON, *Correspondent*

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# OBITUARY

## ROBERT STONE GOULD

*New Hampshire Alpha 1929*

Robert S. Gould, director of promotion for the Carling Brewing Co., died suddenly of a heart attack April 6, 1959 while attending a business meeting in Phoenix, Ariz. He was 49 years old.



**GOULD**

Born in Chicago, Brother Gould attended elementary schools in St. Paul, Minn., and University High School in Minneapolis, prior to his graduation from Dartmouth College.

He first worked with General Foods Corp. in its sales department. Transferred from Minnesota to the company's general sales department in New York, he became merchandising manager for one of the firm's products.

He served in the Navy during World War II and was released from active duty as a lieutenant commander. From 1946 until 1952 he was with General Foods in its hotel and restaurant division. In 1952 he was named merchandising manager for the Pabst Brewing Co., and in January 1956 he joined the Carling firm as a marketing executive. He became director of promotion for Carling in 1958.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Peggy Jackson Gould, of Chagrin Falls, Ohio; a daughter, Mrs. James K. Ball, Barrington, Ill.; his mother, Mrs. P. Saunders, Harvard, Ill.; and two sisters.

## WILLIAM TILLINGHAST

*California Beta 1958*

William (Bill) Tillinghast, a member of the class of 1960 of California Beta, died March 27 following an automobile accident. An honor graduate of Tucson (Ariz.) High School, Bill had a brilliant academic record at Stanford, but more importantly, he was a young man of unusual charm and warmth, with a rare gift for friendship. His death represents a very real loss to those who were his brothers at Stanford University. He was president of his pledge class prior to his initiation on Sept. 28, 1958.

Among his survivors are his parents, who live at Verga Pequena, Ariz.—JY.

## NORVALL TAYLOR SPIKER

*Ohio Alpha 1905*

N. T. Spiker, for many years with the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada in its Cincinnati, Ohio, office, died Jan. 6, 1959, in Hillsboro, Ohio. He was a 1908 graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University.

Among his survivors is a daughter, Mrs. Janet Vigler, 374 Adrian Drive, Berea, Ohio.

## JOHN JAMES SMITH

*Missouri Alpha 1921*

John J. (Bud) Smith, vice president of the Hill-Hentschel Company, died March 28, 1959 at his home in St. Louis. He was 57 years old.

He was a faithful alumnus of the Fraternity and was active in alumni organizations in Memphis, Dallas, and St. Louis.

He is survived by his widow and three daughters, all of St. Louis.

## EDWIN BALMER

*Illinois Alpha 1899*

Edwin Balmer, internationally known author and former editor of *Redbook* magazine, died at North Tarrytown, N.Y., March 22, 1959, following a heart attack. He was 75 years old.

A 1902 graduate of Northwestern University, he received his master's degree from Harvard University the following year and joined the staff of the *Chicago Tribune* as a reporter. In 1927 he was named editor of *Redbook* magazine, and in 1949 became associate publisher of the magazine. He retired in 1953.

He was the author of twenty-five novels, several of which were written in collaboration with Philip Wylie or William McHarg. His first wife, Katherine MacHarg Balmer, a sister of the novelist, died in 1925.

In 1932, collaborating with Philip Wylie, he wrote "When Worlds Collide," later made into a motion picture. His recent novels include "In His Hands" (1954), "The Candle of the Wicked" (1956), and "With All the World Away" (1958).

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Grace Kee Balmer; two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Smith Thomas and Mrs. William S. McChesney; and a son, Thomas Balmer.

## ANDREW JACKSON ROGERS

*Indiana Beta 1906*

Andrew J. (Jack) Rogers, businessman and hotel owner in Nashville, Tenn., died in that city March 29, 1959. He was 70 years old.

After his graduation from Indiana University in 1910 he worked for the Delco-Remy Co. in Muncie, Ind., later became a reporter for the *Indianapolis News*, and then joined the staff of the Marmon Motor Co. in Indianapolis. He was a vice president of the automobile manufacturing firm.

In 1937 he moved to Nashville, Tenn., where he purchased the Nashville House and other business properties.

His first wife, Mrs. Jane Stafford Rogers, died in 1944. Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Lula Gibson Rogers; a son, Frank Rogers, a daughter, Mrs. Murrell Lowry; and three grandchildren.

**PAUL LEVISON JONES**  
*West Virginia Alpha 1931*

Paul L. Jones, president of the Jones Brewing Co. of Smithton, Pa., died Jan. 16, 1959, in a Pittsburgh hospital. He was 48 years old.

He had been with the brewing company since completing his education at Allegheny College and West Virginia University.

Among his survivors are his widow, Mrs. Marjorie Jones, of 4628 Clubvue Drive, Whitehall, Pa.; a daughter, Mrs. Jack Cassidy, whose professional name in motion pictures is Shirley Jones; and a grandchild.

**JOHN HERMAN EGGERS**  
*California Gamma 1903*

John H. Eggers, geologist and mining consultant, died Jan. 9, 1959 in Englewood, Calif., following a long illness. He was 74 years old.

A native of Alameda, Calif., he was a 1907 graduate of the University of California. He had served as president of the Mining Association of Southern California for six years.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Maude Eggers, 8121 West Blvd., Inglewood; two daughters, Miss Ann Eggers and Mrs. Elizabeth Rhodes; and three sons, John Eggers, Robert Eggers and Major Thomas Eggers.

**HARRY ASA CALL**  
*California Delta 1938*

Harry A. Call, a Los Angeles building contractor, died Feb. 27, 1959 of a cerebral hemorrhage. He was 40 years old.

A 1941 graduate of the University of Southern California, he served as a pilot in the Army Air Force during World War II in the Pacific Theater.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa V. Call; three brothers, and a sister.

**CARL FREDERICK HELM**  
*New York Gamma 1910*

Carl Helm, legal adviser to the New York *Mirror*, died at his home in New York City Feb. 11, 1959. He was 70 years old.

A member of the law firm of Powers, Kaplan & Berger, he was associated with the Hearst newspaper since 1924.

He was a reporter for the old New York *American* while a student at Columbia Law School. He was graduated in 1911. In later years he was considered a leading expert on libel.

During World War I he served as infantry captain in the Army. His father was an army officer at Ft. Snelling, Minn., where Brother Helm was born in 1889.

Surviving is his widow, Mrs. Betty Helm, of 77 Park Ave., New York, N.Y.

**FRITZ B. ERNST**  
*Indiana Delta 1901*

Fritz B. Ernst, retired steel industry executive and charter member of Indiana Delta Chapter at Purdue University, died Feb. 25, 1959 in Chicago. He was 81 years old.

Brother Ernst entered the steel industry as a sales engineer for the American Steel Foundries in Chicago in 1907. When he retired from the firm in 1947 he was vice president in charge of sales.

A 35-year member of the Chicago Crime Commission, he was made a life member in 1954. He was also active in the Boy Scout movement, the Travelers Aid Society, and the Chicago Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi. A past president of the Purdue Alumni Association, he was also an alumni counselor of the Purdue Research Foundation.

A bachelor, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Curtis Marshall, Madison, Ind.; four nephews, and four nieces.

**GEORGE PERRY BENSON**  
*California Delta 1927*

Death ended a long planned vacation trip for Brother and Mrs. George Benson at Deming, New Mexico. Brother Benson died while passing through that city on March 10, 1959.

Brother Benson was one of the original members of the local fraternity which became California Delta, in 1927. He was born in Glendale, Calif., December 2, 1890. While at the University of Southern California he played four years of baseball and two years of basketball. After graduating he became affiliated with the Inglewood, Calif., high school as a teacher of mathematics and served there for 35 years.

Brother Benson was always interested in his fraternity and represented his Chapter at his high school by sending material to USC.—RRH.

# ***The Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity***

was founded February 19, 1852, at Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa., by

**WILLIAM HENRY LETTERMAN**

Born Aug. 12, 1832, at Canonsburg, Pennsylvania

Died May 23, 1881, at Duffau, Texas

**CHARLES PAGE THOMAS MOORE**

Born Feb. 8, 1831, in Greenbrier County, Virginia

Died July 7, 1904, in Mason County, West Virginia

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Pennsylvania Delta (1861-66)	Pennsylvania Theta (1878-81)
Virginia Delta (1866-69)	District of Columbia Alpha (1881-84)
	Pennsylvania Epsilon (1884-86)

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| 1—Joseph Benson Foraker (1886-88)<br>died May 10, 1918             | 17—Walter Lee Sheppard (1918-20)<br>died October 16, 1943     |
| 2—Robert Lowry (1888-90)<br>died Nov. 25, 1899                     | 18—Dan Gardner Swannell (1920-22)<br>died April 11, 1939      |
| 3—John Patterson Rea (1890-92)<br>died May 28, 1900                | 19—George Duffield McIlvaine (1922-24)<br>died Sept. 28, 1928 |
| 4—William Clayton Wilson (1892-94)<br>died May 17, 1925            | 20—Shirley Edwin Meserve (1924-26)<br>died March 3, 1959      |
| 5—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1894-96)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 21—Howard Chandler Williams (1926-28)<br>died March 3, 1958   |
| 6—Walter Lisle McCorkle (1896-98)<br>died March 31, 1932           | 22—Harold Guyon Townsend (1928-30)<br>died October 25, 1953   |
| 7—George William Dun (1898-1900)<br>died Dec. 19, 1914             | 23—Edward Morris Bassett (1930-32)<br>died Aug. 2, 1941       |
| 8—Ernest Milmore Stires (1900-02)<br>died Feb. 12, 1951            | 24—Thomas Aubrey Cookson (1932-34)                            |
| 9—Edward Lawrence Fell (1902-04)<br>died September 26, 1943        | 25—Harry Lambright Snyder (1934-36)<br>died March 26, 1958    |
| 10—George Bramwell Baker (1904-06)<br>died May 2, 1937             | 26—Leverett Samuel Lyon (1936-38)                             |
| 11—Charles Frederick Mather Niles (1906-08)<br>died Sept. 20, 1933 | 27—Charles Edwin Strickland (1938-40)                         |
| 12—David Halstead (1908-10)<br>died Nov. 19, 1940                  | 28—Andrew Gehr Truxal (1940-42)                               |
| 13—George Smart (1910-12)<br>died May 16, 1925                     | 29—Harry Stewart Gorgas (1942-46)<br>died September 23, 1954  |
| 14—Orra Eugene Monnette (1912-14)<br>died Feb. 23, 1936            | 30—Winston Rousseau Tate (1946-48)                            |
| 15—Sion Bass Smith (1914-16)<br>died Jan. 20, 1954                 | 31—Howard Leeman Hamilton (1948-50)                           |
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|  | 33—J. Bart Aldridge (1952-54)                                 |
|  | 34—Willis Lyle Jones (1954-56)                                |
|  | 35—Edward Tyler Sturgeon (1956-57)<br>died December 30, 1956  |
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