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SEE?
ME 'N TEDDY
ARE GONNA BE
PHI DELTS!



One of two original "Dennis the Menace" cartoons drawn by Hank Ketcham, Washington '41, for this issue of The Scroll.

Did you know that Dennis is a Phi legacy? Don't miss George K. Shaffer's story which begins on page three.



"What Do We Want?"

By DR. JEAN S. MILNER, Georgia Tech '15
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SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 6: 1-18

THIS EDITORIAL appears basically as it was given in sermon form by a distinguished Phi, DR. JEAN S. MILNER, Georgia Tech '15. It was recommended to THE SCROLL by GEORGE A. SCHUMACHER, Butler '25, and Brother Milner kindly translated his notes into copy form by delivering his sermon a second time into the Ediphone. It appears, therefore, in the style of the spoken word rather than the written.

The sermon comments beautifully and intelligently on one of the great doubts of our age—a doubt that has assailed all of us at one time or another. It has particular meaning, we believe, for those young men in our undergraduate chapters who will soon be making their own decisions as to the course they will pursue in the business world.—ED.



BROTHER MILNER

I WAS seated recently in a barber shop which was crowded . . . a good many youngsters home from college for vacation were present. I listened to a discussion that was intensely interesting, a bit disturbing to be sure, but interesting in that it portrayed, or should I say betrayed, an attitude that is not good but which I fear is a real problem in the lives of many people. These youngsters were talking about lying diplomacy which is going on in many high places of the world, . . . about corruption and racketeering in wide areas of the political life of this nation, . . . certain types of people who through clever manipulation and scheming become very rich, and the upshot of their question was really this: "Why be decent? Why be honest? Does it pay?"

As I listened to them—I did not take part in the discussion—I was reminded of an experience some years ago at a delightful small dinner party in the home of Mr. Booth Tarkington, given to four local clergymen—Dean Kershner of Butler University, Dr. Wicks of the Unitarian Church, Rabbi Feuerlicht of the Jewish Synagogue and myself. Mr. Tarkington said he was writing a story in which he had reached the point in which a certain man of high honor, a lawyer, had been completely broken because of a courageous stand he had taken in trying to clean up local political corruption. This man's son just out of law school is seated in the office of his father's former law partner who is congratulating the young man because he is going to follow in his father's footsteps and carry on his father's work of highest integrity in the practice of his noble profession. To this the young man without hesitation replies, "But I don't intend to be honest. Look what they did to father because he was honest. Why should I be honest? It certainly doesn't pay." Mr. Tarkington then asked us four clergymen, "What should I have this older lawyer say to that young man to convince him that he ought to be honest?"

There you have it, and in my experience I have found more than one youngster today, thoroughly disillusioned with anything even remotely resembling pious hypocritical talk, who is bluntly putting that question not only to his elders but to himself in his own thinking.

No mere intellectual argument begins to be so discouraging to religious faith as the fact that evil is so often so highly successful. Starting with the Christian idea of God, the logical inference it would seem should be, that wrong-doing would always fail and

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"DENNIS THE MENACE" SAT HERE

... And this is Dennis' talented and appreciative "pop," HENRY KING (Hank) KETCHAM, Washington '41, flanked by a shelf of Dennis' toys and in the midst of the inspiration of the unforgettable 4-year-old's pervading possessions. His reflective mood indicates that he is getting some of the pint-sized hero's exploits down on a sketch pad.



"Dennis the Menace"... Phi Legacy

Lovable, Irrepressible 4-Year-Old of the Comic Strips
Is Creation of Brother Hank Ketcham

By GEORGE K. SHAFFER, *Chicago '16*

OUT ALONG the blue Pacific in about the year 1963, some college campus is going to give a yelp of surprise, like a man grabbing a steaming atom, and there will be good reason. For, about September, 1963, is the time that "Dennis the Menace" will be starting college out West.

His Phikeia button is probably somewhere around the house right now, figuratively speaking, along with Dennis' space helmet, his undetachable cowboy boots and Halloween false face.

For Dennis the Menace—hot-test one-person popularity wave to engulf the nation since the presidential elections of 1952—wears the Phi Delta Theta brand. There may come times in the future when Dennis' prospective college adventures cause his fraternity brothers some inward trepidation; but nobody yet has rebuffed the charm that is embodied in Dennis the Menace, and it is a fair guess that all is going to turn out happily wherever he goes.

Dennis the Menace comes by his traits naturally. And the trend toward a Phikeia future is one of his traits. It is transmitted through his father.

In reality, there are two Dennises. It is interesting to tell about both of them. Both say "Daddy" to Brother Henry King Ketcham, of the class of '41, Washington Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. One Dennis, slightly older than his 4-year-old counterpart who appears in the country's "hot-

test" newspaper comic, is now seven years of age, and a flesh and blood boy attending third grade school in Carmel, California.

The other Dennis lives in the cartoons, a perpetual and imperishable 4-year-old, not flesh and blood exactly, but a representation of childhood mischief who has won the hearts of the world.

The first Dennis—the running, hollering, sometimes sweaty little boy of Carmel's third grade—is named Dennis Lloyd Ketcham, and let none of us forget about his prospective Phikeia pin.

The second Dennis, the pixie with the invincible charm, lives in the daily and Sunday comic pages of 348 newspapers, 251 of them in the United States; 39 in Canada, and 58 in other countries from Norway to Argentina. His name in the comic pages is "Dennis Mitchell."

But he bears the name of "Daniel El Travieso" in his South American appearances, and the Latin American cartoon "balloons" give the conversation of himself, his sharp nosed daddy and his gorgeous looking mama in Spanish, translated from Hank Ketcham's English. This re-lettering into the tongues of other lands which enjoy Dennis' adventures is one of many busy activities which have to be pursued by Ketcham, his distributors and business representatives around the globe in order to keep the Dennis supply equal to the demand.

MEET THE *Dennis the Menace* FAMILY . . .





Phis and Rushees should face the rigors of Rush Week with renewed strength as they ponder the plight of Dennis' parents in this original cartoon drawn for THE SCROLL by HANK KETCHAM, Washington '41.

In England, this cartoon Dennis has the name of "The Pickle," an expression meaning an impish little fellow. In the Netherlands, Dennis disports himself as "Henkie Het Huisgevaar," which has a meaning that we may have to send to Utrecht to find out.

Hank Ketcham, to whom 50,000,000 readers owe their daily enjoyment, was born in Seattle on March 14, 1920, his father being a member of $\Psi\tau$ from the University of Washington, and his mother, now deceased, a K K Γ .

Hank's father—the real Dennis' grandpa—is now State Occupational Deferment Officer, State of Arizona Selective Service, and a U. S. Navy Reserve commander. Hank has two sisters, the youngest, Virginia, now attending the University of Washington School of Nursing. Having a nurse in the family of Dennis the Menace comes under the heading of preparedness.

Mrs. Hank Ketcham—Dennis' good looking, long suffering, resilient, proud mother—is the former Alice Mahar of Malden, Massachusetts, whom Hank courted and won while he was with the Navy in Washington, D.C., as a Chief Photographer Specialist, during World War II.

As always, when something particularly striking occurs, you "cherchez la femme." It was Hank's wife, Alice, who after a particularly trying experience with her bright-eyed and un-squelched 3-year-old offspring, sank back all worn out one day in early 1951 and cried out, "Oh, Dennis, you're a menace."

Her husband, whose ear had been tuned for gags while he was an "animator" at the Walt Disney and Walter Lantz studios in Hollywood following college days, seized on wife Alice's phrase of genius, and turned it into a characterization which has familiarized the world.

MOM AND DENNIS

The youngster whose imagination, effervescence and uncurbed charm led up to all the cartoon furor, and his mother, Mrs. Alice Mahar Ketcham, whose phrase of momentary exasperation instigated the lucrative Dennis rage, are shown at the age when the "real" Dennis inspired the cartoon. Any similarity between the twinkly, aggressive little Dennis and George S. (Cupie) Ward of Illinois Eta and Washington, D.C., President of the General Council of ΦΔΘ, at comparatively the same age, may be entirely coincidental but then, again, it would not surprise a student of natural dispositions.

It is anticipated that SCROLL readers will wish to know more of the interesting detail about this parlay of one small boy, one weary young mama, and one quick-witted papa with a sketching pencil, into such a popular and remunerative world characterization as "Dennis the Menace."

Biographically, Mrs. Ketcham had been a business girl prior to her marriage. She went to a business college and then entered Civil Service. This took her to Washington where she met Hank. Her father has been in the Post Office Department at Boston for 35 years. Dennis is her complete brood.

As to Hank, there have been no other artists in the Ketcham family. But the cartoon instinct was inborn in him somehow; his sketching fingers moved with nervous insistence from as early years as he remembers.

"My first commercial art job," he says, "was when the kids used to make scooters by nailing roller skates to a two-by-four, with a wooden box for a front.

"I went into the business of decorating the fronts of these boxes with cartoon faces.

"My asking price was five cents. But a nickel looked pretty big in those days, and my fee was often shaved.

"My first published drawing was a pen and ink of the U.S.S. *Constitution* under full sail in a mighty heavy sea. This was published in our grammar school paper."

From grammar school, Ketcham went to Queen Anne high school in Seattle and continued sketching. In his one-year stay at University of Washington, he was on the Yell Squad. (So, you see, Dennis has a good inheritance in vocal cords.) Hank became a Phi in 1937.

Brother Ketcham is remembered at Washington Alpha as a somewhat thoughtful sort, who was a fun-lover, but not an excitement instigator. He majored in Art. But, he says, "I was so impatient to get away from drawing apples and into cartooning that after a year I went to



Hollywood and got into the animated cartoon studios. The work there was the best training I ever had."

The Ketchams now live in Carmel, California, in a comfortable, redwood, ranch style home which this summer is undergoing expansion. Hank is very businesslike about his valuable Dennis "property." He has taken an office suite in Monterey, California—one time it was a physician's string of offices—and there he and his two assistant artists and his public relations aide work on nothing but the Dennis output.

"I concentrate on the daily and Sunday cartoons," explains Hank. "The others are chiefly concerned with the Dennis comic books. We all pitch in on working up designs and ads for the various sidelines—book matches, cocktail

napkins, barbecue aprons, dolls, squirt gun toys, paint sets, glasses, blow-up toys, and what not."

A line of children's clothes is one of these ventures. Moppets take pride in them because of their Dennis designs. There is a special Dennis doll, a 17-inch replica of the irrepressible 4-year-old.

And over and above these things, you may soon see and hear Dennis programs on the television and radio.

What was but a sketch of Dennis on Hank's drawing board about three years ago, is now an undertaking that busies hundreds of persons in a dozen different enterprises. A group of these are in the offices of the Post-Hall Syndicate at 342 Madison Avenue, New York City, which handles the cartoon distribution, and whose president is Robert M. Hall. John J. Kennedy of New York is the Ketcham-Dennis business agent.

Says Ketcham: "About the real Dennis. At the age when he inspired the cartoon, he was up to all the tricks of little boys his age, such as biting baby sitters, tipping over garbage cans, and so on. Now that he is seven, we have him pretty well trained to dissociate himself from the cartoon character. For this reason, we do not release current photos of him."

The "Dennis the Menace" newspaper feature was launched on March 12, 1951, in fifteen newspapers. The first full color Sunday comic page was released on January 13, 1952.

In between those dates and the present, Dennis has girdled the globe, hit the recent McCarthy-U. S. Army Senatorial hearings, inspired a popular song, slid into teen-age slang, brought about book publications by Henry Holt and Company and the Avon Publishing Company, gone to war with a U.S. Jet pilot in aerial ornamentation on 100 missions in Korea, won the Billy DeBeck award of 1952 (the annual "Oscar" for comic cartooning), became the sea-going mascot and ornamented the coffee cups of the U.S.S. Destroyer *Willard Keith* in Korean sea fighting, and helped picturize countless fund, Chest, and charity drives.

A number of schools about the country have adopted Dennis for their yearbooks.

"Dennis" contests, in which parents describe the antics of their own youngsters with prizes for those most resembling the doings of Dennis, have been conducted by 32 United States newspapers which hitched their own public popularity to that of the magnetic 4-year-old. The *Boston Globe* and the *New Orleans Times-Picayune* each drew over 2000 "Dennis" entries.

Hank Ketcham made personal appearances to judge contests in Boston and Minneapolis. But

usually the semi-finalist entries are shipped to him for his final judging.

The "Dennis" mail has included one letter from a real life Dennis Mitchell, aged 11, who inquired why the cartoon character was named after him. (In the cartoons, Dennis, his mother and father have gone under the family name of "Mitchell," remember?)

One young father, named Mitchell, wrote to say thank you for aid in designing announcement cards for his new born son, Dennis Mitchell.

Clergymen, doctors, service men from overseas, school teachers, expectant fathers, business executives, teen-age girls with little brothers, even some nuns, have written in about Dennis.

Some psychologists wrote to Ketcham. "They said that the doings of Dennis have therapeutic value," the artist relates. "They said that the fact that the cartoons show parents that their own youngsters are not, after all, the most mischief making kids in the world, was soothing to the nerves and emotions."

In the issue of the national magazine, *Newsweek*, for June 21, 1954, an article which bore the legend: "The Funnies Are Getting Funny Again," said that since World War II ended, "New, funny comics have sprung up and been enthusiastically received. The cast of characters includes Pogo, Hank Ketcham's incorrigible Dennis the Menace, Mort Walker's slap happy Beetle Bailey . . . and . . . Felix Knight, managing editor, *Dallas Morning News* (says): 'Dennis the Menace' is the most quoted man in our city—bar none."

It was during the heated McCarthy subcommittee hearings in Washington, D.C., that Dennis got his name into that most quoted contemporary publication, the *Congressional Record*. Senator Ralph E. Flanders, Republican, of Vermont, was charging his fellow senator, Joe McCarthy of Wisconsin, with irresponsibility and trouble making. McCarthy is a "Dennis the Menace," Senator Flanders asserted.

Recognition from another influential place in Washington—1800 Pennsylvania Avenue—was embodied in another letter that Ketcham treasures. This letter reached the creator of the renowned juvenile hero as a result of the interest taken in Dennis by Helen Hull Jacobs, the many times tennis champion.

Miss Jacobs, a commander in the WAVES, had been invited to a luncheon at the White House. She wrote Ketcham that she thought the President might share her enjoyment of her favorite "Dennis" cartoon and she mailed her personal card to Ketcham to send back to the

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U.S. Army Photos

SON OF OLD MIAMI HONORED IN TOKYO CEREMONY

LEFT: *The Honorary degree of Doctor of Laws is conferred upon GENERAL J. E. HULL, Miami '17 (center), by DR. JOHN D. MILLETT, DePauw '33 (left), President of Miami University, assisted by Lt. Col. Donald R. Nugent, USMC, at Brother Hull's Tokyo home.* **RIGHT:** *The General is congratulated by Mr. Hachiro Yuasa, President of International University, Tokyo, Japan, and Mrs. Yuasa immediately after awarding of the honorary degree. President Millett flew to Tokyo to make the presentation.*

Miami Honors Far East Commander

Brother General Hull Receives Honorary LL.D. from Brother President Millett

BOTH of the principal participants were this as General John Edwin Hull, *Miami '17*, received an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree from his Alma Mater in an impressive June 21 ceremony, attended by prominent Japanese and United Nations dignitaries.

Dr. John D. Millett, *DePauw '33*, president of the 145-year-old midwestern university—birthplace of ΦΔΘ—conferred the honor at the Tokyo residence of the Commander in Chief, Far East and United Nations Commands, citing General Hull for "... commanding the forces of the United States and of the United Nations in a crucial area of strategic concern in the free world's effort to halt the spread of communism. . . ."

The citation accompanying the degree further read: "Upon you, John Edwin Hull, General of the United States Army, native son of Ohio, remembered for his active role in student life in the Miami Class of 1917, career officer in this nation's

military forces . . . by vote of the University Senate, with the approval of the Board of Trustees, and under the authority granted by the state of Ohio, Miami University confers the degree of Doctor of Laws."

Brother Hull received his A.B. from Miami in 1917 and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant, Infantry, in August of the same year. He saw World War I action almost immediately with the 4th Infantry Division in France. He was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action in the Aisne-Marne offensive.

In the next two decades, the four-star general was graduated from the Infantry School, the Command and General Staff School, and the Army War College. His World War II service included duty as Chief of the European Section of the War Department Operations Division. After World War II General Hull became Commanding General of the U. S. Army Forces, Middle



General and Mrs. Hull examine honorary degree diploma.

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Sports World Mourns Granny Rice

By HAYWARD BIGGERS, *Editor of THE SCROLL*



GRANTLAND RICE, *Vanderbilt '01*
He played the game of life to the hilt.

THIS sports-minded nation was sent into mourning July 13 with the death of the acknowledged dean of sports writers, Grantland Rice, *Vanderbilt '01*, in Roosevelt Hospital, the result of a stroke suffered earlier in the day at his office.

Phi Delta Theta too mourned the loss of this kindly man, world famous in his field through his writings, movies, radio broadcasts and TV, as dozens of clippings telling of his death poured into the editor's office from Phis all over the country. Brother Rice remained throughout his life a loyal and interested Phi. He often attended New York Alumni Club functions and for many years had worked closely with Dr. John Davis, Jr., *Washburn '38*, in the selection of the All-Phi football teams. He was a member of the All-Phi Board from its inception, although he asked to be excused from the task last fall when he was ill.

In New York the day following his death Brother Barrett Herrick of the General Council led the Fraternity's Survey Commission, meeting at the Carnegie Foundation, in a moment of silent prayer in respect to the memory of Brother Rice. The appropriateness of this ceremony is more pronounced when it is remem-

bered that the Chairman of the Survey Commission, Dr. John Tigert, received his Phi badge from Granny Rice.

Brother Rice reached the peak of his career in the 1920's during the "Golden Age" of American sports. He attended all of the great sports events and was on friendly, familiar terms with the performers. He considered Ty Cobb and Babe Ruth the best ball players of the thousands he watched, and always cited the Dempsey-Firpo fight as his most exciting boxing memory. Bobby Jones's grand slam golf championship in 1930 was his top thrill of the links. He was a kindly man who seldom, if ever, indulged in bitter, sarcastic reporting. He was regarded as an authority on practically all sports.

A colorful writer, Rice originated nicknames for many of the athletes he knew, the most famous perhaps being "The Four Horsemen," the term which immortalized the 1924 Notre Dame backfield of Miller, Stuhldreher, Crowley, and Layden. His column, "The Sportlight," appeared in more than one hundred papers, and he estimated recently that he had written more than 18,000 columns of material, amounting to more than 50,000,000 words. He had recently completed his memoirs which are scheduled for publication this fall. In addition to his newspaper work, Brother Rice was the producer of a series of movie shorts called "The Sportlights," and was the author of a number of books. He was also a pioneer in sports radio reporting, participating in the first World Series broadcast to be put on the air, in 1922. He was often heard on the radio thereafter. In 1950 he was honored in the popular television show, "This Is Your Life."

Brother Rice had a flair for verse and showed much of it in his early sports writing, attracting wide attention. One of his most popular bits of verse was (see *SCROLL*, inside front cover, Sept., 1950):

*When the great scorer comes
To mark against your name;
He'll write not "won" or "lost,"
But how you played the game.*

Born in Murfreesboro, Tennessee, Grantland Rice was an all-round athlete at Vanderbilt and a crack scholar, earning election to $\Phi B K$. He was initiated as No. 229 on the Bond Roll of Tennessee Alpha, Nov. 25, 1897. Captain of the 1901 baseball team, Brother Rice later played

semipro ball briefly after leaving college. He first went to work in Nashville as a shipping clerk, but his first love—sports—was still his strongest and he lasted on the job only a few days. Rice went to work for the *Nashville News* at \$5 a week, writing sports, covering the county courthouse and state capitol, and other news sources. He went to New York in 1911 and began to attract national attention as sports columnist for *The Evening Mail*. In 1914 he became columnist for the *Herald Tribune*, continuing until 1930 when his column was syndicated by North American Newspaper Alliance. He also served as editor of *The American Golfer* for several years, beginning in 1920.

Brother Rice served as an Army lieutenant in World War I and was active in civilian defense work in World War II. He was named a Director of the National Football Shrine and Hall of Fame.

The Grantland Rice Fellowship for a year's study at the Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism was set up by friends of Mr. Rice in 1951 to commemorate his fiftieth year as a sports writer. The \$50,000 grant noted his "distinguished service and notable attainment in the field."

In 1906 Mr. Rice married Katharine Hollis of Americus, Georgia, who, with a daughter, Florence, survive him. Many Phis will remember Florence Rice (Mrs. Fred Butler), who achieved prominence in the movies and on the stage.

Funeral services were held at the Brick Presbyterian Church, Park Avenue, New York, July 16. Hundreds of friends and sports notables paid their final tribute, and a large procession of honorary pall bearers was led from the church by Gene Tunney and Jack Dempsey, whose careers had been recorded by Rice. Others among the honorary bearers were Herman Hickman, Jim Farley, Ford Frick, Bobby Jones, and Earl Blaik.

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Following Grantland Rice's death, the noted Phi newspaperman, William Randolph Hearst, Jr., *California* '29, wrote in his column, "Editor's Report" as follows:

"An old friend of mine came to the end of his road the other day. Grantland Rice, I mean.

"They do not come any finer, kinder or gentler than Granny—never have and never will.

Tribute to Grantland Rice

By ARTHUR DALEY, *New York Times*

Grantland Rice was the most wonderful person this side of heaven. He's moved over to the other side now. A heart attack finished Granny at the age of 73. He had to be vulnerable in his heart because it was so big and generous and kind and soft. It isn't easy to write about Granny. A fellow just gets maudlin and careless with his superlatives. But that's the way Granny affected people.

It's to be doubted that any man had a more profound effect on the sportswriting profession than our beloved dean. He gave it fire and enthusiasm and sparkle. It wasn't too evident in his later years but Granny once wrote pulsating prose that made the ink dance on the sports pages. He could reflect the drama and the excitement as few men could. There was an era in the Twenties when every young writer tried to emulate Grantland Rice. None could. They overdid it. So a new trend toward restraint took over, leaving Granny as the shining beacon of another age.

He was so lovable. He had a million friends and not one enemy. Granny gave the profession character and class. We're going to miss him.

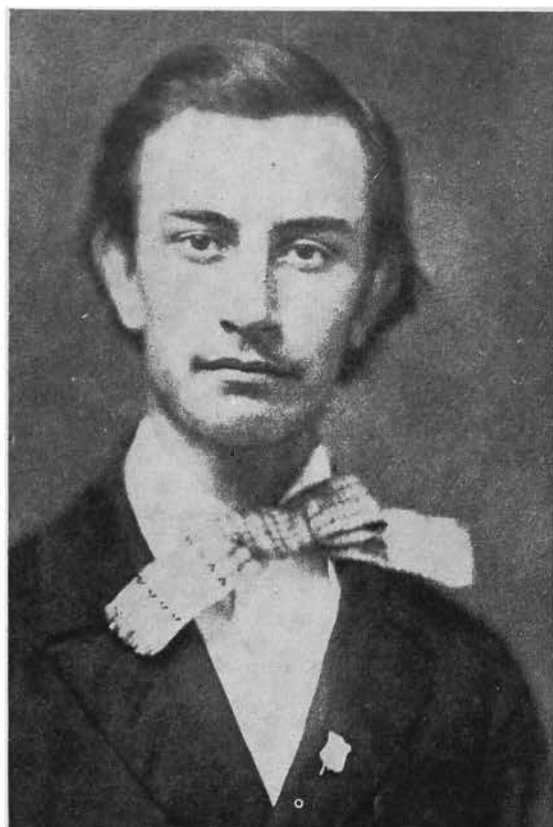
"I do not know of a knock or mean word that Granny ever wrote about a young aspiring athlete or writer. On the contrary, he was always interested in their careers and was the first to give them a hand or an encouraging word or column.

"Sports always has produced exceptionally fine writers and very real, very amusing, and very swell guys. They are famous for arguing among themselves about everything—who was the better golfer, the better baseball player, or the better halfback, etc.

"But one subject upon which I never found anything but unanimity was about what a great guy Granny was. . . .

"I have never tried to write an obituary before and I know this is woefully inadequate, but I just felt like doing it because Granny was a friend and I will miss him."

★ ★ ★ In Coelo Quies Est ★ ★ ★



WILLIAM F. VILAS, *Wisconsin '58*

As an undergraduate when he was first signer of Wisconsin Alpha Bond Roll. Brother Vilas became a distinguished U. S. statesman. Note old Phi Badge on lapel, disproving Psi Upsilon's claim to his membership.

WHILE VISITING the State Historical Society of Wisconsin library this winter I happened upon the accompanying photograph of William F. Vilas, *Wisconsin '58*, and I was immediately struck by the old Phi badge which shows plainly upon his lapel. The notation on the photograph says that it was taken when he was an undergraduate.

Senator Vilas became one of Wisconsin's most distinguished men. He was an important factor in the lumber industry which flourished in the period following the war between the states and the end of the century; a member of President Cleveland's cabinet, being Postmaster-General, 1885-88, and Secretary of the Interior, 1888-89, and United States Senator from Wisconsin, 1891-97. A county in the northern part of the state is named for him and his character and record are still held in high regard by the people of the state.

His record in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is also noteworthy. When W. G. Jenckes, *Indiana '56*, entered the Univer-

Old Photo Revives Interesting Story

By GEORGE BANTA, JR., *Wabash '14*

Past President of the General Council

sity of Wisconsin in the fall of 1856 he was urged by members of Ohio Alpha, Indiana Alpha and Kentucky Alpha to establish a chapter there, inasmuch as there were no fraternities in the University at the time. Palmer's *History of Phi Delta Theta* prints a copy of a letter from Jenckes to a Phi at Miami dated May 11, 1857, in which he wrote: "... My connection with the institution expires with the present term, but I have mentioned the matter to a friend who seems anxious to take it in hand. He is decidedly the best of the junior class and would be a great acquisition to the Society ($\Phi\Delta\Theta$). He is a resident of the place and will live here after graduation, and would be a trustworthy hand to take care of our interests. ..." The friend to whom he referred was Vilas whom he initiated so that he became No. 1 on the Wisconsin Alpha roll, and with Jenckes and G. S. P. Stillman, '59, received a charter to establish the chapter on June 27, 1857.

Wisconsin Alpha was then instrumental in establishing Wisconsin Beta at Lawrence College, the first man being initiated on Aug. 24, 1858, and the charter being granted on Feb. 3, 1859. Wisconsin Beta still has in its archives letters which passed between it and Wisconsin Alpha signed by "Wm. F. Vilas, Sec'y."

The war forced suspension of the chapter at Wisconsin in 1861 and it was not revived until 1880. Again, Vilas was instrumental in the revival as he had kept the charter in his possession in the intervening years and initiated D. S. McArthur, *Wisconsin '81*, in his residence in Madison "in an informal manner." The latter was entrusted with the revival responsibility.

My more than usual interest in the accompanying photograph comes about through the fact that I have been twitted by one of my Psi

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PHI SIGNATURE

Brother Vilas used standard Phi closing to letter written May 6, 1902 which accompanied his photograph for Palmer's *History of the Fraternity*.

Phis Lead S.M.U. Golf Team to N.C.A.A. Title

By PAT THOMAS
Texas Delta Reporter

TWO outstanding brothers of Texas Delta sparked the Southern Methodist University golf team to its first N.C.A.A. team title on June 22. Floyd Addington and Stewart Carrell led the Mustang golfers to a new collegiate record at Brae Burn Country Club in Houston, Texas.

Addington, Southwest Conference Champion in 1953 as a sophomore, gained the quarterfinals of the match play for the second straight year. He was second low in the individual medal with a 70-69-139 for the 36 holes.

Carrell, whose 69 led the field in the opening round, preserved the slender one stroke lead for S.M.U. with some remarkable play on the final hole. After knocking his tee shot into the lake, he hit a wood to the fringe of the green, chipped to within five feet of the cup and putted it in to set the record. Brother Carrell was playing in his second National Intercollegiate Golf Tournament.

President of the chapter in the spring of 1954, Brother Addington is President of the Methodist Student Movement on the campus, a Knight of Cyren Fjodr, and co-editor of sports of the year-book with Carrell.

Floyd's brother, Don, S.M.U. '53, was also an outstanding golfer and both are well known nationally in the sport.

Brother Carrell comes from a large family of Phi Deltas. His grandfather, Dr. William B. Carrell, *Southwestern* '05, was founder of the Scottish-Rite Children's Hospital in Dallas; his father, Dr. William B. Carrell, S.M.U. '31, and his uncle, John R. Carrell,



PRIDE OF S.M.U. AND TEXAS DELTA
Floyd Addington (left) and Stewart Carrell
with N.C.A.A. golf trophy.

S.M.U. '41, were all outstanding brothers.



DEVOTED PHI HOUSEMOTHER FOR 26 YEARS

LEFT: Mrs. Kreamer with Dick Smith, Dick Sheldon, and Jack Campbell. Note portrait in background of Mrs. Kreamer, painted on her 20th anniversary as housemother at Kansas Alpha. RIGHT: Chapter President John Simons presents Mother Kreamer with gift of \$2,000 at recent banquet in her honor.

Kansas Alpha Says Farewell to "Maudie"

Chapter Honors Retiring Housemother For Her 26 Years of Devoted Service

By JOHN R. CAMPBELL, *Past Kansas Alpha Reporter*

ON the night of May 21 a very surprised but grateful University of Kansas housemother attended a banquet in her honor and was presented a check for a little more than \$2,000.

She was Mrs. J. H. Kreamer—"Maudie" to six college generations of Kansas A Phis—and more than 250 of her boys, undergraduate and alumni, and friends were present to pay tribute to her 26 years of service to the chapter. She was to retire at Commencement time and she knew of the testimonial dinner but not of the gift.

At the time of her retirement Mrs. Kreamer had served longer than any other housemother at Kansas and also ranked first in seniority among all Phi Delt housemothers in the nation. A "mother away from home" for "her" boys, "Maudie" knew well all the tasks of Kansas Alpha—from shovelling coal to corresponding with General Headquarters.

Recalls No Favorites

Mrs. Kreamer observes that of all the hundreds of men she has known since starting with Kansas Alpha in 1927, they have not changed much as a group. She does not recall any special favorites and admitted that she seldom had cracked down on any of her boys because "they

were really a swell bunch of lads and treated me wonderfully. I have had lots of fun."

Both her late husband (James H. '01) and her son (James G. '29) were Phis at Kansas and a grandson, Mac Stevenson of Salina is now a Phikeia of the group.

Now "Maudie" has left the rooms in the sprawling house on Edgehill that has been her home for 26 years. Just how she has been able to put up with the hundreds of Phi Delt who have been in the chapter during that time is something that no one quite understands. We do know that she will finally have some deserved rest from an arduous job and will be able to travel and do some of the things she has always hoped to do.

One thing should be clear at the outset: Mrs. Kreamer is not an old lady—never has been and never will be. These years with so many energetic Phis have kept her mind fresh and open. Her thinking and her outlook are young.

Kept Chapter Alive During War

Her perceptive judgment has guided the Fraternity through depressions, inflations and war. And there have been times when she did it single-handed. During the war it was she alone

who kept the doors of the chapter open when so many other houses had to close. She was all the officers rolled into one until the chapter resumed its stability.

To discuss her qualities would take a long time. It must suffice to say that as a rusher, as a hostess, as a manager and as a friend, she was tops. Her ability to remember the names of all her old boys and their wives is legendary. In all things her whole self has poured into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ her fervent desire that it be fine and great.

Offered Guidance When Needed

The first Christmas Mrs. Kreamer was here, one of the boys gave her the three famous little monkeys whose mute advice she has always followed in her dealings with those outside the fraternity: see no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil. But to the men themselves she has never hesitated to point out their mistakes and to offer guidance. In 26 years she learned what makes the Fraternity strong and she was quick to stand up for what she believes.

It is hard to believe that Mrs. Kreamer's famous swear box contains coins donated by six generations of Phis who occasionally slipped in her presence. Twenty-six years . . . what does one say for 26 years . . . for the time and vitality that the house on Edgehill has taken from her . . . for the gift she has made of all her strength and faculties to the Fraternity?

This much is certain, though. She will never really be gone from here. Her presence for 26 years, linking old Phi Deltas with new, imparting ideals and convictions forged in experience to the transient active chapter, has bequeathed to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ at Kansas a sense of continuity and a pride in its past.

Her advice and ways of doing things have



HER PRIDE

Mother Kreamer with Harvard Trophy which Kansas Alpha has won five times. At left, Minnesota Alpha basketball tourney trophy won by chapter last spring.

gradually become the ways of the chapter; so her 26 years are a living entity—forever a vital part of Kansas Alpha. To her, for all she is, each Phi Delt owes a measureless debt. And to each of us, she will remain loved and unforgettable in a special niche of memory.

When we return to the house on Edgehill and look to see her in her chair by the fireplace working out a crossword puzzle, she will seem not to be there. But in the dignity of old traditions and in the high moral tone of the chapter, she will always be there.

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Voluntary Alumni Contributions

As of June 30, alumni contributions for 1953-54 totaled \$19,308.29. This amount was given by nearly 4,000 loyal and interested Phis. Two solicitations were made, Illinois Eta leading the first and Tennessee Alpha the second; Washington Alpha finished second in both.

Phis who participated in the campaign may take pride in the result inasmuch as it represents a new high. Those who did not are urged to do so when the 1954-55 drive is launched. Phi Delta Theta should have at least 10,000 "working Phis" who will be ready and willing to take part in this voluntary financial move.



“Personal Crusade”

**Bob Putnam, Ex Marine, Tours
Nation Fighting Communism**

ROBERT J. PUTNAM
Colorado '37

At left as he appears today. At right as he looked in August, 1942, when a captain in U. S. Marine Corps Reserve on Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands. His story really begins here.



ON July 1, 1953, a young, former fighting Marine colonel began an eighteen month leave of absence from his job to take up an extensive crusade “to awaken the American people to the dangers of communism.” He is Robert J. Putnam, *Colorado '37*, and in the more than a year since he left his work with Champion Paper and Fibre Co., in Asheville, North Carolina, he has carried out a speaking program that has carried him to all parts of the nation.

Why? Because he was prompted by a genuine concern for the perils he felt were in store for America, and his has been a full blown religious attack on communism and the Marxist theory which he terms a modern “outbreaking of the spirit of the Antichrist,” not a political creed.

Former Chapter Leader

Brother Putnam, who was president of Colorado Alpha chapter in 1936, a student of political affairs, and trained as a lay pastor decided on his crusade because he feels the current period as one of the most critical America has faced in its history.

“Attacked from within, America’s future largely depends on the actions of its citizens now,” he explained before beginning his tour. He continued:

“Consequently, I have felt it my duty to God and country to use my God-given talents in warning my fellow Americans that unless we become aware of the dangers and take steps to cor-

rect them, our civilization might well be destroyed as the 21 preceding it have been.

“I have no misconceived ideas that my crusade will have any great effect. The troubles that beset America are not new . . . I cannot sit idly by and see our country destroyed by the complacency of a citizenry who have turned from their scriptural heritage to selfish materialism.

“It is my hope and prayer that my message of Christian love as well as the exposé of the diabolical nature of the communist conspiracy will help an individual here or there in my audiences turn to his Creator God for the inward calm and happiness that comes from knowing God’s plan . . . In revealing the details of the communist conspiracy, it is my hope to be objective and above all have documentary proof of any controversial contentions.

Not On A Witch Hunt

“This will not be a witch-hunting, book-burning, loose-statement campaign. I expect the ‘Communies’ and the ‘Pinkies’ will attempt to smear my good name, but no God-loving person can accuse me of being anything but a Christian who has had the Spirit of God sufficiently revealed to give up my present life . . . My country is dying . . . My God has had war declared upon Him by the Kremlin . . . and I for one will now stand up to be counted.”

The story behind Brother Putnam’s crusade began in 1943 when he was a lieutenant colonel

in the Marine Corps. (Later, at 31 years of age, he became the youngest full colonel in the Marines.)

Putnam can recount many experiences of narrow escape from death during World War II but he considers an incident on Guadalcanal in August of that year as the beginning of it all.

Most of the fighting was over. The beach, however, was strewn with dud shells from naval bombardment prior to the four-day old invasion. As commanding officer of the outfit assigned to clearing the area, Putnam felt he should be the first to lift a shell and dump it into a water hole.

"... of miraculous nature."

Putnam moved to a shell, stooped, and hoisted it to his chest. It took a split second for the realization to sink in that the dud was red hot. Four days on the beach in the blazing South Pacific sun had heated the shell so much the skin on his hands was blistered and slickened.

Every nerve cried out for Putnam to release the shell, but a demolitions assistant had warned emphatically against dropping it. Putnam managed to hang on long enough to safely lower the shell into the hole.

Putnam strongly believes today that only the "hand of God" restrained him from dropping the shell. To him, the incident was of a "miraculous nature."

Jungle rot, malaria and other illnesses sent him to a series of Army hospitals for the next 26 months. Finally released with a medical discharge, Putnam went to Asheville in 1946 from his native town of Denver, Colorado.

Although he'd never heard of Asheville before, Putnam acquired the position of assistant manager of the Chamber of Commerce within a short time of his arrival, a job he held for about a year. He next was commercial manager of White Transportation Company until 1951 when he accepted his present job with Champion.

In his several years in the area, Putnam engaged in many civic activities. He is a past State director of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, served also as president of the Asheville Jaycees and was selected to receive the Jaycee distinguished service award in 1950.

In religious circles, Putnam is a member of the vestry of Trinity Episcopal Church and a licensed lay leader of the WNC Episcopal Diocese.

Speaking Popularity Grows

Shortly after becoming connected with Champion, Putnam was approached by local leaders of a church and asked to speak. Putnam became convinced he should speak on communism and

They Like His Talk!

"I have never seen a group more impressed than by the moving and powerful talk which he delivered."

Chairman of the Board
Wachovia Bank & Trust Co.
Winston-Salem, N.C.

"Colonel Putnam in his speech in Raleigh showed a wonderfully fine knowledge and understanding of the Communist menace."

Senator Willis Smith
of North Carolina

"The most outstanding and dynamic message ever presented to one of our convention groups."

North Carolina Retail Coal
Merchants Association

"Your address was a masterpiece and the doctors consider it the outstanding lecture of the convention."

Past President, North Carolina
Academy of General Practice

"Colonel Putnam's talk was the highlight of our meeting. It was the most timely and inspiring talk I have ever heard."

V. P. Randall Fuel Co., Atlanta, Ga.

"The feature of the evening was Colonel Putnam's talk. I wish he could be hooked up nationally and heard by everyone in this country."

Vice-President, Life Insurance
Company of Virginia

"We had Colonel Putnam speak to a hundred and forty of our plant and office managers, and I do not believe that I have ever observed them listen more intently to a speaker before."

Personnel Manager, R. J. Reynolds
Tobacco Co., Winston-Salem, N.C.

proceeded to "expose" it before the church group. He received requests to speak before other groups.

Slowly, by word of mouth, the nature of Bob Putnam's talk spread among civic, church and business organizations and the idea of the present tour was conceived.

To back up his assertions, Brother Putnam has assembled a massive file of photostats, memoranda, quotations, speeches, books, pamphlets, letters, magazines and other data which he exhibits at his lectures and from which he quotes bountifully.

He's Master of the Grange in Washington

By HAROLD R. BOYD, *Idaho '35**



A. LARS NELSON, *Willamette '31*
*At his desk in Seattle office of
Washington State Grange.*

WASHINGTON STATE'S No. 1 farmer is finding little time for farming.

Albert Lars Nelson, *Willamette '31*, whose home address is a modest farm near St. John in eastern Washington, is most likely to be found in offices of the Washington State Grange in Seattle, plowing through a "harrowing" accumulation of mail or weeding a patch of inter-office memos.

To Entertain 10,000 Grangers

As master of the Grange in Washington state he is busy with plans for the 88th annual convention of the national Grange, to be held in Spokane November 9-19. On his broad shoulders rests the major responsibility for planning a program to interest some 10,000 Grangers, meeting in Washington for the first time since 1942. A wartime convention was held in Wenatchee, the apple capital, twelve years ago.

A wheat and cattle rancher, Granger Nelson bore true allegiance to the rolling hills of the Palouse country south of Spokane and after his

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graduation from Willamette University in 1931 and some graduate study elsewhere he returned to St. John. He was born in the neighboring town of Thornton on April 16, 1909, and in 1913 his family moved to St. John.

At Willamette Lars Nelson was a member of a local fraternity, Alpha Psi Delta, and was its president his senior year. In 1947 the group received its $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ charter. Chapters of $B\Theta\Gamma$, and ΣX were installed at the same time in a unique establishment of the Miami triad at the Salem, Oregon, school. Brother Nelson returned to the campus sixteen years after his graduation to sign the Bond at installation-initiation ceremonies.

Although a farmer by choice and training, Lars Nelson had sought the broad view which a liberal arts education might afford and after receiving his A.B. degree at Willamette he added a year's teaching fellowship and scholarship to the school of citizenship and public affairs of Syracuse University and some post graduate work at Washington State College. This rich background he brought to his zealous work in the service of the Grange in his community and it was inevitable that his talents would be utilized by the state organization of this vigorous and vital farm society. At the state Grange meeting in the Spring of 1953 A. Lars Nelson was elected to the group's highest office after a spirited campaign tussle which resulted in his unseating Henry P. Carstensen, master of the state Grange for twelve years.

Farmers' Problem Public Relations, He Says

No dictator, Lars Nelson points out that the Grange is one of the most democratic of organizations and decisions come "from the bottom up"—not handed down "from the top."

Biggest single problem facing the farmers of the United States is that of public relations, he says.

In early days most of this country's people lived on farms and it took many times more man-hours of work to feed and clothe a smaller population than we have today. Now the farmer is a small minority and mechanization has cut the cost of production in terms of man-power and time.

"But the problems of farmers quickly become problems of the whole population," he goes on. "We are more inter-dependent than before."



PLAN MEETING OF 10,000 GRANGERS

A. Lars Nelson, Master of Washington State Grange (right, center) confers with Herschel D. Newsom, National Grange Master (right) and two other state officers in preparation for 88th annual convention of the National Grange which will be held in Spokane in November.

Nelson believes that people living in the towns and cities should be kept constantly informed and sympathetic toward agriculture.

He recently told his fellow Grangers that he did not believe that the farmer's problem of surplus production can be solved by the Eisenhower administration's proposal for flexible farm price supports.

"Increased food consumption, stepped up exports and expanded industrial uses of farm products are necessary to relieve the government of piled-up surplus food," he said.

Mrs. Nelson is a native of Oregon, having been born in the eastern Oregon town of Baker. She was Rose Wetherell and she and Lars met at Willamette where she too earned an A.B. degree. The Nelsons have two children, Lars Wetherell, a junior in high school at St. John, and Karen Rosemary, a freshman.

Active in Many Fields

Brother Nelson is a member of the Shrine and a past master of the Masonic blue lodge, a member of Colfax, Washington, commandery

of the Knights Templars and of Royal Arch Masons and the Eastern Star. He joined the Grange in 1933 and has held all the major offices of his subordinate and county Granges.

He is vice-chairman of the district advisory board of the National Farm Loan association and president of its St. John unit. He was secretary-treasurer of the soil conservation district in his area for eleven years and for two years chairman of the Whitman county soil conservation association. He was an area production and marketing administration committeeman for nine years.

Nelson served on the Whitman county war board during World War II, has been president of the Washington State Weed Association and is a member of the Washington State Cattlemen's Association. He is a member of several cooperatives in the farm supply and insurance fields and is president of the board of directors of the Grange Cooperative Printing association.

Oh yes, Brother Nelson is agricultural chairman emeritus of his local Grange, the Wheatland Grange, the state's third largest.

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First Priest Foundation Award Announced

The first Arthur R. Priest Foundation Award has been won by Kirk Terry Dornbush, *Vanderbilt '55*. This award, which goes to the undergraduate who best exemplifies the teachings of the Bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, will be presented at the 50th General Convention and full coverage will appear in the November SCROLL.

Another Phi President for Queens College

Dr. Edwin R. Walker Assumes Post Held
Previously by Late Dr. C. C. Jernigan



DR. EDWIN R. WALKER, *Southwestern* '25
Succeeds his friend, colleague, and Phi
brother as President of Queens.

DR. EDWIN R. WALKER, *Southwestern* '26, assumed his duties as eleventh president of Queens College, Charlotte, North Carolina, on June 10. Elected to the position last March 19 when he was serving as dean of Rollins College, Brother Walker fills the vacancy created by the sudden death in July, 1953, of Dr. Charlton C. Jernigan, *Florida State* '25.

Prior to his appointment at Rollins in 1952, Dr. Walker was dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Florida State University. He has also held professorships in philosophy and religion at Central College, Missouri; the University of Colorado, and Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical School. The newly elected president holds the B.A. degree from *Southwestern*; the B.D. degree from Vanderbilt University; and the Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago. He has lectured at many southern, southwestern, and midwestern colleges, universities, and educational conferences. In 1952 he delivered the commencement address at Queens College.

Dr. Walker has published numerous articles in learned journals and has contributed to three books: *General Education in the Physical*

Sciences, The University Program in Action, and General Education in the Social Sciences. He holds membership in the American Philosophical Association; the Southwestern Philosophical Conference; the Southern Conference of Academic Deans, which he is now serving as chairman; and the American Conference of Academic Deans. He is a member of the accrediting committee of Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. He was the recipient of a Kent Fellowship, and is a member of $\Phi K \Phi$ and $\Pi K \Delta$, honorary fraternities. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church and has been active in various community service organizations.

In accepting the presidency of the 97 year old liberal arts college, Dr. Walker said:

I have accepted the presidency of Queens College with some fears but with great enthusiasm. Queens is a stable liberal arts college of high quality. It is strong in the affections and loyalty of students, faculty, trustees, church, and—in an unusual way—the city of Charlotte. I believe its quality and reputation can be developed to a place of national prominence. That belief is the source of both anxiety and enthusiasm.

The quality and the attitudes of the faculty and trustees are alone grounds for

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Walker and Jernigan Were Close Friends

It is interesting to note that Brothers Walker and Jernigan were warm friends for years. In fact, it was while Dr. Walker was dean of Florida State University that Dr. Jernigan was persuaded to leave Woman's College at Greensboro, N.C., and join the faculty at Florida State. Here he became a member of the advisory committee of Beta Phi and then a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ when the local was instilled as Florida Gamma in 1951. The close association of the two continued when Jernigan became president of Queens, and officials of the institution believe that Brother Walker "had absorbed some of the Jernigan enthusiasm for the college long before he ever thought that he might be its president."

Phi Delta Theta's Foreign Students

A Report By G. H. GRUENINGER, *DePauw (Fac.)*

Guenther Hans Grueninger is Professor of German at DePauw University. He is a native of Germany where he was educated, but has been a popular member of the DePauw faculty for many years. He became Brother Grueninger on Sept. 30, 1932, when initiated by Indiana Zeta chapter. As head of the Foreign Student Division at DePauw, Brother Grueninger has long been interested in the exchange of students between American and foreign universities and colleges. He was instrumental in developing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s interest in the program and seeks now to step up the Fraternity's participation.

THE SCROLL presents with pride the results of a survey which he conducted during recent months. The story of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s leadership in this important program and of its sincere wish to do more in the future (as reflected in the survey) is most rewarding, particularly in the face of the constant stream of criticism leveled at $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and other fraternities because of restrictive membership clauses.—H. S. B.

PHI DELTA THETA, initiator of a foreign student exchange program of national fraternities in the years before World War II, has continued its participation in this program in the last eight years. This report summarizes the results of a recent survey which is designed to



FROM FRANCE

Michel Beaujour, Paris, Fulbright Scholar at Southwestern, was pledged last Fall by Texas Gamma.



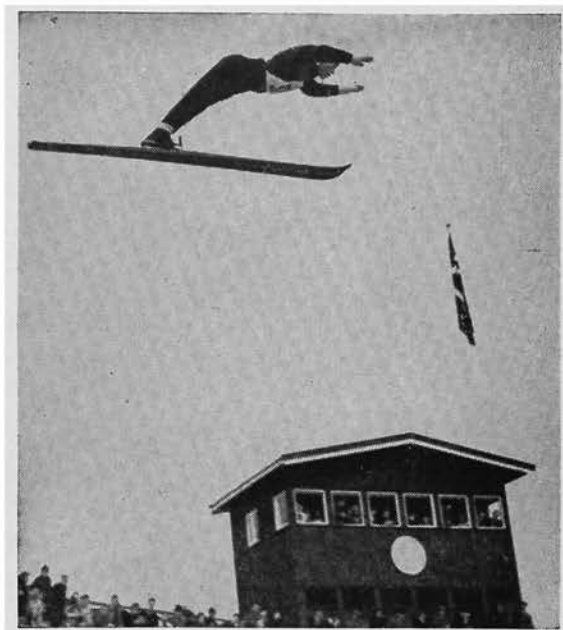
FROM GERMANY

Gunter Bertram (left) and Raimond Figay (right) from University of Hamburg who lived at Vermont Alpha house second semester a year ago. They are shown with Jack Cowie, chapter president.

serve as a basis for a more vivid description of our chapters' contribution to the foreign student program since World War II.

First of all, some significant data:

- ▶ 92 chapters returned the questionnaires; our Canadian chapters were not included in the survey.
- ▶ 25 chapters reported that they participate in foreign student programs.
- ▶ 3 chapters participate in the Foster Parent Plan for war orphans.
- ▶ 39 chapters expressed an interest in participating for 1955-56 or later years.
- ▶ 14 chapters are giving their support to Interfraternity Foreign Student Programs at their schools.
- ▶ 10 chapters wanted to accept foreign students in 1954-55, granting them free board and room.
- ▶ Total number of foreign students in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chapters since 1946: 45. Benefits granted to these foreign students consisted of free board and room, free board only, free room only.



FROM NORWAY

Reidar "Otts" Ullevaalseter, champion skier from Oslo enjoyed free room and board and friendship of Idaho Alpha Chapter.

- Nationalities represented: EUROPE—Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Austria, Germany, France, England, Switzerland, Holland, Belgium. LATIN AMERICA: Cuba, Colombia, Peru, Mexico, Brazil. NEAR EAST: Syria, Iran. FAR EAST: Japan, Korea. DISPLACED PERSONS: Greece, Russia, Estonia.
- Foreign Students Initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$: 20.
- Financial Estimate of benefits granted foreign students each year (Board and room estimated at \$60.00 per month): \$17,200 minimum.

Chapters Want To Help

But figures do not tell the whole story. Behind these figures lies the willingness of our chapters to help their universities and colleges in accepting foreign students; their awareness of the value of foreign student programs; and their pride in doing a good job.

Phi Delta Theta and all national fraternities can be proud of their contribution to the field of foreign student exchange. We seldom publicize our role in this field. Yet the national fraternities represent a most important sector of the American student body. It should be a privilege to the foreign student to live in the homes of our undergraduate chapters. Fraternity houses are homes of living groups, not just hotels in which a foreign student can find a place to eat and to sleep.

The survey reveals our own potentials in this field of foreign student programs. Campus, community, and country are the realities which the foreign student should learn to know while in America. Fraternities, especially at our liberal arts colleges, can create opportunities for becoming acquainted with all three of these realities. The fellowship in the house and the active part fraternity men play in the life of the university develop in the foreign student that feeling of belonging without which he would remain a stranger. While the undergraduate chapter is the main living part of the fraternity its alumni membership and its close ties with the families of members can and should bring the foreign student in close contact with America as it is outside of the sheltered atmosphere of campus life. There is no other student group which can do a better job than our fraternities in this respect.

Programs Vary at Colleges

Foreign student programs should be adjusted to the individual character of each college and each fraternity. On many campuses the fraternities have developed programs which assure a rather stable system of scholarships for foreign students. It is my recommendation that THE SCROLL solicit reports from chapters which have been members of Interfraternity Foreign Student programs. They can tell how the program works

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FROM AUSTRIA

Erhard Franz, Vienna, Fulbright Scholar at Dickinson, was initiated last semester by Pennsylvania Epsilon.



THE PHIS ALWAYS GET TOGETHER

This time on Okinawa Island. Brothers participating in the organization meeting, pictured above, are, left to right: 2ND LT. J. R. HENRY, Washington (St. Louis) '51; LT. COL. SHERWOOD F. RITZ, Gettysburg '21; LT. COL. R. E. HASCALL, Washington State '35; COL. H. M. SALLEY, Florida '25; KENN F. GOODSON, Arizona '35; MAJOR A. W. STOCKELL, Sewanee '37; and 1ST LT. O. E. WILLIAMS, Jr., Florida '49.

Phis Establish Alumni Club on Okinawa

By LT. COL. R. E. HASCALL, Washington State '35

ESTABLISHMENT of a new $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Club on the Island of Okinawa, America's "Keystone of the Pacific," became a reality on Jan. 19, 1954, when Phis in the outpost gathered for an informal organizational meeting. Idea for the Club originated with the writer who believes firmly in THE SCROLL's oft-used tag line, "The Phis Always Get Together."

Insertion of an announcement of the meeting in the *Ryukyuan Review*, Okinawan Military newspaper, brought prompt response from seven Phis, eager to renew their fraternal ties.

The meeting was held with a view toward establishing a permanent alumni club on Okinawa for Phi Deltis employed or stationed there in the future. It is planned that regular meetings will be held in the future such as is common among all alumni groups.

Cocktails were served at the Rycom Senior Officers' Mess following which a dinner was

enjoyed by all participating members and their wives. Phis attending the meeting were Col. H. M. Salley, Florida '25, Assistant Chief of Staff and G-4 for Ryukyus Command; Lt. Col. Robert E. Hascall, Washington State '35, also of the G-4 Section; Lt. Col. Sherwood F. Ritz, Gettysburg '21, of the 87th Ordnance Battalion; Major A. W. Stockell, Sewanee '37, I.G. Section, Ryukyus Command; 1st Lt. O. Edgar Williams, Jr., Florida '49 of the Judge Advocate Section, Ryukyus Command; 2nd Lt. J. R. Henry, Washington (St. Louis) '51, of the 6351st Air Base Wing; and Kenn F. Goodson, Arizona '35, Okinawa representative of the E. V. Lane Construction Company. Wives attending were Mrs. Salley, Mrs. Hascall, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Henry, and Mrs. Goodson.

The gathering was held on the eve of Major Stockell's departure to the United States after completion of his tour of duty on Okinawa,

and all the brothers expressed their good wishes for his return journey home.

Several interesting acquaintances were developed as the Phis swapped anecdotes on their college life and discussed their respective colleges and chapters. Colonel Salley and Lieutenant Williams after working in the same headquarters for over a year, discovered that they are brothers of the same chapter. Colonel Salley was a charter member of Florida Alpha, Bond Number 2, Class of '25, and Lieutenant Williams was a later member of the same chapter, Bond Number 496, Class of '49.

Okinawa is fast developing into a permanent military installation. Its importance to the security of the Far East is becoming more and more well known. The entire Army installation on Okinawa is under the Ryukyus Command, commanded by Major General David A. D. Ogden, which is in turn under the Far East Command, more recently termed U. S. Army Forces, Far East, commanded by Brother (General) John E. Hull, *Miami '17*, U. N. Far East Commander.

With the ratification of the Japanese Peace Treaty, Okinawa and its sister islands in the Ryukyus, with the exception of Amami Oshima which has been reverted to Japan, are the only areas in the Far East over which the United States exercises all power of government. The military

importance of Okinawa lies in its twin value as an offensive bomber base and as a potential staging area from which either amphibious or airborne operations could be launched to retake territory on its flanks which might be lost as a result of further Communist aggression.

It is significant that Okinawa-based medium bombers have a far greater flexibility in choice of target areas than those based in either Japan or in the Philippines. Japan-based medium bombers may reach further into Siberia, but are denied targets in southeast Asia. Philippine-based medium bombers have closer range to southeast Asia, but are denied all of the targets in Siberia. Okinawa-based medium bombers have an effective advantage over those in either Japan or the Philippines in that they can reach all important target areas within an arc which includes all of Southeast Asia, the whole of China, the Lake Baikal Industrial Area, Eastern Siberia and the southern tip of Kamchatka Peninsula.

Okinawa, the scene of such sanguinary strife during World War II, has become the home of the latest edition of Phi Delta Theta Alumni Clubs scattered around the world. This club should prove to be a home away from home for servicemen and civilian Phis stationed or employed halfway around the world from their true home in the United States.

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THANK YOU, PHI DELTA THETA!

The patients and staff of the Pineview Hospital wish to express their cordial thanks to the men of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, and to all personnel of Montana University who approved and assisted them in their project at Pineview Hospital on May 1. They did a very sizable painting job, put in more than 4,000 square feet of new lawn, and cleaned up unsightly and dead trees. The men were cooperative and efficient in their work and completed a very good and useful project.

—PINEVIEW PATIENTS AND STAFF

The foregoing notice appeared in the Missoula press following this fine constructive act on the part of Montana Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. More than fifty Phis took part in the project, which was an "extra" over and above the annual "Help Week" sponsored by the chapter. Pineview Hospital is a county maintained institution which cares for an average of 30 old, indigent citizens.

Montana Alpha's voluntary services made possible improvements that were much needed at the hospital, and brought letters of commendation from the head of the institution, the President and Dean of Men of the University, and the Board of County Commissioners.

Congratulations to Chapter President Maury Lokensgard and all Phis who took part in this worthwhile project!

Ex Lineman Heads A.T.&T. Long Lines

**Phi Ralph Helmreich Supervises
U. S., Global Long Distance Lines**

ON a wintry day 25 years ago Ralph L. Helmreich [*Kansas State '27*] stuck a shovel into the ground at Thirty-ninth and Woodland avenue in Kansas City and began to dig a hole for a telephone pole. His hands and feet were half frozen, his nose chilled, his ears tingling. The earth was obstinate and Ralph had to gouge it out by chips. That hole was a laborious and uncomfortable task.

Now this same Ralph Helmreich is installed before a handsome desk in a large office in lower New York. The windows are at his back, offering a lofty view of the metropolis. He is director of operations of the long lines division of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, having charge of long distance service and radio and television network wires. He supervises long distance service for 50 million phones in the United States, global lines reaching over 100 countries, and lines to 267 television stations in 167 cities. Soon he will be overseeing construction of the first telephone cable across the Atlantic ocean. At present trans-Atlantic telephoning is done by radio and subject to atmospheric conditions.

Native Kansas Citian

Helmreich is a tall, soft-spoken, courteous and neatly dressed man of 47. He was born in Kansas City, Kansas where his father was plant superintendent of Swift and Co. Ralph's mother, Mary, was active in educational and civic affairs, and was the first woman member to be elected to the board of education in Kansas City, Kansas. Three brothers, all born before him, died in infancy, and he came to his parents when his father was in his middle fifties and his mother in the middle thirties.

The devotion in the little family was touching. When Ralph was a senior in high school, and a reliable athlete for the school teams, he was scheduled to play in a big basketball game. His father and mother naturally came to see him play for the home team. But what Ralph did not know was that Louis Helmreich had developed severe pains that evening, so severe that the doctor had ordered him to the hospital immediately. But the father would not go until after he had been to the game, not only to see the boy play, but not to disturb him by his absence. He died from this illness.

Ralph had been accepted as a candidate for



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RALPH L. HELMREICH, *Kansas State '27*
*Knack for Human Relations helps
him to important job.*

Annapolis, but when his father died he did not want to separate himself so far from his mother, and so gave up that opportunity and enrolled in the engineering school at Kansas State college, where he was initiated as No. 78 on the Bond Roll of Kansas Gamma.

To extend the family finances he worked summers, sometimes driving a model T Ford for a neighborhood grocer and other times "bucking" rivets in structural steel construction in Kansas City. A "bucker" was a helper who held a tool back of the rivet being flattened out by the compressed air hammer, and the rivet "bucked" against his hands and body. It was the kind of job calculated to develop the muscles of the hands and midriff after the aches departed. For this he received 40 cents an hour—"very good pay for me then," he says uncomplainingly, even at this distance.

Romance at School

In his third year at Manhattan, a very important thing happened—he was introduced to a fellow student, Miss Caroline Sheetz of Orrick, Missouri, who was attractive, fond of music, and

also had a deep respect for education. She eventually became Mrs. Helmreich.

Upon graduation at 21, Helmreich decided that as a youth from the average ranks, the best way to get along was to learn all he could about whatever job he could get, and trust to providence. Providence came along in the person of a job scout from the telephone company, who hired him at \$117 per month.

The recruit was considerably let down when he found himself at Thirty-ninth and Woodland that winter morning making room in the earth for a telephone pole.

The next job was climbing up the poles for which the holes had been dug. They gave him spikes to fasten onto his boots and instructed him to clamber up and help the linesmen splice wires. It was still cold, and his hands and feet felt frozen and his ears tingled. Additionally there was a fear that the spikes which held him would loosen and let him fall.

This was not exactly the way he had thought the job would go. After a few months, however, he was upped to helping install phones in Kansas City homes. Again this was not something he had imagined when he signed up. Drilling holes with a brace, crawling along floors, burrowing in dusty attics, teetering on roofs, getting calloused hands and splinters in the fingers was a discouraging way of starting a career. But after he had become skilled he was promoted again, and four years after starting with the company he was made supervisor at Sedalia, Missouri.

Pay of \$160 a Month

Hoping that some such break would happen, he and Miss Sheetz had married, and at Sedalia his pay was \$160 a month.

"Seems little enough now," mused Helmreich, "but you'd be surprised how well Caroline and I lived on that money. Why, we could even join a country club!"

Ralph Helmreich says Sedalia was a happy time for him and Mrs. Helmreich, even though times were difficult then—it was the period of the bank failures. They made some lasting friendships and he learned much as a supervisor.

Result, he went up again—as a right-of-way superintendent in Kansas City, and as district plant superintendent in Independence, Kansas, where he had to keep an eye on 35,000 phones in about twenty-five towns. Then back to Kansas City, Kansas, as district plant supervisor. And so it went, each job a step up. Helmreich became a backstage man for the telephone system, unseen and unheard by the talking audience, but the one who helped to keep the machine working.

He had some vivid experiences in the course of the job. Once a storm blew down poles for forty miles out of Independence. For eight days Helmreich and 200 men worked in the March cold, day and night, to restore the poles.

Three years later a dredge boat cut the cable in the Missouri river. Helmreich, plant superintendent at St. Joseph got his men out in a midnight blizzard. First they strung a temporary cable across a bridge, then Helmreich rounded up river men in the district to grapple for the broken ends of the cable. They grappled all night, and eventually the job was done.

Human Relations Aspect

He learned the importance of getting along with people, having faith in the other fellow, and backing him up when needed. Once one of his men installed a phone in a residence and the woman who lived there complained that the man had stolen a \$10 bill from the house. Helmreich questioned the man. He was horrified. But the woman was certain he had stolen the money. The employee was a good worker with a fine record and Helmreich felt he should back him up with everything possible until the facts turned indisputably against him. He called on the woman and went over with her all her actions on the day of the alleged theft. He retraced her movements and finally came to a greenhouse. There, behind a flower pot, was the bill, evidently having fallen out of her handbag.

The workman he had saved from a very bad situation became his friend for life; and those who heard about this effort became his loyal friends, too.

So it was that one day recently the big bid came. Helmreich was in Phoenix, waiting to catch a plane for his headquarters in Denver. He had been "upped" many times, and now he was vice-president in charge of personnel of the Mountain States Telephone company, a subsidiary of A. T. and T.

Promotion by Surprise

On that day when he was waiting for his plane, feeling that things were going satisfactorily, and being thankful for it, he was approached by a company executive.

"How would you like to work in New York?"

New York was where the big fellows were, the home of the big planning. Helmreich felt hesitant. "Think it over on the plane," suggested the official.

Helmreich got on the plane and thought it over. You couldn't back out of an opportunity. Besides, you could always learn what you didn't know.

As director of operations his job keeps expanding by the day. There is a little metal bead called transistor, which takes the place of a vacuum tube and promises to revolutionize things. There is the new dial system for long distance whereby a subscriber can dial a city at the other end of the country almost as easily as he can dial a number in his own neighborhood. There is the color television transmission, soon to be a big factor in television. And there is the new trans-Atlantic cable.

In parting from this pleasant, really inspiring man, we asked Mr. Helmreich what person, in his opinion, would most likely get along. He answered simply: "The person who is willing to work, to learn more about his job, to have a sincere interest in what he is doing and who has a feeling for his fellow-man."

Maybe this sounds like old advice. But then the basic virtues are old, too.—K.C. Star.

Old Photo Revives Interesting Story

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Upsilon friends who has shown me a Psi U catalogue which lists Senator Vilas as a member

of the Wisconsin chapter of that fraternity. According to the story told me by my father, who received the information direct from Senator Vilas, the explanation is as follows:

Back in the period before the turn of the century and before the organization of the National Interfraternity Conference, it was not too unusual for one fraternity to "lift" the charter of another fraternity. There are a number of instances of this sort of a thing and it was considered by some a clever "coup." In 1896, $\Psi\tau$ arranged to take over the $\Phi\kappa\Psi$ chapter at Wisconsin and did so with considerable flourish and eclat. The last night of the installation festivities was featured by a formal banquet to which Senator Vilas was invited by his friend, Senator John C. Spooner. Senator Vilas attended the dinner and enjoyed the program, considering himself as a guest. As the party was breaking up, someone said to him, "Senator, you're a Psi U now." According to what Senator Vilas told father he never took it seriously and heard no more of it.

As further proof of his continuing allegiance to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, the signature "Yours in the Bond" which appears on page 10 was reproduced in Palmer's *History* from a letter written by Senator Vilas to Walter B. Palmer dated May 6, 1902, not too long before his death.

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General Council Meets in Chicago

The General Council of the Fraternity held its final pre-Convention meeting in Chicago at the Drake Hotel, Saturday and Sunday, July 24-25. President George S. Ward presided and all members of the General Council were present: John H. Wilterding, T.G.C., Barrett Herick, R.G.C., Frank S. Wright and Ray Gardner, Members at Large. Participating in the meetings also were Hayward Biggers, Editor, and Robert Miller, Marvin Perry, and Lothar Vasholz of the Headquarters staff. Absent because of illness was Executive Secretary Paul C. Beam who was confined to his home in Oxford. Brother Beam sent a cheerful recorded message to the meeting, however, in which he reported good progress toward recovery through continued rest.

Miller Named Administrative Secretary

To aid Paul in his fight for health the General Council delegated additional responsibilities to Brother Miller and changed his title from Assistant Secretary to Administrative Secretary. Bob will take over much of the Headquarters office detail and will further head up administration of the undergraduate chapters as Brother Ray Blackwell heads up administration of Alumni clubs. Assistant (or Field) Secretaries Perry and Vasholz will carry on with their on-the-spot work with the chapters. All Headquarters services will continue to be under the executive direction of Secretary Beam.

Announcement was heard at the meeting, with regret, of the resignation of long-time President of Delta Province, Roland Galvin. A successor has not been named.

A Corner With Phi Authors

★Indicates Recent Addition to David D. Banta Memorial Library. Phi Authors Are Urged to Contribute Copies.

★*Uruguay: Portrait of a Democracy* by RUSSELL H. FITZGIBBON, *Hanover '23*. Rutgers University Press.

In almost every respect Uruguay refutes the generalization that all Latin American countries are cut to the same pattern. This book defines the uniqueness of the country and presents the first complete general survey, for the layman, of "the Switzerland of Latin America."

Blending the human interest of a popular style with the dependability of the scholarly, Professor Fitzgibbon provides first a historical picture of Uruguay. Politics, education, economics, journalism, recreation, literature, music, painting, all receive full treatment. The international relations of Uruguay, particularly with reference to its vast immediate neighbors, Argentina and Brazil, are a significant part of this full length portrait of a democracy.

This is the perfect book for the tourist visiting Uruguay, as well as for the armchair traveler.

Russell H. Fitzgibbon, a former SCROLL editor, was born in Indiana and received his education at Hanover College, Indiana University, and the University of Wisconsin. Since 1936 he has taught political science at the University of California at Los Angeles, twice during that time serving as chairman of his department. He is particularly qualified to write this book, for he has lived, traveled, or done research in 15 of the 20 Latin-American countries. During 1951 he lived in Uruguay and Argentina, and he spent a year in Colombia in 1943-44.

Besides numerous articles contributed to various journals and reviews, Professor Fitzgibbon is the author of a number of books, among them *Cuba and the United States, 1900-1935*; *Global Politics*; *The Constitutions of the Americas*; and *Intellectual Trends in Latin-America*.

★*Dennis the Menace and More Dennis the Menace* by HANK KETCHAM, *Washington '41*. Henry Holt and Co.

The success of *Dennis the Menace* has been nothing short of phenomenal. Since the origination of the strip in 1951 Dennis has become an American institution. Many are the times while visiting a chapter house that brothers coming to breakfast first want to see what Dennis did to start their day off right. A couple of chuckles

and the early morning breakfast grumbling doesn't have a chance to start.

Brother Ketcham has a rare gift for highlighting the common everyday occurrences in the life of a 4-5 year old boy. There's no chance to miss the point; when you see his strip you immediately think of someone that age and of the tike, who, just the other day did the same thing. Dennis gives us a chance to laugh at a real boy's boy—the type of son every father wants even though mother would be happier with a little tamer version. Dennis reminds us of the time when we were pulling the same stunts, and makes us wish we had thought of some of the ones Dennis comes up with.

It would be impossible to pick a "typical" Dennis joke because they're all typical. However, there are several that you will probably remember if I just quote: "Did you tell the Milkman we had switched to beer?" or "I didn't like the zoo, Mom. It's a dark old place, and they play music, and women come out and don't do anything." Then the one to end this short tribute is stated by Dennis' father while Dennis is pouring paint and other articles on his dad, "I hope I live long enough to cause him as much trouble as he's causing me."

The books are collections of Dennis's best adventures and I'll guarantee a laugh every page. You can reread them every day and always enjoy them. For those of you who have both and want more there'll be another out in the fall.—LOTHAR A. VASHOLZ, *Assistant Secretary*.

★*Dragon Watch* by WILL H. HAYS, JR., *Wabash '37*. Doubleday & Company, Inc.

Strange, beautiful Maggy Tennessey . . . Ted Scott, who loved a girl and a mine . . . J. L. Bancroft, his stepfather, who owned the mine and wanted the girl—these three are caught up in a conflict that touches every life in the Indiana coal town. It is a story of honest, determined youth in opposition to the forces of personal envy, institutionalized prejudice, and family pride in Harrisville.

Dragon Watch, Mr. Hay's first novel, is long. It is long because life itself is long. In a novel of such magnitude the author's fresh, copious talent has created characters of striking depth and solidity. Seldom in modern literature have

toughness and tenderness been more convincingly combined. It is at once a moving love story and a hard-hitting social document, with a heroine no reader can forget.

"I wrote *Dragon Watch* from nine to five, six days a week, for three and a half years," reports Will Hays, Jr., "in a series of rented office rooms in Los Angeles, in which there were no pictures, no bric-a-brac, no phone, and no view."

Will Hays, Jr., is the son of Will Hays, *Wabash '00*, former Postmaster General and President of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America (the Hays Office). He was born in Sullivan, Indiana, and graduated from Yale Law School. In 1942 he left his law practice in Sullivan to serve for three years in the Army with the Adjutant General. Following three years of practicing law in Sullivan after the war, he went to Hollywood, where for a year he was a screen writer for Twentieth Century-Fox.

Brother Hays lives with his wife and children in Crawfordsville, Indiana, where he teaches creative writing at Wabash College.

★*Northland Adventure* by RICHARD MORENUS, *Dartmouth '17*, author of *Crazy White Man*. Dodd, Mead & Co.

When word came to the Freeman family that they had inherited a fur-trade Post in northern Canada from a distant relative, it was hard to tell whether fifteen-year-old Randy or his dad was more excited. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman had spent many vacations hunting and fishing in Canada and Randy was tops in his Boy Scout activities, but the decision to move from Indiana to their new wilderness home was followed by hardship, opposition and dangers for which they were quite unprepared.

On their arrival at the last frontier town, Randy was warned by a halfbreed Indian that they must not go into the bush to live. Their plane was forced down on their flight to the Post. In fact, one crisis after another loomed up to discourage them. But the Freemans won friends as well as enemies, especially a fine old-timer, and Ah-mik, an Ojibway Indian boy, who taught Randy the safe ways of the wilderness. He also told the white boy about the dreaded Win-di-go, the evil spirit of the Indians, believed to wield its uncanny power over the Post. Things grew very serious. Randy almost lost his life, but Ah-mik uncovered the fiendish plot to drive the Freemans away from their wilderness home to which they had become so attached, while Randy, in turn, through his quiet thinking, courage and loyalty to his Indian friend, solved the mystery of the Win-di-go and turned failure into success.

A. B. McFall Gives Color Plates of Symbols to Fraternity

THE FRATERNITY has received another valuable gift from Aaron B. McFall, *Hanover '29*, of Oak Park, Ill., donor previously of the extensive record library of the songs of our late Brother Frank Crumit, *Ohio '12*.

Brother McFall has now presented to Φ Δ Θ three matching color plates (argent, blue, and gold) of the Fraternity symbols in four different sizes. Included are the Phikeia pin, the badge, and the crest. Range of sizes varies from approximately 5/8 inch in height (for the crest) to nearly 2 inches. In addition to the insignia mentioned, Brother McFall has included plates of the Fraternity flower and banner.

It is interesting to note that Mr. McFall discovered, in beginning his project, that the Φ Δ Θ Fraternity had never been copyrighted. When all drawings had been completed to his satisfaction, therefore, he applied for copyright in his name and then had drawn up an assignment of copyright to the Fraternity. In this procedure he had the help and advice of Phis only.

Howard P. Robinson, *Franklin '22*, attorney, drew up the legal phraseology of the assignment; a witness (with Brother Robinson) was William Shaw, *Kansas '06*, and the document was notarized by Lawrence Nelson, Jr., *Northwestern '25*. Finally, numbered pamphlets containing photostatic copies of the symbols, copyright number, assignment, and Fraternity banner and flower were given to these brothers and to Executive Secretary Paul Beam, Editor Hayward Biggers, and General Council members George Ward, John Wilterding, Barrett Herrick, Ray Gardner, and Frank Wright.

Brother McFall started from scratch in the preparation of these plates, the original work dating back to 1945 with a firm of commercial artists in Chicago. The plates are now on file in the Fraternity's General Headquarters in Oxford and will be available for dozens of uses in the years to come.

On behalf of the entire Fraternity, THE SCROLL thanks Brother McFall for his thoughtfulness and generosity to Φ Δ Θ. The time, money, and loving care which went into the assembling of the Crumit record library and the making of the color plates referred to above are testimony to his great love of the Fraternity.

Richard Morenus has seen every place in the story. Every northland character is true to life. The Indians are genuine Ojibways in thought,



RICHARD MORENUS, Dartmouth '17
Author of "Northland Adventure"

speech and action. For this thrilling adventure tale is based on the author's own experiences when he went to live in the Canadian wilderness all by himself and earned from the natives the title *Crazy White Man*—but he earned their respect and admiration, too.

★*Straws for the Lyric Flame* by ERICH S. KLOSSNER, Washington State '18. The Wings Press, Mill Valley, California.

Like a stream of mountain water which can be diverted but not contained, poetic genius will burst forth despite the restraining walls of environment and reserve.

And so, although Erich S. Klossner of Pullman, Washington, is not a writer by profession, and although he has covered his ability with shyness, it had to come out sooner or later. It has appeared in the form of an attractive volume of verse, *Straws for the Lyric Flame*. This book represents no mere satisfying of the poetic urge on Klossner's part. It is made up of vibrant, virile thought, cloaked in that beauty of expression for which the author has become known through the poetry columns of Northwest newspapers and verse magazines further from home. This book is his first.

The collection is divided into five parts, each containing a type of verse of its own. It abounds in skillfully wrought sonnets, at the writing of which Klossner is a master. . . .

Klossner writes of the laughter and tears of the

wide world, although he has spent all of his adult years in Pullman. . . . The book has a hundred facets, all of which shine with credit to its writer. From front cover to back, it is good reading and inspirational.—From a review in the *Spokane Daily Chronicle*, Spokane, Washington.

[Brother Klossner is a charter member of Washington Gamma chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, holding Bond Number 17. His two sons are also members of that chapter. Gordon, the older, is a graduate engineer and is now Service and Installations Manager for the Chicago office of Minneapolis-Honeywell Co. Wendell, a doctor, is a pre-med graduate of Washington State and a graduate of the Oregon State Medical School. He has completed his internship at the Minneapolis General Hospital and on July 1 entered the U. S. Air Force as a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps.—Ed.]

★*Science and Man's Behavior* by DR. TRIGANT BURROW, Virginia '99. Philosophical Library, Inc.

In an exchange of views with twenty-nine outstanding men of science, Dr. Burrow clarifies his altered orientation regarding human conflict. Such noted scholars as A. J. Carlson, C. Judson Herrick, Clyde Kluckhohn, and the late John Dewey consider fundamental aspects of Dr. Burrow's behavior studies and their far-reaching implications for scientist and layman alike.

Today the problem confronting man is no less than the preservation of his very existence as a species. Ideologies, politics, and psychological measures have proved singularly inadequate to cope with a condition of antagonism that is world-wide. Turning from ideology to physiology, Dr. Burrow analyzes the internal patterns of tension and stress that underlie disordered human behavior. Although sweeping in its indictment of current behavioral interpretations, the book is essentially inspiring. For it is the author's timely discovery that, through the employment of the suitable technique, man's neurosis and conflict is subject to scientific definition and control.

Dr. Burrow, one of the first psychoanalysts in America, was a founder and former president of the American Psychoanalytic Association. But his outstanding contribution was the development of the method of *group- or phylo-analysis*. As the pioneer in this field, his research and writings have incited increasing recognition of the social implications of nervous and mental disorders.

Phi Grid Stars in '54

ALL-PHI FOOTBALL DEADLINE IS NOVEMBER 7

All Chapter Reporters, interested alumni and undergraduates **MUST** report Phi football names to the Secretary (Dr. John Davis, Jr., 603 Kansas Ave., Topeka, Kansas) before November 7 to be considered by the All-Phi Board. There can be **NO EXCEPTIONS** to this policy as the ballots must be mailed, returned and tabulated. These results are forwarded, pictures secured, and stories prepared for THE SCROLL by December 1.

Holdover All-Phi Stars

LINEMEN, FIRST TEAM: Tom Miller, *Colgate*; John Palmer, *Duke*; Keith Horn, *Penn State*; Ed Bernet, *S.M.U.*

BACKS, FIRST TEAM: Dick Goist, *Cincinnati*; Bob Davenport, *U.C.L.A.*

LINEMEN, SECOND & THIRD TEAMS: Carl Strand, *Washington State*; John DeKleva, *Colorado A & M*; Wes Ediger, *Oregon State*; Ron Seibert, *Wabash*; Neil Caudill, *Idaho*; Ralph London, *Butler*; Ralph Baierl, *Maryland*.

BACKS, SECOND & THIRD TEAMS: Worth Lutz, *Duke*; Tony Scardino, *Missouri*; Charles Horton, *Vanderbilt*; Jim Burst, *Washington (St. Louis)*.

Little All-Phi Holdovers

LINEMEN: Wendell Hester, *Iowa Wesleyan*; Nick Cossman, *Washburn*; Ralph London, *Butler*; Dave Anderson, *Willamette*; Jerry Jacobs, *Florida State*; Jim Overby, *Lawrence*; Ron Seibert, *Wabash*; Bob Glass, *Washington (St. Louis)*.

BACKS: Vaino Grayam, *Wabash*; Jim Burst, *Washington (St. Louis)*; Bill Bradshaw, *Bowling Green*.

Potential All-Phi Stars

Dean Parsons, *Washington*; Jim Freeman, *Iowa*; Pete Hosutt, *Knox* (co-capt.); Joe Guerra & John McMahon, *Union*; Ray Quillen, Carleton Schelhorn & Charles Modlin, *Virginia*; Roger Randolph, *Idaho*; Charles Cousar, *Davidson*; Otto Beindorf, Harold Bruck, Martin Keipp & Bill Robinson, *Bowling Green*; Don Augustin & Leonard Rendz, *North Dakota*; Ray Willock, *Ga. Tech*; Jesse Birchfield, Bernard Jack & Joe Hands, *Duke*; Powell Gillenwater (co-capt.); *Centre*; Joel Calaven, Lon Stiner, Jr. & Vern Sampler, *Oregon State*; Tony Tsoanos & George Gardella, *Colgate*; Larry Kennedy, *South Dakota*; Jim Cahoon, *Purdue*; Charles Kubes, *Minnesota*; Robert Kennedy, *Pittsburgh*; Tony Alozio, *Indiana*; Jerry Ritter & Jim Hoy, *Ohio Wesleyan*; Bob Dyer & Phil McCallister, *Willamette*; John O'Brien, Sam Soucie & Lester Peary, *Brown*; Russ Hedden, *Lafayette* (capt.); Gordon McCracken, *Franklin*; Art Demas, Carroll Toups & Dean Gillespie, *Vanderbilt*; Len Doster, *Stanford*; Ralph Bowen & Roger Bowen, *Washburn*; Jerry Johnson (co-capt.) & Dwayne West, *Texas Tech*; Dan Coyle, *Alabama*; Roger Belnap, *Southern California*; Don Holt, Farrell Albright & Dean Van Leuven, *Oregon*; Don Hess, Dick Sandifer, Blaine Hollinger, John Handley & Bob Forsyth, *Kansas*; Bruce Alexander & Dick Stuber, *Iowa State*; Everett Gust, *Washington State*; Ed

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Scroll Readers: Remember This Is A Pre-Season Roster!



DAVENPORT, *U.C.L.A.*



BERNET, *S.M.U.*



LUTZ, *Duke*



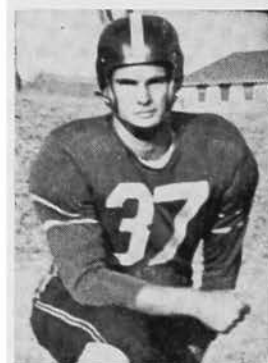
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OVERBY, *Lawrence*



COSSMAN, *Washburn*



JACOBS, *Fla. State*



U. S. Army Photo

Dignitaries gather on lawn of Gen. Hull's Tokyo home following ceremony.

Miami Honors Gen. Hull

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Pacific. He commanded "Operation Sandstone," the atomic tests at Eniwietok, in the Spring of 1948 and became Commander in Chief, FEC/UNC, in October 1953. His other awards include the Distinguished Service Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, and the Legion of Merit.

Dr. Millett arrived in Tokyo on June 17 enroute to the Philippines where he was to act as a consultant to the University of the Philippines in its Institute of Public Affairs. He is an educator with a long record of government service. Dr. Millett was on the staff of the President's Commission on Administrative Management in 1936, on the National Resources Planning Board in 1941-42, and was Assistant to the Executive Director of the Hoover Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government in 1948-49. He served as an Army officer during World War II and was awarded the Legion of Merit in 1945. In 1947 he was recalled to active duty and assigned to Headquarters, European Command, in Germany.

Brother Millett became President of Miami University on July 1, 1953, after serving as an Associate Professor of Public Administration at Columbia University for five years. He spent two months in the Philippines and has now returned to his duties at Miami.

Queens Names Another Phi

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confidence in the future of Queens. In addition, within the past week, I have received letters and telephone calls from more than thirty leading business and professional people of Charlotte assuring me of their high expectations and support for the future

of Queens. With these sources of support, I have decided to undertake the task.

Mrs. Walker is the former Miss Pherba Thomas. Dr. and Mrs. Walker have a daughter, Mrs. Harbans S. Puri of Tallahassee, Florida, and a son, Edwin R. Walker, Jr., of the U.S. Navy.

Queens College is a four year college owned by the Presbyterian Synods of North and South Carolina. A modern liberal arts college, it has an enrollment of 400 students in the regular college and 300 in the Evening College. Boarding accommodations are provided for women, and both men and women attend as day students.

"Dennis the Menace" . . .

Phi Legacy

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President as an inclosure with the drawing. Ketcham sent the drawing to the President as Miss Jacobs requested, "expecting at most, to get an acknowledgment from the President's secretary."

But back came a personal note of thanks from Dwight D. Eisenhower.

That framed letter now hangs, as a tribute to the whole heartedness of all in Dennis' entourage, in the office of the helper who aids Hank Ketcham in getting out answers to Dennis' fan mail.

Foreign Student Program

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and how the closest cooperation with other fraternities and the university can be accomplished.*

It was impossible to "cash in" on the many offers which I received to accept foreign students for 1954-55. In spite of the lack of time, six chapters will accept foreign students in 1954-55, granting them free board and room and initiating at their universities and Interfraternity Foreign Student program.

It is my hope that we shall enter a two way program of student exchanges in 1955-56. I believe that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has enough leading educators who will help the Fraternity to work out a junior year program for 1955-56, fully approved by university authorities. The Austro-American Institute, Vienna; the Norway-America Association, Oslo; and the Swedish-American Foundation, Stockholm, are now working with me on the preparations of such programs. A final plan will reach the colleges and chapters early this fall.

* THE SCROLL has printed all reports on foreign exchange students received to date; invites other chapters to submit stories.—Ed.

With Phis in the World of Sports

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., Washburn '38



DAVIS

Harold R. Raymond (Michigan), former football and baseball star, was named backfield coach at the University of Delaware. . . . Stanley Drobac (Michigan State), former Spartan tennis star, won the men's doubles in the Western Indoor Championship held in Chicago. . . . Bob Harmon (California), tennis pro at the Los Angeles Westside Tennis Club, played in the U. S. Professional Tennis Championship. . . . Dale Morey (LSU), outstanding Phi Amateur golfer, won the Midwest Amateur Golf Championship at French Lick Springs in mid-May.

Gordy Brunswick (Wash. State) is belting the ball long and often for the San Francisco Seals as an outfielder. . . . Paul Raudenbush (Penn.), All-Phi Honor Roll track performer, was one of five American track stars sent abroad for a European meet in Brussels in mid-June. . . . Gil Borjeson (Brown), competing for the N.Y.A.C. in the National A.A.U. track and field championships, placed second in the 56-lb. weight throw and third in the hammer throw. . . . In the N.C.A.A. track and field championships Bob Hollen (Penn State) ran fourth in the two mile and Levan Gray (Missouri) placed fourth in the 220-yd. low hurdles.

Bill Michaels (Michigan) was a member of the Big Ten Track team that defeated the Pacific Coast squad. . . . Buddy Cox (Missouri), second baseman of the N.C.A.A. champions, was the tournaments' leading batsman with a .412 average. . . . Ed Makovsky (Illinois) basketball cap-

tain may be lost to the team due to poor academic grades. . . . Dave Davis (Ga. Tech) grid star and one of the Southeastern Conference's leading punters has signed to play with the Green Bay Packers. . . . Stewart Carrell (SMU) defeated the defending N.C.A.A. golf champion Moeller, Okla. A&M in the opening round of match play at the collegiate championships in Houston.

Herb Klontz (Iowa U.) freshman golfer won the Western Junior Golf Championship at Champaign, Illinois in mid-June. . . . Walter Morrison (Oklahoma), 6'10" regular center, has dropped himself from the Sooner team informing the coach he would be unable to practice because of his chemical engineering course. . . . Dick Nolan (Maryland), All-Phi halfback, Dick Deitrick (Pittsburgh), All-Phi end, and Dean Chambers (Washington), All-Phi tackle, were members of the All-Star team which met the Detroit Lions in Soldiers Field, Chicago, in August.

Dale Morey (Louisiana State) and his partner won the International Four-Ball Golf championship at Indianapolis in early July. Morey was also named to the seven-man amateur team to meet Canada and Mexico in the American Cup matches in mid-August. . . . Stan Huntsman (Wabash), Phi Honor Roll Track performer, finished 12th in the National A.A.U. decathlon championships. Huntsman won two events, the shot-put and javelin of the ten event grind.

Potential All-Phi Grid Stars in '54

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Nemer (capt.), Vermont; Jim Head (ex-Wash. State), Don Inman & Cleo Murphy, Iowa; Carl Hoehn, Art Carlson & Frank Casey, Knox; George Wodarsak, Union; Jack Campbell & Bill Booth, Ohio State; Harley Smith, Davidson; Glen Freemark & John Ladd, Bowling Green; Bill Gue & Ed Stocking, Montana; Merlyn Trumbauer & Bob Whitman, Lawrence; Bob Pascal & Homer Hadley, Duke; Gene Scott & Denny Steinecker, Centre; Bill Wentworth, Stanford; Jack Peterson & Charles Brackett, Oregon State;

Bill Sargent, Wash. & Lee; Malcom Bowers & Don Baldwin, S.M.U.; Bill Graham & Harry Massey, Florida State; Don Bailey, Penn State; Thomas Grimes & Don Anthony, Arizona; Jack Dailey, U.C.L.A.; John Baumgartner & Don Arthur, Minnesota; Charles Garwood, Dickinson; Roger Strawick, Whitman; Jack Short & John Harding, Ohio Wesleyan; John Kent, Willamette; Dave Graesser, Case; John Rikhoff, DePauw; Wade Mitchell, Ga. Tech; Norm Spears, Colorado College; Jerry Patterson, Lake Forest.

The Seventh Annual Phi Del

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., Washburn '38

Track

SPRINTERS

- Jeff Newton, *North Carolina* (9.6)
Glen Wiese, *Washington State* (Runner-up No. Div. of PCC 220-yds.)
*Frank Mitchner, *Davidson*

MIDDLE DISTANCE

- Charlie Hollar, *Oklahoma A & M* (49: 1:57.5 3rd Mo. Valley Conf. 880)
Dave Perry, *Colgate* (49.2)
Jack Dailey, *U.C.L.A.* (49.7)
Ken Roberts, *Swarthmore* (440, 6 firsts & 2 seconds in 8 meets)
*Fontaine McDaniel, *Vanderbilt* (Co-capt., 880 school record)
*Jim Lockett, *Knox* (2nd Mid-West Conf. 880, 3rd in 440)
*John Farquhar, *MIT* (Capt., 880 1:55)
*Paul Raudenbush, *Pennsylvania*
*Jerry Sartorius, *Kansas State*

DISTANCE

- *Bob Hollen, *Penn. State* (IC4A 2 mile champion 9.22.1, (4:17.8 mile)
*Bob Reed, *Stanford* (4:23 mile, 9:41 2 mile)
*George Lynch, *Michigan* (2 mile, 9:37 outdoor, 9:38 indoor)
Rusty Rumney, *Arizona* (Captain, 3rd Border Conf. mile)
*Gene Sultz, *Wisconsin*

HURDLES

- *Leven Gray, *Missouri* (23.4) (Big 7 Conf. 220 LH Champion)
*Charlie Horton, *Vanderbilt* (School record in low hurdles)

HIGH JUMP

- *Dick Wham, *Illinois* (6' 5½", 2nd Big 10 Indoor meet)
*Dick Semple, *Ohio Wesleyan* (6' 3¼", Ohio. Conf. Indoor Champion)

BROAD JUMP

- Bill Michaels, *Michigan* (Big Ten Pacific Coast Team)
Blaine Hollinger, *Kansas* (frosh) (Big 7 Frosh Champion)
Fred Ficek, *Colorado College* (23', Team's leading scorer)

POLE VAULT

- Lou Metzger, *Dartmouth*
*Denny Cutland, *California*
Jim Adams, *Wabash*

DISCUS

- *Cliff Dale, *Nebraska* (155' 7")
*Tom Coakley, *California* (153' 4")
*Dean Parsons, *Washington* (153' 4"), No. Div. PCC Champion)

- * Honor Roll choice prior to this year.

SHOT PUT

- *Cliff Dale, *Nebraska* (51' 2½"), (Big 7 Indoor Champion)
*Stan Hunstman, *Wabash* (48' 11")
Jim Freeman, *Iowa* (47' 1")

JAVELIN

- *Stan Hunstman, *Wabash* (196' 2")
*Joe Martin, *Syracuse* (194' 9", 2nd IC4A)
Ed Stocking, *Montana* (185', Placed in Skyline Conf.)
Charles Hunley, *Nebraska* (181', Placed in Big 7 Conf.)

ALL-ROUND

- Len Klingberg, *Union* (Team's leading scorer)
*Stan Huntsman, *Wabash*
Norb Mueller, *Washington U.* (St. Louis)

Baseball

CATCHERS

- Neal Marlett, *Oregon* (NCAA 8th District All Star Team)
*Ed Anderson, *Montana* (NCAA Coaches All American 2nd Team)

PITCHERS

- *Jack Corbett, *Michigan* (Capt.)
Lee Dolquist, *Washington State*
Richard Grinnell, *Union*
Marv Wisniewski, *Michigan*
*Lee Kittell, *Lake Forest*
*John Bier, *Ohio University*
John Bennett, *Davidson*
*Dennis Blind, *Purdue*
Bob Dyer, *Wabash*

INFIELDERS

- *Irv Dunkel, *Washington* (St. Louis), 1st Base (.414 av., team won 19 straight)
Floyd Teas, *Vanderbilt*, 1st base (.315 av.)
Dick Schlosstein, *Oregon*, 1st base (NCAA Tournament)
*Bill Pulliam, *Kansas*, 2nd base (.290 av.)
*Bud Cox, *Missouri*, 2nd base (NCAA champions, leading hitter .435 av.)
Beanie Kraus, *Colgate*, 2nd base (.323 av.)
Rex Wells, *Hanover*, 2nd base (.450 All Hoosier Conf.; Most Valuable Player)
*Wayne Peterson, (*Denison*), *MIT*, SS (.296 av., Most Valuable Player Award)
Don Prigmore, *Kansas State*, SS (Team's leading hitter .368 av.)
Dick Culbertson, *Knox*, SS (.290 av.)
*Pete Williams, *Oregon*, 3rd base (Captain; NCAA Tournament)

OUTFIELDERS

- *Don Schneeberger, *Washington* (St. Louis), (.395 av., Team won 19 straight)
Jim Krughoff, *Knox* (.394 av.)

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- *Bruce Dursema, *Colgate* (.378 av.)
- Phil Seker, *Bowling Green* (.341 av.)
- Charles Duquette, *Miami* (.305 av.)
- *Jim Cederdahl, *Nebraska* (.281 av.)
- *Tom Dandurand, *Stanford* (.333 av.)
- Bob Eakin, *Washington State*
- Max DeVane, *Davidson*

UTILITY

- *Ron Tappan, *Miami*, IF or OF
- Steve Kostakes, *Iowa State*, P or OF

Tennis

SINGLES

- *Bob Martin, *Indiana* (Big Ten, #3 Singles and #1 Doubles Champion)
- *John Hironimus, *Indiana* (Big Ten, #1 Doubles Champion)
- *Jim Read, *U.C.L.A.* (Co-capt. '55, NCAA & PCC Team Champions)
- *Dick Doss, *U.C.L.A.* (Co-capt. '55, NCAA & PCC Team Champions)
- Dick Hadley, *Kansas* (#2 Big 7 Singles Champion, #1 Big 7 Doubles Champion)
- Conrad Woods, *(U.C.L.A.)*, Illinois (Runner-up Big Ten #1 Singles & #2 Doubles)
- Walton Miller, *S.M.U.* (Captain, undefeated 25 singles matches)
- *Bill Danner, *Oklahoma A & M* (Semi-finals Mo. Valley Singles, Finals in Doubles)
- Bob Fletcher, *Iowa* (Runner-up Big Ten #5 Singles)
- Doyle Glass, *Illinois* (Runner-up Big Ten #2 Doubles)

DOUBLES

- Gerald Grey, *Stanford* (Competed in NCAA) & Bill Wickersham, *Missouri*
- Monty Gatchell & Norm Spears, *Colorado College* (Rocky Mt. Conf. Doubles)
- Ken Hipkins, *Colgate* and Edwin Seiling, Jr., *Penn State*
- *Hal Schaus, *Florida* (Capt.) & Herb Jones, *Ohio State* (Co-capt.)
- Joseph Guerra, *Union* and George Snead, *Davidson* (So. Conf. Doubles)

Golf

- *Floyd Addington, *S.M.U.* (Capt. NCAA Team Championship)
- Stewart Carrell, *S.M.U.* (NCAA Team Championship)
- Carl Johnson, *Iowa* (Competed in NCAA)
- *Al Mundle, *Oregon* (Competed in NCAA match play)
- Don Mosher, *Knox* (Runner-up Midwest Conference)
- Dave Slough, *Bowling Green* (Capt.)
- Herb Klontz, *Iowa* (Frosh) (Western Jr. Golf Champion)
- Bob Richards, *Kansas*
- *Howard Weyburg, *Northwestern*
- Ron Kirk, *Wyoming*
- Bob Sanders, *Vanderbilt*
- Jim Sturgess, *Hanover*

* Honor Roll choice prior to this year.

- Fred Mitchell, *Auburn*
- Allen Hirstand, *Miami*
- James Ward, *Franklin*

Wrestling

- *Bill Snyder, *Lafayette* (130 lbs., Co-capt.)
- *Ray Downey, *Auburn* (137 lbs., Capt., Southeastern Conf. Champion)
- *George Russell, *Stanford* (137 lbs.)
- Buzz Samsel, *Brown* (Capt.)
- George Hoffman, *Case* (Undefeated)
- Jim Gilliland, *Vanderbilt* (147 lbs., 3rd Southeastern Conf.)
- Dick Downey, *Auburn* (147 lbs., Southeastern Conf. Champion)
- *Al Peterson, *Case* (157 lbs., Undefeated)
- *Jerry Webers, *Lawrence* (157 lbs.)
- *Delbert McGee, *Washington State* (167 lbs., PCC Champion 1953 & 1954)
- *Harrington Witherspoon, *Vanderbilt* (167 lbs., 3rd Southeastern Conf., Capt.)
- Pete Hosutt, *Knox* (177 lbs., 4th in Midwest Conf.)
- John Ladd, *Bowling Green* (177 lbs., Voted team's outstanding wrestler)
- Ben Beattie, *Swarthmore* (Heavyweight, 3rd in Middle Atlantic Conf.)
- William Brantley, *Sewanee* (Heavyweight)

Swimming

- *Phil Varden, *S.M.U.* (Co-capt. '55, 1st SW Conf. 100 yds, 2nd in 50 yds.)
- Frank Matter, *Case* (School record for 50 & 100 yds.)
- Jeff Rice, *Washington (St. Louis)* (Pool record for 50 & 100 yds.)
- David Corley, *S.M.U.* (Co-capt. '55)
- *Rich Laux, *Swarthmore* (Capt.)
- *Tom Hamilton, *MIT* (Capt.)
- *Gordon Peterson, *Nebraska*
- *Robert Beaumont, *Syracuse*

MIDDLE DISTANCE

- Lee Gunnerson, *Stanford* (PCC championship 400 yd. relay team)
- Mark Morris, *Case* (4th in A.A.U. four mile swim)
- Wally Harmon, *Colorado College* (Capt., 3rd Rocky Mt. Conf. 440 yds.)
- Larry Shannon, *North Carolina*

BREASTSTROKE-BUTTERFLY

- *Leonide Baarcke, *North Carolina* (2nd in A.A.U. Indoor 100 yd. Butterfly)
- Dee Tingwal, *Washington State* (Placed in 3 events of No. Div. PCC)
- Steve Bailey, *Florida State* (Co-capt.)

BACKSTROKE

- Warren Hieman, *North Carolina* (Capt. placed in Eastern Intercollegiates)
- *Dave Baugh, *Oklahoma* (5th in Big 7 Conf.)
- Ronald Kledzik, *Virginia* (Capt.)
- *Rich Bradbury, *Idaho* (Co-capt.)

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Picture Journal in Rotogravure

Milwaukee, Wis., inside, May 9, 1954



Voted Tops in Humor at Wisconsin

WISCONSIN ALPHA men and their co-stars from Gamma Phi Beta sorority made the front page of the *Milwaukee Journal Rotogravure* section on May 9. The picture—in full color—and several others which appeared on inside pages resulted when the $\Phi\Delta\Theta\Gamma\Phi\beta$ skit was judged the outstanding one in the campus' annual benefit production, "Humorology."

This is a comedy presentation which the Interfraternity and Panhellenic Councils sponsor yearly to raise funds for underprivileged children. This year's show netted a record sum, about \$2,500, for Madison's Kiddie Camp, which helps sick children fight their way back to health.

Groups of Greeks and dormitory teams make up original acts or skits and compete for inclusion in the show. Seven such acts were chosen for last spring's show, the eighth annual two-day presentation.

"Hinkley's the Most," given jointly by Phi Delta Theta and Gamma Phi Beta, won the vote of the judges as the top performance. The actors won a trophy and plaque for their work.

In the picture above, John MacIver of Whitefish Bay, director of the skit, is shown at the piano, surrounded by several of the actors.

All-Sports Honor Roll

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DIVING

Jerry Young, *Arizona* (Border Conf. 1 meter champion)
Frank Martin, *Ohio Wesleyan*

Miscellaneous Sports

Jim Barth, *Denison*—Soccer (All Midwest Team '53)
*Harold Irvin, *Penn. State*—Soccer (Captain, Team's Outstanding Player)
George Williamson, *Colgate*—Soccer (Capt.-elect)
Gene Heaton, *Swarthmore*—Lacrosse (Conference Champion)
Larry Handley, *Swarthmore*—Lacrosse (Conference Champion)
Jim Dain, *Swarthmore*—Lacrosse (Conference Champion)
*Ray Zale, *Wisconsin*—Boxing NCAA Champion 178 lbs.)
Pat Henry, *Stanford*—Rugby (All American Rugby Team)
Peter Tierney, *Union*—Rifle (National Amateur Champion)
Edwin Arnold, *Lehigh*—Rifle (Capt.)
Stewart Smith, *MIT*—Skiing (Capt.)
Torbjorn Falkanger, *Wash. State*—Skiing (Second in '52 Olympics)
Harry Bisly, *Southern California*—Water Polo (Pan American Olympics)
Bill Gobbel, *Southern California*—Crew (Capt.)
*Bob Wilter, *Washington*—Crew (Coxswain)

Special Mention

TRACK: Bruce Falk, *Knox*; Bill Reichert, *Washburn*; Don Ward, *Hanover*; James Orlosky, *Franklin*; Harley Smith, *Davidson*; Bill Yarbrough, *Auburn*; John Stewart and Al Conner, *Wabash*; Bob Messersmith, *Maryland*; William Sherwood, *Lafayette*.

BASEBALL: Dick Griesser, *Arizona*; Don Becker, *Nebraska*; Bob Wagner, *Oregon*; Elmer Stroutman, *Franklin*; James Lyons, *Miami*; Pete Reed, *Willamette*; Nick Coyne, *Syracuse*; John Bolin, *Knox*; Bill Stuht, *Washington*; Gordon Hersey and Bill Mashburn, *Washington State*; Jim Ruggles, *Oregon State*; Ted Server, *Purdue*; Tom Scott, *Illinois*.

TENNIS: Dick Davis, *S.M.U.*; Jerry Patterson, *Oklahoma A & M*; *Andy Spickard, *Vanderbilt*; Hunter Bell, *Auburn*; James Orlosky, *Franklin*; George Smith, *Knox*; Gene Waterfall, *Lake Forest*; John Henry, *Miami*.

GOLF: Jimmy Davidson, *Colgate*; Jim Lucas, *Kansas State*; Wynne Wooley, Jr., *S.M.U.*; Bob Lawson, *Hanover*; William Lehr, *Lafayette*; Palmer Temple, and Joe Richardson, *Vanderbilt*; Bob Sparks, *Knox*; Don Weber, *Iowa State*; Pete Rush, *Kansas*; Ron Pierce, *Purdue*.

WRESTLING: Charles Cappetta, *Lawrence*; Al McElwain, *Knox* (Capt.); Jim Lockett, *Knox*.

SWIMMING: Dick Nigber, *Wisconsin*; Dick Heidek, *Nebraska*; Howie Boor, *Lawrence*, (Capt.); Cab Childress, *Geo. Tech.*, (Capt.); John Edwards, *Virginia*; Bill Wagner, *Utah* (Capt.); John Baruch, *Florida State*; Russ Hedden, *Lafayette*; Len Kissel, *Syracuse*; Jerry Forebe, *Oregon*; Larry Good and Jim Etter, *Indiana*.

* All Sports Honor Roll a previous year.



FOUNDER PRESENTS FIRST EDITION

THOMAS NEAL, *Franklin* '07 (right), founder and first business manager of the *Franklin College paper*, presents a copy of the first issue to WILLIAM BRIDGES, *Franklin* '56, present editor. The presentation marked the paper's fiftieth anniversary.

Phi Editors Span Fifty Years at Franklin

By WILLIAM A. BRIDGES, *Franklin* '56

THE editor of a small college paper, if he is blessed with a happy facility in writing copy until 4 A.M. and dodging flying missiles, can have a powerful hand in influencing student opinion and setting school spirit.

At Franklin College, where *The Franklin* celebrated its Golden Anniversary last Spring, Phi Delt editors have done more than their share toward making a strong paper and building Franklin's reputation as a school for journalism. Indiana Delta's journalistic contributions were brought to especial notice at Commencement when Thomas Neal, *Franklin* '07, of Indianapolis presented a copy of the first issue to the 1954-55 editor, William A. Bridge, *Franklin* '56, the fourteenth Phi to edit the paper.

Brother Neal, who founded *The Franklin* as a freshman in 1904, made the presentation at the annual Alumni Luncheon on June 12. He also gave the college a copy of the first Publications Board constitution.

The 1904 paper, a monthly publication about the size of *THE SCROLL*, gave way in a few years to a weekly paper of full newspaper size. Under a succession of outstanding editors, many of them Phis, it held to a high standard of journalistic excellence for many years, winning a num-

ber of national merit awards. Until World War II forced a switch to tabloid form, it was *The Franklin's* boast that it was almost the only small-college paper in the country that printed a full eight columns. Next year the paper plans to return to this tradition with a sheet nearly as large as that of standard dailies.

Indiana Delta men have contributed in another way to the College's journalistic reputation. In 1922 a conversation between William Bridges, '23, and Raymond Blackwell, '24 (the latter now Alumni Secretary of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$) led to the founding of the Indiana High School Press Association, a statewide organization that meets annually at Franklin.

Mr. Neal, a former member of the state legislature, is now an insurance executive in Indianapolis. Phi editors since 1904 with their years of service have been Rollin L. Ott, 1905; Wilbur Brewer, 1910-11; Russell Klyver, 1914-15; William Bridges, 1920-21 and 1922-23; W. Davis Harrison, 1921-22; Raymond Blackwell, 1923-24; Dan A. Edkins, 1926-27; W. Lennis Green, 1927-28; Herschel Wheeler, 1933; George Rinker, 1940-41; William A. Drake, 1942; Randall Tucker, 1951-52; Herbert Pigman, 1953-54, and William A. Bridges, 1954-55.

Brief Items from the Chapters

News and Pictures of Phi Activities During Final Weeks of Last Year

New Phikeias

Kansas Beta: Warren Harrod, Yates Center; Melvin Kemp, Garden City; Don Haberichter, Oak Park, Ill.; Glen Davis, Jack Greenwood and Gary Watson, Topeka.

Louisiana Alpha: Bill Futrell and Don Bourgeois.

Pennsylvania Eta: Jim Anderson, Bill Bird, Jim Clapp, Ted Jenkins, Don Haines, Dale Hartshorne, Art Hillbrunner, Val Santillo, Dave Saunders, Stu Sherk, Ben Solliday, Tom Smith, Dick Menninger, Doug Maxwell and Bill Doremus.

Virginia Beta: Charles Carpenter, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Claude Crockett, Bristol; Frank Fannon, Alexandria; Jock Simpson, Lexington, Ky.; Bill Christian, Smithfield; Robert Button, Culpeper; Allen White, Vienna; John Howze, Charlottesville; Ray Register, Charlotte, N.C.; Dave King, Kingsport, Tenn.; Donald Spears, Bergenfield, N.J.; Charles Norris, Portsmouth; John Wright, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Roger Wilkenloh, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Gerry Cassell, Bristol; Harry Selverian, Broomall, Pa.; Richard Anderson, Haddenfield, N.J., and Estuart Keaser, Covington.

New Initiates

Alabama Beta: Jimmy Adams, Jerry Babb, Wes Burnham, Bill Byrd, Jim Christie, John Cooper, Don Dickerson, Tom Gaillard, Carlyle Gunn, Darry Gayle, Richard Hyde, Don Kennington, Charles Lloyd, Tommy Paschall, Bill Pickens, Don Smith, Jim Stroud, John Tatum, John Turney, Bill Yarbrough.

Idaho Alpha: Bob Clyde, Jim Richards, Steve Emerine, Skip Hitchcock, Don Smith, Boyce Mix and Roger Simmons.

Indiana Gamma: Bob LeBien, Ronald Campbell, Bill Birsfield, David Whitt, Dave French, Ed Shearer, Bill Norris, John Hauser, Paul Nieman, Tom Liebrich, Joe Balson, Guy Tillet, John McKamey, Gary Reece.

Kansas Beta: John Blair, Ralph Bowen, Roger Bowen, Bernie Christian, Scott Davis, Hal Des Jardins, Jake Jackman, Hal Lockett, Gene Mann, John Pearman, Larry Pitcher, Bob Smith and John Smith.

Nebraska Alpha: Folk, Snyder, Jensen, Furman, Ellis, Van Pelt, Talsma, Ross and Ozenberger.

Pennsylvania Beta: John Little, Fran Richard, Jerry Horton, Ron Resley, Dean Bornheimer, Don Ollivier, Lou Weislogle, Ken Kauffman, Pennel Neikirk, Joe Clark, Bruce Heckman, Will Marro, Bob Lauffenberger, Fred Hoffnagle and Harvey Mumma.

Pennsylvania Eta: Linc Jones, Ken Ivers, Jim Haney and Hugh Weir.

Wisconsin Alpha: Dave Feldhausen, Knick Pyles, Dave Loucks, John Yule, Ronald Wagner, Art Bramhall, Karl Feuerpfel, Hugh Olson, Tom McConnell, Joe Coleman and Jim O'Leary.

Chapter and Individual Honors

Arizona Alpha: Bob Gemmell, $\Phi B K$; *California Alpha:* Dick Tamberg tied the Southern Division scoring record of 38 points in one basketball game, and during the same game, broke the field goal record for one game with 17 buckets. *Colorado Beta* has the highest fraternity scholastic average on campus for the fifth consecutive semester. Dick Clothier is Student Body president. *Georgia Alpha* will have a new chapter house—construction to start August 1. Bill Harp, Bob Tanner, Kenny Malsberger elected to Gridiron Secret Society, highest honor on campus. *Georgia Beta* stands first in scholarship on campus and won intramural basketball championship. *Indiana Gamma* is in second place in scholarship.

Indiana Epsilon's chapter chorus won honors in Indiana. *Kansas Beta* is producing another movie, "The Tyrant." President Nick Cossman is Student Council president. *Louisiana Alpha:* Don Lee, $O \Delta K$; *Maryland Alpha:* John Rice is president of the Interfraternity Council. *Ohio Zeta* will have a new house in the Fall. Bob Winzeler was elected to Sphinx. *Oregon Beta* reports all fraternities there will have to have housemothers in the Fall. *Texas Delta* once again has the highest overall scholastic average. Kent Beasley, Ideal Sophomore; Art Barnes and Walton Miller, Blue Key; Malcolm Bowers, $\Phi B K$. *Vermont Alpha:* Ronnie Hill won Hexathlon Trophy. *Virginia Beta:* Carl Schelhorn and Ronnie Kledzik, T.I.L.K.A. Henry Strempek is captain of the 1954 football team. *Washington Beta:* Don Jacobson and Jerry Jeseph, $\Phi B K$.



CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS AT WHITMAN
Washington Beta basketball squad (left) and golf team.



WINNERS OF MINNESOTA ALPHA BASKETBALL TOURNEY

Kansas Alpha men display beautiful trophy that they brought back from tournament in Minneapolis last Spring. Pictured are, left to right, Kent Mueller, Bob Richards, Les Wenger, Max Merrill, Hugh Buchanan, Don Martin, Darrell Fanestil, John Simons, Dick Hadley, and Dean Graves.



**PHIKEIAS OF PENNSYLVANIA
ETA (LEHIGH)**



NEW INITIATES OF INDIANA GAMMA (BUTLER)



**INITIATES OF ALABAMA
BETA (AUBURN)**

WISCONSIN BETA CHAPTER AT LAWRENCE—SPRING, 1954



"What Do We Want?"

(Continued from Inside Front Cover)

righteousness would always succeed. But the actual facts of life are not even remotely like that. Communism, for example, with its fundamental philosophy which is not only utterly Godless but which in the writings of Lenin, Stalin and others deliberately states there is no such thing as morality, that expediency is all that is important, that it is perfectly permissible to deceive, cheat, lie, murder whenever it is found expedient to do so . . . this godless and utterly immoral movement has in our generation risen to the most powerful position achieved by any movement of conquest in the history of the world, holding under its tyrannical control more human beings and a greater land area than that of any empire or dynasty of the past. Evil does succeed and succeed at times on a gigantic scale.

But coming closer home, all around us in every hamlet, village, and city in America everybody knows of outwardly respectable influential men and women of low aim—scheming, tricky, deceitful—who are highly prosperous and eminently successful. Evil does succeed. There can be no doubt about that and with realistic minds we must admit that that is so.

Nowhere does our Lord Christ more plainly reveal His realism than in His frank recognition of that fact. He admitted it in His own day when He pointed out in the Scripture that even the Pharisees were shining successes. What he said was, "They have their reward"; in other words they get what they want. And so let's get this clearly in our thought. Let's not try to evade or side-step it in any way. Let's look straight at it and take it in our stride, the undeniable fact that evil is so often highly successful. If we do not see that, and after seeing it see through it and beyond it, we are bound to feel at times like that boy in Mr. Tarkington's story who in effect was asking, "What's the use of trying to be decent?"

Especially is this attitude a temptation to anyone who has been brought up on certain sentimental types of religion. By sentimental type of religion I mean the kind that has led us to believe that God is on the side of the good and will always take care of good people. Life itself is not at all like that and the New Testament nowhere says it is like that.

Everything we know today in political and other areas of modern life of chicanery, dishonesty, corruption, bribery, our Lord Christ saw going on all around him in his day in the pattern and practices of the Roman and native Herodian governments of the little land in which he lived. He never doubted the success of low men with evil methods. Tell Him, for example, that honesty is the best policy and I can imagine His saying, "The best policy for whom? Certainly not for the Pharisees. Dishonesty is the best policy for them because in that way they get what they want." But it was right at that point Jesus was so unlike most of us. Instead of envying men of low aims and shameless means for their success and so flattering them by sharing their idea of what success is, He despised them.

Now that attitude involving a revolutionary idea of what success really is and a profound contempt for the victory of the slick and crafty is the first step, I would say, in meeting as Christians should, the confusing fact of evil's apparent prosperity. And for us ordinary folks it is not easy to do that. Referring to the Pharisees, Jesus said, "They get what they want"; in other words with their crafty tricky methods they do succeed. There can be no doubt about that; they get what they want. And so, good friends, according to the high standards of our Lord Christ, the question is: What do we want? . . . What do we want?

Isn't it a fact, that in spite of the confused disillusioning and sometimes cynical moods we all have, all of us most admire those people in the world who with all their hearts have wanted something . . . no mere worldly success or money could ever buy?

I think for example of the wide acclaim in this period of toughness, given not merely in the religious but in the secular press of the world to a man like Dr. Albert Schweitzer . . . a man many prominent people in the secular world have said is the greatest living human being, the greatest personality, on earth today. Dr. Schweitzer has given his life as a medical missionary in the heart of Africa. Had he remained in his native Europe he could have had the highest honors in many different fields of endeavor and I have read more than once the statement, based on good authority, that he could have made large sums of money. People from all over the world look at a life like that and are deeply stirred within themselves, feeling, "That's it, that's real success, that's true greatness!"

Or I think for example of that old but always inspiring and uplifting story of the discoverers of radium, Marie and Pierre Curie. Perhaps you remember the magnificent movie which told their story of heartbreaking hardship and then final success. And the climax of the story is reached when, after the discovery of radium, with worldly success at their door if they had patented their discovery and cashed in on it, they discussed the problem very briefly and immediately decided, no, because it was not cricket, not quite appropriate to the scientific conscience to make money from a discovery that so affected human welfare, human health, human life. And when they came to that conclusion perhaps you remember how the movie handled the matter in making you feel the relationship between that high decision and the advice the old professor in the Sorbonne in Paris had given Marie and Pierre years before when they were young students, . . . the advice that they aspire to something very high, or as he expressed it, "Seek to catch a star on your fingertips."

Well there you have it! That's the point! So to despise profane success, so to refuse to surrender to it, . . . that kind of attitude has been the strongest force in human history in revolutionizing the standards of what high-minded men and women have

conceived great living to be. And oh how we of this particular generation need to be called back to that ideal! Does goodness pay? The answer is, it depends altogether upon what kind of pay we want.

Our Lord Christ, unlike ourselves, never allowed the success of evil to blind His eyes to long views.

In the celebrated Dreyfus case which so disturbed the French Republic at the turn of the century a completely innocent man was the victim for years of a great injustice. The story was told some years ago in a splendid movie entitled, *The Life of Emile Zola*. There is one scene in that play one can never forget, a scene that haunts one's memory. In the courtroom the judge has kept insisting that the Dreyfus case is closed. This witness may not appear, this testimony may not be given because, as the judge adamantly insists, the affair of Dreyfus is a closed case. As the court adjourns with this repeated affirmation sounding like the knell of doom for both Dreyfus and Zola, one of the lawyers for the defense pointing to a large mural painting on the wall high above the judge's rostrum, depicting the scene of the crucifixion of Christ, is heard to remark that that too was once regarded as a closed case.

The point is—no victory of wrong over right, no victory of injustice over justice, no victory of evil over good is ever a closed case. And saying that isn't a matter of sentimentality. History reaffirms this realistic fact again and again. Certainly a most impressive illustration within the memory of everyone, is the dazzling height of brilliant success and vast power to which Adolf Hitler arose at one time in his program of conquest in this era, but from which in the end he toppled ignominiously in defeat. As someone has put it, "Nothing recedes like some kinds of success." What thus can be seen as so clearly true in the retrospect of history will prove true, I haven't the slightest doubt, of the victories of bloody brutality and oppression that are taking place on earth today under the leadership of atheistic Russian Communism. If there is anything concerning which I feel absolutely positive, it is that atheistic Communism is not the final word in our human story. I for one refuse to be made a cynic by

the triumphs of evil anywhere or at any time. I think I know too much about history and certainly I believe too deeply in God to be thus confused and led astray.

This truth with which we are dealing is applicable to the vast affairs of the world but it is true also in the life of individuals and families one by one. The story of no individual, the story of no family that has gotten ahead by wrong methods is ever a closed story. And I have seen that illustrated time and again right here in this city in the long years in which I have lived here. Nothing recedes like some kinds of success.

I think of a true story I heard my Father tell of a man, a very wealthy and successful man, who in one of our American financial panics lost his fortune because he had been absolutely honest in a certain transaction. A friend called and said, "Well, Henry, I see you have lost everything." To which the man who had met this great misfortune, drawing himself up to his full height, quietly replied, "Yes I have lost everything but my honor!"

And so we come back to our text, to Jesus and what He said about the Pharisees of His day. He said, "They have their reward"; that is to say they get what they want.

So as I have said, the answer to our question—the question as to whether it pays to be good, honorable, and decent—depends upon what we want more than anything else in all the world.

You remember the closing scene of the play, *Cyrano De Bergerac*, in which with the leaves falling from the trees in the courtyard are suggestive or symbolic of the autumn of his own life. The old fellow who had been such a failure in so many ways, musing to himself, says that he had kept his white plum clean to the end.

Good friends, deep down in our hearts, regardless of the little moods and moments of disillusionment and cynicism . . . isn't that what we all want more than we want anything else on earth, . . . to keep our own white plum clean always! Is there any success, is there any satisfaction deeper and greater than that?

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Brothers . . . Golden Legionnaires

THE SCROLL has been delighted to hear news of two of the oldest living members of ΦΔΘ—blood brothers as well as Brothers in the Bond. DR. ROBERT S. PIERCE, *Southern* '93, and THOMAS FRANKLIN PIERCE, *Southern* '89, both of whom were initiated into Alabama Gamma chapter in the Fall of 1888, the second year of this short lived chapter's existence.

Brother Robert Pierce, born in 1869, is living in retirement in Marianna, Fla., where he practiced medicine for over fifty years. He graduated from Southern, now Birmingham-Southern, University with honors, and graduated in Medicine at Mobile, Ala., also with honors.

After four semesters at Southern, Brother Thomas Franklin Pierce started on his life work as a teacher. Following five years of teaching, he returned to school and received his A.B. degree from National Normal University at Lebanon, Ohio, in 1896. Five years later, he earned his M.A. through home study and distinguished teaching in Latin and Greek in a small college at Pea Ridge, Ark.

Brother T. F. Pierce went to Oklahoma 56 years ago and put in 35 years of public school work, plus some years as an assistant professor of education and psychology at Central State Teachers College. He also traveled with University Tours over the United States and Southeastern Canada teaching psychology and sociology. Brother Pierce now makes his home in Oklahoma City, Okla.

The town of Bloomfield, Ind., birthplace of DON HEROLD, *Indiana* '12, Indiana humorist and artist, honored its famous son June 15, which was designated "Don Herold Day."

Among the events of the day was the dedication of the "Don Herold Corner," featuring his books and writing, in the Bloomfield Public Library. Brother Herold attended the alumni association's centennial during commencement week at Indiana University and then traveled to Bloomington to participate in the celebration of his day.

Listed in the May issue of the Country Club Y.M.C.A., Southwest Division, *News of Kansas City, Mo.*, were the officers of that Y Club, three of whom are members of ΦΔΘ. The Phis so ably serving their community's interests are: Vice-Chairman, JAMES KIRK, *Illinois* '34; Treasurer, LLOYD FAETH, *Kansas* '31; and CLARENCE MCGUIRE, *Kansas* '28, president of the Kansas City, Mo., Y.M.C.A.

PHILIP K. VANDERHYDEN, *Lawrence* '34, was one of nineteen life insurance salesmen who were made members of the President's Club for New Organization of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company. Among the qualifications for membership is the sale of \$250,000 of insurance during the first year with the company. The company brought the



DR. R. S. PIERCE, *Southern* '93



THOMAS F. PIERCE, SR., *Southern* '89

Phi brothers remember chapter days in old Alabama Gamma. Dr. Pierce, now 85, pictured when he was 80; Thomas, now 87, is shown as he appeared at age 78.

men to the home office in Philadelphia, Pa., for a three-day session. Brother Vanderhyden is the Menasha representative of the Coe Agency of Oshkosh, Wis.

Lawrence Phi Heads Wisconsin Manufacturers Association

RUFUS K. SCHRIBER, JR., *Lawrence '36*, was elected president of the Wisconsin Manufacturers' Association in May. At 40, he is the youngest president the association has ever had. Brother Schriber, who started his business career with Carnation Milk Co., serving the export section of that company first in Europe and later in South America, returned to this country in 1945 and joined United States Motors Corp. at Oshkosh, Wis. In 1949 he succeeded his father as president, his father becoming chairman of the board. Brother Schriber also is president of two export companies in connection with United States Motors Corp., and is vice-president and a director of Morgan Co., a nationwide millworking concern.

Two More Phis in "Who's Who"

CHARLES BAXTER JONES, *Mercer '15*, lawyer.
BISHOP HOYT M. DOBBS, *Southern-Vanderbilt '99*.

At a recent meeting of the Stanford Alumni Association, Accountant WILLIAM H. STARK, *Stanford '34*, Fresno, Calif., was elected president and Attorney JOHN C. McHOSE, *Stanford '24*, Los Angeles, was re-elected to the executive board of the association.

At an Elks convention held in McAllen, Tex., in June, two brother Elks, whose friendship began nearly forty years ago, got together for some reminiscing. The two were Deltus Edwards, retired newspaperman, and ROBERT LEE LEWIS, *Mississippi '98*, pioneer McAllen resident. The occasions over which they reminisced were incidents which happened during the Mexican Border incident when the National Guard 71st regiment arrived in McAllen in 1916 and Edwards, with other New York reporters, including WILLIAM P. BEAZELL, *Allegheny '97*, were sent there to cover the event.

DR. LEVERING TYSON, *Gettysburg '10*, associate of the National Committee for Free Europe and Chancellor of the Free University in Exile, was the speaker at the annual banquet of the Interfaculty Club of Gettysburg College and Seminary.

The Frank Lloyd Wright retrospective architectural exhibition held in Los Angeles' new municipal art center which he created, was enjoyed by many thousands from the California area. Brother

Calls Schroeder Finest U. S. Ambassador to Australia

Sydney Albright, managing director of the 20th Century-Fox Film Corporation in Australia, said recently that "TED SCHROEDER, *Stanford '42*, is the finest diplomat the United States ever sent to Australia. He did a tremendous job and he never made a mistake."

H. A. Pitt, Australia's leading tennis authority and custodian of the famed Davis Cup added, "I wish all Americans were like Ted Schroeder and Jack Kramer."

WRIGHT, *Wisconsin '89*, was on hand for the invitational preview of his "Sixty Years of Living Architecture." The work of Architect Wright is shown in models, photo-murals, original drawings, notebooks and colored slides. The exhibit is now on tour across the Pacific in Japan, the Philippines and India.

On hand in April to greet the more than 200 Northwest and California bankers at their meeting at Washington State College was JOEL E. FERRIS, *Illinois '95*, 80 years young and "Father" of the banking conference. His suggestion for this type of meeting in 1935 met with approval and the first conference was held at the College in 1936. A gentle, soft-spoken man, Brother Ferris' composure has seldom been ruffled throughout his 46-year career as a Spokane banker, and he is looked up to and respected by men in banking circles throughout the country.

JOSEPH B. ELY, *Williams '02*, former governor of Massachusetts and attorney from the American Woolen Company, was named that firm's president in May after a fourth postponement of an attempt to complete the annual meeting.

Election of ALAN MAY, *S.M.U. '27*, as treasurer of National Theaters, Inc., by the board of directors, was announced by Charles P. Skouras, president. Brother May joined National Theaters in 1934. It is the parent company of Fox West Coast Theaters.

San Francisco Boys' Club Named for Ernest Ingold

The new San Francisco Boys' Club will be named for ERNEST INGOLD, *Illinois '09*, who has retired after three years as president. Brother Ingold headed the finance and building committee which raised funds without a public campaign and at no cost and

Dr. John Edwin Brown Marks 90th Birthday

May 30 marked the ninetieth birthday of one of the patriarchs of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, DR. JOHN EDWIN BROWN, *Ohio Wesleyan '84*, (P.P.G.C.) Columbus, Ohio. Brother Brown's sentiments as expressed on a card are here quoted: "The achievement of a ninetieth birthday furnishes no mark of personal excellence, but attracts attention as does the player who luckily gets a 'hole in one'."

which later built the club. It is claimed to be the finest Boys' Club in America.

The Club operates three separate clubs, each in its own building, the Ernest Ingold Club being the newest. Its cost was \$750,000 and there are 5,400 boy members. Former President Herbert Hoover dedicated the building while Governor Goodwin Knight officiated at the ground-breaking ceremonies.

THE REV. DR. LISTON POPE, *Duke '29*, Dean of the Yale University Divinity School, was made a trustee of Vassar College at its annual meeting.

Main speaker at a recent dinner meeting of the Hollywood Academy of Medicine was DR. ALTON OCHSNER, *South Dakota '18*, who warned of the lung cancer threat.

JAMES W. COULTRAP, *Ohio Wesleyan '32*, of Hinsdale, Ill.—attorney, and secretary and assistant treasurer of the Miehle Printing Press and Manufacturing Company, was a nominee for alumni director of his alma mater, Ohio Wesleyan.

LORREN A. SCHROEDER, *Lawrence '37*, Neenah, Wis., has been appointed to the position of assistant secretary of the Equitable Reserve Association of Neenah. He will continue to serve as manager of the claims department.

The April, 1954, issue of *The Underwriters Review* carried an article, under "Insurance Men You Know," about PAUL W. WATT, *Amherst '23*. Brother Watt is now president of the Washington National Insurance Company, Evanston, Ill., having risen to that position after many years with the concern.

FRANK M. ADAMS, *Westminster '37*, president of the Beaumont Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, has been named first assistant to the district attorney in Jefferson County, Texas.

ROBERT SELPH HENRY, *Vanderbilt '10*, who has combined writing with a busy career as a railroad executive, was honored with the Washington Civil War Round Table's second gold medal award at that organization's annual dinner in April. He was honored for four works: *The story of the Confederacy*, *The Story of Reconstruction*, *First with the Most*, and his *Story of the Mexican War*. Brother Henry, who lives in Alexandria, Va., is vice-president in charge of public relations for the Association of American Railroads.

The Commercial State Bank and Trust Company of New York has elected Ray Murphy, *Iowa '12*, as a director. Brother Murphy has been general counsel of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies since 1944.

TODD J. COLLINS, *Miami '46*, special agent with the Jamison and Phelps Agency of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company in Chicago, has won the silver button award for the 1953-54 agents' year. He was also recently awarded the National Quality Award from the National Association of Life Underwriters for his superior quality of business. Brother Collins is currently serving as treasurer of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Club of Metropolitan Chicago.

Among eight initiates from local professional fields initiated into the newly formed sub-chapter of $\Sigma\Delta X$ at U.C.L.A. is EDWARD A. DICKSON, *U.C.L.A. '01*, board of regents of the University of California.

C. K. WOODBRIDGE, *Dartmouth '05*, president of the Dictaphone Corp. since 1948, recently became chairman of the board and chief executive officer.

F. HARWOOD ORBISON, *Cornell '42*, Menasha, Wis., but long active in Appleton (Wis.) Y.M.C.A. activities, was honored recently when elected a member of the International Y.M.C.A. Committee. This group supervises the expenditure of funds for Y.M.C.A. services overseas. Harwood's father, T. E. (Gene) ORBISON, *Lawrence '09*, is the new president of the Theta Phi Corporation, householding association for Wisconsin Beta chapter at Lawrence College. A brother, Tommy, is also a Cornell Phi, class of '52.

DR. ARNOLD S. JACKSON, *Wisconsin '16*, Madison, Wis., incoming president, was among the United States surgeons who attended the International College of Surgeons I.C.S. annual congress in Sao Paulo, Brazil.

President Eisenhower, in May, nominated WILLIAM A. (Gus) BOOTLE, *Mercer '24*, Macon, Ga., to

be United States judge for the Middle District of Georgia. He was named to fill the vacancy left by the death of Judge A. B. CONGER, *Mercer '11*, last fall.

MARVIN F. OBERG, *Iowa State '36*, was recently appointed Chief Engineer of Northwestern Bell Telephone Company in Minnesota. Brother Oberg had previously been with American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York.

HAROLD E. STAMBAUGH, *Pennsylvania '48*, recently announced the opening of his offices for the practice of law in York, Pa.

Directors of Lincoln Paper Company, subsidiary of Ditto, Inc., Chicago, Ill., have announced the election of M. H. PEACOCK, *Lawrence '24*, as president.

JAMES J. NANCE, *Ohio Wesleyan '23*, was named president and chief executive officer of Studebaker-Packard Corp. when the consolidation of both firms was approved by the stockholders at a meeting August 17.

After more than forty years as a faculty member, DR. S. GALE LOWRIE, *Knox '07*, head of the University of Cincinnati's department of political science, retired in July and is to have the honorary title of professor emeritus beginning September 1. During the course of his teaching career he has made several tours of duty abroad, in China, Hawaii, and New Zealand, where he went in 1949 on a Fulbright appointment.

Elected treasurer by the Charleston, W. Va., Legal Aid Society in May is F. WITCHER McCULLOUGH, *Randolph-Macon '43*.

TOM LAWSON MCCALL, *Oregon '36*, in his first political race for office, won the Republican nomination for Congress from Multnomah County, Ore. He will be opposed by a woman on the Democratic ticket in the November elections.

DR. FREDERICK H. BUNTING, *Sewanee '27*, is chief of the China-Indo-china Division of the Foreign Operations Administration, working out of Washington, D.C. During the past four years he has made Spring visits to Far Eastern countries in which the United States is operating economic aid programs.

DR. RALPH W. SOCKMAN, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*, received an honorary doctor of science degree from Columbia University at Commencement exercises.

The citation accompanying Brother Sockman's degree reads:

"An eloquent voice, fearless, intelligent, tolerant

and respected across the land; a scholar proudly claimed as alumnus by this university; for nearly four decades filling a distinguished pulpit of this city, applying with meaningful force to problems of the day the eternal truths of God; in the community giving generously of his talents in causes that enrich men's lives; a spiritual leader, a light that glows more brightly with the years."

Word has been received that CHARLES E. BROWN, *Chicago '14*, partially ill following a stroke ten years ago, is in Golden Hill Hospital, 1119 28th St., San Diego, Calif., and would be greatly cheered to hear from any of the Phis who knew him in his days of activity and popularity at the conventions.

SAMUEL B. GREGG, *Wisconsin '00*, is recuperating from a serious operation. He lives in Los Angeles, Calif., and is interested in the financing of electric light companies.

Bishop Hoyt Dobbs Cited for Long Life of Outstanding Service

Few Phis have made larger contributions to the culture of the South than BISHOP HOYT MCWHORTER DOBBS, *Southern-Vanderbilt '99*, of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Confined to a sanatorium for the last months because of ill health suffered in the generous expenditure of his time and energy in the service of others, he is an inspiration to the other residents and to all who come in contact with him. A former member of the Methodist General Board

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BISHOP HOYT MCWHORTER DOBBS
Southern-Vanderbilt '99



LEFT TO RIGHT: LT. CMDR. ARGYLE M. WOLF, *Denison* '37; LT. (jg) DAVID G. THOMPSON, *Lehigh* '51; ENS. E. G. ELLENBERGER, *Dartmouth* '52, and LT. CHARLES SURRAN, *Pennsylvania* '45.

Four of Fifteen Officers on USS "Jupiter" Are Phis

The four Phis pictured above at the Army-Navy Club in Manila, P. I., are four of the fifteen officers aboard the USS *Jupiter* (AVS-8). In a letter to the editor, Brother Thompson writes: "There are probably several ships in the U. S. Navy with more than four Phis serving aboard them, but I doubt if any other ship has 25 per cent of all officers as Phis. The USS *Jupiter* has 15 officers aboard and four of them are Phis, which we think is both grand and amazing. . . ."

The *Jupiter* is presently on a tour in the Far East, supplying aviation parts to aircraft carriers. It is the only ship of its type in the Far East.

Three Phis Commissioned at West Point Graduation

THE three Phis pictured at right were graduated June 8 from the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y. All received B.S. degrees and were commissioned 2nd Lieutenants in the Army.

JACK M. BERINGER, *Colorado College* '52, of Colorado Springs, Colo., served with the U. S. Air Force, 1946-1948, and attended Colorado College for a year before entering the military academy. He was commissioned in the Armor branch of service.

THOMAS YOUNG, *Washington (St. Louis)* '53, of Camden, S.C., will serve in the field artillery branch.

RICHARD P. HOY, *South Dakota* '53, of Vermillion, S.D., received his commission in the Infantry.

News of Phis in the Service



COL. LOUIS G. BUMEN, *Hanover* '27, has been named Quartermaster of the Sixth Army at the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif. He returned from Korea, where he was commander of the Sixth Quartermaster Group and deputy commander of the 55th Quartermaster Depot at Pusan, in March, 1952, and since that time has been serving as executive officer of the Quartermaster Section in San Francisco.

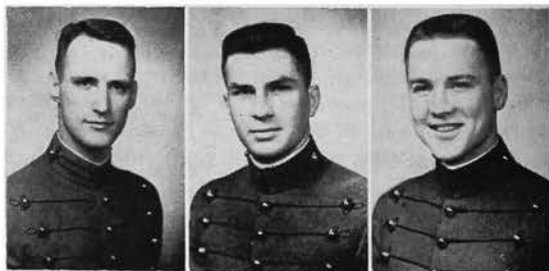
The Bronze Star Medal was presented to MAJOR JOHN H. HICKSON, *Oregon* '41, in Japan, in May. He has been serving as chief of airborne activities, combat operations section, 315th air division.

LT. COL. NEWTON J. HEUBERGER, *Florida* '40, whose new assignment is the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., graduated, June 18, from the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

JOHN H. FOX, *Duke* '52, was recently promoted to Sergeant while serving with the Korean Military Advisory Group in Korea.

PVT. WALTER R. WARNE, *Puget Sound* '53, has joined the 4th Infantry Division in Germany.

EARL R. FINE, *Butler* '48, has been awarded the Commendation Ribbon with Metal Pendant for meritorious service in the Far East Command Headquarters in Tokyo, Japan.



WEST POINT GRADUATES
Beringer, Young, Hoy



HAPPY PHI G.I.s

LEFT: HERBERT C. ROGERS, Denison '52, of Chicago, Ill., recently promoted to sergeant, answers a telephone in Korea as a personnel management specialist with the 623d Field Artillery Battalion's Headquarters Battery. He has been overseas since April and holds the Korean and UN Service Ribbons. RIGHT: CPL. ANDREW K. ALLISON, Allegheny '51, of Queens Village, N.Y., was recently named honor graduate of the Troop Information and Education Group Discussion Leaders Course at the Taegu Military Post in Korea. He has been in the Far East since April, 1953.

Awarded Commendation Ribbon for Korea Service

Army Sergeant First Class JAMES R. SIME, Iowa '53, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jame N. Sime, 22 E. Benton, Naperville, Ill., recently was awarded the Commendation Ribbon in Korea.

The 24-year-old Naperville soldier was cited for his meritorious service as chief clerk in the officers section of the 25th Infantry Division's 14th Regiment from April 1953 to May of this year.



A PHI AND HIS DAD IN KOREA

CAPT. DEWITT C. SMITH, JR., Maryland '43, is shown chatting with his father, who is Red Cross assistant general manager, during the elder Smith's recent tour of the 7th Infantry Division area in Korea. Brother Smith later was awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster for his Bronze Star Medal, and is now serving as assistant to the deputy chief of staff for administration at Eighth Army headquarters.

A former student at the University of Iowa where he became a member of Iowa Beta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, Brother Sime entered the Army in September, 1952. He completed basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark., before arriving in Korea in March 1953.



PHIS ARE DECORATED

Two Phis pictured receiving Oak Leaf Clusters to their Bronze Star Medals are: LEFT, LT. COL. F. F. BEATTIE, JR., Sewanee '55, with Col. William D. Buchanan; RIGHT, LT. COL. FURMAN W. MARSHALL, Michigan '34, being congratulated by Col. Lloyd R. Moses, chief of staff for XVI Corps in Japan. Brother Beattie has been in Korea since February, 1953, serving as commander of the 402d Quartermaster Battalion, and Brother Marshall, formerly assistant chief of staff for personnel and administration for the 24th Infantry Division in Korea, is now assistant chief of staff for personnel and administration of XVI Corps in Japan.



SERVING COUNTRY

LEFT: 2ND LT. JESSE N. DUCKWORTH, Mercer '53 of Macon, Ga., is the athletic and recreation officer of the 16th Infantry Regiment's Headquarters Company in Germany. He has been overseas since May of this year. RIGHT: CPL. GILLMORE T. BEESLEY, Idaho '49, of Idaho Falls, is serving at Camp Crawford, Japan, where he is trumpeter with the 1st Cavalry Division's band. He has been in Japan since April.

Bishop Hoyt Dobbs Cited for Long Life of Outstanding Service

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of Christian Education, he is still consulted by the president of Centenary College and other educators throughout the South.

Born in Alabama in 1878, Brother Dobbs attended Southern University, where he was graduated in 1899, and then attended Vanderbilt University where he affiliated with Tennessee Alpha and was a member of $\Phi B K$, receiving his Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1904. According to data published in the 1952-53 edition of *Who's Who*, he also holds the degree of M.A. (Southern), D.D., LL.D., and Litt.D.

Brother Dobbs held pastorates in Birmingham, Ala., Kansas City, Mo., Ft. Worth, Tex., and Anniston, Ala., before being elected a bishop in 1922. He also served as Dean of the School of Theology and Lecturer on Christian Doctrine at Southern Methodist University from 1916 to 1920. His first assignment as bishop was in Brazil with official residence in Sao Paulo where his contribution to Christianity during his four year term was outstanding. The years from 1926 until his retirement in 1944 were spent serving as bishop in Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi, with residence at Shreveport, La.

Spiritual adviser to the hospital where he is in residence, he also serves in that capacity to all denominations in that section. One of his outstanding characteristics is that of seeing the best in all he meets, and his influence as a spiritual leader has been felt throughout the Southern states where he has served. Possessed of an unusual mind, he seems to remember everything and every one.

Brother Dobbs's interest in education has contributed considerably to the colleges and to the youth of the areas to which he was assigned. He is an active Mason, 32d degree, and a loyal Phi. When there was an alumni club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ at Shreveport, he



BRONZE STAR AWARDED

After receiving the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service, 1ST LT. THEODORE L. SIRES JR., Washington State '53 (right) of Union Gap, Wash., is congratulated by Maj. Gen. H. D. Maddox, chief of the Korean Military Advisory Group, in Taegu, Korea. The 22-year-old lieutenant was cited for service as an Army aviator with the group's aviation section. A former student at Washington State College, where he was a member of Washington Gamma, he arrived in the Far East in June, 1953.

SPECIALIST

SGT. ALLEN E. KELLY, Wabash '55, Houston, Tex., is a survey specialist with the 3d Infantry Division's 58th Field Artillery Battalion in Korea. In the Far East since last October, Sergeant Kelly entered the Army in January 1953 and completed basic training at Camp Atterbury, Ind. (U.S. Army Photo)



was nearly always present for the meetings and ready with a good Phi story.

His son, Hoyt McW. Dobbs, Jr., with Franklin Life Insurance Co., Springfield, Ill., is also a Phi from Vanderbilt, class of '29.—WILLIAM STEEN, Mississippi '04.

RUSSELL C. FLOM, Lawrence '24, of Menasha, Wis., will move to Washington, D.C., September 15 to begin work as Director of the Forest Products Division, Business and Defense Services Administration, Department of Commerce. An executive of the Marathon Corporation in Menasha, Brother Flom will be on leave of absence during the term of his new assignment which will extend to next June 30. Mrs. Flom and son Freddie, a future Phi, will accompany him to Washington.

The Floms are the parents of two Lawrence Phi sons—Dick '48, with the Honeywell Company, and Jerry '52, who will enter Yale University for graduate work this fall after two years in the service.

The Alumni Club Activities

Cincinnati

THE $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ ALUMNI CLUB OF CINCINNATI opened the Summer season, May 27, with an all-day outing at the Summit Hills Country Club over in the highlands bordering the Ohio River in our neighboring state of Kentucky. The brothers—young and old, 92 in number—indulged in golf, baseball, cards and an excellent Kentucky fried chicken dinner. Jim Funch, in his thorough and inimitable manner, effected the arrangements. Considering that the outing was staged on a busy middle-of-the-week day, the attendance was good—and was an indication of the rejuvenative efforts of Wilbur J. ("Tibbie") Woods, the Club's new hardworking president. —PORTER P. LOWRY, *Reporter*.

Los Angeles

TWO PROJECTS CLAIMED the interest of the Los Angeles Alumni Club, one of them jointly with the Hollywood Alumni Club, as Spring stretched into Summer, and the Summer hiatus of alumni club activity looked ahead to the activity of September.

One of the projects was the downtown L.A. club's innovation of special luncheons at the Los Angeles University Club on certain Fridays, each special affair being devoted to a rallying of the graduate Phis from some particular state, or region, or college.

A special day for Wabash College started it off in May, but so much interest kindled at once, that the day became sort of a Hoosier Day in general. Following the reading of a message from General Council President George S. Ward, the Indianans got to talking about the glories of their favorite state and chapters. Out of the panegyrics, Phis from the other 47 states caught the fact that Indiana Alpha at Bloomington has the biggest $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ membership, larger even than Kansas Alpha and New Hampshire Alpha; that the state of Indiana possesses more alumni clubs than even Texas, and that Phis from Indiana have written more books, edited more newspapers, had more recent United States senators than individual other states.

Frank Maxwell, *Wabash* '16 one of the standbys for a quarter of a century of the Los Angeles Alumni Club, could not gather with the brothers, but Frank was represented by his son, Terry Maxwell, *Stanford* '47, who told his dad's regret and sent word that

Frank would be back again in the autumn, "better than ever." Frank Maxwell, an investment banker, suffered a heart attack in San Francisco last Spring, but after being in the hospital in that city and Los Angeles, made a hearty comeback during the Summer. Noted among the Indiana Phis who attended were: Maurice Mummert, *Wabash-Wisconsin* '15, retired advertising agency owner; John Woodruff, *Wabash* '22, secretary-manager of an automotive organization; Floyd Mueller, *Purdue* '12, architect; Urban Wilde, *Butler* '31, insurance man; Walter Runyan, *Wabash* '02, one of the stalwart aides of all Los Angeles Alumni Club undertakings; Dr. John E. Meihaus, *Indiana* '41, of Santa Monica.

Chapters from the state of Kansas had a rousing get together at another special luncheon during May. Third of these affairs was a "regional rally," devoted to alumni from Massachusetts and from Fraternity's various chapters in Canada. Half the known Canadian alumni membership in the Los Angeles area showed up—there are six $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ members from the provinces, and three attended.

Province President Stanley Brown helped make June 4 a special day, at which brothers from the Dakotas held a reunion which attracted visits from alumni residing in Santa Barbara, San Bernardino and San Diego.

Noted in North Dakota's turnout besides Lou Tellner, '16, who is an indefatigable and everpresent member of the Los Angeles club, were: Dr. Jack Vaughan, '20, of Huntington Park; Ed Dow, vice president of the Santa Barbara Alumni Club; Waldemar Westegaard, '06, who is the only known Phi to wear an honorary medal conferred by the King of Denmark, and Warren L. Schlager, insurance agent, of San Bernardino.

The South Dakota delegation was headed by a distinguished honor guest, Dr. Alton Ochsner of New Orleans (*South Dakota* '18), past president of the American College of Surgeons, and an acclaimed speaker at a Southern California medical convention during the week. Other South Dakota Alpha Phis who were glimpsed, were: Hiram Beebe, '07; Art Schaezel, '06, a charter member of the chapter; Robert Mayhouse, '35; Milton Herbold, '33, Hollywood cosmetics manufacturer; Roy Dickson, '34; Ralph McKinnon, '23, building contractor; Melvin J. Gandolfo, and Dr. Joseph B. Stevens, '20.

Other special days prior to the Los Angeles Club's Summer "quiet months" of July and August, included luncheon programs for members from the various state of Illinois chapters, June 11; for the state of Pennsylvania, June 18; and for Oklahoma and Missouri, June 25.

Although formal luncheon meetings



MILWAUKEE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Approximately 100 members of the Milwaukee Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ were guests of the Miller Brewing Company at a tour and buffet supper before enjoying a Milwaukee Braves baseball game at County Stadium. Shown checking seating arrangements for the game are, from left: Bob Riley, president of the Milwaukee club; George Miller, Paul L. Mangold, program chairman; Warren Buesing, treasurer, and Bill Goodrich of Miller's legal department.

went "off schedule" for the two mid-Summer months, both the Los Angeles and Hollywood Alumni Clubs put effort in the joint project of a small $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ brochure, intended for rushing purposes, come the Autumn college semesters at U.C.L.A. and University of Southern California. Spearheading this project is Province President Stanley Brown, Nebraska-U.C.L.A. '36—GEORGE K. SHAFFER, Reporter.

St. Petersburg

THE ST. PETERSBURG $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Association is now holding regular weekly luncheon meetings on Friday in the main dining room of the Suwanee Hotel. Every week a group of loyal Phis meet to exchange ideas and to renew acquaintances. Inasmuch as St. Petersburg, during the Winters months, is a mecca for many retired men and vacationers, we extend to them a hearty invitation to join our gatherings.—STANLEY C. SHAVER, JR.

Tampa

ENTHUSIASM was the keynote at a recent meeting of the Tampa, Fla., Alumni Club as plans for the coming year were prepared.

Regular monthly meetings, closer affiliation with the active chapter at the University of Florida, a Founders Day banquet, and an election of officers were all discussed and approved.

The new president is James F. Baughman, Gulf Life Insurance Company, and Thomas M. Brownlee, Assistant Manager of the Greater Tampa Chamber of Commerce, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Baughman, a Florida graduate of 1950, has been extremely active in Tampa Alumni Clubs. Brownlee is also a 1950 graduate from the University of Nebraska.

The active chapter and Alumni Association are cooperating in a series of rush parties during the summer months.—THOMAS M. BROWNLEE, Secretary

Quebec Alpha—Montreal

ALTHOUGH THE $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Club of Quebec Alpha did not hold a Founders Day dinner, two Spring gatherings were of interest to local alumni. The 52nd Annual Initiates Banquet was held in the Queen's Hotel, Montreal, March 12. The purpose of the banquet is to give the alumni a chance to meet the new initiates, and vice versa. Following a cocktail party, the brothers sat down to a fine meal, good company, interesting short speeches and toasts. Norman Hall of the active

chapter was toastmaster and kept the proceedings moving smoothly and quickly.

George Payre introduced each of the Freshmen to the alumni and each gave a short résumé of his past and ambitions.

The main address was given by Hugh Crombie, McGill '17, who has been one of the most active members of the Club for the past 35 years. Using both humor and pathos, Brother Crombie pointed out that the problems facing the active chapter as a whole and individually are similar to the ones that have been faced and solved by Phis for many years. The guest of honor, Ralph E. Powell, McGill '08, was presented with his scroll, making him a Golden Legionnaire,

in a very impressive ceremony.

The annual meeting of the Alumni Club was held at the chapter house April 12. Retiring President Buck McGibbon reported that the club had had a successful year, it had circularized all alumni in an attempt to bring the alumni section of "The Knocker" up to date, and had received a very heartening response from the alumni. It was also announced that this year's golf tournament would take place at LaChute Golf and Country Club June 3. Newly elected officers are: President, Chris Doscher; Vice President, Charlie Hayward; Secretary-Treasurer, Bob Wilson. The meeting was followed by a movie of the Canadian Open Golf Championship and refreshments.—R. W. WILSON.

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RANDOM NOTES

This is the first issue of the 79th volume of THE SCROLL. It has been written and edited in July in order to have copies available for the 50th General Convention at Mackinac Island. We are particularly grateful to Brother George K. Shaffer for his fine lead story on Hank Ketcham, *Washington* '41, and his world famed creation, "Dennis the Menace." Our thanks go also to Brother Ketcham for his fine co-operation on the article, topped by two original "Dennis" cartoons.

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Deadline for the next (November) SCROLL will be October 10 and chapter and alumni club reporters are urged to file their reports on schedule. Again this year THE SCROLL hopes to feature many more of the popular undergraduate features.

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Congratulations of the Fraternity and of the entire fraternity world are in order for our able Executive Secretary, Paul C. Beam, who was elected President of the Fraternity Secretaries Association at its annual meeting in Chicago in July, even though he was unable to be present because of illness. At the Fraternity Editors Meeting which was held at the same time the SCROLL editor was re-elected, with Merrill Prichard of ΣX , to the organization's Executive Committee.

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Note to Phi Alumni Club Officers: Several alumni clubs in recent years have made support of the Fraternity's Voluntary Alumni Contributions campaign a club project. For example, during the recent second solicitation for this past year the Tacoma Club made a donation of \$84. We can think of no more worth-while club project because the financial support resulting from this campaign helps $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to keep undergraduate dues at a minimum and make the Fraternity's benefits available to any young man who wants them.

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JOINED IN FRATERNITY FOR QUARTER OF A CENTURY

Texas Beta Alumni Hold 25th Reunion

Weekend Party in May Marks Silver Anniversary Gathering for Texas Phis

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS ago Texas Beta chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the University of Texas sponsored a party that was so successful the same group has celebrated the date each year since in the same fashion.

For their Silver Anniversary reunion the Phi alumni and their wives met at River Bend Lodge near Kerrville, Texas, the weekend of May 14-16. Among planned activities were a showing of films taken at previous weekends, complete with "family jokes." In recent years the movies have been taken in color.

The original event was a chaperoned weekend house party in Kerrville in 1930 while some of the wives were still college sweethearts. Since college days the group has met at Lake Fannin, Bastrop State Park, Greenville, Lake Brownwood, and Orange. The brothers are scattered now, but all remain in Texas.

In honor of the twenty-fifth reunion of each of the couples in attendance and the one bachelor—James B. Rutland—were presented a silver sugar and creamer tray inscribed "Phi Delta Theta House Party, 1930-1954."

In addition, Brothers J. L. Foxworth and

Charles Adleta, Jr., and their wives were given silver plaques with the names of 43 other participants engraved on them. These couples have been particularly active in arranging and perpetuating the reunions.

In attendance, with their wives, were R. W. Blalock '25, and W. D. Taylor, Jr. '28, Marshall; Roland Boyd '30, John L. Comegys '29, and Wilkins G. Comegys '30, of McKinney.

From San Antonio came William B. Ford '29 and James B. Rutland '30. William P. Hardgrove '28 and Thomas F. Hughes '32 were present from Beaumont, and Louis C. Page, Jr. '31, from Austin.

Dallas Phis present included Charles Adleta, Jr. '30, Ben H. Boren '32, Ayres Compton '29, Jack L. Foxworth '30, John A. Pace, Jr. '31, and John W. Rutland '31.

Others were Gardner Duncan '29, Eagle Lake; Walker White '28, Mason; and Max Eversberg '29, Albany.

Two of the couples who have been attending the reunions for the last 25 years now have grandchildren, and it is worthy of note that there has not been a single loss from death.

Chapter Grand

BRIG. GEN. CARROLL O. BICKELHAUPT (Ret.), *Wisconsin '11*, former vice-president of American Telegraph and Telephone Company, died in Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, N. Y. May, 16, 1954. He was 65 years old.

An authority on communications, Brother Bickelhaupt, whose home was in Washington, Conn., participated in both World Wars. His decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star, the Legion of Honor from the United States; the Croix de Guerre from France and the Order of Leopold II, with palms, commander grade, from Belgium. With the Army, he served in Europe, the Caribbean and South America as well as in this country.

Interested in the development of the telephone since childhood, he joined A.T.T. in 1911 as a junior engineer and in his 41 years of service he rose to become vice-president and secretary of the company. He retired in 1952; in 1949 he had retired as a brigadier general.

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CHESTER A. JEWETT, *DePauw '09*, a former president of old Epsilon Province of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, died at his home in Shelbyville, Ind., in April, 1954. Previous to his return to farming at his Shelbyville home in 1933, Brother Jewett had lived in Indianapolis for twenty years, where he was founder and president of the Jewett and Company investment banking firm.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, the Shelbyville Chamber of Commerce, the Masons and the Elks Lodge.

An alumni trustee of DePauw University, Brother Jewett had not missed an alumni meeting at Commencement time for more than 45 years.

Among the survivors are two brothers, Charles W. Jewett, *Franklin '06*, and Russell Jewett, *Franklin '12*.

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WILLIAM R. MILLER, *Penn State '15*, died at his home in Greencastle, Pa., in May, 1954. He had been manager of the *Waynesboro Record-Herald's* Greencastle office for the past five years and previous to that had been with the Waynesboro Knitting Co. and the Landis Tool Co. A veteran of World War I, he was active in church and civic circles in both Waynesboro and Greencastle. He was a former member of the school board, a lay leader in the Methodist Church, a member of the Masons, the Shrine, the American Legion and the Greencastle Rotary Club. He was an active Phi and at one time was chapter adviser to Pennsylvania Beta.

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LT. (jg) ORLO H. KANE, *Lafayette '52*, was killed in the explosion aboard the aircraft carrier *USS Ben-*



C. O. BICKELHAUPT, *Wisconsin '11*

nington, May 26, 1954. He had been assigned to the *Bennington* as a gunnery officer since his graduation from Naval Officers Training School in 1952.

During his college years, Brother Kane was a Dean's List student, a former chapter president of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, and an active participant in intramural athletics.

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ROGER D. PROBERT, *Oregon State '49*, died in a plane crash in the Alps Mountains in eastern France Mar. 5, 1954. He was employed by the General Electric Company as technical representative at the U. S. air base at Bitburg, Germany, and was returning there from an assignment at Tripoli when the military plane in which he was traveling crashed into a mountain peak. During World War II, Brother Probert served with the Air Force overseas and since then had worked for the Philco Corporation in Texas and with the City Engineering Department in Portland, Ore. His home formerly had been at Salem, Ore.

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HENRY W. WAGNER, *Kansas '96*, retired chief engineer for the Santa Fe Railway Company in Topeka, Kan., died at his home in Topeka, July 8, 1954. He was 82 years old and had retired in 1942 after 43 years of service with the Santa Fe.

Brother Wagner began his engineering career with the United States Geological Survey in 1896 and in

1897 joined the Santa Fe. While with the latter company he was located in Arkansas City, Marceline, Mo., Woodward, Okla., La Junta, Colo., and Amarillo, Tex. He was a member of the Methodist Church, a Mason, a member of the Knife and Fork Club, of the Kansas University Alumni Association, and of the Golden Legion of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Among the survivors is a son, Fred D. Wagner, Kansas '34.

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DR. WILLIAM HARRY HULL, *Cincinnati* '08, well known practitioner of medicine and orthopedics at Elyria, Ohio, for the past 40 years, died suddenly in Elyria Memorial Hospital, April 10, 1954. He had served for fourteen years as orthopedic surgeon at Gates Hospital for Crippled Children and was examining physician for selective service boards during World Wars I and II. He was one of the founders of the Elyria Clinic. Brother Hull was a member of $N\Sigma N$, a Mason, and a former member of 30 years standing of the Elyria Country Club.

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WARD WIGHT, *Emory* '10, always a loyal and enthusiastic Phi, died in Atlanta, Ga., his home, Mar. 23, 1954. He was 65 years old and for 40 years had served his community wholeheartedly. A realtor, he was consistently interested in the growth and improvement of Atlanta.

Brother Wight's affiliation with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, though seldom in official capacity, translated itself in quiet, effective assistance and counseling, particularly in chapter matters which paralleled his profession. No stranger to the Phi houses at the University of Georgia, Georgia Tech, Emory and Mercer, it was Emory, his alma mater, which received his special attention.



WARD WIGHT, *Emory* '10

Three chapter houses were built at Emory within a period of comparatively few years and it was Brother Wight who helped guide the chapter through this period of construction. He worked closely with Emory University officials in the building of their community of fraternity houses.

From a strong Phi family—father and brother of Phis—his two sons, Ward, Jr., *Georgia* '39 and Stewart, *Emory* '50, are among the survivors.—From material furnished by MEAL DOUGLAS, *Georgia* '48.

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REV. LEONARD CLEMENT HARRIS, *Allegheny* '11, pastor of the Memorial Methodist Church at Plymouth, Mass., died in Plymouth, Mar. 5, 1954. A native of Pennsylvania, Brother Harris received his degree from Allegheny, where he was outstanding scholastically and in art, drama, glee club and athletics. Following graduation, he entered the teaching field and later attended Boston University School of Theology. During World War I he served aboard the battleship USS *South Dakota* for five years as Navy chaplain.

Brother Harris had held pastorates in Providence, New Bedford, Attleboro, and had been District Superintendent of the Methodist Churches in the Providence area before coming to Plymouth almost four years ago.

He was an active worker for the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, the Plymouth Art Center, and was a member of the board of the Ryder Home.

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FRANK B. PARRISH, *Butler* '32, famous Hoosier tenor and general manager of the Midwest Television Corporation, died on June 22 as the result of a heart attack. In his passing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ lost a loyal alumnus who had already won renown for himself at a comparatively young age. He was 45 years old.

Following his graduation from Shortridge high school in 1926, Brother Parrish entered Indiana University. He transferred to Butler University, Indianapolis, in February, 1928, where he was pledged and initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Everyone who knew Frank learned to respect and love him because of his own lovable and unselfish ways. This was a characteristic that continued throughout his life. At Butler he was active in the affairs of the Fraternity and earned his letter in varsity baseball.

Possessed of a marvelous tenor voice which he cultivated by professional study, Brother Parrish began his singing career in 1929 at the Indiana Theater with the Charlie Davis orchestra in Indianapolis. At that time he replaced Dick Powell, radio and movie star, who moved on with a show of his own. Later Parrish went East and subsequently sang with well-known musical organizations including the orchestras of Abe Lyman, Emory Deutsch, Xavier Cugat and Joe Rivers.

With the Lyman band he appeared at the Strand Theater, New York City; the New Yorker Hotel; the Chez Paree, Chicago, and the Royal Palm Club, Miami. He made solo appearances as floor show star

FRANK B. PARRISH, *Butler '32*

in the Cocoanut Grove, Hollywood; Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City; Stork Club; Jack Dempsey's Restaurant and the Savoy-Plaza in New York.

Mr. Parrish made records for Brunswick and RCA Victor with the Lyman, Rines and Deutsch orchestras. At one time he sang for the Standard Transcription Service and later appeared on commercial transcriptions for Norge and Twenty Grand. His "live" network programs included the Gruen Watch show, on which he sang and the late Graham McNamee announced; the Hammerstein Music Hall of the Air (CBS) and three well-known Abe Lyman shows—Waltz Time, the Fitch Bandwagon, and Manhattan Merry-Go-Round.

In 1945 Parrish's "Trolley Trio" program won the Indianapolis Ad Club's award as the Best Local Radio Program for that year. Later he headed "The Frank Parrish Show" on WIRE for 52 weeks.

During World War II he won numerous awards and commendations for war effort activities in the entertainment field. He made six personal appearances and five recording sessions for the Red Cross and for 2½ years he did a daily stint over WIRE on the Bond Booth broadcasts.

Brother Parrish was featured entertainer at the opening of Camp Atterbury; made twelve appearances there and at Stout Field and sang twelve times at the Indianapolis Servicemen's Center. He also sang annually at the Infantile Paralysis Fund drives. He produced and served as master of ceremonies for the "Highland Classic" at Highland Country Club.

He was well known throughout central Indiana for his roles in the summer opera productions. In 1946 he sang a leading role in *Bittersweet*; in 1945 he appeared in *The Cat and the Fiddle*, and in 1950 he sang in the production of *The New Moon*.

His beautiful voice was heard by thousands of

persons immediately before the start of several of the 500-mile automobile races in Indianapolis. He contributed to the racing spectacle by singing, "Back Home Again in Indiana." Mr. Parrish also sang "The Star Spangled Banner" at many of the season-opening games of the Indianapolis Indians at Victory Field.

Parrish joined WIRE in 1941, and left in November of last year to become the general manager of the television corporation, which is one of the applicants for Channel 13 in Indianapolis.

It was while he was on a business trip that Brother Parrish suffered his fatal heart attack.

A son, Frank, Jr., a sophomore at Michigan State College, is a member of Δ T Δ. As he is a member of the school's swimming team, the family proposes establishing a swimming trophy in memory of his father. The trophy will be awarded annually to the outstanding swimmer in Indiana.

Other survivors are the widow, Mrs. Mary Edith Parrish, a daughter, Mrs. E. Michael Mannion, and a sister, Miss Louise Parrish, Muskegon, Mich.—GEORGE A. SHUMACHER, *Butler '25*.

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SAMUEL WALKUP KLUTTZ, *North Carolina '06*, for many years a newspaperman associated with *The Chester Reporter*, died in Chester County Hospital, Chester, S.C., June 5, 1954. How long he had worked for *The Reporter* is not known exactly for he out-dated all of its present staff, but the Charlotte, N.C., *Observer* claimed him as a correspondent for 50 years. The opening, "Kluttz, Dateline Chester," was famous throughout the Carolinas for complete accuracy of reporting.

Brother Kluttz attended public schools in Chester, the Pantopsy Academy in Virginia, and following graduation from the University of North Carolina

SAMUEL W. KLUTTZ, *North Carolina '06*

became a member of the staff of the old *New York World* for three years. Returning to Chester, he was associated with his father in the mercantile business, and became one of the state's outstanding local news correspondents. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, having received his certificate this year.

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VICTOR EUGENE DUCLOS, *McGill* '14, a former Trade Commissioner of Canada, died in Montreal, Can., July 20, 1954. He was 61 years old and until his retirement in April, had served as Trade Commissioner for Canada in Los Angeles, Calif., for the past seven years. Brother Duclos entered the Trade Commission Service of Canada following World War I, in which he served as a major and was awarded the Military Cross for gallantry in the field. Before his assignment in California, he had served in the United Kingdom and in the Far East.

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W. L. MOODY, JR., *V.M.I.* '86, head of a \$400,000,000 empire, died in John Sealy Hospital, Galveston, Tex., July 21, 1954. He was 89 years old. Reputed to be one of the ten richest men in the nation, Brother Moody was one of the least publicized. His name was not even in *Who's Who*. His vast firm of W. L. Moody and Company controls cotton, insurance and banking holdings, a chain of 30 hotels and ten ranches and interests in railroads, a newspaper, and oil. Although Brother Moody's financial operations at times were almost phenomenal, he shunned publicity of any kind. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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HENRY S. MACKAY, JR., *Virginia* '14, died at his home in Balboa, Calif., July 5, 1954. He was 62 years old.

Brother MacKay, senior member of the legal firm of Flint and MacKay, had for many years served as an executive with the Hearst interests, in the capacity of vice-president and member of the executive committees of various phases of the Hearst empire and as co-executor of the estate of the late William Randolph Hearst.

In 1932 he was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention and later was appointed chairman of a Reconstruction Finance Corp. advisory committee on flood relief and earthquake rehabilitation. A former director of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, Brother MacKay served on a committee that was instrumental in bringing the 1932 Olympic Games to Los Angeles. He was a second lieutenant in the U. S. Infantry Reserves during World War I.

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WILLIAM CLARK SPENCER, *Virginia* '14, film studio employee, died at Los Angeles, Calif., his home for the past 30 years, July 15, 1954.

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WILLIAM DEHAAS, *U.C.L.A.* '28, died in Van Nuys, Calif., July 19, 1954.

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FRANK CARTER, *Georgia* '13

FRANK CARTER, *Georgia* '13, prominent Atlanta, Ga., attorney and civic leader, died unexpectedly at his home on Wednesday, July 14. Brother Carter was a past president of the Atlanta Bar Association and was the first lawyer to ever be president of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

Even though active in practically every phase of Atlanta, Georgia's civic developments, his contribution to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was particularly noteworthy. He was president of the Atlanta Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on two occasions and was largely responsible for reactivating the Atlanta Alumni Club after World War II. He was treasurer of the Phi Delta Theta Educational Foundation of Georgia Alpha and was primarily responsible for the raising of funds by which plans for a \$110,000 chapter house for Georgia Alpha were completed. Construction on the house is scheduled to start in early Fall of this year. To the brothers of Georgia Alpha, the new chapter house will always stand as a memorial for Brother Carter's undying devotion to the Fraternity.

A veteran of both world wars, he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and the Purple Heart during World War I. He served as a lieutenant colonel during World War II and was in charge of officer procurement for the Southeastern states.

At one time, shortly after World War II, every member of his law firm was a member of the Fraternity, including Brother Sam McKenzie, President of the Epsilon Province.

This all over the State of Georgia and the Southeast mourn the passing of Brother Carter into the Chapter Grand. He was never too busy to take time to talk to a young Phi just starting in business or to sit down and wrestle with the many problems that confronted Georgia Alpha through the years. To the Phis of this Region, he truly exemplified the teachings of the Bond.

Dedicate Memorials to Sewanee Phis

Memorials to three great Sewanee Phis were dedicated this past Spring. An outdoor altar, erected to the memory of the late BISHOP HUNTER WYATT-BROWN, *Sewanee* '02, was dedicated April 27 in a service held in the chapel garden at St. Mary's. The Bishop's three sons, the Rev. Hunter Wyatt-Brown, Jr., *Sewanee* '37, the Rev. Charles Wyatt-Brown, *Sewanee* '38, and Ensign Bertram Wyatt-Brown, *Sewanee* '53, participated in the ceremonies.

June 13, 1954, the Sewanee chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ dedicated a Memorial Terrace to the memory of HENRY MARKLEY GASS, *Sewanee* '04, and TELFAIR HODGSON, *Sewanee* '94.

Among his survivors are a son, Frank Carter, Jr., *Washington & Lee* '49; a brother, E. V. Carter, Jr., *Georgia* '11; and a nephew, E. V. Carter, III, *Georgia Tech* '42.—JAMES EDWIN HICKEY, Jr., *Georgia* '53.

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RUDY BAUMAN, JR., *Texas* '51, died in Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo, Tex., May 25, 1954. A native of Amarillo, he had been an outstanding athlete during his high school years and later played football at the University of Texas.

Brother Bauman entered Navy service in March of 1945 and served as an air crewman during World War II. He attended the University following his discharge. A loyal Phi, he was a charter member of the Amarillo Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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ROBERT A. MACKIE, *Washington* '49, a cost accountant with Pacific Food Products, died at Mercer Island, his home, Feb. 21, 1954. Among the survivors are his father, Paul D. Mackie, *Washington* '09, and two brothers, Alexander W. Mackie, *Washington* '43, and Paul D. Mackie, Jr., *Washington* '45.

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DAVID FANTRESS PHELAN, *Texas* '31, died at his home in Dallas, Tex., May 9, 1954. He was associated with McMurray's Bookshop there at the time of his death. DAVID PORTERSVIELD ADAMS, II, *Vanderbilt* '18, Nashville, Tenn., died there Feb. 8, 1954. Among the survivors are two Phi sons, a Phi son-in-law and a Phi brother.

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HARVEY B. MCCRONE, *Brown* '15, died in Los Angeles, Calif., July 5, 1954.

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DONALD JAMES DIXON, *Puget Sound* '53, charter member of Washington Delta, died in Swedish Hospital, Seattle, Wash., April 21, 1954. Previous to his death he taught school at Dupont, Wash.

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WILLIAM FRANCIS FEAGIN, *Auburn* '92, died in a Tuscaloosa, Ala., hospital during May, 1954. For many years he had been an outstanding figure in Alabama politics and government. A pioneer in the state's modern educational system, he had served as State Superintendent of Education and had been vitally interested in prison reform and other phases of state government. He was 85 years old and until ill health forced him to retire he had been active in public matters until two years ago. He was a member of the Golden Legion of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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JAMES AUSTIN MCCLURE, *Washburn* '06, prominent Topeka attorney, died in a Topeka Hospital, Topeka, Kan., June 8, 1954. He was 71 years old, and had been practicing law since his admittance to the bar in 1909. Brother McClure had served as a district court judge for almost ten years from 1919-28, resigning in 1928 to enter private practice again.

Active in community and civic work, Brother McClure had served on the board of education, on the board of the Kansas Children's Home and Service League, the board of trustees of the Capper Foundation for Crippled Children and was a member of the Masons, Kiwanis, $\Delta \Delta$ and the First Presbyterian Church. He was active in Boy Scout work and had taught evidence and insurance at Washburn University School of Law for many years. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Among the survivors are two sons, Dr. James McClure, *Kansas* '40 and Robert McClure, *Kansas* '42.

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PAUL SLIPER, *Oregon State* '51, a salesman for Swift and Co. in San Francisco, Calif., died there suddenly April 23, 1954. He was former star basketball center and All-Phi choice. He served in the infantry during World War II and saw action overseas.

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REV. COLIN A. MCPHEETERS, *Westminster* '91, died June 28, 1954. He was professor of psychology and education at Westminster College for thirty years, retiring as professor emeritus in 1950. He was a member of the Golden Legion of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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DR. HERBERT P. WERKMAN, *Butler* '23, died in St. Vincent's Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind., June 20, 1954. He had practiced dentistry at Indianapolis for the past 35 years, and was associated with the Indiana University School of Dentistry as a professor of operative surgery for twenty years prior to 1943.

Brother Werkman, as a lieutenant commander in the U. S. Navy during World War II, was head of the officers indoctrination school at Great Lakes, Ill. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church and of $\Delta \Sigma \Delta$ and O K T.

Among the survivors is a brother, Robert C. Werkman, *Washburn* '29.

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CARR F. PROSS, *Pennsylvania* '24, died in Doctors Hospital, New York City, June 9, 1954. He was 54

years old and was manager of the investment advisory department of Shearson, Hammill and Co., brokers of 14 Wall Street. A veteran of World War I, he was an officer of the War Production Board during World War II. Among the survivors are two brothers, Merritt Pross, *Pennsylvania* '26, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Paul Pross, *Pennsylvania* '28, New York City.

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ELLIODOR M. LIBONATI, *Chicago* '14, Chicago attorney and well known in American Legion activities, died in West Side Veterans Hospital, Chicago, Ill., June 20, 1954. A lieutenant during World War I, he served 22 months in the Army, 14 of them overseas, and when the American Legion was founded, he immediately became active. For the past twenty-odd years he had served as state Americanism chairman of the Legion.

In a "post-mortem" note, it was written that Brother Libonati's death was a result of an injury suffered during the time, 1910-14, when he was playing with the University of Chicago's championship baseball teams. Sometime, somehow, he was struck in the head by a pitched ball. A cyst formed which was not discovered until after his death, 40 years later. "It was just as well he did not know about it. An operation at any time would have been fatal."

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C. HAL HODGES, *Kansas* '21, meat packing company executive, died June 15, 1954, aboard ship while returning from Brazil to this country for medical care. A native of Kansas City, Mo., Brother Hodges had lived in South America for many years. He was a member of Rotary and was a former president of the Brazilian National Chamber of Commerce.

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ALFRED A. TREADWAY, *Michigan* '08, founder and chairman of the board of A. A. Treadway, Inc., in Detroit, Mich., died in Ocean City, N. J., where he was on vacation, July 5, 1954. He was 70 years old, and in 1931 had founded the firm which bears his name for the sale of industrial gas equipment. He was a member of the Engineering Society of Detroit and a charter member of the Ingleside Club. A member of the Detroit Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, he had, until recent years, been in constant attendance at its meetings.

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GEORGE HOOVER RUPP, *Dickinson* '19, professor of history at Pennsylvania Military College, died suddenly in Cambridge, Mass., July 3, 1954. A native of Pennsylvania, he received his A.B. degree from Dickinson College and a Ph.D. in history from Harvard University in 1934.

Following his residence work at Harvard, Brother Rupp studied from original sources in Europe, particularly in Vienna and London. He had published several books and historical articles on 18th and 19th century Central European politics.

Among the survivors is a brother, Raphael E. Rupp, *Dickinson* '22, Charlotte, N. C.

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ROLAND BRUCE WESTOVER, *Missouri* '09, died at La Jolla, Calif., where he had made his home in recent years, June 16, 1954. Before moving to California in 1947, he lived in Kansas City, Mo., where he was associated with the Aetna Life Insurance Co. A former president of the Kansas City Life Underwriters Association, he also was a veteran of World War I.

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DR. A. B. BRANON, *Pittsburgh* '32, died suddenly in Atlantic City, N.J., Feb. 28, 1954. Entering the practice of medicine in Mt. Jewett, Pa., he later went to Baltimore, Md., to complete requirements for psychiatry at John Hopkins Hospital. At the time of his death, Brother Branon had a private practice in Baltimore and in addition to being staff psychiatrist at Franklin Square Hospital, was on the staff of John Hopkins and Seton Hospitals.

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BRIG. GEN. EDWARD WARD SMITH (U.S.A. Ret.), *Auburn* '16, died in Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D.C., May 18, 1954. An Alabama Polytechnic Institute and West Point graduate, Brother Smith had retired several years ago, because of ill health, after an Army career which took him all over the world. During World War II he served in Africa, Italy and France as an ordnance officer with the Seventh Army. He later was stationed in Japan. Brother Smith had received many high honors and awards and had been decorated by the French government.

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IRVING CLINTON BROWER, *Cornell* '01, former City Manager for New Rochelle, N.Y., died in an automobile crash near Cocoa, Fla., June 15, 1954. He had made his home at Orlando, Fla., since his retirement from the city managership in 1940.

Following graduation from Cornell, with a degree in civil engineering, Brother Brower was in the railroad field for twelve years, later becoming Commissioner of Public Works and City Engineer of Evanston, Ill. He returned to Evanston after serving in World War I, but soon entered the city manager field, serving Pontiac, Mich., Lima, Ohio and Greensboro, N.C., before coming to New Rochelle in 1934. He was a former president of the International City Managers Association and a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Among the survivors is a Phi son, Irving C. Brower, Jr., *Michigan* '32.

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GEORGE NASH BABCOCK, *Dartmouth* '24, died in University Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 8, 1952. He had been with the Columbus Motor Car Company since 1929 and previous to that had been a salesman in New York City with Remington Rand Company. An ardent golfer, he was a member of the Country Club and the University Club of Columbus.

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JEROME BAKER, *Denison* '31, died at his home in Los Angeles, Calif., Mar. 19, 1954. A sales engineer

for the Aircraft Marine Products Company at Harrisburg, Pa., he had been transferred to the company's Los Angeles office only a month previous to his death. A native of Dayton, Ohio, he was associated with the Sheffield Corp. there until 1951.

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WILLIAM T. STOCKMAN, *Iowa* '20, Los Angeles attorney, died in Santa Monica Hospital, May 8, 1954. He was 55 years old and had practiced law in Los Angeles since 1929. Previous to that time he had lived in Sioux City, Ia., where he was a judge of the Sioux City Police Court. He was a veteran of World War I.

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WILLIAM E. CREWS, *Colorado College* '29, died at his home in Denver, Colo., June 19, 1954. For 25 years he had been associated with his brother in the Crews Fruit Co. He was a Mason, a life member of the Denver Athletic Club, and a member of the Denver Lions Club. Among the survivors is his brother, Roy Crews, *Colorado A. & M.* '24.

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THOMAS FRANKLIN MAYO, *Mississippi* '13, died in Houston, Tex., June 25, 1954. In 1914, he went to Oxford, England, as a Rhodes Scholar from Mississippi. Brother Mayo was a veteran of World War I and in later years was head of the English department at Texas A. & M. College.

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CLAUDE EDGAR LANSTRUM, *Knox* '06, died in his home city, Kalispell, Mont., Mar. 6, 1954. Until his recent retirement, because of ill health, he had long been engaged in the insurance business. Brother Lanstrum had served as president of the Chamber of Commerce and at the time of his death, was a member of the city council.

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WALTER E. CARKHUFF, *Washburn* '07, Montrose, Colo., died there Mar. 16, 1954. He was 72 years old and a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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JESSE GEORGE MELENDY, *Brown* '01, died at his home in Tarrytown, N.Y., June 7, 1954. He was 76 years old and for 50 years, from 1902 when he began his career as a chemical engineer, until 1952 when he retired as production consultant, he was associated with the General Chemical Company. Brother Melendy was director and committee chairman of the Y.M.C.A. for 30 years and was active in Boy Scout work and in the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the American Chemical Society. He was a member of $\Phi \beta \kappa$, $\Sigma \Xi$, and a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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AMBROSE CLYDE HERRICK, JR., *Washburn* '50, died at Topeka, Kan., his home, Mar. 20, 1954.

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MYER RICHARD BROWN, *Washington* '51, of Seattle, Wash., was killed when his fighter plane crashed during a training flight near Fallon, Nev., Apr. 8, 1954.

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JOSEPH WEBSTER HOOVER, *Washington* '07, died at his home in Olympia, Wash., May 10, 1954. In college he was manager of The Tyee, chapter president and captain of the baseball team. For the past twenty years Brother Hoover held executive posts with the Washington State Highway Department in the Engineering Division. He received his Golden Legion certificate last year.

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JOHN LEO CONNORS, *Purdue* '05, died at his home in St. Petersburg, Fla., Mar. 3, 1954. He was executive vice president and general manager of the Galion Iron Works at Galion, Ohio.

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FRANK DANIEL HOERLE, *Penn State* '12, of Pittsburgh, Pa., died May 31, 1954, while on vacation in Florida. He had been assistant manager of the stainless steel division of Crucible Steel Co. of America. In 1907-08, Brother Hoerle was a member of the Johnstown, Pa., All-Stars, recognized as the Eastern Amateur basketball champions. He also starred in basketball at Penn State.

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News has been received at General Headquarters of the deaths of the following brothers:

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CARROLL FRANCIS BROWN, *U.C.L.A.* '30, Beverly Hills, Calif., Mar. 17.

WALTER LEES WILSON, *Iowa Wesleyan* '21, Burlington, Iowa, Feb. 6.

DR. ROBERT K. HUTCHINGS, *Hanover* '90, San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 27.

WILMOT HENRY LILLY, *Washington* '10, Seattle, Wash., April.

KENNETH WALTER ROBINSON, *Dartmouth* '29, New York, N.Y., Mar. 4.

JAMES HENRY KRUEGER, *Wisconsin* '04, Corpus Christi, Tex., Mar. 30.

LOUIS PHARES FOSTER, *Indiana* '16, Tipton, Ind., Jan. 3.

HERBERT CHARLTON REEDER, *Colorado A. & M.*, Dixon, Ill., Jan. 20.

GEORGE RANDOLPH STORM, *Mississippi* '13, West Helena, Ark., April 2.

CHARLES S. C. WISDOM, *McGill* '36, Westmount, Quebec, Can., Mar. 14.

HAROLD MCCOY CLARK, *Colgate* '22, Wilmington, Del., Jan. 8.

STANLEY LEE ROTH, JR., *Maryland* '47, Baltimore, Md., Feb. 10.

RICHARD J. F. MURPHY, *Dalhousie* '39, Hampstead, Montreal, Can., Feb. 28.

DR. EUGENE T. SENSENEY, *Washington (St. Louis)* '00, Webster Groves, Mo., Feb. 10.

REDDEN SMITH, *Mercer* '84, Toledo, Ohio, Mar. 14.

GUY H. RALPH, *Colgate* '15, Corinth, N.Y., Mar. 22.
 ALVA JACOB REMMEL, *California* '00, San Francisco, Calif., Apr. 28.
 ROBERT W. HOFFMAN, *Gettysburg* '32, Chambersburg, Pa., Jan. 8.
 ROBERT HUGHES WORKE, JR., *Georgia Tech.* '24, Nashville, Tenn., Mar. 22.
 RYLAND FLETCHER YOUNG, JR., *Southwestern* '03, Dallas, Tex., Apr. 2.
 ROBERT FELIX ELLIOTT, *Rollins* '36, Ojai, Calif., Apr. 13.
 STUART JEFFERSON YATES, *Ohio State* '56, Columbus, Ohio, May.
 DONALD BRUCE McDONALD, *North Dakota* '13, Devils Lake, N.D.
 PAUL T. PECHSTEIN, *Iowa State* '06, Seaside, Ore., Mar. 24.
 MONTGOMERY EVAN SHERRY, *Purdue* '98, West Point, Ind., Feb. 6.
 PUTNAM DAVIS, JR., *North Carolina* '53, Larchmont, N.Y., May.

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HART LEE PERRY, *Kentucky* '15, Richmond, Ky., Feb. 13.
 HARRY WALKER BOTTORE, JR., *Duke* '34, Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 20.
 FREDERICK HAYES VAN BLOEM, *Mercer* '13, Rochester, N.Y., July 8.
 MAION ORVILLE WRIGHT, *Georgia Tech* '39, Winter Garden, Fla., Aug. 7.
 JOHN M. CLARK, *Mercer* '01, Augusta, Ga., Oct. 30.
 THEODORE LAWRENCE BEAR, JR., *Alabama* '24, Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 20.
 FLETCHER DICKERMAN HALLOCK, *Lehigh* '94, New Ipswich, N.H., Aug. 29.
 GEORGE BRAWNRIGG DIXON, *North Carolina* '18, Suffolk, Va., Oct. 5.
 EDWARD DOHONEY NORMET, *Texas* '16, Paris, Tex., August.
 FREDERICK EVERETT MCCURDY, *North Dakota* '07, Bismark, N.D.
 ORSON COOPER PULVER, *Lafayette* '27, Hillsdale, N.Y., Nov. 9.
 ROBERT THOMPSON JOHNSTONE, *Lafayette* '15, Titusville, Pa., Sept. 5.
 WILLIAM CONANT MORGAN, *Amherst* '03, Rindge, N.H., Dec. 1.
 CHARLES LEE COLEMAN, *Washington (St. Louis)* '50, Kirkwood, Mo., Jan. 3.

THOMAS FRANCIS BELYEA, *North Dakota* '52, Rock Island, Ill., Oct. 31.
 MUNROE BRYAN HUTTON, *Georgia Tech* '14, McDonough, Ga., Oct. 11.
 GAIL V. MURRAY, *Willamette* '51, Monmouth, Ore., February.
 ARTHUR M. PROSCH, *Washington* '05, Seattle, Wash., Aug. 19.
 WALTER CARY, *Colby* '90, Pleasantville, N.Y., Sept. 10.
 MURRAY REID BARNUM, *Emory* '04, Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 1.
 ALLEN PENDLETON WHITEMORE, *Washington (St. Louis)* '95, Saranac Lake, N.Y., December.
 CHARLES JOSEPH SEATON, *Cornell* '05, Haverstraw, N.Y., Jan. 18.
 GEORGE STANLEY HELVEY, *Ohio State* '03, Hamilton, Ohio, Oct. 1.
 THOMAS JAY MILLER, *Michigan* '14, Cincinnati, Ohio, August.
 STEWART PIERSON FOLTZ, *Pennsylvania* '16, New Castle, Pa., Nov. 24.
 ADRIAN RUSSELL ALLAN, *Columbia* '02, New York, N.Y., Sept. 5.
 RALPH ALBERT HABERSTICK, *Pittsburgh* '31, Pittsburgh, Pa., Mar. 29.
 ALBERT SYLVESTER MOONEY, *Idaho* '40, Idaho Falls, Idaho, Jan. 14.
 PERCY FULTON TODD, *Ohio State* '06, Orlando, Fla., Dec. 26.
 THOMAS F. MAGGARD, *Utah* '53, Kansas City, Mo., airplane crash, July 1.

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MARSH CAREY FOSTER, *Colgate* '11, Syracuse, N.Y.
 OTIS NELSON WILLIAMS, *Williams* '14, Slingerlands, N.Y.
 WILLIAM WATTS BALL, *South Carolina* '87, Charleston, S.C., Oct. 16, 1952.
 PERCY McDOWELL, *Stanford* '02, Palo Alto, Calif., February, 1951.
 ROBERT FRANCIS SWAIN, *Wisconsin* '46, Kewanee, Ill., March, 1951.
 DONNAN ROSS HARRISON, *Westminster* '07, Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 1, 1951.
 JUDGE DAVID WILLIAM WILCOX, *Southwestern* '94, Georgetown, Tex., Dec. 29, 1951.
 WEBSTER L. BENHAM, *Columbia* '05, Oklahoma City, Okla., November, 1952.

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- PHOENIX—Nelson King, 1330 E. Avalon Dr. Quarterly meetings, 1st Mon. of each quarter.
- TUCSON—Norbert A. Wagner, 201 N. Stone, Tucson, Ariz., 12 Noon, 1st Tuesday, Y.M.C.A. Bldg.

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- STATE OF ARKANSAS—Jay W. Hill, 305 Boyle Bldg., Little Rock.

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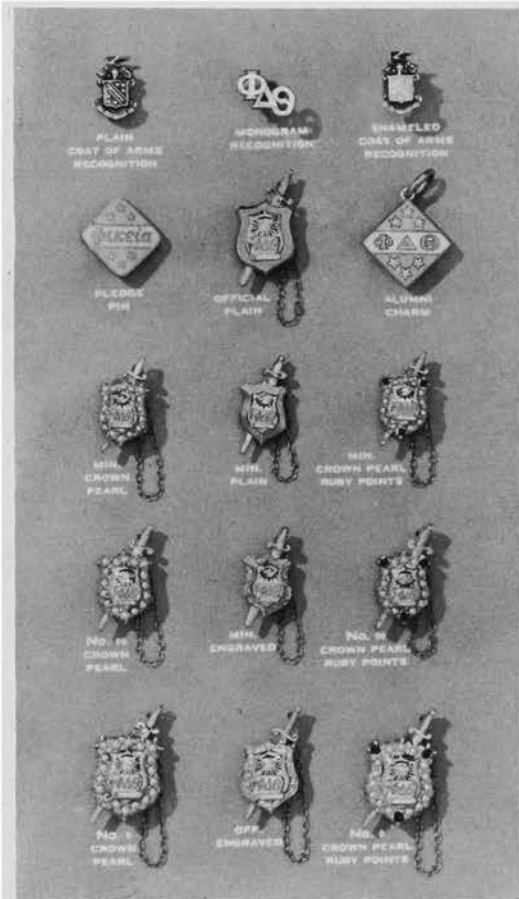
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BROTHER BROWN
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Historic Ceremony

ONE EVENT that took place at the Mackinac Convention is without parallel in the history of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and, in all probability is unmatched in the fraternity world.

We refer, of course, to the Golden Legion ceremony performed the second night of the Convention, which saw 95-year-old Hilton U. Brown receive the Fifty-year certificate for his son, Mark Brown, Butler '07.

For most men attainment of an age which brings Golden Legion recognition is an accomplishment in itself. Rare indeed is the father who lives to see his son so honored, and it may never happen again. Thus, Hilton Brown, 80 years a Phi, second President of the General Council of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, accepted the Golden Legion emblem for Mark Brown, 50 years a Phi, who was prevented from attending the Convention by illness in his family.

The ceremony was performed by Glenn F. Findley, Butler '19, close friend of Brother Brown, and was witnessed by another Brown son, Arch, also a Butler Phi, class of '20. After receiving the certificate Nonagenarian Brown acknowledged a thunderous tribute, rose, and spoke to the Convention, without notes, as follows:

BROTHER FINDLEY and all my Brother Phis: This seems to me to be almost a case where the child is father to the man. That is, the child in this instance is sans teeth, sans eyes, sans ears certainly, sans everything, at least halfway sans, and it is permitted to me to stand as if my eldest son, Mark H. Brown, were represented in my personality.

Mark Brown taught his father several things. Among them was the courage of his investments and his business life. It was the year when automobiles were just introduced. They were as scarce as they are on this island. But Mark wanted to go into the automobile business. I said, "Why, it's a passing phase." I told him he had better find something permanent like his father and grandfathers and go into the lumber business. And his father lived long enough to find that the passing phase was extended until it became the chief business of this country, and the son was wiser than the father.

Well, what great things have happened since that time! I need hardly recall them to you, for I would forget many, and yet the mere thought of the life of seventy years ago reminds us that the world has been made over, and the making process is still going on. In that day women spent the time over a cookstove, or if they were not cooking, they were washing, and men began to look about to see what would make life more comfortable and they began to improve their domestic affairs. At last they came to the thought that women were persons. They didn't vote at once, but they were going to vote and they were going to rule the world . . . as they have. These are mere affairs of the household, but the whole world is replete with change and memorable things which have become the objects of life and man is mastering them and enjoying them.

So Mark has lived in a great age and he is now enjoying that age and enjoying the thought that his Brothers of the Phi Delta Theta have paused to do him this honor, and I hope I shall not be misjudged if I say I really think he is worthy of the honor. I regret that he is not here, as he has been in recent Conventions, to accept this emblem, this indication of approval and appreciation, which I shall take great pleasure in delivering to him, and in doing so I shall remember, too, the kind words that you have said of his father.

I wonder if it would be amiss to say that the father has enjoyed his children, and

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FLAG-DRAPED CONVENTION HALL AS IT



Speakers' Rostrum as it appeared from the Convention floor. This picture was taken at the moment President George S. Ward opened the 50th Biennial Convention at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island. With Brother Ward on the rostrum are members of the General Council, several Past Presidents of the General Council, and the Rev. Clem E. Binger, Chaplain, who participated in the Memorial Services.



On Wednesday Morning delegates and visitors poured onto the Island and into the Hotel. They crossed the Straits by ferry (left) and took horse-drawn carriages to the Grand. After checking in they lined up to register (center) and Miss Eva Hudson of the GHQ staff had the situation well in hand.

issues of the Convention. These, were, of course, the Fraternity's membership clause and the Williams-Amherst suspensions.

To the credit of the officers, it should be recorded that this plan was carried out to the last detail. These two issues required a lot of time, but it was given, and every man who wished to speak was given an opportunity to do so. At no time was there any move to choke off debate from the chair. And, incidentally, the brother who wielded the gavel at these sessions deserves unlimited credit. He is Mort Frayn, *Washington '27*, an experienced legislator who is Speaker of the House for the State of Washington. Without doubt, the neatest bit of pre-Convention planning involved Brother Frayn's acceptance of the task of presiding at these busi-

ness sessions, and for this Brother Ray Gardner may take a well-deserved bow.

Undergraduates Hold Voting Power. Active chapter delegates, as always in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Conventions, held the balance of voting power with a total of 114 votes, including those accorded the Massachusetts Alpha and Beta chapters pending disposition of their cases. General officers and thirty alumni club delegates made up the remaining 75 of the total of 189 eligible votes. Only Ohio Alpha chapter which is under suspension at Miami University was not represented by a voting delegate. The chapter's representatives attended all sessions of the Convention, however.

Again, a delegation of seven Past Presidents of the General Council was headed by the Grand

The Ohio Epsilon Chorus, natty in their Phi jackets and under the superb direction of Shelby Davis, opened each session with a group of Phi songs. During opening ceremonies Davis sang the Lord's Prayer.





The Nominating Committee met late Wednesday afternoon to propose candidates for the General Council. Part of the group, composed of Province Presidents and one undergraduate from each Province, is shown.

Old Man of the Fraternity, Hilton U. Brown, *Butler* '80, who led the Fraternity's governing body from 1882 to 1886. Others were Charles F. (Dog) Lamkin (1910-12), Dr. John J. Tigert (1926-28), George Banta, Jr. (1932-34), Judge William R. Bayes (1934-36), John B. Ballou (1938-40), Emmett Junge (1948-50), and O. J. Tallman (1950-52).

In all, 452 were registered at the Convention, including 48 wives and daughters, although the total attendance was well in excess of 500.

Two highlights of the Convention were the granting of four new charters to petitioning groups, and the election of a strong, capable General Council, under the leadership of John H. Wilterding. Serving with him are Ray Gardner, who was re-elected, and three new members, Dr. Paul R. Hawley, Dr. Clem E. Bininger, and Howard L. Stuart.

The Convention was run in the wonderfully smooth manner that Phis have come to expect

since the advent of Brother Paul Beam as Executive Secretary. Paul's great gift for showmanship and his careful attention to detailed long-range planning were evident on all sides. During the days of the Convention the carrying on



Headquarters Staff, under the direction of Executive Secretary Paul C. Beam (center) had a million details ironed out by time the Convention opened. With Beam (left to right) are Marv Perry and Lodie Vasholz, Assistant Secretaries, Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, and Bob Miller, Administrative Secretary. **Panel Discussion on Scholarship** was one of the features of the Wednesday night session. Moderated by Dr. Elden Smith, Sigma Province President, it followed scholarship report by Donald M. DuShane.





Brilliant Figure of the Convention was Mort Frayn, *Washington '27* (above), who served as chairman at all business sessions involving controversial matters. Speaker of the House in the Washington Legislature, Frayn presided in a masterful, professional manner. **Committee on Constitution and General Statutes** shown in one of its many sessions (above, right) was busiest group at the Convention. Chairman Ed Knowles is seated at head of the table.



of the program was taken over most capably by Administrative Secretary Bob Miller, Alumni Secretary Ray Blackwell, Assistant Secretaries Marvin Perry and Lothar Vasholz, and "office manager," Miss Eva Hudson. Paul was at the hotel throughout Convention week, but was confined to his room much of the time, and prohibited from attending meetings on doctor's orders.

Officers Meet Early. For members of the Gen-

eral Council, and a few other officers the Convention got underway on Monday, August 30, with a series of meetings, which were concluded Tuesday morning. On Tuesday Chairman Ed Knowles had his committee on Constitution and General Statutes in session; the Survey Commission was busy with pre-Convention planning, and by 2:30 in the afternoon the Province Presidents were assembled with members of the General Council for a streamlined training school.

Golden Legion Ceremony conducted by Glenn Findley, *Butler '19* (left), Thursday night saw 95-year-old Hilton U. Brown receive certificate for son Mark, *Butler '07*, an event without parallel in fraternity history. Another son, Arch, *Butler '20* (right), participated in the ceremony. **Traditional Phi Phrolics** was not held this year, but impromptu song session developed around Crandall Hendershott and his electric organ Thursday night and at other times before and after sessions.





Petitions for Four New Chapters in Phi Delta Theta were presented by the brothers pictured above—and all were granted. Shown are (left to right): Bob Cross—Kappa Iota Pi, Valparaiso University; Fred Hartnett—Phi Delta, University of Miami; Shelby Davis—Phi Gamma Theta, Kent State University; John Grubb—Calpha, University of California at Davis. Each petition was well seconded by undergraduate delegates.

The Opening Session. For the first time in many years the opening ceremonies were streamlined to the point that all welcoming speeches and the usual responses were eliminated. This was on advance order of President Ward who well knew there would be no time for frills.

The thrill that is so familiar to experienced Convention goers was still there, however, when at 11:30 on Wednesday morning Brother Ward brought down his gavel and declared the 50th Biennial Convention of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to be in session. The invocation by Chaplain Bininger was followed by the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "God Save the Queen" by the entire Convention, and a group of Phi Delt songs by the Ohio Epsilon Chorus.

Necessary brief reports were given by Pete Stuart, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials; Bob Richardson, Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Order of Business, and by Ed Knowles, Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and General Statutes.

A number of telegrams, including one from Charles A. Macauley, P.P.G.C., were read and all Past Presidents of the Fraternity were introduced. Brother Hilton U. Brown spoke for this distinguished group, bringing greetings from his great and good friend, Dr. John Edwin Brown, P.P.G.C. (1902-04) of Columbus, Ohio, who was ill and unable to attend. Later in the Convention felicitations were sent to Brother Brown on a resolution introduced by Judge Bayes.

The Survey Commission, which also had plenty of work during last biennium, including investigation and approval of the four petitioning chapters (left to right) Dave D. Price, *Oklahoma* '28; Chairman John J. Tigert, *Vanderbilt* '04; Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana* '12; Francis D. Lyon, *U.C.L.A.* '27. Fifth member of group, Dr. Levering Tyson, *Gettysburg* '10, was unable to be present. Recommendations of this group won full approval of the Convention.

This first session was concluded by the Fraternity's beautiful Memorial Services to all Phis who have entered the Chapter Grand during the last biennium. Outstanding Phis included in this group were Past Presidents Carroll P. Bassett, Will Hays, Wat T. Cluverius, and famed sports-writer Grantland Rice. The services were conducted impressively by President Ward and Chaplain Bininger, assisted by the Ohio Epsilon Chorus and Leader Shelby Davis, who sang "The Lord's Prayer." Visitors and ladies were invited in to the Memorial Services.

Officers Report. The Wednesday afternoon session was given over to a series of officers' reports, most important of which was President Ward's. His was a courageous report, from start to finish calling specific attention to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s strong points and also those areas in which improvement is needed. For the ills he suggested cures. Brother Ward scored those chapters which still indulge in "sophomoric hazing practices" that usually result in bad fraternity publicity. He reviewed the Fraternity's policy with respect to drinking and urged delegates to remember that their actions affected not only their own chapters but the entire Fraternity and the Fraternity world.

Brother Ward emphasized that no chapter is above the Fraternity's Constitution. He cited the





Banquet Scenes. At left, a part of the huge crowd of more than five hundred who enjoyed outstanding banquet and program Friday night; Dr. Sockman is speaking. At right, one of the women's tables (reserved for wives whose husbands were at speakers' table). Top, clockwise: Mrs. L. O. Breithaupt, Mrs. John Cosgrove, Mrs. H. L. Stuart, Mrs. John Tigert, Mrs. John Ballou, Mrs. Hayward Biggers.

desperate need for a return to the Ritual and the values of those facets in fraternity which the Ritual symbolizes. The importance of scholarship was given great stress, and Brother Ward closed his report with a careful review of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s position with respect to other fraternities and the collegiate world on the restrictive clause issue. While subscribing wholeheartedly to the theory "that a college fraternity must determine its own members and choose only such men as it definitely wants," he recommended "that we remove our restrictions, substitute a general clause requiring our members to be acceptable in full fellowship in all our chapters, and continue to live in the future just as we have in the past, with our great family of chapters intact throughout both the United States and Canada."

Brother Ward was given a standing ovation at the conclusion of his report.

Other officers who appeared on this Wednesday afternoon program were Treasurer John H. Wilterding, who urged the Convention to support an increase in the chapters' convention fees; William F. Murray for the J. R. Mitchell Scroll Endowment Fund; John Cosgrove, Finance Commissioner; Harold Minnich for the

Walter B. Palmer Endowment Fund, and Hayward Biggers, Editor of *THE SCROLL*.

The afternoon session was recessed at 4:30 P.M. to allow time for committee meetings, and especially for the convening of the important Nominating Committee. Automatically composed of all Province Presidents and one undergraduate delegate from each of the 24 Provinces and chairmaned by the President of the General Council, it is the duty of this committee to select the candidates who will stand for election to the General Council.

As a result of this meeting, the following list of candidates was posed as delegates gathered for the evening session:

Clem E. Bininger, President of Mu Province.
Ray L. Gardner, Member-at-Large of the General Council.

Paul R. Hawley, Member of the Survey Commission.

Barrett Herrick, Reporter of the General Council.

Jack Shepman, President of Zeta Province.

Charles T. Stuart, former President of Psi Province.

Howard L. Stuart, President of Gamma Province.





Stars of the Banquet Program (left to right): Speaker Louis O. Breithaupt, *Toronto '13*, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, Canada; Toastmaster Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana '12*, retired General, Executive Director of the American College of Surgeons; Speaker Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*, Pastor of Christ Church Methodist, New York City, one of the Nation's great ministers.

John H. Wilterding, Treasurer of the General Council.

Two Fine Panel Discussions. For true fraternal values one might cite the Wednesday evening session of the Convention as the most impressive of all. It opened with the usual, interesting report on scholarship that Phis have come to expect from Commissioner Don DuShane who is Dean of Students at the University of Oregon when he is not gathering fraternity scholarship statistical data or exhorting Phi chapters to greater effort in this field.

The report of the Committee on Scholarship was followed by a panel discussion on the same subject, with Dr. Elden T. Smith, Sigma Province President and a member of the faculty of Bowling Green State University, serving as Moderator.

The complete text of this panel and the two scholarship reports will be carried in the *Journal of Proceedings* and chapter scholarship chairmen should make it a point to study these reports and take advantage of the recommendations offered.

The Convention turned to the spiritual values of fraternity in the "Back to the Altars" panel which followed. Under the guidance of the Rev. Clem E. Bininger, D.D., this panel of six undergraduates presented an unusually fine interpretation of the Ritual.

Tying in closely with the "Back to the Altars"

panel was the closing exemplification of the Ritual by Hayward Biggers, who included all items in the Fraternity's unwritten work, in many of which he was joined by all present.

The Thursday "Morning" Session. What must be one of the longest "morning" sessions on record in a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ (or any other) Convention was called to order at 9:20 A.M., and we'll tell you now that this session was finally adjourned at 10:20 P.M.

This was the time for discussion and settlement (it was hoped) of the restrictive membership clause in our Constitution and there was an air of expectancy and wonder among the undergraduate delegates. For the old timers there were the ghosts of speakers who had said over and over again everything that might be said for or against the subject at Miami in 1948, Chicago in 1950, and French Lick in 1952, and a bit of a feeling of sitting through the same movie for the fourth time.

Mort Frayn Takes Over. Remembering past parliamentary hassles, President George Ward very happily introduced Brother Mort Frayn as the presiding officer for this session. As chairman, Frayn stated very clearly the procedure that he intended to follow: to allow full discussion and debate on the proposal as submitted by the committee; to allow no amendments to the report, as such amendments could not be legally considered until a corresponding

Speakers' Table at Banquet. Reading across both pages (left to right): Minnich, Cosgrove, Biggers, Stuart, Junge, Ballou, Banta, Lamkin, Wright, Gardner, Herrick, Ward, Sockman, Hawley, Breithaupt, Wilterding Bininger, Tigert, Bayes, Tallman, Frayn, Shepman, DuShane, Murray, Lyon, and Beam.





A President Is Named. In one of Bill Whitteker's great pictures of the Convention, John H. (Ding) Wilterding is shown as he made his way to the rostrum after his unanimous election to the presidency of the General Council for 1954-56. This is the exact moment of his election as the Convention rises and gives him thunderous ovation. He made a short but sincere speech of acceptance.

session the next day; vote by roll call on the measure and that to pass, it must receive a three-quarters vote of those present. He also explained the alternatives of tabling, referring back to committee, or postponing indefinitely and then called for the committee's report.

For the exact wording of the amendment, readers are referred to the *Journal of Proceedings*. It was, however, as described by Chairman Ed Knowles in his opening statement after the proposal had been put on the floor for discussion, a "middle ground . . . [and yet] a positive stand," retaining the word "white" . . .

Voting by Secret Ballot for four members of General Council followed J. H. Wilterding's election as P.G.C.



"with nothing hidden . . . no unwritten agreements . . . or special wordings outside the constitution."

As debate got underway Chairman Frayn recognized speakers for and against the proposal in alternating order . . . Hugh Tarbutton, *Georgia Beta*, minority member of the Committee—against . . . Ned Lange, *Washington Beta*, majority member of the Committee—for . . . Kent Beasley, *Texas Delta*, for the minority . . . Scott Cassill, *Seattle Alumni Club*, for the majority . . . Robert Collins, *Michigan Alpha*, minority . . . Gordon Shepherd, *Iowa Gamma*, majority . . . George Romoser, *Illinois Beta*, first speaker not a member of the committee and from a chapter in difficulty—in opposition. In fact, he tried to refer the report back to committee, a move blocked quickly by Frayn to give more speakers a chance to be heard.

During the discussions, practically all of which was carried on by the undergraduates, there were many references to the chapters which would be lost if the clause remained unchanged. There was a wide variety of opinion regarding the number of chapters in jeopardy and also as to the effect that the proposed change might have on these chapters. Finally, Chairman Frayn put the Convention at ease while delegates from chapters believed to be in jeopardy were polled.



And Here They Are—The New General Council. The men who will lead Phi Delta Theta during the next two years are pictured here just prior to their installation. They are, left to right: Dr. Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana '12*; Ray L. Gardner, *Washington '18*; John H. Wilterding, *Lawrence '23*; Howard L. Stuart, *Penn State '20*; Dr. Clem E. Bining, *Centre '31*. Brothers Hawley, Stuart, and Bining are new members.

Eleven delegates responded. Of these, five stated that it would not help; three thought that it would help; one said it would give them a "fighting chance," and two reported a movement on the campus but no "immediate danger." It was significant in this poll that the majority of the chapters reported the pressure to come from the student body—not from administrative officials.

The debate—pro and con—continued until Brother Charles F. Lamkin, P.P.G.C., rising to a point of personal privilege, suggested that it was time for lunch. Chairman Frayn agreed to a recess, but announced that the morning session would continue until midnight if necessary, thereby making it possible to consider alternative motions or resolutions at the corresponding session the next day, if necessary.

After lunch the debate continued until Brother Tarbutton called the previous question and it was put to vote by Chairman Frayn after Tarbutton received the necessary two-thirds support of the assembly.

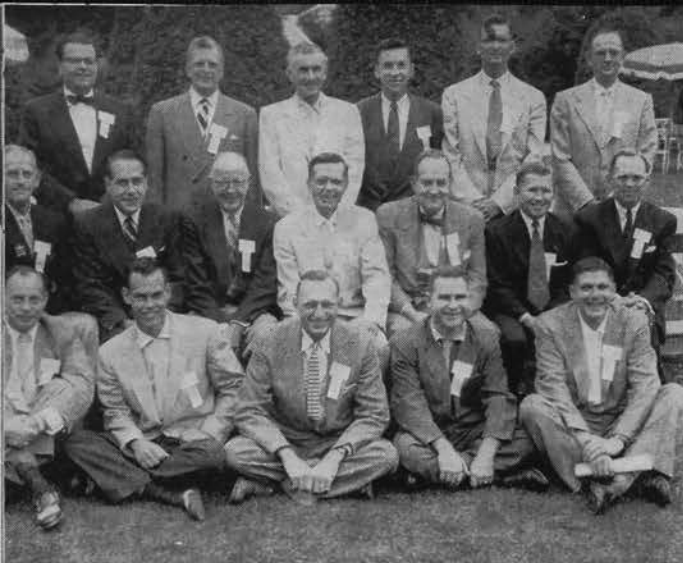
By roll call vote, the report of the committee on Constitution and General Statutes was declared lost, on a count of 83 Yes, 105 No.

At this point a number of counter proposals were submitted to the Committee which was excused to go back into session, with instructions to bring a further report to the Convention prior to the adjournment of the "morning" session.

A lot of business had transpired between this point and 10 o'clock that night when Brother Knowles returned and submitted the proposal offered by Gordon Shepherd, undergraduate

72 Years of Leadership are represented in these great Phis—all P.P.G.C.s. Hilton U. Brown (seated, center), President from 1882 to 1886, and George Ward (seated, right) 1952-54, are end men in the span. Others (seated) Dr. John Tigert, 1926-28; Charles F. Lamkin, 1910-12; John B. Ballou, 1938-40. Standing: William R. Bayes, 1934-36; Emmett Junge, 1948-50; O. J. Tallman, 1950-52; George Banta, Jr., 1932-34.





Group of Alumni Club Delegates. First row: Secretary Blackwell; Alexander, Amarillo; Harding, Lubbock; Robinson, Richmond; Herrington, Pittsburgh. Second row: Beltz, Eugene; Owen, New York; Cassill, Seattle; Musgrave, Toledo; Vaughn, Washington; Adams, Dallas; Cutsinger, Franklin. Top row: Brereton, St. Louis; Dick, San Diego; Hartnett, Miami; Stoddard, Hollywood; Tinklepaugh, Kansas City; Shaefer, Atlanta.

A Few Fathers and Sons. Front row: Arch and Hilton U. Brown, Clair and Craig (in arms) Kennedy, David and Harry Vaughn. Back row: Bud and George Banta, Bob and Mort Frayn, Fred and Bob Hartnett. Others known to be at the Convention were not available for the picture.



delegate from Iowa Gamma chapter at Iowa State College.

Four Petitions Presented. In the meantime, the Convention had heard of the establishment of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Lou Gehrig Memorial Award from Gilson Wright, *Ohio Wesleyan* '28, and the report of Alumni Secretary Ray Blackwell.

Dr. John J. Tigert presented the report of the Committee on New Chapters which recommended unanimously that charters for new chapters in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ be granted to four petitioning groups. Robert Cross, Kappa Province President, presented the case for Kappa Iota Pi at Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana; Fred B. Hartnett, delegate from the Miami Alumni Club, spoke for Phi Delta at the University of Miami; John M. Grubb, President of Omicron North Province, presented the peti-

AA Stands for Aquatic Alpha! Led by that indomitable man from the South—Frank Wright—an enthusiastic group of Polar Bear Phis met every morning about 7 o'clock for a swim in the famed Grand Hotel pool, or in the Straits of Mackinac. A rugged group—these members of Aquatic Alpha.





The Province Presidents, a sincere, devoted group of Phi leaders throughout the realm of the Fraternity, are pictured above at the Convention. Front row (left to right): Bledsoe, Nu North; Downing, Xi; Pearson, Tau; Smith, Sigma; Fuller, Lambda; Rogers, Eta; McKenzie, Epsilon; Banta, Iota. Second row: McCall, Nu South; Behnke, Pi North; Thomas, Theta; Stuart, Gamma; Cross, Kappa; Brown, Omicron South; Mitchell, Beta. Top row: Bininger, Mu; Richardson, Upsilon; Shepman, Zeta; Grubb, Omicron North; Swan, Pi South; Diehl, Psi; Knowles, Alpha South. Absent: Walz, Alpha North.

tion from Calpha, University of California at Davis; and Shelby Davis, Convention song leader, was the speaker for Phi Gamma Theta at Kent State University, Kent, Ohio.

In the balloting which followed these presentations Thursday night all were successful and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ will install these four new chapters during the current year.

The Golden Legion Ceremony. This event will be adequately covered in another part of THE SCROLL, but it cannot be omitted from any record of this Convention, because it marked an event completely without parallel in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ or any other Fraternity. The Golden Legion ceremony was performed by Glenn F. Findley, *Butler '19*, for Mark Brown, *Butler '07*, in *absentia*. Brother Brown, prevented by illness in his family from attending the Convention, is the son of Hilton U. Brown and it was the latter who accepted the 50 year Certificate of Membership for his son! Consider this well,

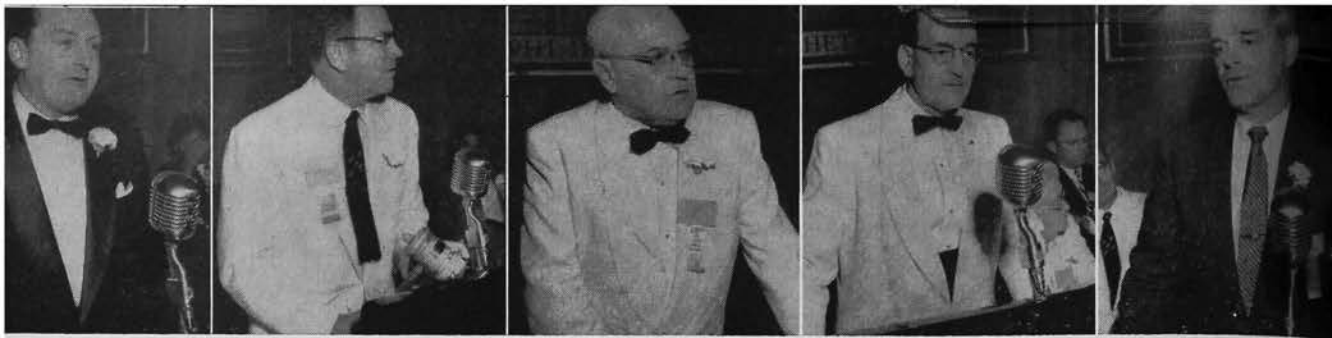
brothers; it will probably never happen again.

Shepherd Amendment Passed. The restrictive clause issue was resolved Friday morning when, with Brother Frayn in the chair again, the Convention considered and debated the proposal offered by Brother Shepherd and submitted by Committee Chairman Knowles at the previous session. For the exact wording of Gordon Shepherd's amendment readers are again referred to the *Journal of Proceedings*. Suffice it say, that it removes restrictions as such, but makes it unmistakably clear that members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ must be acceptable to ALL chapters.

It was not passed without debate and there were many questions of interpretation put to Brother Tallman, an expert on the Fraternity's constitution. But it was passed overwhelmingly by a vote of 168 to 21. This present at this session will long remember the gracious statements made by Brothers McCall, McKenzie, Lamkin, and Bininger, the latter concluding

Golden Legionnaires at Convention. Seated, left: C. F. Lamkin, *Westminster '99*; H. U. Brown, *Butler '80*; J. B. Ballou, *Wooster '97*. Standing: J. J. Tigert, *Vanderbilt '04*; J. C. Cosgrove, *Penn State '05*. At right, two more Golden Legionnaires who were missing when the group picture was taken: Henry N. Woods, *Tulane '99*, and William P. Putnam, *Akron '95*.





Convention Orators, (above) each of whom nominated a successful candidate for the General Council. Left to right: Sam McKenzie (Gardner), Frank Wright (Hawley), George Banta, Jr. (Binger), Jake Tallman (Wilterding), and Col. Henry H. Rogers (Stuart).



Convention Personalities (at left). *Top to bottom:* Phis from Nu North and South Provinces (Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Texas) get together for a picture. . . . Coronary Alpha members, P.G.C. Ward and Secretary Paul Beam don't try to negotiate long flight of stairs after Convention picture, return instead via special Mackinac Island "taxi." . . . General Harry Vaughn and his son, David, are caught studying petition from Phi Delta, University of Miami. . . . There are no prouder Phis than those from Washington Alpha and eleven of 'em got together.



with a prayer, ". . . We thank Thee for the honest way in which each man has expressed himself and above all for the spirit that prevails. May we bind ourselves anew to standing for the things which we believe to be right and may we be unashamed. . . ."

Thus, after six years and four conventions the Fraternity took the first step toward elimination of the controversial "Aryan" clause. It should be remembered, however, that the present law will remain in effect until the action of this Convention is ratified at the next General Convention in 1956.

The Williams-Amherst Cases. The Chairman of the Survey Commission, Brother John J. Tigert, presented the Commission's report on the investigation of the Massachusetts Alpha and Massachusetts Beta suspensions by the General Council following the chapter's pledging of ineligible men in violation of the Constitution. Dr. Tigert review the cases carefully and reported on the hearings held in New York, at which both parties were represented. His report was divided into two parts, the first of which found both chapters guilty and the General Council entirely justified in suspending. This section of the report was quickly and unanimously adopted by the Convention.

In the second part of the report the Survey Commission recommended that the charters of both chapters be re-suspended and that each be continued in suspension until the next General Convention or until such time that the General





Smilin' Phis (above) were caught by camera fan Dr. Paul Hawley. Left, a great Phi, Judge William R. Bayes, on his arrival at the Grand. Right, Jake Tallman, Ding Wilterding, and Ray Gardner at breakfast.

Convention Features (at right). *Top to bottom:* Phi Delta Theta's beloved Hilton Brown is given a standing ovation as he entered Convention Hall. . . . Brother Wright with four of his Aquatic Alpha pals. . . . Ding with young future Phi, Craig Kennedy, whom he helped to name when he incorrectly referred to Dad Clair as "Craig" in cut legend of September, 1946, SCROLL. At the Convention that year—also on Mackinac Island—Clair was head song leader. But he liked the name and saved it for his first son and heir. . . . Clair and Craig lead Phi songs while waiting for ill-fated Convention photograph (the camera broke and there was no picture!).

Council receives satisfactory assurance that one or each will observe both the letter and the spirit of the Code of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

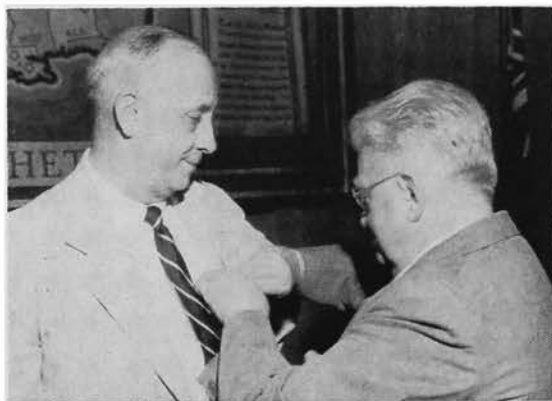
A long discussion followed this section of the report, during which representatives from the two chapters were heard. It went on, in fact, until 7 P.M. There was never any question of upholding the action of the Survey Commission, but there were many delegates who favored outright revocation of the charters. After all was said and done—and a number of full scale roll call votes—the report of the Survey Commission was adopted as presented.

Phi Philosophy. More than five hundred Phis, with their wives and sweethearts, were seated at the tables in the Grand Hotel's mammoth dining room when the Convention banquet finally got underway at 8 P.M. The dinner was excellent and the program was never better.

Toastmaster Paul R. Hawley was in rare form and kept the huge crowd in a good mood with his fund of humorous stories. Chapter and individual awards were presented by President George Ward and delightful music was furnished by the Ohio Epsilon Chorus and by Crandall Hendershott, the Convention organist.

Principal speakers were Louis O. Breithaupt, *Toronto '13*, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*, pastor of Christ Church (Methodist) in New York City, famous for a quarter century or more for his Sunday morning





Traditional Pinning. P.G.C. Ward performs his final duty as he places President's Badge on newly-elected successor, John H. Wilterding at closing ceremonies of Convention on Saturday afternoon.

radio sermons. Both these brothers gave splendid talks which will be reprinted in full in the *Journal of Proceedings*.

The banquet adjourned at 11 P.M. and a group of tired delegates made their way back to Convention hall for an important business session, involving the election of the new General Council, an action that had been scheduled for the afternoon, but which had been bypassed in favor of the long debate on the Williams-Amherst cases.

A President Is Named. Following announcement of the withdrawal of Charles (Chick) Stuart as a candidate, nominations were opened for the presidency of the General Council, and the name of John H. Wilterding was presented by Past President O. J. Tallman. It was enough. After several seconding speeches the Convention

rose en masse and named "Ding" President by thunderous acclamation. In the midst of a heart-warming ovation Brother Wilterding made his way to the rostrum and gave a very short speech of acceptance.

After the balloting which followed the nominations of Dr. Bininger by George Banta, Jr., General Hawley by Frank Wright, Ray Gardner by Sam McKenzie, President of Epsilon Province; Jack Shepman by Tom Balding, Ohio Gamma delegate; Barrett Herrick by Elden Smith, and Pete Stuart by Col. H. H. Rogers, President of Eta Province, the session was adjourned at 1:45 A.M.

Late retirers—and there were many of them—received the news about two hours later that three candidates of the four to be elected had received sufficient votes. They were Brothers Bininger, Hawley, and Gardner. Two run-off votes were required the following morning before Brother Stuart was named as the fifth member to complete the General Council.

The Final Session. On Saturday morning delegates settled down to complete the work of the Convention, now that the most vital issues had been resolved.

Much of the time was consumed in voting on further Constitution and General Statutes amendments recommended by Brother Ed Knowles' committee. Favorable action was taken on some; others were voted down. Space limitations prevent a detailed account of the action here, but readers are reminded that the full report will appear in the *Journal of Proceedings*, which will be sent without charge to any Phi requesting it by writing to General Headquarters.

In the concluding actions President Ward per-

Convention Farewells were said following last session Saturday afternoon in the hotel lobby (left). Delegates then took off for the mainland in ferry boats (right). Note those smiling faces . . . it was a great experience!



Barrett Herrick Dies

As this issue of The Scroll was being prepared for press word was received of the sudden and untimely death of Barrett Herrick, Washington '15, on October 29 in New York City.

Brother Herrick had seemed in good health and spirits to the moment of his death and had, in fact, attended a testimonial dinner, sponsored by the New York Alumni Club in his honor the previous night. At the dinner he received a beautiful scroll testifying to his forty years of service to the Fraternity. He had retired at the recent Convention after eight years on the General Council.

Complete Obituary details will appear in the January Scroll.

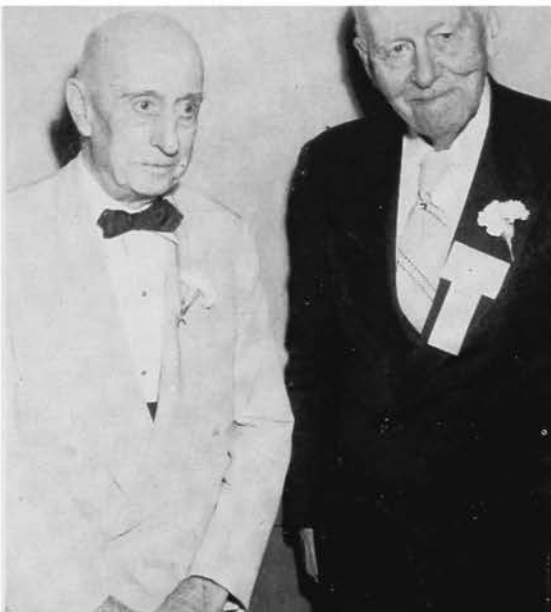
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formed his last official duty by installing the new General Council and presenting the President's Badge to Brother Wilterding. The new President introduced his fellow Council members, and then, as the delegates formed themselves into the traditional Delta, he performed the closing ceremonies, bringing the 50th Biennial Convention of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to an official close.

The New General Council Meets. Following adjournment of the Convention, the new Gen-



A Beautiful Setting. As delegates left for their homes they had this view of the lovely Grand Hotel, which offered top facilities amid delightful surroundings.



Record Convention Goers. Brothers John Ballou and Charles F. Lamkin (above), both Past Presidents of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, were attending their twentieth Convention at Mackinac. The previous record was held by the late "Polly" Ruick who had 26 rungs on his Convention Ladder at the 1950 Chicago Convention—his last.

It is noteworthy that Brother Lamkin knew three of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s Founders intimately. They were Father Robert Morrison, who lived in Fulton, Missouri, for 23 years, John Wolfe Lindley, and Andrew Watts Rogers.

$\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is indeed fortunate to hold and maintain the interest of its Elder Statesmen!

eral Council held its first meeting. All general officers, commissioners, and commissions of the Fraternity were re-appointed. Replacements for Brothers Bininger and Stuart in Mu and Gamma Provinces, respectively, were not named at this time, but both of these newly-elected General Council members were asked to submit recommendations in the near future.

As a member of the Executive Committee of the National Interfraternity Conference, Brother George Ward was appointed to continue as $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s representative to the House of Delegates of N.I.C.

In the organization of the new General Council, Brother Ray L. Gardner was elected Treasurer and Brother Paul R. Hawley was elected Reporter. Clem E. Bininger and H. L. Stuart will be designated as Members-at-Large.

With these five brothers navigating the Good Ship Phi, the Fraternity may look forward confidently to a two-year period of growth and advancement, achieved in the spirit of harmony which so characterized the Convention.



The Gals Have Fun Too. (Left) Two groups returning from a buggy ride around the Island; (right) Scene at one of the luncheons. Mrs. Paul Beam, chairman of the Ladies Entertainment committee is seated at left in foreground.

Convention Notes

Wives and daughters of the Phis who gathered at Mackinac Island once again were pleasantly surprised at how much fun they could have together. Thanks to the thoughtful planning of Mary (Mrs. Paul) Beam, there were phases of entertainment arranged for all who wished to participate—and most did. In the line of organized entertainment there was the traditional buggy ride around the Island, complete with entertaining comments by the drivers. The ride was preceded by a review of the book *The Citadel of the Lakes* given by Ismar Catherine Black, hostess at the Grand Hotel, which helped all to understand the historic scenes of the Island better.

There was bridge in the evening, with lovely prizes. A luncheon was held one noon and following lunch the ladies indulged in Bingo—once again with an assortment of prizes.

And then there was just plain loafing—which seemed to be the order of the day. Nothing is more conducive to complete relaxation than the long porch of the Grand Hotel with its lounge chairs lined up in the sun, overlooking the bluest of water with the greenest of islands across the straits on which to feast one's eyes.

A trip to the village occasionally, by buggy-taxi, on foot, or pedaled on one of the wicker chairs; a game of golf on the small sporty course; a climb around and through the historic fort on the hill; a visit to the governor's quarters; or a long walk up into the woods in the center of the Island where the silence or the occasional sound of horses' hooves or a faint boat whistle in the distance serve to unwind nerves grown tense in daily living, all helped to make the visit enjoyable. Everyone went home refreshed—if not rested—for the added enjoyment of late evenings of fun after the husbands and beaus had finished meetings were not conducive to early retiring.

The delightful contribution of the Ohio Epsilon Chorus brought to mind the restoration of this chapter at the Cleveland Convention of 1924. Originally established as Ohio Eta chapter at Buchtel College in 1875, the group voluntarily surrendered its charter in 1896 when college standards had fallen off badly.

By 1924, however, conditions were greatly improved at the college, now reorganized as the University of Akron. This situation prompted the appearance at the 1924 Convention of three elderly Phis—all members of the old chapter. They asked for the return of the charter—and it was granted.

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A fixture (we hope) as official photographer at $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Convention is Bill Whitteker, *Cincinnati* '49. Bill has covered the last three Conventions and had previously free-lanced a number of fine pictures at the Centennial. He is everywhere . . . and is never intrusive . . . and there is no record of any speaker objecting to his "on the spot" pictures. We think if one did start to object a glance at Bill's wonderfully infectious grin would dissolve the irritation quickly. His wanting prints of any of the pictures appearing in this issue of *THE SCROLL*—and there are many others which we could not print for lack of space—may write to Bill at his Photographic Studio in Cincinnati at 6836 Bantry Avenue.

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One of these extra features of the Convention was Aquatic Alpha, a cosmopolitan chapter which, we feel certain, might offer serious competition to one of the famed Polar Bear Clubs. Under the hale and hearty leadership of that intrepid Phi from the South—Frank Wright, a band of some twenty or twenty-five Phis gathered every morning about 7 A.M. for a pre-break-

fast swim in the beautiful Grand Hotel pool or the Straits. Even on a couple of those cold, drizzly mornings when the temperature hovered around 40 the chapter met and performed its "ritual by water." And at last report not a single cold or case of pneumonia had come to light!

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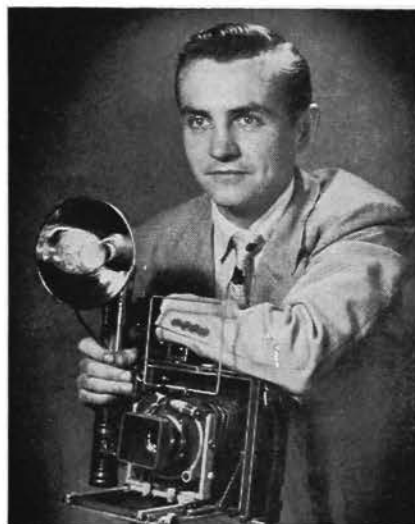
At the banquet Toastmaster Ram Hawley gave Brothers Breithaupt and Sockman, the principal speakers, a pretty rough time in his introductions . . . and, incidentally, had a wonderful time doing it. As a toastmaster, he is never better than when insulting the speaker. Ram was fair game, therefore, for Dr. Sockman who began his remarks as follows:

"You might think from the rather rough way that General Hawley has been treating Mr. Breithaupt and myself that he really didn't want us here. But the fact is—he is quite responsible for my being here, for this reason. Paul Beam wrote me that they were having General Hawley as toastmaster and he said, "We just must have a Christian minister to clean up the program."

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Following the two splendid talks, however, General Hawley spoke for the more than five hundred present when he said:

"Brother Breithaupt, Brother Sockman, to cast all facetiousness aside, I speak for the officers of this Fraternity and for all brothers pres-



Convention Photographer. William (Bill) Whitteker, Cincinnati '49.

ent in saying how indebted to you we are that you have given of your time and your energy to come. It is not only the words of wisdom which you have left with us but your very presence is an inspiration to all of us. You are contributing, both of you, to the betterment of mankind here on earth. It increases our pride in our Fraternity just to have you here with us for these few moments, and we shall always remember that both of you are brothers and that our Fraternity produces great men."

You Are Urged to Order Your Copy of the Official

Journal of Proceedings of the Convention

For the complete story of the 50th Biennial Convention you must have a copy of the official *Proceedings*, now being edited. It will be sent free to all Phis who request it.

Only through reference to this stenotype report can Phis learn the details of the important legislation transacted at the Convention.

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ED TRAVIS
Missouri Alpha



LYNN AULT
Indiana Beta



GORDON SHEPHARD
Iowa Gamma

AS A FEW UNDERGRADUATES SAW IT

The real privilege of being a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is not fully realized until one has had the opportunity of attending the general Convention. Admittedly, all Phis have some conception of the structure and meaning of the Fraternity, but this knowledge is limited in comparison to what is learned at the Convention.

It was a wonderful feeling as an undergraduate to sit in the same assembly with older Brothers who have devoted their lives and sacrificed their time and personal pleasure for our Fraternity.

The proceedings at Mackinac substantially affirmed that the fraternity system itself is wholesome, and that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has now and must continue to maintain its high station among fraternities. Although new chapters have been granted charters, others are in jeopardy of losing theirs. Consequently we must be constantly alert to those forces whose dedicated purpose is the abolishment of the fraternity system.

In my opinion, the Convention far exceeded expectations, and I am confident that I share this thought with all who were in attendance. It was an outstanding experience of my life.—ED TRAVIS, *Missouri Alpha*

The Convention was a stimulating and profitable meeting. Never before had I realized the scope, nor felt the spirit of internationalism within the Fraternity. The meaning and depth of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ were presented to me so that the impression will not soon leave.

My only thought for a bigger and better Convention would be one to which an even greater number of brothers might attend.—LYNN AULT, *Indiana Beta*.

To my mind, the recent Convention was one of those rare occasions in which the call is for greatness, and greatness responds. We faced problems which for years had seemed insoluble. And yet, the delegates rallied together to work out satisfactory solutions and, most important of all, reasserted their faith in our great brotherhood. The spirit displayed at the Convention is what makes a fraternity great. I think all of us there were proud to be a part of this moving and rewarding experience.—GORDON M. SHEPHERD, *Iowa Gamma*.

I am very grateful for the Convention experience and I enjoyed every minute of it. I found that the association I had with other Phis was very stimulating, and that the information I exchanged with them, and the knowledge I obtained about their chapter programs was very enlightening.

I thought that the Convention was handled very well, and that the controversial matters were settled satisfactorily. However, I believe that it would expedite matters to have more pre-Convention information on projected controversial subjects. I specifically point out Article VII, Section 26. If written arguments, both pro and con, had been compiled and distributed to all chapters several months prior to the convention, I believe that we could have reached agreement in fewer hours.*

Nevertheless, the Convention was fine, the location was wonderful, and the fellowship most enjoyable.—GLEN CARY, *Texas Epsilon*

* Brother Cary and future Convention delegates are referred to the official *Journals of Proceedings*.

Presenting . . . Our New P.G.C.

Election of John H. (Ding) Wilterding Climaxes Career of Devoted Service

IT IS with great pride that THE SCROLL presents the new President of the General Council of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for 1954-56—John H. (Ding) Wilterding, *Lawrence '23*—although he is so well known throughout the Fraternity that an introduction is hardly necessary.

Ding's unanimous election, by acclamation, at the Mackinac Convention climaxes a career of service to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ that extends back to his college days at Lawrence College when he was not even a member of the Fraternity. And to know your new President you must be taken back to those days. At that time Ding was a member of Theta Phi, the local that had been established in 1897 for the purpose of re-chartering the old Wisconsin Beta chapter at Lawrence, dead since 1861 after only two years of existence. No man worked harder to bring this fine chapter back into the Fraternity than Brother Wilterding, and he attended the Kansas City Convention in 1922 only to see the petition lose again by a single vote.

During the campaign to recharter Wisconsin Beta Brother Wilterding had the help of many powerful and interested Phis, most notable of whom were George Banta, Sr., first president of the General Council, and his son, George Banta, Jr., who was later to follow his father as President of the Fraternity. The Bantas recognized Ding's abilities and following his graduation he became a member of the staff of the George Banta Publishing Company in Menasha, long-time printer of THE SCROLL, many other fraternity and sorority magazines, books and scholarly publications. The Wisconsin Beta project was not forgotten as Wilterding applied himself to the intricacies of the printing trade and, happily, in 1934 the way was suddenly cleared and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ came back to Lawrence College.

John Howard Wilterding was initiated into Wisconsin Beta as Bond Number 32 on May 10, 1934, a day that should be marked in red in the historical calendar of the Fraternity. We know it is carried as a red-letter day in Ding's personal history. Significantly too, it came during the regime of his great and good friend, George Banta, Jr., as President of the General Council.

During the early years of the young chapter's re-establishment Ding was its closest adviser and counselor and was one of those most responsible for putting Wisconsin Beta on a firm basis.



J. H. WILTERDING, *Lawrence '23* P.G.C.
*A happy "Ding" tests his gavel during
final session of 1954 Convention.*

In 1939 Brother Wilterding began his service to the General Fraternity when he succeeded Judge Paul Carroll as President of Lambda Province, comprising the chapters in Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, and Manitoba. A couple of years later, when several provinces were reorganized he became President of Iota Province (Wisconsin and Illinois). His effectiveness with these chapters is best described by the fact that at the Chicago Convention in 1942 all six in the province were awarded Gold Stars.

Beginning in January, 1943, Ding carried a double load of Fraternity work for several years because at this time he succeeded Edward E. Rubey as Editor of THE SCROLL. His appointment to this position was a natural due to his interest in and knowledge of the editorial and printing fields, particularly in the world of fraternity journalism. Also, as co-workers on the Banta staff he and Brother Rubey had been closely associated during the latter's term with THE SCROLL.

(Continued on page 102)

LOU GEHRIG

Award Set Up By Fraternity

By GIL WRIGHT, *Ohio Wesleyan '30*

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IMMORTAL IRON HORSE

The great Lou Gehrig who will be memorialized by Φ Δ Θ with annual major league player award.

CHAIRMAN

Of Phi committee to make the award is GEORGE TRAUTMAN, Ohio State '14. Other committee members are shown on facing page.

PHI DELTA THETA has established an annual award in memory of Lou Gehrig, *Columbia '25*.

Each year a young major leaguer will receive a citation as the player who best exemplifies the sportsmanship qualities of the late great New York Yankee first baseman, it was announced at the biennial convention at Mackinac Island in September.

To middle-aged and older alumni who remember his active career, the name of Gehrig stands for all that is great about the national pastime. To present active members, Gehrig perhaps is only a legend. But more about him later.

The first such award will not be made until after the conclusion of the 1955 season and the time and the place of the award will be announced later.

The idea for a Lou Gehrig award came from Chads O. Skinner, *Ohio Wesleyan, '27*, and was passed on to the General Council which unanimously approved the proposal during a meeting in Oxford in the summer of 1953.

George Trautman, *Ohio State '14*, president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, accepted the invitation of Brother Paul Beam to head a committee of Phi members who will make the award.

Serving with Brother Trautman are Charles Berry, *Lafayette '25*, American League umpire; Powel Crosley, Jr., *Cincinnati '09*, president of the Cincinnati Baseball Co.; Elijah "Bill" Cunningham, *Dartmouth '19*, sports columnist, the *Boston Herald*; Dr. Frederick L. Hovde, *Minnesota '29*, president of Purdue University; Glenn "Ted" Mann, *Duke '31*, sports publicity director, Duke University; Herold "Muddy" Ruel, *Washington (St. Louis) '21*, general manager of the

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ORIGINATOR

Of Lou Gehrig Award by the Fraternity—
CHADS O. SKINNER,
Ohio Wesleyan '27.

Detroit Tigers; Chads O. Skinner, *Ohio Wesleyan '27*, the United States Steel Corp., New York City; Willfrid Smith, *DePauw, '19*, sports writer, the *Chicago Tribune*; Frank Wright, *Florida '26*, public relations consultant, Miami, Fla.; and Gilson Wright, *Ohio Wesleyan '30*, director of the news bureau, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

The name of the annual winner would be entered on a permanent plaque which will remain in the international offices of the fraternity.

Brother Gehrig died June 2, 1941, after a great baseball career.

He was chosen as most valuable player in the American League in 1927 and 1936. He established a record never approached of playing the most consecutive games in the history of the major leagues—a total of 2,130 games beginning June 1, 1925, and ending May 2, 1939.

During that Golden Era the New York Yankees won the American League championship eight times, including the 1939 season when Gehrig retired from the game.

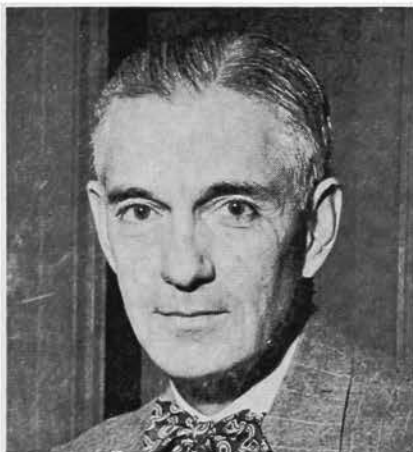
He was a tremendous hitter and was second only to the great Babe Ruth, a teammate. His great ability both at the plate and in the field won him election to the Baseball Hall of Fame.



LOU GEHRIG Award Committee



POWELL CROSLY, JR., *Cincinnati* '09



HEROLD D. RUEL, *Wash. (St. Louis)* '21



CHARLIE BERRY, *Lafayette* '25



DR. FRED HOVDE, *Minnesota* '29



WILFRID SMITH, *DePauw* '20



BILL CUNNINGHAM, *Dartmouth* '19



GIL WRIGHT, *Ohio Wes.* '30



TED MANN, *Duke* '31



FRANK S. WRIGHT, *Florida* '26



TOP UNDERGRAD PHI

Receives check from P.G.C. Ward at Convention banquet. Dr. Sockman in background.

THE first Arthur R. Priest Foundation award has been won by Kirk Terry Dornbush, *Vanderbilt '55*. This award has been established to name the undergraduate member who best exemplifies the teachings of the Bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. From nominations presented by chapters throughout the country Terry Dornbush has been selected as fulfilling most completely these qualifications.

Dornbush presented a record of unusual service to his chapter, his university, and his community. Within the chapter he has participated in the general committee assignments and intramural athletic activities. In his junior year he was very successful in guiding the chapter through rushing under new university regulations. And now in his senior year he is president of the chapter.

Five areas of campus activities have benefited from his leadership. During each of his undergraduate years he has been elected by the entire student body a senator-at-large to the Student Senate. Each year he has been elected to the cabinet of the Student Christian Association. He has been a member of the staffs of both the campus newspaper and yearbook. He has been a representative to the Interfraternity Council each year and is president for his senior year. He has been regimental commander of the R.O.T.C. and has received awards for his outstanding performance as a cadet.

Behind his affiliation with these activities is a story of great leadership and service. One of the most interesting projects he led came under his guidance as chairman of the Interfraternity Council committee on Help Week. Help Week was instituted to replace the old fashioned Hell Week. Dornbush appealed through the news-

From the stenotype report of the 50th Biennial Convention—President George S. Ward speaking at the Convention Banquet: “. . . Nominated by his brothers for outstanding service to his University, for leadership to his chapter, and for moral righteousness, Terry Kirk Dornbush exemplifies the teachings of the Bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and is hereby named the outstanding undergraduate member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in 1954. (All stood and applauded.) . . . Kirk, it gives me great pleasure to hand you this check for \$350.”

Vanderbilt Phi Wins First Priest Award

By HARRY M. GERLACH, *Miami '30*

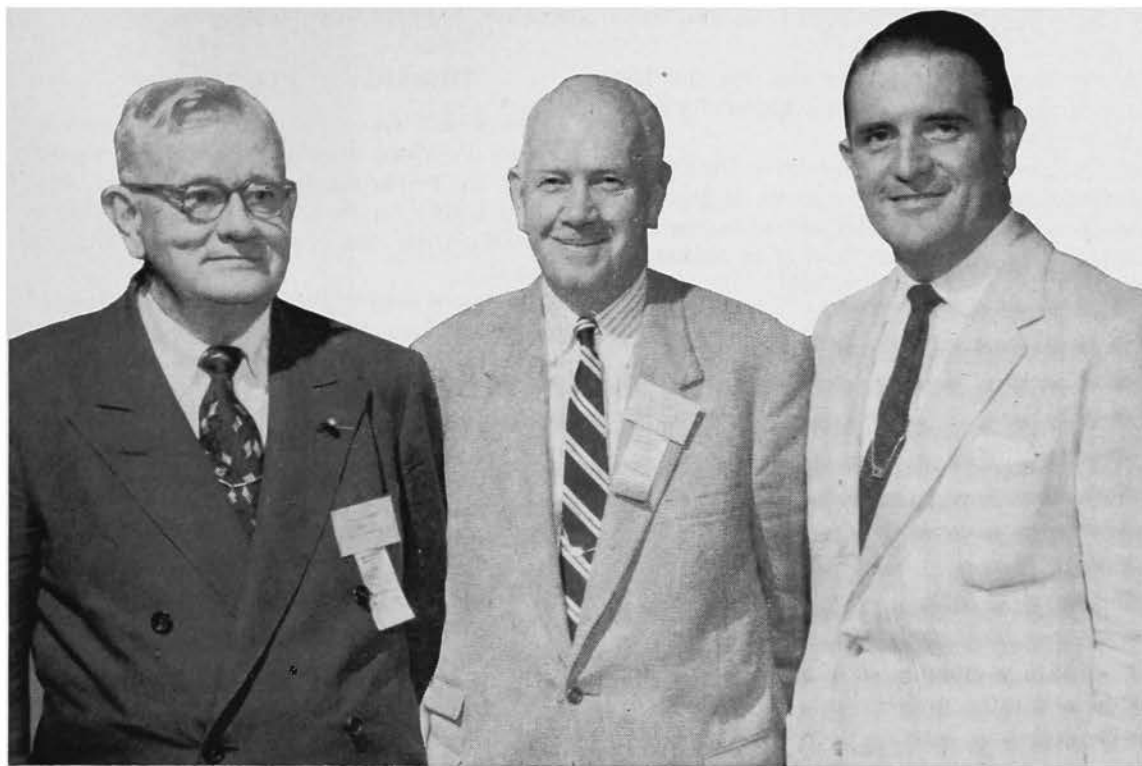
Chairman A. R. Priest Foundation

papers for community projects. Two of the largest projects resulting from this appeal were a fund raising campaign for an educational television station for Nashville and the restoring of a historic site on the outskirts of the city. As a by-product of this activity Terry was named a member of the Nashville Citizens Committee for Educational TV.

All of his many extra-curricular interests have not kept Dornbush from attaining a scholarly record. In his freshman year he was elected to $\Phi\chi\Xi$ and now in his senior year he is a member of $\Phi\beta\kappa$. He is a member of the Peachtree Road Presbyterian Church in Atlanta and while in college regularly attends the First Presbyterian Church in Nashville.

The Arthur R. Priest Foundation Award has been made possible through the bequest of the residue of the estate of the widow of the late Arthur R. Priest. Madge Headley Priest was always deeply interested in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ while her husband was executive secretary. This interest in the Fraternity continued to her death and she expressed her sincerity by this bequest for scholarship purposes.

A committee of five alumni residing in the Oxford Community was named by the General Council to administer the Foundation and to select the award winner each year. The funds received were invested and the income obtained makes it possible to award a sum of \$350 for the year 1954-55. The members of the committee are Dr. Walter E. Havighurst, *Ohio Wesleyan '23*; A. Robert McHenry, Jr., *Gettysburg '38*; Lee S. McDonald, *Knox '47*, and Harry M. Gerlach, *Miami '30*. Also a member of the committee from its inception and until his death recently was Dr. Burton L. French, *Idaho '01*.



NEW GENERAL COUNCIL TRIO

LEFT TO RIGHT: Dr. Paul R. Hawley, Howard L. (Pete) Stuart, Dr. Clem E. Bininger.

Name Hawley, Stuart, Bininger to G.C.

By HAY BIGGERS, *Editor of THE SCROLL*

AT THE Mackinac Island Convention three outstanding Phis were elected new members of the General Council to serve with President Wilterding and his re-elected co-worker, Ray Gardner, *Washington '18*, of Seattle, Washington. They are Dr. Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana '12*; Dr. Clem E. Bininger, *Centre '31*; and Howard L. Stuart, *Penn State '20*. In an organizational meeting immediately following the Convention, Brother Gardner was named Treasurer of the General Council and Brother Hawley was named Reporter. Brothers Bininger and Stuart are designated as Members-at-Large.

Each of these men is well known throughout the Fraternity and each has been mentioned often in the columns of *THE SCROLL*, but for the benefit of all, the magazine is proud to present brief biographical sketches.

Dr. Paul R. Hawley

"Ram" Hawley is a national figure, best known for his outstanding work as Chief Surgeon of the European Theater of Operations during World War II (see *SCROLL*, September, 1944, pp. 3-8). His appointment to undertake

this tremendous responsibility marked the climax of a brilliant military career that started in 1916 and saw him rise to the rank of Major General. During his years in the Army he saw service in France (in World War I), in the Philippines as a member of General Wood's Advisory Committee on Malaria Control, and in Nicaragua as Surgeon of the Canal Survey. He retired from the Army in 1946 after 30 years of service.

Brother Hawley is a native of College Corner, Indiana, and he followed his father—also a doctor—into Indiana Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Following his graduation from Indiana University, he received his Doctor of Medicine degree from the University of Cincinnati. Later, while in the Army, he received the degree of Doctor of Public Health from Johns Hopkins University. He has been the recipient of honorary degrees from six universities.

He has remained throughout his life a loyal and interested Phi and has been a regular attendant at Convention since 1946. Even while in the service during the last war he was active in promoting Phi Delt gatherings in the ETO. Brother Hawley served as President of Kappa

Province from 1950 to 1952 and for the last two years as a member of the Fraternity's important Survey Commission.

Dr. Hawley is currently Executive Director of the American College of Surgeons, largest and most powerful medical organization in the world. With Mrs. Hawley (Lydia) he makes his home in Chicago.

Dr. Clem E. Bininger

After Brother Bininger's election C. F. (Dog) Lamkin, P.P.G.C., wrote him, in part, as follows: "It has been 34 years since a Missourian has been elected to the General Council. In a General Council made up of unusually strong men you more than measure up. Morrison would be glad to know that you are in this position of power. This is the first time in my recollection when a minister has qualified for membership on the General Council. In fact, I am of the opinion that you may be the first clergyman chosen. . . ."

Research indicates that Brother Lamkin is correct and that Dr. Bininger is the first minister to serve on the Fraternity's governing board.

Clem Bininger, a native of Frankfort, Kentucky, graduated from Centre College where he was an all 'round athlete, in 1931. As a student he served as president of Kentucky Alpha-Delta, the Interfraternity Council, and the student body. He continued his studies at Princeton Theological Seminary where he was an honor student, receiving advanced degrees of Bachelor and Master of Theology from the Seminary and an MA in Philosophy from Princeton University. He later received honorary doctorates from Centre College and Waynesburg College.

For many years Brother Bininger served Grace Covenant Church in Richmond, Virginia, where his sermons were broadcast over a station operated by the Church. As a result of this experience in radio, he participated in a worldwide broadcast on behalf of Displaced Persons with screen stars Lew Ayres, John Payne, and Gale Storm from Hollywood's Radio City on Thanksgiving Day, 1949 (see SCROLL, January, 1950, pp. 191-2).

Brother Bininger was called to the Second Presbyterian Church in Kansas City late in 1950 and was installed as pastor there, Feb. 18, 1951. He is well known to many Phis through his service as Chaplain at $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Conventions since 1948. He has also been President of Mu Province during the last two years.

Dr. and Mrs. Bininger (Carolyn) have three children—Elaine and Bob who are in high school, and Barbara, who after two years at Lindenwood College for Women, is a junior and $\Gamma\Phi\beta$ pledge at the University of Kansas.

Howard L. (Pete) Stuart

Two highly successful terms as President of Gamma Province and many years of devoted service to Pennsylvania Theta chapter were written boldly on Pete Stuart's record prior to his nomination and election to the General Council.

A native of Beaver, Pennsylvania, Pete breezed through the local high school in three and one-half years and entered Penn State in the Fall of 1916. He was out of school the following year while seeing service in World War I. Returning to college he became Brother Stuart when initiated by the Penn State chapter in January, 1918. He has remained a firm booster for Penn Theta and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ since that date.

After graduating Pete was in the banking business in Chicago and St. Augustine, Florida, for a while, and then entered the real estate business in State College (home of his Alma Mater). During the last war he tried to enlist, was turned down, so got into the war training program at Penn State. Following World War II, Stuart, in collaboration with a Doctor of Chemistry, organized the State College Laboratories, manufacturers, jobbers and distributors of insecticides, fungicides and weed killers, janitors' and golf course supplies.

In the line of extra-curricular activities Pete manages to stay fairly active, to wit: is associated with Bureau of Highway Safety in Pennsylvania; was just elected to fourth two-year term as Centre County Republican chairman; was just elected to fifth three-year term as one of five alumni members on Penn State Athletic Advisory Board; was president two years and club champion four years of Centre Hills Country Club—still shoots golf in the 70s; is President of Penn Theta House Corporation and Treasurer of PhiDelity Fund; is Treasurer of Penn State Scholarship (for athletics) Fund; is still refereeing high school football after 25 years and high school basketball after 18 years.

Pete and Mrs. Stuart (Jo) make their home in State College since their marriage in 1949. They have no children.

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Installation Dates Set

Indiana Iota chapter at Valparaiso University will be installed November 26-27.

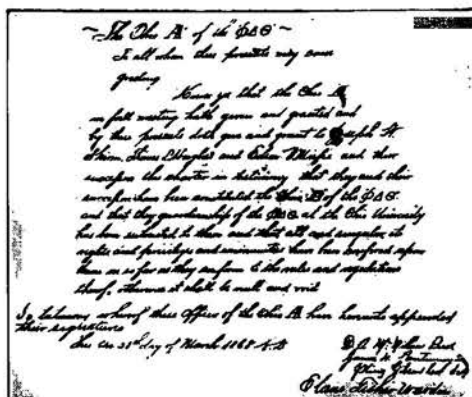
Ohio Lambda at Kent State University and Florida Delta at the University of Miami will be installed by two different teams the weekend of December 10-11.



Two Beginnings

At left is a photograph of the charter of Ohio University granted by the Ohio legislature 150 years ago on February 18, 1804, establishing the oldest institution of higher learning in the Northwest Territory. At right is a photograph of the charter

granted on March 28, 1868, to the Ohio Gamma chapter (then Ohio Beta) of Phi Delta Theta, composed of but three members who became the third fraternity on the O.U. campus and the nineteenth chapter of the General Fraternity.



Ohio University Marks Sesquicentennial

By DAVID L. WHITE, Ohio '54

Ohio University, the oldest college in the Northwest Territory, and home of Ohio Gamma chapter (1868) is celebrating its 150th anniversary in 1954. The sesquicentennial celebration began on February 18, the date of the University's founding a century and a half ago. Governor Frank J. Lausche of Ohio spoke that day at a convocation which inaugurated the Founders weekend, during which two world premieres of cultural importance were staged. The first was the O.U. theatre production of Charles Allen Smart's *The Green Adventure*, a drama of early University history. The second was Dr. Ernst von Dohnanyi's most recent composition, *American Rhapsody*, dedicated to the University. Moreover, at this first of the sesquicentennial celebration, dedication ceremonies were conducted for the new one and one-half million dollar student activities building, The Ohio University Center.

In June, the second observance of the sesquicentennial year was staged during the commencement weekend. At that time, Benjamin Fairless, chairman of the

board of directors of the U. S. Steel Corporation, delivered the commencement address, "Ohio Heritage," and Dr. Ralph Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan* '11, gave the baccalaureate sermon, "With Honor." Mr. Fairless and Dr. Sockman, with seven others, received honorary doctors degrees at the commencement exercises. Also at the afternoon services, student body president Dave White, *Ohio* '54, presented the Students' Creed, a brief and ringing affirmation of faith in the democratic principles of American education. Perhaps the most gratifying moment was the announcement by Sesquicentennial Scholarship

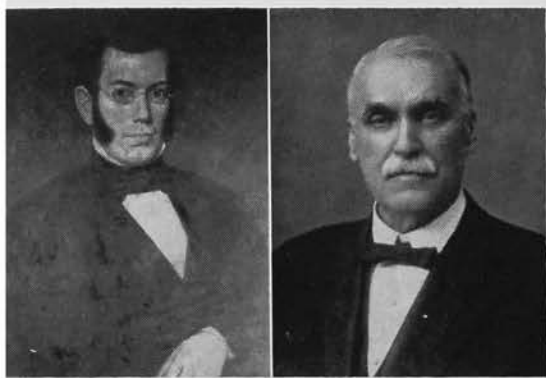
Fund chairman Fred H. Johnson, *Ohio* '22, that a total of \$364,724.74 had been pledged in the drive for providing scholarships for future O.U. students. Under Brother Johnson's chairmanship the contributions far doubled the \$150,000 goal.

Of great interest to all Ohio Gamma alumni and their wives was the third period of emphasis in the sesquicentennial, the Alumni Homecoming Weekend, October 22, 23, and 24. The Bobcats met on the gridiron their old Ohio rival, the Redskins of Miami Uni-



THE CAMPUS GATE

At the northwest entrance to the college green stands an arch bearing this inscription: "So enter that daily thou mayest grow in knowledge, wisdom, and love." On the opposite side is carved: "So depart that daily thou mayest better serve thy fellowmen, thy country, and thy God."



PHI HEADS OF O.U.

Fifteen men have headed the administration of Ohio University during its 150 year history. Two were members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Dr. Alfred Ryors (left), fifth president (1848-52) later went to Centre College and became a member of the Fraternity there. Dr. Alston Ellis, Miami '67 (right), tenth president, was chief executive for nineteen years from 1901 to 1920.

versity. Throughout the weekend many activities were sponsored by the college and the chapter.

This month (November) the final focal point in the year's celebration is centering around the Ohio Education Days Conference on the O.U. campus.

History of Ohio University

The history of this pioneer college from its birth in the new state of Ohio closely parallels the growth of our Federal Union and the growth of Greek-letter societies. After the Revolutionary War, on March 1, 1786, twelve men met at the

Bunch of Grapes Tavern in Boston to form the Ohio Company and consider plans for a university "along western waters." Among them were self-taught surveyor General Rufus Putnam, former Chief Engineer of the Continental Army, and Dr. Manasseh Cutler, Yale-educated scientist and scholar, the founders of Ohio University.

The need for providing public education and the establishment of a university available to all youth in the new country was ever present in the thinking and planning of this group of New England Revolutionary War veterans who settled the Ohio Country. Their consistent demand that part of the new lands be given to the support of a university resulted in the birth of Ohio University, the first land-grant college in the nation. It was granted two townships, 46,080 acres of land in the Ohio Country, and for more than half a century its sole income, except for small student fees, was from the rents and sales of this land.

It was largely through the efforts of Cutler that the Northwest Ordinance of 1787 was enacted proclaiming "that religion, morality, and knowledge being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall be forever encouraged."

In 1802 the territorial legislature passed an act creating the "American Western University" at Athens, but it was not until February 18, 1804, that the General Assembly of the then one-year-old state of Ohio passed the historic act establishing "an university in Athens . . . by the name and style of the Ohio University." It



OHIO UNIVERSITY, HONORS PHIS

LEFT: One of the highlights of the sesquicentennial year was the appreciation banquet staged by the university, alumni, and townspeople for DR. BLAINE R. GOLDSBERRY, M.D. Ohio '15 (left) in recognition of his many years of devoted service to his alma mater. RIGHT: DR. RALPH SOCKMAN, Ohio Wesleyan '11 (left), baccalaureate speaker at the sesquicentennial commencement receiving an honorary Doctor of Laws degree. O.U. President John C. Baker makes the presentations.



PHIS ON O.U. FACULTY

ABOVE, LEFT TO RIGHT: ROBERT M. WREN, Ohio '43, Assistant to Dean of Men and head baseball coach, has led Bobcats to Mid-American Conference diamond championships in 1953 and 1954. CHARLES W. REAMER, Ohio '33, past chapter adviser, is city editor of the Athens Messenger and an instructor in journalism. LT. DONALD W. MANSFIELD, Akron '50, chapter adviser, assistant professor of air science and tactics. He is the pilot who dropped the last bomb in the Korean conflict. FREDERICK H. MCKELVEY, Illinois '30, assistant professor of education, is the newly-appointed Director of the Summer Session. AT



RIGHT: MARTIN L. HECHT, Ohio '46, former Assistant Executive Secretary of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, is Director of the Ohio University Fund and Alumni Secretary of his Alma Mater. JAMES E. RUNYEON, Ohio '53, graduate assistant to the Dean of Men and Head Resident of Bryan Hall, men's dormitory.

is this day in 1804 that Ohio University takes as its founding date.

Plans for the University progressed rapidly following its establishment by the General Assembly of the new state, and in June, 1808, Ohio University opened its doors to three students and instructor Jacob Lindley, who became the first head of the University. None of these first three students graduated, but in 1815 degrees were granted to two students, John Hunter and Thomas Ewing. John Hunter died a year later, but Ewing served a long career in public service and brought renown to his Alma Mater. He was the nation's first Secretary of the Interior, was a Secretary of the Treasury, United States Senator, and confidential adviser to Presidents Lincoln and Johnson.

The two-room, two-story building in which

Jacob Lindley opened classes has long since disappeared. But in its stead stands Cutler Hall, completed in 1818, the oldest building in the Northwest Territory erected for the purpose of higher education, and a proper monument to Cutler and the other pioneers who founded the University.

Rufus Putnam is signally honored, too. The University's elementary school has been named for him. The largest dormitory for women bears the name of Jacob Lindley. Other buildings through the years have been named to honor early graduates and administrators, many being members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, who so soundly shaped the future of today's Ohio University.

Ohio University became a state-supported institution after the Civil War. This action was precipitated by a financial crisis brought on by

THREE PHIS ARE TRUSTEES

Of the eight trustees of O.U., three are Phis. They are shown at a recent board meeting in Athens, left to right: FRED H. JOHNSON, Ohio '22; Fred W. Crow (not a Phi); HARVEY B. JORDAN, Penn State '17; C. DON McVEY, Ohio '15, and Dr. John C. Baker, President of the University.





ALUMNI SUPPORT EVIDENCED

Most gratifying moment at the sesquicentennial commencement exercises was the announcement by Sesquicentennial Scholarship Fund Chairman FRED H. JOHNSON, Ohio '22, of a pledge of \$364,724.74 by friends and alumni of Ohio University the interest from which will be used for perpetual scholarship to O.U. The original goal was \$150,000. Here, Johnson (left), presents the pledge to President Baker.

the failure of the University land to produce the amount of money originally anticipated.

In the years following its change to a state-supported school, Ohio University continued to grow. Around historic Cutler Hall today are more than 100 buildings, representing a physical plant with a replacement value of \$25,000,000 and providing education, housing, culture, and recreation for more than 5000 students.

Today seven colleges (University, Applied Science, Arts and Sciences, Commerce, Education, Fine Arts, and Graduate) and an extension division offer approximately 1200 courses taught by some 350 faculty members. Modern classroom buildings, libraries, laboratories, a theatre, a radio station, and other facilities are giving the latest training in dozens of career fields—a far cry from Jacob Lindley's first class of three and his curriculum of arithmetic, grammar, Latin, Greek, geography, mathematics, logic, rhetoric, and philosophy.

Lindley and his intrepid group of three would be amazed, too, if they were to see the modern facilities. In recent years new buildings for dramatic art and speech, chemistry and engineering, seven new dormitories and expansion of two others, and a new natatorium have been built. Work on a new commerce building has begun. Perhaps the largest single unit is the construction of the long-awaited Ohio University Center.

But the University's continuing attention to the changing needs of its students in the special fields has not lessened the significance of liberal

education at Ohio University. Studies in the liberal arts and sciences, cited for their importance by Cutler 150 years ago, are today a part of each student's program, regardless of his major field.

Ohio University has become, through the years, the home of many Greek-letter societies. It was here in 1839 that Robert Morrison, the guiding founder of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, entered and completed two years of schooling before entering Miami University. The Fraternity which he helped found at Miami soon placed a chapter at Ohio University (1868) where it was preceded by $B\Theta\Pi$ (1841) and $\Delta T\Delta$ (1862). Today eighteen national fraternities and nine national sororities have installed chapters at Ohio University. The other fraternities are $\Phi K T$, $\Lambda X A$, ΘX , $T K E$, ΦK , $\Pi K A$, $\Phi E \Pi$, $\Phi \Sigma \Delta$, Acacia, ΣX , $A \Phi A$, $A K A$, ΣN , $\Sigma A E$, and $\Phi K \Sigma$. Sororities with chapters at O.U. are $\Pi B \Phi$, $A \Gamma \Delta$, $A \Xi \Delta$, $X \Omega$, $A \Delta \Pi$, $Z T A$, ΦM , ΣK , and $A E \Phi$.

From the ranks of the undergraduate chapter at Ohio have come Phis who served well their alma mater and the community. Today, as in the past, the chapter hall still rings with Jim McWilliams' time-honored battle cry, "Ohio Gamma against the world!"

Thus Ohio University, the pioneer educational institution of the westward moving Americans, pauses to reflect upon her contributions to the state and nation whose growth she so closely parallels, testing these contributions, as she faces the future, with her guiding motto: Religio, Doctrina, Civilitas—Prae Omnibus, Virtus . . . Religion, Learning, Citizenship—Above All, Virtue.



DEDICATION

On February 18, 1954, exactly 150 years from the day Ohio University was founded, the new Ohio University Center was dedicated. Presiding at the ceremonies was Phi DAVE WHITE, Ohio '54, student body president.

Flom, Guernsey, Get Assignments in Washington

To Department of Commerce

RUSSELL C. FLOM, *Lawrence '24*, is now in Washington, D.C., serving as Director of the Forest Products Division of the Business and Defense Services Administration in the Department of Commerce. In this capacity, he is one of 25 directors who represent industries essential to a strong defense program. Their collective job is to define the potential of each industry as it relates to the welfare of the United States in case a national emergency should arise.

As head of the Forest Products Division, Brother Flom will work with the pulp, paper, paperboard, lumber, wood products, printing and publishing industries to determine what equipment and resources might be pressed into service in event of urgent national need. He will also make recommendations in regard to the government's supply of products manufactured by these industries.

Working with defense and military authorities,

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Russ Flom, Lawrence '24
Director of F.P.D. of B.&D.S.A.



CEREMONY

William S. (Bill) Guernsey, Idaho '29 (right) being sworn in as Assistant Director of the Bureau of Land Management, in the office of Brother Doug McKay, Oregon State '17, Secretary of the Interior.

To Department of Interior

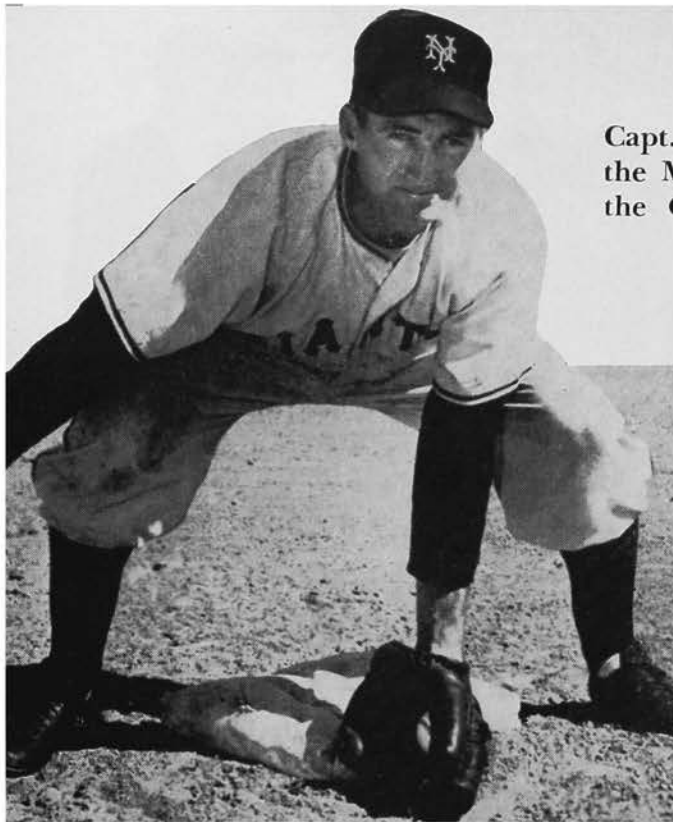
HARD WORK, constant attention to details of the moment and continuous preparation for the future has paid dividends to Brother William S. (Bill) Guernsey, *Idaho '29*, this past summer when his administrative ability was recognized in Washington, D.C., by his appointment as Assistant Director of the Bureau of Land Management.

Brother Guernsey came to the University of Idaho back in 1922 from his home town of Millbrook, New York, to work for a B.S. degree in Forestry after having spent two years in the Navy and two years with the American Consulate in Shanghai.

Upon graduation from the University, Bill received a civil service appointment as Forester with the Department of Agriculture in Spokane, Washington, where he worked with the Blister Rust Control agency in northern Idaho. In 1935 Bill was transferred to the U.S. Forest Service and was appointed Assistant Supervisor of the Coeur d'Alene National Forest. From this point on Brother Guernsey kept climbing to more responsible positions in the Forest Service in Montana, Washington, Oregon, and Idaho.

During World War II Bill spent five years with the Navy and is a present active in the Navy Reserve holding a commission of Commander.

Bill has maintained an active interest in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and will be missed by members of the Boise Alumni Club. In his new position in Washington he will be closely associated with another great Phi, Secretary of the Interior Doug McKay, *Oregon State '17*.—C. J. (Lefty) POWELL, *Montana '31*.



AL DARK, L.S.U. '45
"... He's the cement ..."

THE solid man—the heart—of the New York Giants, sensational 1954 World Champions of baseball, was a Louisiana State Phi named Alvin Dark who captains the team from his shortstop position. Dark failed to rate the publicity accorded Willie Mays during the campaign this last summer, but among the old pros of the League his inestimable value to the Giants is well known.

Here's what his manager, Leo Durocher, had to say in a recent interview with Arthur Daley, New York *Times* columnist. "There's the fellow," said Leo, pointing to Dark. "He's the cement that holds the ball club together. I wouldn't trade him for any shortstop in baseball."

"I've always said that no team can win without a top-flight shortstop. . . . Look at the qualities Dark imparts to a ball club. He can hit to right; he has fierce determination and competitive fire; he lives clean; he's smart—well, he's got everything for greatness. . . ."

And this is what Peeewe Reese, great Dodger shortstop has to say in one of Red Smith's *Herald-Tribune* columns: "I regard Alvin Dark as the most valuable player on the Giants." This was not a statement by a prejudiced witness. This was a pro stating a professional estimate of another pro. This was the captain and shortstop of the National League's defeated cham-

Capt. Al Dark of Baseball's World Champs, the Man Who Holds the Ball Club Together; the Old Pros and Sports Writers Call Him

HEART Of the Giants

pions taking a candid look at the captain and shortstop of the Giants, new World Champions of the baseball world.

Reese's opinion coincides with a view that was held widely before big league fans ever heard of Willie Mays. Calling Mays and Antonelli, the great young Giant pitcher, spectacular and exciting, Mr. Smith says, "Dark is different. He's just the best professional baseball player on the team." He is an angular athlete, not especially graceful in the field, yet in his time with the Giants he has led National League shortstops in putouts, assists, total chances, and double plays. As Peeewe Reese puts it, "He comes through with the play that has to be made."

Dark is a consistent .300 hitter—.293 this year and .412 in the series—who has led the league in doubles and can make twenty home runs in a season. He is a fine bunter and probably the best man in the league for second place in the batting order, a sharpshooter gifted at slicing a drive to right field behind a runner taking off for second.

Dark is an amazingly versatile athlete. He was one of the finest triple-threat backfield performers in the country when he played football for Louisiana State. He was so good that he was drafted by the Philadelphia Eagles.

There was one game with Mississippi, for instance, in which Dark sliced off tackle in the first period and raced 70 yards for a touchdown. When Ole Miss rallied to drive to the 10, Dark punted 73 yards to get the Bayou Tigers out of danger. He scored another touchdown later as L. S. U. won, 21 to 7.

He averaged 20 points a game as a basketball ball player while performing for the Marines. He placed second in the 100-yard dash in the Southern A. A. U. championships. He broad-jumped better than 23 feet and high-jumped 6 feet 2 inches. He is a superb swimmer and plays par golf. Name any sport and he excels at it.

Concerning Dark, a former General Council Member, Barrett Herrick writes: "Blackie always likes to have the Phi Delts come up to the Polo Grounds for an evening game and lead

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Vets of Foreign Wars Name Phi Chief

**Merton B. Tice, Unanimously Elected,
Pledges To Aid Cause of American Vets**

A NEW honor came to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ recently when Martin Baird Tice, *South Dakota '33*, of Mitchell, South Dakota, was unanimously elected by acclamation as National Commander-in-Chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The election occurred at the organization's 55th encampment held in Philadelphia during the first week of August.

Previously Brother Tice had held the offices of National Chief of Staff, Judge Advocate General, and Senior Commander-in-Chief. His election marked the first time that anyone from South Dakota had achieved the high position to lead a national veterans organization.

In accepting the gavel from his predecessor, Commander-in-Chief Tice pledged to "Do my utmost to aid the cause of the Veterans of America." He stated that the duty of the V.F.W. is to make America a better place in which to live. Brother Tice continued, "We believe it is an imperative obligation to give strong support to all military measures that may, by our overwhelming strength, halt Soviet aggression. It is also the duty of all organizations of patriotic Americans, including the V.F.W., to strive in a united spirit to overcome and defeat the menace of world communism."

Mr. Tice had his first conference with President Eisenhower at the White House August 12. He gave the President a brief digest of some of the principal resolutions adopted at the 55th Encampment. He called the President's atten-



MERTON B. TICE, *South Dakota '33*
Honored by foreign war veterans.

tion particularly to the organization's support of legislation which would outlaw the communist party in the U.S., and recommended a continuation of existing policies in regard to hospitalization and medical care of veterans. Immediately following his conference with the President, Commander Tice visited with Secretary John Foster Dulles.



TWO COMMANDERS- IN-CHIEF

Brother Merton B. Tice at conference with President Eisenhower following his election as Commander-in-Chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Historic Ceremony at Mackinac

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he is glad he brought them up with an opportunity to join the Phi Delta Theta. There were four of them; one gave his life for his country; one is here tonight; Paul lives in Seattle; and one is Mark Brown in Louisiana.

I wish I would be regarded as able to thank you all sufficiently for this honor that you have done to a member of my family. May great good things come to you all, and to our beloved Order.

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The attendance of this most remarkable Phi of all at the Convention is a great story in itself and Brother Glenn Findley, who was largely responsible for making it possible, has described the events in a long letter to the editor.

Brother Brown had set his heart on attending this Convention, but chances looked dim when it was learned that son Mark would be unable to go. Brother Findley stepped in at this point and offered to accompany his life-long elderly friend on the train. Then son Arch decided to come up from Miami and make the trip with his father. This seemed to settle things until it was learned that the train on which they had planned to return on Saturday had been discontinued . . . and again the trip seemed doomed until Glenn stepped in with a solution. Let him describe it . . . and the return trip to Indianapolis.

. . . I made a hurried trip to the Brown home with this plan: we would take our Country Squire station wagon, a goodly supply of blan-

kets and an air mattress, and we could all attend the Convention. Mr. Brown and Arch could go by train, and my wife, son and I would drive up, and after the Convention, we could all return in the station wagon. Brother Brown explained that he couldn't ride very long at a time because he tired so easily, but I explained that he would be as comfortable as would be the case if he were home in bed, for we were going to make a couch for him with the air mattress, and he could lie at full length in the station wagon.

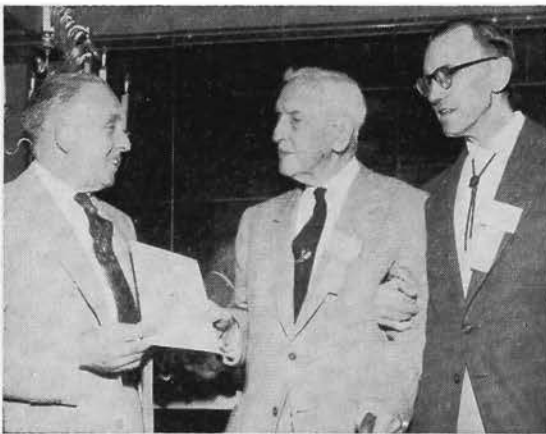
As he began to realize that there was again a chance for him to attend this Convention, his face brightened up, and he stated, "I don't understand how it will work, but I will leave it to you to manage. It sounds as though that in itself will be quite an adventure."

Brother Hilton Brown was just as happy as could be when I left his home that day, for we agreed that we would meet at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island on Wednesday, September 1, the day the Convention started.

That is exactly what happened, and it was a profound inspiration to those assembled for the Convention, both young and old, to see Brother Brown, in his 96th year, enjoying the friendship and fellowship that membership in our great Fraternity provides. No one was more faithful than he in attending the business sessions. . . .

Brother Brown, his son Arch, my wife, son and I left Mackinac Island Friday evening, and reached the mainland and started for home. We drove for some time and then stopped for dinner, and drove perhaps for another hour before Mr. Brown stated that, if possible, he would like to "change his position." We pulled off at a convenient spot on the road and prepared Mr. Brown's couch. The air mattress was inflated, the seating arrangement changed so that with the exception of the front seat and an auxiliary seat, the balance of the car was level floor space. Blankets were arranged and Mr. Brown was soon comfortable, reclining on his couch.

Mr. Brown finally went to sleep, and we drove through the night, my wife giving me some relief. About 6:30 in the morning, when we were some fifty miles from home, Mr. Brown woke up and said he was ready to sit up, so we rearranged the seats and continued our journey, with no further stops until we arrived in the driveway of the Brown home. We helped Mr. Brown from the car and unloaded the baggage. I again questioned him as to how he felt and he made this remark, "That was the most astounding journey I have ever taken. I find it difficult to realize that it happened." . . .



HISTORIC GOLDEN LEGION AWARD

Glenn F. Findley, Butler '19, (left), following Golden Legion ceremony in which certificate for Mark Brown, Butler '07, was accepted by his father, Hilton U. Brown, Butler '80. Another son, Arch Brown, Butler '20, stands at right.

After 70 Years . . . A Badge!

**James B. Wharton, Wofford '85,
Receives Jewelled Pin—His
First—As 90th Birthday Gift**

THIS STORY is different . . . we feel sure that no other SCROLL editor has had the opportunity of writing a similar one.

It is the story of a wonderful venerable Phi who received his first Phi Delta Theta badge after he had been a member of the Fraternity for 70 years . . . at the age of 90!

It is the story of Brother James Beauregard Wharton, *Wofford '85*, now 93 years of age . . . who, after 70 years of living under the teachings of the Bond, still regretted that he had been financially unable to buy a pin at the time of his initiation.

And he felt this way in spite of the fact that Wofford College in Spartanburg has been dormant since 1885—the year of his graduation!

The history of old South Carolina Alpha is a short one. The chapter was installed Jan. 31, 1879, and, in all, only 29 men signed the Bond. Brother Wharton was the 28th signer in 1881.

From the time of his graduation until he reached the age of 85 Brother Wharton was active in business in Greenwood, South Carolina. Since his retirement he has spent his winters with his two daughters in Greenville (S.C.), and his summers in Hendersonville, North Carolina.

In writing of her father, Mrs. James R. Breazeale states: "He is truly a remarkable person, mentally and physically. He has lived a wonderful, full life—doing so much good in the world, and endeavoring to make others happy. He has been a great success in all of his undertakings. He thoroughly enjoyed the September issue of THE SCROLL and was vitally interested in all of the different articles. . . ."

Brother Wharton's children had heard their father speak often of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and his regret at not having acquired a pin at the time of his initiation. Thus it was that they jointly presented him with a jeweled badge on his ninetieth birthday. Mrs. Breazeale writes that he "prizes it highly."

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EDITOR'S REFLECTION: *If for no other reason this issue of THE SCROLL should be long remembered for two stories unique in fraternity*



PORTRAIT OF A PHI

Photograph of a portrait of 93 year-old JAMES BEAUREGARD WHARTON, Wofford '85, painted by his son, Col. James P. Wharton, head of the art department at the University of Maryland.

annals. One of Hilton U. Brown at 95, after 80 years of membership, presenting a Golden Legion certificate to his son . . . and the other of James Beauregard Wharton at 93 rejoicing over having received his first $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ badge after 70 years of being a Phi. One cannot help but think of that phrase from the Golden Legion ceremony—" . . . once exposed to the Bond its influence extends over a life. . . ."—H.S.B.

Flom to Washington

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Flom and other BDSA staff members will recommend action for the protection of industrial plants against enemy attack and will also aid in the preparation of post-attack plans for industry and government.

In addition to his defense activities, Flom will be in charge of a program to collect and analyze information on the condition and levels of business activity in the forest products industries.

Brother Flom's appointment is until June 30, 1955, at which time he will return to his work as director of pulp, paper, and paperboard sales for the Marathon Corporation in Menasha, Wisconsin. Mrs. Flom and son Freddie, 13, are with him in Washington. Two other Flom sons, Dick and Jerry, are Lawrence Phis from the classes of '48 and '52, respectively.

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With Phis in the World of Sport

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., Washburn '38



DAVIS

SPORTS loving SCROLL readers over the nation will be happy to learn that Robert N. Grayson, *Stanford* '36, a two-time All-American fullback and now head of the Grayson Distributing Company of Portland, Oregon, will be a new member of the 1954 All-Phi Football Board. Brother Grayson represents the Pacific Coast area, replacing Howard Odell, former Washington grid mentor who has served for the past six years.



BOBBY GRAYSON, *Stanford* '36
Two-time All-American back joins SCROLL All-Phi Football Board.

Although the death of Grantland Rice deprived the nation of a great sports figure and brought about another vacancy in the All-Phi Board, THE SCROLL is happy to announce that Art Lewis, *Ohio* '35, the successful football coach at West Virginia University, has accepted a permanent position on the All-Phi Football Board. Brother Lewis, on short notice, last year substituted for the late Grantland Rice.

Sports Shorts

Richard Yost (Oregon State), Phi Honor Roll Golfer in 1952 and 1953, now stationed at the Presidio of San Francisco, was one of the leaders in the early rounds of the All-Army golf championship. . . . **Herb Klontz** (Iowa), sensational young golfer, won the Iowa Amateur as well as seven other amateur tournaments during the summer. . . . Phi golfers playing in the U.S. National Amateur included **E. J. Rogers, Jr.** (Oklahoma); **Charles Evens, Jr.** (Northwestern); **Herb Klontz** (Iowa); **Floyd Addington** (S.M.U.); **Dale Morey** (L.S.U.); and **Tommy Barnes** (Ga. Tech).

Dick Doss (U.C.L.A.), Phi Honor Roll tennis star, captured the men's singles at the La Jolla tennis tournament in mid-July. . . . **Leonide Baarcke** (No. Carolina) finished third in the 100-meter butterfly event at the outdoor National A.A.U. swimming championships; **Baarcke** also scored wins in the Ft. Knox open swimming meet in the 100-meter free-style, the 100-meter butterfly and the 100-meter backstroke.

Pete Perini (Ohio State), 230-pound fullback, has returned from two years in Japan with the Army to join the Chicago Bears. . . . **Dick Deitrick** (Pittsburgh), All-Phi end, was a starter for the College All Stars in the annual grid classic, while **Doak Walker** (S.M.U.) and **Tom Dublinski** (Utah) were backfield starters for the Detroit Lions professional champions. . . . **Dick Nolan** (Maryland) back and **Dean Chambers** (Washington) tackle were squad members. . . . **Gordon Soltau** (Minnesota), professional football's leading scorer last year, suffered a shoulder separation in the 49'er-N.Y. Giant exhibition game August 16 that will keep him out of N.F.L. play at least two months.

Phi basketball coaches **Howard Hobson** (Oregon) and **Forrest Twogood** (Iowa) went by plane early in September to the Far East on a four-week series of armed forces coaching clinics in Japan & Korea. . . . Basketballer **Bob Hawes** (Oregon) was a member of the University of Oregon basketball team which toured the Far East playing 20 games. . . . **Dick Stuber** (Iowa State)

quarterback has transferred to the University of Missouri since his father resigned as Iowa State grid mentor last spring.

Jim Freeman (Iowa) kicked both extra points in the 14-10 upset of Michigan State. . . . **John Baumgartner** (Minnesota) was the Gopher's leading ground gainer in the season's opener against Nebraska. . . . **Bruce Alexander** (Iowa State) scored a spectacular touchdown in the opening game against Northwestern and a pair against Nebraska. . . . **Bob Pascal** (Duke) halfback and **Jim Nelson** (Duke) guard teamed up for the 7-6 win over Tennessee. Pascal scored the TD and Nelson the extra point. . . . **Wade Mitchell** (Ga. Tech), sophomore quarterback, threw a touchdown pass in the final three minutes to defeat S.M.U. . . . **Don Bailey** (Penn State) quarterback set up both touchdowns that tripped Illinois 14-12; one was a 24-yard scoring pass and the other a 50-yard gallop. . . . **Bob Davenport** (U.C.L.A.) scored the winning TD in the victory over Maryland. . . . **Sophomore Lon Stiner, Jr.** (Oregon), **Wayne Kurlak** (So. Calif.), and **Wade Mitchell** (Ga. Tech) are all sophomore starters. . . . **Charlie Horton** (Vanderbilt) scored two touchdowns in the 25-19 loss to Baylor and another pair in the 28-14 Alabama defeat.

Phi sophomore **Bobby Cox** (Washington), playing a full 60 minutes and pitching three touchdown passes, almost vaulted the underdog Huskies to a king-size upset over U.C.L.A. before succumbing 21 to 20. . . . **Bob Davenport** (U.C.L.A.), fullback, scored two TD's in his team's Washington victory. . . . Another Phi Sophomore, **Jim Maddock** (Michigan) quarterback, completed two touchdown passes to lead the 14-13 upset victory over Iowa; **Maddock** attended Iowa as a freshman. . . . **Jim Bates** (Michigan), senior center, was mentioned among the AP linemen of the week for Oct. 9. . . . **Lester Peavy** (Brown), 200-pound regular end, suffered a serious brain injury in the final quarter of the Brown-Rhode Island contest.

Bob Burden (Knox), regular guard, received a paralyzing spine and pelvis injury in the Knox-Carleton game on October 2. . . . **John Baumgartner** (Minnesota), senior fullback, galloped on a 43-yard touchdown run in the 26-7 victory over Northwestern. . . . **Worth Lutz**, **Bob Pascal**, and **Ernest Bass** (Duke), represent three-fourths of the great Blue Devil backfield. . . . **Wade Mitchell's** (Ga. Tech) quarterbacking, passing, and conversions were a vital factor in the 30-20 win over L.S.U. . . . **Phikeia John Bayuk** (Colorado), 225-pound sophomore fullback, was the nation's leading rusher with almost 500 yards, according to the N.C.A.A. statistics of Oct. 10.

Proposes European Tour for Phi Deltas in '55



L. A. HOORNBECK, *Union '52*

LOUIS A. HOORNBECK, *Union '52*, has announced that he hopes to organize a European Tour for the Summer of 1955 that will include a large delegation of members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The tour will get underway in mid-June as soon as classes have ended in most colleges and universities.

Hoornbeek states that it is expected to have coeds as well as Phis and their families on the tour, but emphasizes that arrangements must be made soon to be assured of space.

The tour will be 52 days in length and will visit seven countries—England, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, France, and Italy, with travel on the continent by motor-coach.

Complete tour costs will be \$925 on a one-class student ship. Interested Phis should address Brother Hoornbeek at

213 Boldt Hall
Graduate School of Business
Cornell University
Ithaca, New York

Louis Hoornbeek served as a Lieutenant (jg) aboard the USS *Corregidor T-CVE 58* for two years following graduation from Union. He has been in Europe six times and the Orient twice. He states that he has so enjoyed European travel that he hopes to guide many of his Phi brothers on a tour next Summer. He is presently attending Cornell Business School. Hoornbeek attended the 1950 Convention of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in Chicago.

Heart of the Giants

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the applause for him. Each time we come he gets at least two hits. He is a fine, handsome boy, and all the Phis who have met him are very fond of him and consider him to be a true and loyal Phi."

Brother Dark is happily married, has a family, and is a deeply religious man. Keeping a date to talk to a Sunday School class in the Yonkers (N.Y.) Calvary Baptist Church shortly after the World Series ended, he told the young people that he always gives ten per cent of his income to God, and that a tenth of his World Series check would go to the Baptist Church in his home town of Lake Charles, Louisiana.

He's quite a guy—this Alvin Dark. Don't ever sell him short—the Giants don't and won't!

Our New P.G.C.

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Thus in 1946 Ding went to the Convention on Mackinac Island laden down with two offices—President of Iota Province and Editor of *THE SCROLL*. He left with two also—as a new member of the General Council and still Editor. He was re-elected to the General Council at the Conventions of 1948, 1950, and 1952 . . . so had completed four full terms when elevated to the top rung of the ladder just two months ago. Incidentally, he had retired as Editor of *THE SCROLL* following the November, 1949, issue.

Characteristic of Brother Wilterding's love for

the Fraternity has been his keen interest in and devotion to the ritualistic work while engaged in the countless details of administration. This, too, may be traced in part to his association with another great ritualist, Edward E. Rubey, with whom he worked on a revision of the ritual in 1947. His interpretation of the ritual today stands unchallenged and his work as presiding officer at many new chapter installations has been responsible for influencing these chapters soundly in this important facet of fraternity life.

In "civilian" life Ding is in his 31st year with the George Banta Publishing Company, which he serves now as Vice-President and Director. For more than twenty years he has been Publication Manager of *Banta's Greek Exchange*. Through this work, attendance at N.I.C. meetings for many years, and his travels for the Banta Company, he has developed a wide acquaintance among fraternity and sorority leaders throughout the country.

Ding was married in 1926 to Florence Colburn of Green Bay, Wisconsin. They have four children—two daughters—Nancy (Mrs. Robert Davis, Northbrook, Illinois), and Gretchen (Mrs. Jacob Pawer of Menasha), a Phi son, John, *Lawrence '53*, who has just completed a four-year hitch in the Navy, and a future Phi, Mark, 9. He also has two Phi brothers-in-law, Mark H. Peacock, *Lawrence '24*, of Chicago, and Ralph M. Colburn, *Lawrence '32*, of Decatur, Illinois.

The Fraternity has chosen well in its election of Brother Wilterding to the presidency and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ can look forward with confidence to a biennium of sound and inspired leadership.

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Fraternity Honor Trophies Awarded

Because of the extensive space devoted to reporting the General Convention, it was necessary to omit several planned features from this issue of *THE SCROLL*. One which fell by the wayside was the story of the Honor Trophies as awarded at Mackinac. An account giving full details will appear in the January issue, but it should be recorded that the Trophies were won by these outstanding chapters of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$:

Harvard	Founders	Cleveland
Florida Alpha	Ohio Epsilon	Mississippi Alpha-Washington Beta (tie)
General Headquarters	Ward Scholarship	Herrick Scholarship Improvement
British Columbia Alpha	Texas Delta	Florida Gamma

A Corner With Phi Authors

***Indicates Recent Addition to David D. Banta Memorial Library. Phi Authors Are Urged to Contribute Copies.**

In the sports world no book has received the advance attention given *The Tumult and the Shouting*, autobiography of Grantland Rice, *Vanderbilt '01*, which the beloved sportswriter completed just three weeks before he died. The book was published on November 1 by A. S. Barnes & Co., which Brother John Lowell Pratt, *Dartmouth '29*, serves as President.

Tumult did not start out to be an autobiography, according to Pratt, who got Granny Rice to write it. "We had talked for five or six years," he states, "about a book on the lives and careers of great champions and finally Rice started work on it. As he went on it became a very personal book, with his own philosophy of life, and then turned into his own story, with a lot of champions in it, of course."

Brother Rice's book was given a powerful boost on Ed Sullivan's popular "Toast of the Town" TV program Sunday night, October 31, when many of the champions who appear on the pages of the book were introduced from the audience or through the medium of movies: the Four Horsemen, Dempsey, Tunney, Sarazen, Jones, Tilden, Grange, Richards, Sande, Weiss-

muller, Rockne, Ruth, and others. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., recited one of Rice's famous poems, and Sullivan himself told of Granny's befriending him early in his career when he was out of a job in Florida.

On October 3, *This Week Magazine* ran the first of a series of excerpts from the Rice book. In the initial installment Mr. Rice refers to his great and good friend and fraternity brother, Lou Gehrig, *Columbia '25*, in glowing terms.

Brother Pratt is sending *THE SCROLL* a copy of *Tumult* for official review. In the meantime Phis may well remember the book as they prepare their Christmas lists.

Baby Sitter's Guide by Dennis the Menace (with help from HANK KETCHAM, *Washington '41*). Henry Holt & Co., New York.

Mr. Hank Ketcham is the originator of a new book called the "Baby Sitter's Guide" by Dennis the Menace. I have read it and enjoyed it and I took it to school to show my friends who are baby sitters like I am.

As I read the book I laughed a lot at the different things Dennis tells about. I laughed at the cartoons too.

I read the book partly for fun and partly to see if I could get any ideas on baby sitting. The part I liked best was the story where Dennis tells about dealing with different kinds of kids. Now when I go baby sitting I won't have any trouble at all in knowing how to handle kids of different sorts.

The other girls I have showed the book to want to have a book to get the certificate that is pasted in the front of the book, signed by Dennis. I have read and enjoyed all of the Dennis the Menace books and I think everyone will enjoy the *Baby Sitter's Guide* too.—JULIE BIGGERS (age 12), *Baby Sitter*.

***My Name Is Tom Connally** by TOM CONNALLY, *Texas '98*, as told to Alfred Steinberg. Crowell Co.

By choosing not to run for re-election in 1952, Tom Connally of Texas thus ended 36 years of service in the Congress of the United States. After 12 years in the House of Representatives, Mr. Connally was elevated by the voters of his



state to the Senate where he completed four six-year terms.

Senator Connally displayed an early genius for Texas politics by successfully seeking election to the Lone Star State Legislature soon after graduating from the University of Texas Law School. Weaving brief periods of service in the Spanish-American and First World Wars into a busy political career, Senator Connally contributed a homespun patriotic philosophy of life, a capacity for hard work, an undoubted flair for political achievement and a real understanding of the role of the United States in world affairs which added up to distinguished service to the United States as a national legislator.

In this book, Senator Connally reveals many fascinating details of his long life. Both World Wars, the depression, the New Deal, the Korean conflict and the give-and-take of legislative activity are all discussed by Senator Connally from the standpoint of a participant in much of the legislative activity which makes up an important part of American life. Senator Connally served as chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, as one of the authors of the United Nations Charter and as a delegate to the United Nations.

★*The Proud Diggers* by WILLIAM O. TURNER, Knox '36. Houghton Mifflin Co., Boston.

Gold fever! In the history of our country few expressions have come to imply so many things. Romantic adventure and cruel hardships, fabulous riches and bitter ruin, haste, passion, violence, crimes and punishments—all these lie in store for the victims of gold fever.

The Proud Diggers by William O. Turner, Knox '36, is the story of the people who made the gold rush that built Virginia City, Montana. It is specifically the story of Steve Hartlett, a restless, driven soul who all his life did what he had to do and then moved on. Yet though for him Virginia City meant cruel conflicts, painful tortures, and the constant threat of death, he kept his faith despite those who took the law in their own hands. He found love and understanding and new truths about his fellow man.

In *The Proud Diggers*, which was published

by Houghton Mifflin Company on September 23, Brother Turner tells of the birth and early struggle of a gold-boom town.

★*Annie Oakley and the Wild West* by WALTER HAVIGHURST, Ohio Wesleyan '23. The Macmillan Co.

There are few Americans about whose lives have grown up so many legends, and none more deserving of a good biography that separates facts from falsities—a task now almost impossible. But Walter Havighurst, of Miami University, has done a better-than-average narrative of the Darke County, Ohio, girl who was the world's champion marksman.

But even his exhaustive study has failed to protect him from a few errors, partly owing to the fact that Annie was illiterate until she was married, wrote little about herself and never got a good start on an autobiography.

Annie Oakley—nee Moses—was the subject of a movie a number of years ago that sacrificed truth to box office appeal and turned out a notable crop of mendacity.

Brother Havighurst's story, which includes a lot of Buffalo Bill and his Wild West and Sitting Bull, is well told and accurate, and in the main extremely well documented. There is some Cincinnati, as well as Darke County, for background. And the reader will find ample evidence that this simple country girl, who became the toast of two continents, was as gentle as any woman who ever lived.

Our Life Story by the REV. JOEL T. WADE, Central '87, and Mrs. Wade.

The Centre College *News Letter* reports this to be a highly interesting autobiography of the Rev. and Mrs. Joel T. Wade's unusual life together in Christian service.

Brother Wade was one of the charter members of old Kentucky Delta chapter at Central University, Richmond, Kentucky. Central later merged with Centre and the Fraternity's first bi-cameral chapter was formed.

The book contains 700 pages and 90 photographs. It sells for \$4.95 per copy and orders should be addressed to 502 S. Seminole Drive, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

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Fraternal Game in Production

A new fraternal game is now being produced, to be ready for the Holidays. It has 35 cards in five suits of seven cards each, and a Playing Guide called Keynotes. The "Key" designation comes from the 35 kinds of Key emblems shown on the cards. With the guidance of Keynotes, many fraternal facts can be learned. The name of the game is "Passkeys."

Address inquiries to KEYNOTES, 2520 Montezuma Ave., Alhambra, Calif.



WILLIAM O. RICE, *Kansas '26*
25 Years with the Harris Trust

WILLIAM O. RICE, *Kansas '26*, vice-president of the Harris Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago, Ill., celebrated his 25th anniversary with that firm in September. Brother Rice, a trustee of THE SCROLL Endowment Fund of ΦΔΘ, received his A.B. and law degrees from the University of Kansas before joining the bank in 1929. He was elected an assistant cashier in 1944, assistant vice president in 1947 and vice president in 1952. He was admitted to the Illinois Bar in 1933 and is a member of one of the Harris Bank's loaning divisions, specializing in broker's firms. He is also a member of the University Club and the Masonic Lodge.

JEROME K. KUYKENDALL, *Washington '30*, is Chairman of the Federal Power Commission in Washington, D.C. His name should be added to the long list of Phis who appear in *Who's Who in America*.

LOTHAIR TEETOR, *Wisconsin '21*, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic Affairs, was married to Miss Carlene Roberts of Oklahoma City, Okla., September 27. Brother Teetor served in the General Assembly of Indiana from 1945 to 1952 and was formerly chairman of the board of the Perfect Circle Corporation in Hagerstown, Ind. Brother Teetor and his bride will live in Washington.

WILLIAM S. McNARY, *Colorado '26*, executive vice-president of Michigan Hospital Service (Blue Cross), won new national recognition with his election to

a three-year term on the board of trustees of the American Hospital Association. Brother McNary has won wide note for his work in developing prepaid hospital care.

JUDGE RICHARD B. AUSTIN, *Denison '23*, of Superior Court, a former veteran assistant state's attorney, was sworn in, September 7, as chief justice of Criminal Court at Chicago, Ill. He is one of two Democratic judges in the court.

New president of the Long Beach Insurance Association, Long Beach, Calif., is JOSEPH P. KESLER, *U.C.L.A. '28*, who last year served as vice-president of the group. Brother Kesler operates his own agency and brokerage office and has been a Chartered Property and Casualty Underwriter since 1949, being one of the first in his area to win this honor.

W. H. Danforth Honored

WILLIAM H. DANFORTH, *Washington (St. Louis) '92*, chairman of the board of the Ralston Purina Company, was presented with an honorary membership in the American Home Economics Association when that group met in San Francisco in July. His citation read: "As a Christian layman, he has set an example to both men and women in the use of his talents, his means and his leadership to further the cause of character development and devotion to high values. For almost a quarter of a century, through Danforth Fellowships to home economics students, our professional ranks have been enriched." The general session of the meeting devoted to "The Importance of Research" was addressed by DR. FREDERICK L. HOVDE, *Minnesota '29*, president of Purdue University.

When Dr. Lillian Moller Gilbreth, engineer, author and educator, received the annual Washington award from the Western Society of Engineers in April, the presentation was made by CHARLES E. DELEUW, *Illinois '12*.

Among five alumni of the University of Kansas named by their alma mater to receive the University's and Alumni Association's award for distinguished service in May, was the REV. ROBERT H. MIZE, *Kansas '28*, of Salina, Kan., founder of the St. Francis Boys' Home.

COL. WILLIAM KEITH KINCAID, *Ohio '37*, late of Ryukyu Islands where he was Air Defense Commander for two years, was a recent guest of the Middleport, Ohio, Rotary Club, which he addressed on the subject of the value of the Islands to the United States. Brother Kincaid has now been assigned to the Industrial College of War Forces at Ft. McNair, Washington, D.C.



SWEARING IN

W. A. (Gus) BOOTLE, *Mercer '24* (left) is sworn in as U. S. Judge for the Middle District of Georgia, by T. Hoyt Davis, also District U. S. Judge. Judge Davis is the father of Phi T. HOYT DAVIS, JR., *Mercer '38*. Brother Bootle practiced law in Macon for many years in partnership with J. DOUGLAS CARLISLE, *Mercer '16*, who has now formed a new partnership with a Phi, MILLER EDWARDS, *Emory '31*. Brother Bootle's son, W. A., Jr., is *Emory-Mercer '53*, now at Tulane Medical school.

DR. RICHARD A. SWALIN, *Minnesota '51*, has joined the staff of the General Electric Research Laboratory at Schenectady, N.Y. He will be a research associate in the Laboratory's metallurgy department. Brother Swalin, whose studies have been in the fields of metallurgical engineering and physical chemistry, received his Ph.D. at the University of Minnesota this year.

Delegates to the 91st annual convention of the American Veterinary Medical Association, held in Seattle, Wash., in August, named DR. FLOYD CROSS, *Colorado A. & M. '14*, dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Colorado A. & M., as their president-elect for next year.

HERBERT DÖRKEN, JR., *McGill '46*, Ph.D., is Psychologist in Charge at Verdun Protestant Hospital, Verdun, Quebec, Canada.

CHARLES J. HARDY, JR., *Williams '17*, formerly president of A. C. F. Industries, Inc., became chairman of the board of that company in August. A. C. F. Industries is the outgrowth of American Car and Foundry, one of the largest in the business.

CMDR. MARK W. WOODS, *Nebraska '40*, a 1942 graduate of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., has taken command of the USS *Gering* based at Norfolk, Va. The *Gering* is a 2,200-ton fleet destroyer with a crew of 300.

ALVAH S. GREEN, *Knox '90*, attorney of Galesburg, Ill., has recently given to Knox two nearby woodland tracts, including the Greenoaks roving archery course, well known to midwestern collegiate archers, that the college plans to use for recreational purposes and outdoor biological studies.

MAJOR TEMPLE V. PRICE, *Knox '22*, has retired from the teaching staff of the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell after twenty-seven years of consecutive service.

R. NED LANDON, *Knox '43*, director of public relations at Knox since 1951, when he was released by the Army after a second tour of duty, has resigned to accept a position in the public relations office of General Electric Research Laboratory, Schenectady, N.Y.

Governor Knight of California, in June, appointed WILLIAM J. DAVIS, *Colorado College '18*, of San Francisco to the State Real Estate Board. Brother Davis, who has been in real estate since 1923, was one of the founders and is a past president of the Real Estate Association of San Francisco, and one of the founders and past president of the Multiple Listing Service of San Francisco.

RAYMOND E. ECKEL, *Colorado '18*

Brother Eckel was promoted to Senior Engineer, Engineering Department of the Charleston Group Companies of the Columbia Gas System, May 1. Group headquarters is in Charleston, W.Va. He formerly was superintendent of Operations of Atlantic Seaboard Corporation in Falls Church, Va.



TENNENT L. GRIFFIN, Alabama '23
Named Probate Judge

TENNENT L. GRIFFIN, Alabama '23, Mobile, Ala., real estate and insurance man, has been appointed probate judge of Mobile County by Gov. Gordon Persons. The appointment will be effective until the November, 1956, general election. Brother Griffin served on the State Board of Education in 1951 and has been serving as chairman of the Mobile County Board of Tax Equalization. An active Phi,

he was one of the charter members and treasurer of the Mobile Alumni Club when it was formed a few years ago.

GEORGE SWINEBROAD, Centre '23, of Lexington, Ky., was featured as the auctioneer (which he actually is) of the Keeneland Yearling Sales in the recent Walt Disney full-length race-horse movie, "Stormy." Brother Swinebroad is a former Province President of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

DR. JOHN HARVEY WHEELER, JR., Wabash '41, has been appointed associate professor of political science at Washington & Lee University for 1954-55. Brother Wheeler formerly was a member of the Johns Hopkins University faculty.

JUDGE WILLIAM BAYES, Ohio Wesleyan '01, P.P.G.C., long associated with the law firm of Choate, Mitchell and Ely, will continue in business at the same address of 41 Broad St., New York City, under the firm name of Choate, Mitchell and Bayes.

Among four leaders who received honorary degrees during commencement exercises at the University of California was DR. JOEL H. HILDEBRAND, Pennsylvania '03. Brother Hildebrand, emeritus professor of chemistry, one of the University's best-known scientists, received the honorary doctor of laws degree.

Among the volunteer speakers for the Heart of America United Campaign at Kansas City, Mo., is CLARENCE MCGUIRE, JR., Kansas '28, chapter adviser of Kansas Alpha. Brother McGuire is president of the Kansas City Y.M.C.A.



THEY ALWAYS GET TOGETHER

Appointment of GUENTHER BAUMGART, Chicago '37, to the newly-created post of executive director of the American Home Laundry Manufacturers' Association was the feature of that organization's Summer meeting last July at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s favorite convention spot. Brothers attending the industry sessions took advantage of the opportunity to face the camera together and here is the result.

In the usual left-to-right order they are: LOUIS E. DE GROAT, Syracuse '21, vice president, the Permold Company, Medina, Ohio; HARRY H. ALMOND, Illinois '16, branch sales manager, Aluminum Company of America, Davenport, Ia.; Brother Baumgart; WILLIAM SHAW, Kansas '06, public relations consultant, Chicago, Ill.; and DONALD A. SPRINGER, Kansas State '28, division manager, Cook Paint and Varnish Company, Des Moines, Ia.



Eight Phis in 44th at Fort Lewis

A Phi Delta Theta alumni club is in the making in the 44th Infantry Division at Fort Lewis, Wash. Six Phi on the division headquarters staff met recently with two others from units of the division now undergoing rugged advanced training here. Three are from the same chapter—California Gamma. Grouped around the desk of Lt. COL. OWEN A. GROVES, *West Virginia* '33, division surgeon, as he thumbs a copy of *THE SCROLL*, are, left to right, 1ST LT. DOUGLAS N. UPshaw, *U.C.L.A.* '52, special services entertainment officer; CPL. WALLACE NEAL, *Minnesota* '50, editor, public information office; 2ND LT. JAMES D. ALLEN, *U.C.L.A.* '52, athletic and recreation officer of the 129th Infantry Regiment; 1ST LT. EDWARD C. HOOVER, *Penn State* '52, division athletic officer; PVT. 1/C DANA J. HUNTER, *Washington* '55, reporter, public information office, since transferred to Fort Huachuca, Ariz.; CPL. JAMES E. KORN, *Ohio* '54, psychiatric social worker, division psychiatrist's office; and 2ND LT. RONALD W. CASE, *U.C.L.A.* '53, medical service officer, division artillery.

The 44th Infantry Division is a tactical infantry division—part of the general reserve for the Pacific Northwest. Division soldiers are engaged in rugged mountain and desert training so that the 44th can move out rapidly and efficiently as a completely equipped modern fighting force in any military emergency.—CPL. WALLACE NEAL, *Minnesota* '50.

Phis Meet on Cruise

Midshipmen from N.R.O.T.C. units at 51 colleges and universities gathered at Norfolk, Va., July 18 and set sail the following day for the six weeks training cruise "Charlie." There were thirteen training ships plus an oiler in the group. These consisted of two cruisers, one destroyer, six escort destroyers, and four A.P.D.'s. Aboard the destroyer *USS Wren*, as usual, Phi got together. LT. (J.G.) CHARLES W. ARNASON, *Minnesota* '50, being the possessor of a law degree, was cruise legal officer besides being supply officer aboard the *Wren*. Midshipmen FRED HOEPTNER, *U.S.C.* '55, and AL ANDER-



ABOARD *USS WREN*

LEFT TO RIGHT: Midshipman Al Anderson, Lt. (j.g.) Charles W. Arnason, and Midshipman Fred Hoeptner.

SON, *Nebraska* '55, will be Seniors at their universities this year, and next June will receive their commissions as ensigns after which they will serve two years in the Navy.

Ports of call during the cruise were Quebec City, Canada; Havana, Cuba; and Guantánamo Navy Base, Cuba. This base is leased by the United States from the Cuban government.

Daily midshipman routine was similar to that of the crew, and sleeping time not too plentiful, but both Al and Fred agreed they learned a lot about the Navy sailing the *Wren* just as we all have about brotherhood sailing the Good Ship Phi.

MAJOR VINCENT E. CASEY, *Wyoming* '49, of Cheyenne, Wyo., now aircraft maintenance officer of the Wyoming National Guard, was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in Korea, where he served from December, 1952 to September, 1953. Major Casey flew B-25s in combat during World War II in the Pacific Theatre and was recalled to active duty in the Wyoming National Guard in March, 1951. Brother Casey also holds the Air medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, Distinguished Flying Cross with two Oak Leaf Clusters, and other medals.

June 11, LT. WILLIAM Z. TAYLOR, *Allegheny* '51, now residing in Cleveland, Ohio, was presented with the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in Korea in special military services at Headquarters, Ohio Military District, Columbus, Ohio. He served as a Forward Observer and later as Artillery Liaison Officer in Korea.

1ST LT. RICHARD C. SCHNORF, *Akron* '50, in Korea since last January, has left Korea for Hawaii with the 25th Infantry Division, which is returning to

its home in Schofield Barracks. Brother Schnorf entered the Army in 1943 and wears the Bronze Star Medal, Commendation Ribbon and Combat Infantryman Badge.

GEORGE E. TIERNEY, *Cincinnati* '56, recently arrived for duty at the Army's Alaskan Headquarters.

DEAN L. MACRIS, *Westminster* '53, of Quincy, Ill., was recently promoted to the Judge Advocate Section of the Army, Headquarters 7th Corps, in Stuttgart, Germany.

FORREST MORGAN, *Centre* '33, was named by the Secretary of State as a member of the U. S. delegation to the International Civil Organization's Conference on Coordination of Air Transport in Europe, which was held at the headquarters of the Council of Europe in Strasbourg, France, April 21-May 8, 1954. Brother Morgan is Chief, International Field Office, Civil Aeronautics Administration, American Embassy, Paris, France.

DR. T. HUNTON ROGERS, *Centre* '14, was elected a trustee and DR. VIRGIL KINNAIRD, *Centre* '12 and JACK B. STITH, JR., *Centre* '39, were named new Alumni Directors of Centre College.

STEWART V. VEALE, *Gettysburg* '52, has been named recipient of the Stanolind Fellowship Award for 1954-55 in the graduate division of the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Finance and Commerce. Brother Veale served Gettysburg Phis as chapter president, and is also a member of $\Phi\beta\chi$. He was recently released from service with the Army Transportation Corps.

ELLERY KELLEY, *Iowa* '29, manager of Geyerman's Inc. at Mitchell, S.D., was named to the American Red Cross Board of Governors at the national convention of the Red Cross held in June.

Elected president of the Anderson (Indiana) Contractors Association for the coming year is DON SKEOCH, *Purdue* '30, of the Skeoch Roofing Co.



PHIS MEET ON HIGH SEAS
And become fast friends.

This Summer Phis from several chapters found themselves together aboard the SS *Groote Beer* sailing out of Quebec. Brother Wills, who furnished the information concerning the group said, "I am happy to report that to our mutual delight we found we had a great deal in common in addition to the fact that we all wore the Sword and Shield," and reported that they became fast friends during their week on board ship. The Phis are: FRONT ROW: MATT WILLS, *Vanderbilt* '54, DON SIEFERS, *Kansas* '55, DILL ADAMS, *Vanderbilt* '55. BACK ROW: FRANK JENNINGS, *Kansas* '54, BILL ESTES, *Vanderbilt* '55, DARREL CLOWES, *Dartmouth* '55, WINFIELD BAIRD, *Vanderbilt* '54. The picture was taken by a charming Tri Delt from Northwestern.

JOHN C. MATHEW, *Hanover* '51, was ordained to the ministry of the Presbyterian Church at Anderson, Ind., Sunday, May 9. Brother Mathew, who received his religious training at the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Louisville, Ky., is now serving as pastor of the Presbyterian Church at College Corner, Ohio.

J. H. BOLLES, *Ohio Wesleyan* '20, has been appointed director of sales and engineering for the Delco-Remy Division at Anderson, Ind. Brother Bolles, who has been with the company since his graduation, served previously as a service engineer, sales engineer and in 1936 was named manager of the Detroit sales office. Since 1947 he has served as chief engineer at Anderson.

DECORATED

LT. COL. EDWARD J. GRANT, *Vermont* '31 (right) is congratulated by Col. Septimus B. Sighler, Jr., after receiving a second Oak Leaf Cluster for his Bronze Star Medal in Taegu, Korea. Brother Grant was cited for meritorious services in the zone's training section from June 1953 to July 1954.



RANCK



THACKER



RATCLIFFE

LEFT: 2D LT. ROBERT B. RANCK, *Wisconsin '51*, of Cody, Wyo., a former Golden Gloves champion for the Wisconsin and Northern Michigan area, recently became heavyweight boxing champion in the Far East Command. He is training officer for the 539th Truck Company in Korea. While attending the University of Wisconsin, he was the University's heavyweight champion from 1949 to 1952. He was National Collegiate Athletic Association champion in 1951 and 1952 and Eastern Collegiate Champion in 1949. CENTER: 2D LT. RICHARD T. THACKER, JR., *Oregon '53*, recently arrived in Germany where he is assistant communications officer in Headquarters Battery of the 1st Infantry Division's 7th Field Artillery Battalion. RIGHT: PFC JAMES M. RATCLIFFE, *Centre '53*, is serving in Germany where he is a finance disbursing specialist with the 2d Armored Division.

Appointment of GEORGE R. THOMPSON, *Cincinnati '07*, to the executive staff of Giffels and Vallet, Inc., L. Rossetti, associated engineers and architects of Detroit, Mich., has been announced by Victor Vallet, president. He assumes his duties following retirement as Detroit's city engineer, a position he has held during the past seventeen years. In addition to this position, he has served the State of Michigan as budget director and consulting engineer. At one time, Brother Thompson was in charge of construction of the Ford River Rouge Blast Furnace Plant.

EMIL REUTZEL, JR., *Nebraska-Northwestern '45*, has become an assistant to Federal Civilian Defense Administrator Val Peterson. He has published the *Neligh News* at Neligh, Neb., for the past eight years.

ROBERT E. TAYLOR, *Cincinnati '35*, is the new vice-president of four National Dairy Products Corporation subsidiary companies in the Cincinnati area. He started with the company seventeen years ago and has been associated with it continuously, except for the war years when he served in the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

THOMAS M. BROWNLEE, *Nebraska '50*, assistant manager of the Greater Tampa Chamber of Commerce, has accepted the position as manager of the Tallahassee, Fla., Chamber of Commerce. Brother Brownlee is secretary-treasurer of the Tampa Alumni Association of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

JERRY HUNTSMAN, *Wabash '52*, former Wabash football star, has been named basketball coach and athletic director at Waveland High School, Crawfordsville, Ind.

DR. CLINTON WUNDER, *Cincinnati '14*, recently retired as a Commander in the Naval Reserve, following 32 years of Reserve service, which included duty in both World Wars I and II. Brother Wunder, who is listed in *Who's Who*, is a vice-president of National Fund Raising Services, Inc., Ft. Worth, Tex. His residence is Bent, N.M., where he is a rancher in "The Land of Enchantment."

Tantamount to election in the final elections in Georgia in November is the selection, in the Democratic primaries, of a surprisingly large number of Phis to serve their state. Phi winners include: ERNEST VANDIVER, *Georgia '42*, for Lieutenant governor; DENMARK GROVER, JR., *Georgia '43*, and DOUGLAS CARLISLE, *Mercer '16*, for Representatives from Bibb County to the Georgia Legislature; JUDGE WENDELL HORNE, *Duke '33*, as judge of Superior Court of Cordele Circuit; A. M. ANDERSON, *Emory '30*, Senior Judge, Bibb County Superior Court, and JULE FELTON, *Emory '19*, Justice of Georgia Court of Appeals.

DR. CHARLES E. MARTIN, *U.C.L.A. '14*, professor of International Law and Political Science and Director of the Institute of International Affairs at the University of Washington, Seattle, Wash., will be on Sabbatical leave from the University during the academic year 1954-55. A grant-in-aid from the Rockefeller Foundation makes it possible for Dr. Martin to visit Japan for several months in order to inquire into Japan's emerging world position since the occupation. Following his Japanese sojourn, Brother Martin will visit countries of East and Southeast Asia and will make brief trips to a few of the Middle Eastern countries.



SEASON FOR PHIKEIAS!

The chapter reports in this issue of *THE SCROLL* are filled with news of successful rush seasons and outstanding new delegations of Phikeias. Typical of the groups you'll read about throughout this section is the Indiana Delta pledge class, pictured above. Pretty natty, aren't they . . . in their tuxedos and white carnations? They are, FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Bob Burton, Roger Schroeder, Gene Lindsey, Gilbert Rogers, Don O'Brien, Dean Sanderson; SECOND ROW: Jim Goodner, Jim Vogler, Mick Matsey, Jack Peterson, Tim Swegman, Milton Taylor, Gene White, Jim Hall; THIRD ROW: Tom Shelton, Norman Pash, Harry Horn, Jack Baker, Roger Roth, Jim Gabbard, Roger Devore, Bernie Admire, Frank Hiday, Ken Wendelman, Jerry Locey, Joe Lusk, Al Simmons, John Kseric, Bob Skinner.



Chapter News in Brief



ALABAMA ALPHA, University of Alabama.—Rush week was very successful and we pledged the following men: Earle Carpenter, Charles Summers, Tom Nesbitt, Birmingham; Steve Williams, John Adams, Ben Reeves, Eufaula; Buddy Huppertz, Ft. Worth, Tex.; Beckham Palmer, Eutaw; John Bowman, Montgomery; Bobby Molette, Selma; Frank Drane, Mobile, and Ed Henderson, Anniston. Earle Carpenter was elected pledge class president, Tom Nesbitt, vice-president, and John Bowman, treasurer. The football team, with Molton Smith as its captain, began the season by beating the Σ A Es by a score of 6 to 3. Though it is a young team, it is a team that promises to be one of the best in several years. We have stepped up our pledge program and this year plan to offer two plaques to the pledges: one for the most outstanding pledge and another for the pledge with the highest scholastic average. The chapter received a terrible blow this Summer when one of its members was killed. Richard Brown died in an automobile accident in July. Plans are being made for our Orchid ball to be held, November 27, in Birmingham, on the night preceding the Alabama-

Auburn football game.—J. MOLTON SMITH, *Reporter*.

ALABAMA BETA, Alabama Polytechnic Institute.—The Alabama Beta Corporation is now completely organized and plans are being formulated toward the building of a new house. Thanks to our gracious alumni, the brothers are moving rapidly in the work of getting the chapter in tip-top financial condition. Another corporation meeting was scheduled after the Auburn football game, October 23, at which plans were laid for the necessary funds and their procurement. The intramural sports program is getting underway and it looks as if Alabama Beta will field one of the best football teams on the campus. The chapter is definitely aiming toward the All-Sports Trophy this year. The chapter is preparing for its annual Bowery ball, which is one of the social highlights during the year. Other activities at this time include the Freshmen Senator race in which one of our new Phikeias is entered. Alabama Beta is very proud of its twenty new Phikeias and the excellent work they are doing to further themselves and the chapter. The chapter invites all alumni and visiting brothers to drop in while here

in Auburn during the football season.—F. L. SMITH, *Reporter*.

ALBERTA ALPHA, University of Alberta.—The Fall session at the University of Alberta began September 20, and it is well to note at this time that Brother Tom Peacock, President of the Gold Key Society, was in charge of Freshman Introduction. This project is a big headache, demands much work, and presents the problem of keeping 1,000 freshmen actively engaged for one week. Happily, I can report that the whole week was a resounding success, and that Tom not only did himself proud, but also brought much good publicity and respect to our chapter. The brothers are in the process of remodeling the interior of the chapter house at present in preparation for what we anticipate will be another banner year of rushing. Brother Jim Millard has again availed us of his good taste in interior design, and with his continued good counsel, and considerable effort on the part of the brothers, the house should be in good shape by the time this issue comes to press. Intramural sports are underway, and the chapter hopes to defend successfully the Aggregate Intramural

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1953-54 SCHOLARSHIP

As Reported to October 28, 1954

Above All-Men's Average—43; Below All-Men's Average—41

Honor Chapters

Alabama Alpha
Alabama Beta
Colorado Beta
Florida Alpha
Iowa Beta
Iowa Gamma
Kansas Alpha
Kansas Gamma
Kentucky Alpha-Delta
Maine Alpha
Mississippi Alpha
Missouri Alpha
Missouri Beta
Nebraska Alpha
North Carolina Beta
North Carolina Gamma
Ohio Beta
Ohio Zeta
Pennsylvania Beta
Pennsylvania Epsilon
South Dakota Alpha
Tennessee Alpha
Texas Delta
Texas Epsilon
Vermont Alpha
Virginia Gamma
Washington Gamma
Washington Delta

Others Above All-Men

California Gamma
Georgia Beta
Indiana Beta
Kentucky Epsilon

Louisiana Beta
Maryland Alpha
New York Alpha
North Carolina Alpha
Ohio Alpha
Ohio Epsilon
Ohio Theta
Oklahoma Alpha
Oklahoma Beta
Oregon Alpha
Texas Beta

Below All-Men

Arizona Alpha
California Alpha
Colorado Alpha
Florida Gamma
Georgia Alpha
Georgia Gamma
Georgia Delta
Illinois Delta-Zeta
Illinois Eta
Indiana Alpha
Indiana Gamma
Indiana Delta
Indiana Epsilon
Indiana Zeta
Indiana Theta
Maryland Alpha
Massachusetts Gamma
Michigan Beta
North Dakota Alpha
Ohio Gamma
Ohio Iota
Oregon Beta

Pennsylvania Alpha
Pennsylvania Theta
Pennsylvania Kappa
Rhode Island Alpha
Utah Alpha
Washington Alpha
West Virginia Alpha
Wisconsin Beta

Delinquent Chapters

Louisiana Beta
Michigan Alpha (2nd Year)
New York Epsilon
Ohio Kappa
Oregon Gamma
Pennsylvania Gamma (2nd Year)
Pennsylvania Eta
Pennsylvania Zeta
Tennessee Beta
Virginia Zeta
Wisconsin Alpha

Delinquent From 1953 (No 1954 Reports as Yet)

Idaho Alpha
Illinois Alpha
Illinois Theta (2 Years)
Massachusetts Alpha
Virginia Beta
Virginia Delta
Wyoming Alpha (2 Years)

—DONALD DUSHANE
Scholarship Commissioner

Trophy that was won for the first time last year. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ again placed men on the Intervarsity tennis team, which has won the western Canada Intercollegiate Athletic Union championship for three years in a row. Plans are underway for our annual Halloween Party at which we entertain children from a local orphanage. In past years it has been a great success, and often hard to decide which group has the most fun, the kids or the Phis.—JOHN R. HIGGIN, *Reporter*.

ARIZONA ALPHA, University of Arizona.—Here at Arizona Alpha we can look back with pride at our accomplishments in the first month of school. After a very fine formal rush we counted noses and found ourselves in possession of eighteen of the finest men going through rush period. They are: Mark Lind, Jack Levitt, Dave Thomas, Andy Ryan, Jim Hill, Dudley

Wodden, Phoenix; T. Ed. Woods, John Sisson, Tucson; Bob Yount, Scotsdale; Bill Margolf, Duluth, Minn.; Danny Clauson, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Pat Bowman, John Green, Kansas City, Kan.; Danny Henniman, Elgin, Ill.; Harry Tickner, Los Angeles, Calif.; Carl Lock, Imperial Valley, Calif.; John Wilber, Salem, Ore., and Dick O'Connor, Seattle, Wash. Informal rush is just starting and we plan on picking up about six more top men to round out our pledge class. Immediately following formal rush are the class elections. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is well represented with two men in the finals. John Kemp is in the race for Sophomore class president and T. Ed Woods is running for the office of Freshman class vice president. Intramurals are going very well. We are now in third place in the race with two strongest sports, basketball and football, just starting.

We should be on top of the heap within a month.—DENNIS BALINT, *Reporter*.

ARKANSAS ALPHA
University of Arkansas
No letter received.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, University of British Columbia.—British Columbia Alpha started the year by planting grass and trees around the house. The appearance of the house has been greatly improved and it is looking much more settled. Dick Underhill is president of the U.B.C. student body this year and is doing marvelous work. Don Jabour and Bob McLean are doing a great job of running a Pep Club to promote student interest in athletics. The brothers welcome Ian McInnes and Jim Mitchell, who have just been initiated into the chapter. At the moment British Columbia Alpha is rushing

seventy prospective pledges and the chapter is assured of getting a tremendous pledge class. The brothers extend congratulations to Pat Jackson who married a wonderful girl this Summer. The chapter was very pleased to be awarded the General Headquarters Trophy for 1953-54. We are proud to be the one group to receive this cup of the 120 competing for it. This trophy is awarded for cooperation with headquarters in sending reports. Cheers for the treasurer, historian and reporter. The chapter had a Bohemian party in September. All the brothers and their dates were in Greenwich Village costume and brought French bread, garlic sausage, and much, much wine—it was a great party!—JOHN RICHARDS, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA, University of California.—California Alpha is enjoying one of its best semesters in many a year. We are happy to report that under the able leadership of President Jack Risbrough and Rushing Chairman Tom Coakley, we acquired a fine pledge class of 22, the largest on campus according to all unofficial reports. In way of scholarship we are also proud to announce that overall chapter average vaulted our academic position from 41st out of 54 fraternities to 23rd for the year 1953-1954. Due to a great increase in chapter spirit, we are assured of continued improvement in this field. In the athletic department we find rugged Bear guard Charley Martucci a mainstay at his regular slot on the Cal eleven. Participating in other Fall sports are the following: Morrie Kirk, Dick Pawson and Phikeia Chuck McNeil, water polo; Gene Markley and Phikeia John Shelley, boxing; Phikeias Bruce McCausland and Don Shea, crew; Jerry Raugust, varsity basketball; Jack Lockhart and Dick Pawson, weight basketball; Phikeias Dick Jacobsen and Fred Ebey, Freshman football; Phikeia Gordon Cardoza, judo. California Alpha also enriched its chapter with the initiation of six new men: Skip Anderson, Jerry Becker, Paul Broccini, Tom Conrad, Lynn Nebeker and Bill Parsons. The social calendar is full as always with a variety of house functions including exchanges with the Degees, Kappas and Pi Phis, along with our Orphans' Christmas party. Highlighting the Fall events will be our annual Duck Dinner. All San Francisco Bay Area Phis are always invited to attend this traditional Big Game Week reunion November 18 at 6:00 P.M.—DICK PAWSON, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA BETA, Stanford University.—In the Fall, when football reigns supreme, California Beta is



CALIFORNIA ALPHA PHIKEIAS

New Phikeias at California Alpha: FRONT ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: John Shelley, Ken Bittner, Jim Boodell, Tom Grant, Jim Woodward. SECOND ROW: Bo Sandford, John Lazar, Gordon Cardoza, Jim Pitto, Dick Jacobsen, Chuck Green, Bruce McCausland. THIRD ROW: Fred Ebey, John Coakley, Mark Waters, Keith Flaherty, Jerry Costanza, Don Shea, Chuck McNeil. Not present when picture was taken: Bill Bixby, Jim Groeniger and Al Klugow.

more than doing its part. Paul Wiggin, Jim Saras and Jim Morrison are out to bolster the Indians' cause. Wiggin, by the way, has been rated by many to be the team's top lineman. Our chapter numbers around thirty-five this year, the big deficit (formerly 55) being due to last year's large graduating class. Even more startling is the fact that there are only five Seniors, Dick Frank, Bill West, Victor Fennell and Bruce Stilson all going on to medical, dental, and law schools after the completion of three years of undergraduate work. In other sports, Tom Dandurand is already getting in condition for another big year with the Stanford baseball team. In intramurals Coach Don Clark is busy priming his football team for a big season. Last year we battled to the semifinals and this year we hope to go all the way. As a result of the Stanford-Oregon game, we won a sheepskin from the Oregon Alpha chapter and we expect to have it up in our library some time after Christmas. Our rushing season begins in January and Rush Chairman Neil Papiano would welcome any recommendations or suggestions of prospective Phis.—JOHN F. RAMSAY, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA, U.C.L.A.—This looks to be another banner year for the U.C.L.A. Phis, who began it by "scooping the row" of rushees in both quantity and quality. Under the fine leadership of Rush Chairman Al Lundy, we pledged 22 men, all of whom have an abundance of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ potential. The new Phikeias are: Ted Butler, Chuck Dahlgren, Don Molloy, Jim Roth, Lou Parsons, John Coombs, Don Dewey, Bill Marston, Don Leidig,

Mike Gallagher, Dick Skaer, Bob Thompson, J. R. McCabe, Jim Milligan, Phil Parslaw, Tony Roach, Don Watkins, Barry Billington, Pete DuBois, Steve Brixey, Jim Brannon and Don Ferguson. Socially no chapter on the row surpasses us and Social Chairman Don Hughes has already arranged two tremendous formals for the coming months. The Initiation formal will honor new Phis Sandy Crawford, Bill Coates, Ralph Kenny and John Cooper. The other party will be a Christmas formal with the $\Delta\Gamma\varsigma$. This year we are holding it jointly with the U.S.C. chapter—California Delta. President Tom Brooks has been elected I.F.C. president and Vice President René Miller has been appointed assistant intramural director. Tony Rexrode is cavorting with the cheerleaders who are whooping it up for our All-American candidate Bob Davenport. Dick Doss and Jim Read were selected as co-captains of the 1955 tennis team. Quite an honor when one considers the fact that the Bruins have been National Collegiate champs for the last three years. Academically we are far above the other five major chapters on campus. Scholarship Chairman Fred Shean is doing a tremendous job enforcing study hours. Dick Jones is once again leading the fine Bruin band and bringing the chapter a lot of prestige. In intramural athletics we are once again gunning for a repeat performance of the last two years. Athletic Chairman Jack Engle is pointing us toward our third straight All-University championship. Of particular note was the outstanding job we did in the various R.O.T.C. detachments last semester. Bill Johnston

was awarded the "Cadet of the Year" award in the Army and Dale Cunningham and Al Lundy received the same award for the Navy and Air Force respectively. Dave Duff, Fred Shean and René Miller received the outstanding Junior, Sophomore and the Vultee Air Craft Awards in that order. The brothers are well represented on all of the athletic teams at U.C.L.A. and stand prominently in the midst of all campus activities. With the enthusiasm and spirit carrying over from last year and the impetus from our new pledge class, we stand mighty tall at U.C.L.A.—RENÉ MILLER, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA DELTA, University Southern California.—The brothers of California Delta are looking forward to their best year since the chapter's founding in 1949, under new chapter officers Bruce Johnson, president; Barry Everett, reporter; Dick Kirtland, house manager; Larry Carroll, pledge trainer; Jack Wheeler, secretary; Paul Zander, rush chairman. Zander has been receiving congratulations from the chapter for his work in garnering a booming pledge class of 28 Phikeias. By way of activities, Wayne Kurlak, Ron (First Down) Brown, Al Adams and Roger (the Lodger) Belnap are playing varsity football, while Harry Bisbey, All-Olympic goalie in 1952, is playing on the water polo team. Stan Richards is on the varsity basketball team, and new Phikeias Karl Pope, Don Bauermeister and Tom Gould are cavorting for the Freshman squad. New Phikeia Greg Grant was last year's National High School tennis champion and promises to bring to S.C., the tennis supremacy the Trojans have relinquished in past years to crosstown U.C.L.A. Don Daves is president of Trojan Knights, campus service and spirit honorary, and as such heads the planning of all card stunts, rallies and halftime activities during football season. Dennis Hopper is Homecoming parade chairman, Jack



COLORADO PREXY

Lyal Quinby, ex-president of Colorado Alpha, recently elected president of the Associated Students of the University of Colorado

Laffin is University Publicity Chairman and Ed Mainland's vibrant prose is decorating the otherwise drab sports pages of *The Daily Trojan*, campus daily. Highlights of our social season so far have been a Roman "Toga Party" and a "Bermuda Shorts-Party" at the home of Phi Alumnus Wendell Niles. The home is in many respects still intact, eh Wendell? House improvements during the summer were an addition to the dining room and a new coat of paint for the house's exterior. Preparations have already begun for winning the All-Fraternity Diamond Jubilee Talent Show for the second consecutive year. At the start of school, the chapter welcomed transfers Jim Holt from the University of California and "Wee" Niles from the University of Washington.—BARRY EVERETT.

COLORADO ALPHA, University of Colorado.—Colorado Alpha survived

another grueling rush week with excellent results. A total of 34 new Phikeias now wear the blue and white and joyfully participate in chapter activities. The Phikeias are: Edward Brock, Robert Krupp, Wally Palmer, Robert McCutcheon, Boulder; Thomas Cooley, Larry Hughie, Tom Lanagan, Ronald Miller, Donald Mooney, Fred Vickers, Denver; Gene Worden, Loveland; Reuben Ball, Montclair, N.J.; Ronald Barton, Richard Hassel, Des Plaines, Ill.; Larry Collins, Marion, Ill.; George Ficke, Crete, Ill.; Richard Moore, Chicago Ill.; Robert Pottle, Rockford, Ill.; Glenn Stull, Joliet, Ill.; Edward Wachs, Prairie View, Ill.; James Yore, Lake Forest, Ill.; James Schell, Walter Brainerd, Des Moines, Ia.; Bill Crouch, Tipton, Ind.; Rupert Getzen, Pleasant Ridge, Mich.; John Hitchcock, Boise, Ida.; Mark Mullin, Gary, Ind.; Robert Stevens, Mt. Vernon, Ohio; Michael Cobb, San Carlos, Calif.; Jerry Crawford, Culver City, Calif.; Peter Mitchell, Santa Barbara, Calif.; Larry Ohl, Pacific Palisades, Calif.; Oscar Pieper, Menlo Park, Calif. and Richard Triplett, Los Angeles, Calif. Immediately following rush week, eight men were initiated into the chapter: James Cadle, Leavenworth, Kan.; Joseph Cerny, Braidwood, Ill.; James Garber, Canton, Ohio; Dean Wilcox, Larned, Kan.; Peter Cook, Hinsdale, Ill.; Douglas McDonald, Davenport, Ia.; Phil Brockington, Clarendon Hills, Ill.; and William Haze, Los Angeles, Calif. Colorado Alpha ended the Spring semester by winning two C.U. Day trophies—first in both songfest and carnival. A poor showing in volleyball dropped the Phis from second to fifth in the intramural standings, but hopes are high for next season, with the pledging of a left-handed softball pitcher. Phikeia John Bayuk is starting at fullback for Colorado's Golden Buffaloes, and has already piled up an impressive ground-gaining record. Lyal Quinby, ex-president of this chapter, has been elected to serve as president of the Associated Students for the coming year. Brother Quinby spent the Summer in Europe, as a guest of the university. The construction of two new large dormitories has increased enrollment to over 8000.—FRED BOSSELMAN, *Reporter*.

SONGFEST WINNERS

Winning songfest team at Colorado University was composed of Phis and Pi Phis. The group won with a costumed rendition of "Russian Picnic."



COLORADO BETA

Colorado College
No letter received.

COLORADO GAMMA, Colorado A. & M. College.—This year Colorado Gamma opened its doors to rushees September 9. The rushees were greeted in the atmosphere of a redecorated living room complete with new drapes made by Mrs. Lyon, the mother of our house manager. The

active chapter assembled September 16 and completed the house work by September 18. At the close of rush week Colorado Gamma pledged fifteen men, to rank fifth on the campus in total number of pledges. The new Phikeias include: Dave Anderson, Birmingham, Mich.; Bob Aue, Kimble, Neb.; Bob Carful, Bismarck, N.D.; Al Carollo, Rock Springs, Wyo.; Jim Caughran, Dove Creek; Phil Jenkins, Douglas, Wyo.; Phil Justice, Denver; Don Loptien, Colorado Springs; Dave Lundstrom, Appleton, Wis.; Frank Forsyth, Dix, Neb.; Chuck McClure, Chicago, Ill.; Jack Smith, Colorado Springs; Dick Tabor, Brighton; Jack Vendetti, Florence, and Norm Tisdale, Dix, Neb. The new Phikeias were honored with a dance, given October 8. Bud Dekleva, All-Phi second team right guard in his Sophomore year, has again earned a starting berth on the Aggie line up. He proved his gridiron ability by being chosen the outstanding lineman of the week against Brigham Young University October 2. The chapter meeting, October 3, was enlivened by a report on the General Convention given by one of the six brothers who attended from our chapter.—JAMES K. POTTS

FLORIDA ALPHA, University of Florida.—Florida Alpha started the Fall semester with a very successful rush week which resulted in 60 new Phikeias. The news of our president returning from Convention with the Harvard Trophy greeted us on our return to school, and with it on our mantel and the very fine material in the pledge group, we were inspired to win the first major intramural sport, swimming. Our scholastic standing on campus for last semester was 4th among all fraternities and well above the all-men's average. We are expecting a large number of alumni for our Homecoming this year. Several brothers walked off with top individual honors last semester. John Pattillo was selected as the outstanding male graduate of the University; Earl Pouche earned All-American rating as a pole-vaulter on the track team; and Pete Fay is the first freshman law student to be elected president of the John Marshall Bar Association. On the varsity football team, which is having a very fine season, are Brothers Ed Bass and John Burgess, along with Phikeias Ray Brown, Steve DeLaTore, and Malcom Hammock.—JIM PARKER, Reporter.

FLORIDA GAMMA, Florida State University.—After taking a first place in over-all intramurals for the second consecutive year and placing third in scholarship, Florida Gamma is off to another flying start with the pledging of thirty new Phikeias. They are:



TROPHY DISPLAY

Dean Pohl, house manager, stands next to Florida Gamma's new trophy case.

Ronald Walden, Lloyd Frierson, Plant City; Donald Noot, Montclair, N.J.; Dan Butler, Clearwater; Gale Porter, Willie Gardner, Earl Reid, Tampa; Dan Owens, Gary Bailey, Sonny Casca, John Bond, Benny Bendschadler, Bill Weaver, Miami; Dave Marcell, DeLand; Harry McCann, Buddy Reynolds, West Palm Beach; Mike Conley, Orlando; Chuck Burns, Amman, Jordan; William DuBois, Boynton Beach; Ed McCall, Eugene Estridge, Sanford; Jimmy Webb, Jacksonville; Pete Mitchel, Ft. Lauderdale; Jimmy Petrandis, Leo Young, Bob Malloy, Tallahassee; Paul Jones, Winston-Salem, N.C.; Bob Mathews, Decatur, Ga.; Bill Swilley, Albany, Ga.; and Tommy Thompson, Springfield, Ill. We also have many brothers holding offices of distinction in student government: Bob Berto, Student Senate; George Carnes and Harvey Hall, University Court; Harry Massey, president of Senior class; Jack Houser, president of OAK and president of Southern Universities Student Government Association. Billy Graham, Jerry Jacobs, Harry Massey, and Phikeias Buddy Reynolds, Billy Weaver and Tommy Thompson are all among the first twenty-two men on the varsity football team. All the brothers and pledges looked forward to the first big social weekend of the school year, the annual Bowery ball, which was held in the latter part of October.—ART ALLWOOD, Reporter.

GEORGIA ALPHA
University of Georgia
No letter received.

GEORGIA BETA, Emory University.—Pete Stuart, newly elected member of the General Council, honored Georgia Beta with a visit September, 24-25. Making his first official visit since his election, Brother Stuart spoke both to the chapter and the Atlanta Alumni. The recent convention was the main topic and both Chapter President Hugh Tarbutton and Province President Sam McKenzie received praise from Brother Stuart for their part in the convention. Something which happens more often than a visit by a member of General Council, but still of some importance was the addition of 33 new pledges September 26. "Beef" Holden, rush chairman, was primarily responsible for this fine class. Initiating new practices such as personal letters and a three-state caravan, October Holden was easily the most active rush chairman that Georgia Beta has seen in years. Bob Henry was elected pledge master and his recently adopted pledge-point system promises a good class for '54. However, to put them in their proper place the brothers defeated the Phikeias 19 to 0 in the annual football game. Led by Jimmy Williams, who played high school ball and "Ted Bare" Johnson who has a good build for his size, the brothers completely outclassed the little ones. Charles Ginden, president of the I.F.C., has received much praise from the university and the campus for his sponsoring of the first annual Greek Week.—BILL GRIFFITH, Reporter.

GEORGIA GAMMA, Mercer University.—After capturing intramural trophies in basketball, softball and tennis last year, we are out for a clean sweep by taking the intramural football championship this fall. At the conclusion of 1953-54, we ranked third on the campus in scholarship, which is a tremendous improvement. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has once again concluded a highly successful rush season, pledging 20 Phikeias—both the largest and finest group of men on the campus. The new Phikeias are: Billy Lee, Mac Smith, Jim Hilliard, Atlanta; Bill Smith, Cloyd Hall, Hugh Parker, Terry Brown, Jack Lawton, Dan Garrett, Macon; Danny Hobbs, Lumpkin; Bob Steed, Bowden; Tommy Patton, Chatteroi, Pa.; Ronnie Williams, Warrenton, England; Benny Woodall, Columbus; Dan Fretwell, Jackson; Steve Hansford, Adel; Sheffield Smith, Forsyth; Freddie Burdette, Albany; Roger Shadburn and Jere Greer, Buford. The chapter's annual Shipwreck ball was held September 29 and under the fine leadership of our President Benny Waugh, it was a highly successful affair. Sunday, October 2, the chapter entertained dates, rushees and alumni at an open house, display-



CRUSOES AND THEIR GALS, FRIDAY

Phis and their dates at Georgia Gamma's Shipwreck Ball.

ing our newly renovated chapter room. We owe many thanks to Chuck Culver, now in graduate school at Duke University, who after graduation from Mercer last Spring returned this Summer to spend many faithful hours decorating our suite.—JOHN B. PETERSON, *Reporter*.

GEORGIA DELTA

Georgia Institute of Technology
No letter received.

IDAHO ALPHA, University of Idaho.—Members of the chapter returned to a completely remodeled chapter house this Fall. October 2 saw alumni from far and near return to the campus for Homecoming. Those who returned were greeted by many beautiful house decorations and a sizeable parade. Although not a winner, the chapter's float presented stiff competition for Homecoming honors. After the game, the chapter held an open house, which was attended by approximately two hundred guests. Turkey was served buffet style in the new dining room. In September, the chapter attended burial services for Dr. Burton L. French, a noted political figure and holder of Bond number 1 at Idaho Alpha. Plans are now underway for our annual pledge dance. Members and Phikeias usually appear, with their dates, dressed in pajamas of every description for the gala affair. The chapter boasts the best if not the largest pledge class on the campus this semester. 26 young men were formally pledged as Phikeias in September. Intramurals have been underway a short time, but the chapter is already on the road toward another all-campus championship. The Air

Force, Navy and Army programs boast many Phis in responsible leadership positions. Harvey Hoff holds the position of Platoon leader in the Navy, while Reggie Frazier, Ken Brown and Leroy Clemons are Squadron Commanders in the Air Force program. Gary Hudson holds the position of Company Commander with the Army program. At present, Jim Faulkner is holding down a center position with the varsity football squad while six eager Phikeias bolster the ranks of the Freshman team. The chapter is proud to welcome another exchange student, Jamie Bienero, graduate student in forestry from Brazil. Reidar Otto Ulevaalseter, our exchange student from Norway, returned a few weeks ago from Chicago where he competed in a National Invitation Ski Jumping Tournament. "Otts" turned in an outstanding performance, placing second and third. June graduates Lloyd Horn and Vern Thomas are now at Lackland Air Force Base for indoctrination into pilot training.—KEN BROWN, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS ALPHA, Northwestern University.—Crisp weather and the promise of football in the air lured members of Illinois Alpha back from their Summer haunts to do some serious rushing. As a result we can again point to a well-balanced group of promising Phikeias. The following men were pledged this Fall: James Jewell, Douglas Cunningham, Carl Owen, David Pemberton, Allan Waitley, Evanston; Lawrence Melin, Oak Park; Bruce Pashley, River Forest; Robert Pidcock, La Grange Park; Donald Anderson, Phillip Larson, Galesburg; Burdette De Keyrel, Robert Hensley, Moline; James Hook, Greys-

lake; Ronald Johnson, Lockport; Robert Stouffer, Wood River; James Belardi, John Warner, Beloit, Wis.; Robert Goodwin, Des Moines, Ia.; Fredrick Poland, St. Joseph, Mo.; Thomas Goch, Michigan City, Ind.; Phillip Heeter, Dayton, Ohio; William Miller, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Joseph Turner, Powell Butte, Ore. and John Choate, Nutley, N.J. In sports this Fall, three Sophomores represent $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on Saturday afternoons. Quarterback Eddie Broeker, guard John Lohbauer and end Paul Zimmerman, all donned football togs and are seeing plenty of action. Mark Engdahl took the helm as I.F.C. president. John Holmbeck recently completed a first issue of *The Northwestern Phi*, an alumni directory and news magazine. Rog Ragland returned from Europe after a successful tour with his dance band, and with many tales of a "Happy wanderer." On the social side: sarong-clad coeds and bell bottom boys were the thing at a South Sea Island party held at the house during which the girls were initiated into the mysteries of "She Delta Theta." In the annual Freshman pajama race a team of four Phikeias ran away with the trophy, grabbing a comfortable first.—HOWIE WEYBURG, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS BETA, University of Chicago.—Illinois Beta is very happy at the action taken at the 1954 General Convention in making the first step in changing our constitutional membership requirements. We are happy and proud to be members of an organization which has the ability to progress. The Phis of Illinois Beta greeted the new term with a face lifting for the chapter house. Sparked by

Les Foster and Harry Hartzler, walls were scrubbed and painted, bedrooms redecorated and the walls and floor of the bathroom completely retiled. At the moment, we are preparing for Fall rushing season, which is for graduate students. Although we have a very good undergraduate class this year, University regulations will not permit them to be rushed until February. One thing about the new Freshman class that the brothers approve of heartily is an increase in the number of women compared to that of men. Heretofore, the ratio has been about three men to one woman. This has improved, much to the satisfaction of all, except, possibly, to the women. An old chapter tradition is being picked up again, the T.G.I.F. celebration—the evening begins with a candlelight and steak dinner party for members and their guests. The Illinois Beta Phis are back at their books, but there is still time for parties and get-togethers every few days. We welcome our new chapters into the Fraternity, and wish all chapters a good year.—TRENT TIEDEMAN, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA, Knox College.—Illinois Delta-Zeta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was deeply saddened September 25 by the passing of a brother. Gil Anderson succumbed to bulbar polio which he had contracted while vacationing in Wisconsin following R.O.T.C. Summer Camp. Gil's good humor, friendliness, and athletic ability along with his high academic and moral standards will be sorely missed by his Fraternity. There are five Phi regulars on the Old Siwash eleven this Fall. Pete

Hosutt, guard; Bob Burden, guard; Frank Casey, quarterback; Jim Jones, center, and George Olson, end. Pete is co-captain of the team. In the Knox-Cornell game—Knox won 19 to 12—Bob Burden, who has been playing varsity ball for three years, suffered a serious back injury. As a result his football playing days are through at Old Siwash. The Phis are out to win the intramural cross country championship for the fifth consecutive year. We are sporting a strong team that should give us the fifth consecutive cross country trophy. Returning to the team are Dave Wolfner and Bruce Falk. The time for fraternity rushing has been altered at Knox—November instead of September. Our Rush Chairman Mack Trapp and Pete Housutt have been working hard organizing a rush program that will again give the Phis the top pledge class. Illinois Delta-Zeta is in the process of reorganization of the chapter. We have come to realize our weak points and are correcting them. Changes will include a house-mother, the establishment of a disciplinary board, a president residing in the house and strict adherence to college rules. We will be a stronger chapter because of these actions.—WARD KNOCKEMUS, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS ETA, University of Illinois.—Formally initiated into the chapter Sunday, September 27, were Richard Heckenkamp, Joliet; Bob Muirhead, Danville; Tom Zweschke, Belleville; Bob Balsley, Danville; Don Welbourne, Beardstown. Pledged this Fall are: John Peterson, Aurora; John

McCord, Blue Island; Walter Dutcher, Shorewood, Wis.; Sully Bonansinga, Quincy; Robert Hommel, Beardstown; Dale Walwark, Belleville; Bruce Motlong, Crete; John Rourke, Springfield; Gene Wineland, Flora; John Petty, Pittsfield; David Crane, Aurora; William Cockfield, Aurora; Carl Noble, Danville; Richard Dick, Beardstown; Sidney Little, Evanston; Max Cisne, Champaign; Morgan Powell, Champaign; William Gabbard, Champaign; Paul Roberts, Champaign; Charles Havens, Urbana, and Donald Harshbarger, Naperville. Repledged were Gary Francis, Bloomington, and Frederick Wilmoth, Harrisburg. There are 23 Phikeias in the pledge class, including five town men. Back with the chapter is George Michael Farley after spending a half year playing baseball with the Baltimore Oriole Farm team. Mike shows promise as a pitcher and intends to return to the leagues after finishing school. On the football squad for Illinois are Jim Bronson, Junior; Jack Heniff, Junior; Gary Francis, Sophomore, and Fred Wilmoth, Sophomore. Wilmoth is the heaviest Big Ten ball player, tipping the scales at 280 lbs.—RICHARD M. SELLEG, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS THETA, Lake Forest College.—At the opening of Fall semester, Illinois Theta finds three Phis in the starting lineup of the varsity football squad: at ends, Bill Joor and Mischa Rader, at left halfback and fullback, Jerry Hurst. Hurst, the team's top punter last season, was injured and has missed the last two games but expects



NEW PHIKEIAS AT IDAHO

FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Rod Moore, Dennis Ambrose, John Chapman, Bruce Smith, Larry Kline, Bob Farish, Don Faraca, Gary Kenworthy. SECOND ROW: Tom Crosen, Dan Dickersen, John Longworth, Wayne Walker, Bill Hardy, Jim Chrisman, Jim Varin. THIRD ROW: Jim Peltier, Tony Park, Gary Wallace, Gordon Quigley, Bob Pedersen, Don Lindseth, Clyde Hally, Dick Belveal, Gary Cheney. NOT SHOWN: Jim Minus, Jerry Lange.



NEW IDAHO ALPHA CHAPTER HOUSE

LEFT: The library is completely panelled in mahogany veneer. Flooring is of slab slate and the furniture of genuine leather. Note beautiful built-in trophy case. RIGHT: View of lovely new living room; striking two way fireplace dominates scene.

Idaho Alpha Builds \$63,000 House During Summer!

By KEN BROWN, Idaho Alpha Reporter

SURELY you can remember when you sat down with some of the brothers and day-dreamed a new chapter house into existence. At one time or another every chapter is faced or will be faced with such a problem.

Early last Spring, Harvey Hoff, Bud Fisher and the writer sat day-dreaming about this very problem. Someone suggested we visit the bank to feel out the possibility of a loan. We thought that \$50,000 would do the job, but found to our dismay that no one was very eager to loan such a sizeable amount. The chapter decided to sound out the active alumni in Moscow. After a series of meetings, it was decided that we were definitely in need of a new chapter house. Committees were formed and headed by active alumni. A subscription committee, building committee, and loan committee were put into operation. With the help of Brothers Morrie O'Donnell and Marshal Bue, the chapter managed

to get a \$50,000 loan at 5% interest.

Brother Gib Gale, Spokane architect, drew up a set of plans which the chapter wholeheartedly approved. Meanwhile, Morrie O'Donnell was actively engaged in obtaining subscriptions from former chapter members. Corporation President Dick Driscoll and Alumni John Brown and Earl and Homer David worked with the building committee. With actives and alumni all pulling in the same direction we found that we couldn't lose. Inquiries were received from alumni all over the state as to the existing situation in Moscow.

Final plans were approved and construction was started the day after college closed for the Summer months. The house was completed in time for rush this Fall at a total expenditure of \$63,000. As a result of the new house and some excellent rushing, 26 top men were pledged to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the University of Idaho.

to see action soon. Jerry Patterson chapter president and also a 3-letter winner on the gridsquad, has left the team to take up the reins of the near full-time job of student director of the Sports Division of the Publicity Department here at the college. Maintaining his position as head cheerleader for the third year, we find Bill Eckert. The chapter is also proud to introduce to the Fraternity its six new initiates of October 3. They are: Dick Eickhoff, Bill Rediske, David Halliday, George Mason, Mischa Rader and Dick Volpe. Illinois Theta is also taking part in many other activities on campus. Jerry Lake is currently playing with the college theater group, the Garrick Players. Lake, who was recently designated as the Centennial

Commission Chairman, teams up with Bill Eckert as sub-chairman on the Homecoming committee. Our rushing program was started with a bang, as Dick Bauman opened the doors of his home to welcome 120 guests to the Annual Bauman rush party. Equally successful was the launching of the Phi intramural program as we saw the footballers roll over their first opponents with the score of 29 to 13. To guide Junior class activities throughout the year, class members elected two Phis to positions: Jerry Lake, president, and Gene Waterfall, vice president. Lee Miller, who was elected White Christmas formal chairman, is another Phi who is taking a leading roll in campus activities. The Phi chapter room is about to have a new

look as the chapter negotiates for a new rug. We have set up a special fund for this project as it will prove to be quite an expensive proposition. —JERRY LAKE, Reporter.

INDIANA ALPHA, Indiana University.—The Phi social season started successfully when our candidate for sweater queen of the campus won a hands down decision. However, this is only one of many projects. The annual Fall Carnival holds a great deal of work and fun for many Phis as the time draws near when we will begin putting up the props for our attraction in this huge university project. We will be trying to keep the trophy that we won last year for the best front decorations. Plans are also in the making for our Homecoming decora-

tions. The Phi intramural football team followed in last year's championship style by winning the first game of the season. Along those same lines, we are all proud of the four Phis who made the All-Phi athletic teams. John Hironomus and Bob Martin won recognition on the tennis team, while Jim Etter and Larry Good secured positions on the swimming team. Phikeias for this year are: Norman Koup, Alan Campbell, Glen Wilson, Indianapolis; Dave Malson, Jerry Cartmel, Rushville; Dan Elliott, Mike Taylor, Evansville; Joe Swope, Jr., Larry Marshall, Columbus; W. R. Dunn, John Poling, Jay Ellis, Dan McVicker, Bloomington; Herb Conover, Jr., Huntington; Lloyd Lempke, LaPorte; Bill Hart, Shelbyville; Phil Cole, Tipton; Terry Shirk, Kentland; John Records, Franklin; Jay Brown, Seymour; Dick Hall, Plainfield; Jack Schang, Columbia City; Hel Stemple, Wheatfield; Ralph Mack, Highland Park, Ill.; Art Hendricks, Winnetka, Ill., and John Heuman, Evansville.—JAMES ETTER, Reporter.

INDIANA BETA, Wabash College.—Indiana Beta reporting another good year in sight for the Phis of Wabash. Our house improvement program is in full swing. The kitchen has undergone complete remodeling, and the living room and the dining room have been refurnished. Indiana Beta is proud of its pledge class, which, although small in number, represents what we think is the best the Freshman class has to offer. Phikeias are: Clint Duncan, Mort Grayam, Jim Wheeler, Sullivan; Jack Arnold, Peru; Terry Buhrman, Kokomo; Jim Clark, Marion; Larry Delks, Dan Showalter, Crawfordsville; Bill Gabbert, Bedford; Jim McKinley, Delphi; Bill Hamer, Gary; Marty Bohn, Adrian, Mich.; Hank Eggers St. Petersburg, Fla.; Dick Huddle, Lancaster, Ohio, and Terry McCall, Virginia Beach, Va. This year as well as last will be marked with a concentrated drive to improve scholarship. Last year we jumped to fourth on campus, and this year under the direction of President Vaino Grayam, and new Chapter Adviser Gordon Ewing, we hope to take one of the top scholarship positions on campus. Last year we graduated John Goffinet, Fulbright Award winner, who is studying at Strasburg, Germany. Stan Huntsman, who blazed a trail of glory in athletics and personality at Wabash is working on his master's at Ohio U. Indiana Beta is again well represented in football. Vaino Grayam is starting at quarterback for his third year. Ron Seibert plays center, with Phikeia Bill Gabbert at fullback. Jack Fitzgerald, who returned after a two-year stint at medical school, plays guard. Two



SWEATER GIRL

Carolyn Turner, Indiana Alpha's successful candidate for Sweater Queen of the University of Indiana campus.

Sophomores, Bob Allen and Vic Lodo-visi, are fast developing into number one reserves of the Wabash bench. Dick Duncan, Ron Cudek, and Phikeias Bill Hamer. Mort Grayam, Clint Duncan and Marty Bohn round out our football representation. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is well represented on the varsity debate squad with Bob Hurt, Steve Ellis and John Pippenger participating. Hurt and Pippenger are also on the Speakers Bureau. Mal Edwards and John Deardourff have returned to Wabash after a special semester of study of political science at Washington University.—RON SEIBERT, Reporter.

INDIANA GAMMA, Butler University.—The school year opened, finding Indiana Gamma with a pledge class of 50 men. New Phikeias are: Scott Cederholm, John Corey, Wally Cox, Dave Delph, Karl Hunt, Mark Jones, Phil Kaiser, Jack Marsella, Don Miller, Fred Oliver, Dick Poole, Gordon Raeburn, George Rich, Dick Riegner, Ron Roberts, Jim Robey, Ken Seamon, Chuck Stoltz, Dick Tinnel, Tom Toll, Gary Warster, Phil Crick and Mike Witt, Indianapolis; Ron Holmes, John Moore, Seymour; Gary Carruth, Bill Gamblin, John Hudson, Dick Shank, Jack Goebel, Kokomo; Joe Dugan, Bill Funkhouser, John Ray, Ed Scudder, Brownsburg; Rex Athan, Jim Mallers, Bluffton; Jack Almond, Bob Pedigo, Danville; Mike Bova, Columbus; Ivan Fuller, Oxford; Roger Lyons, Brook; Steve Stucky, Berne; E. B. Leedy, Mariemont, Ohio, and Dave McKay, Webster Grove, Ill. The first social event of the year was held September 25, and consisted of a

barbecue at the grill in back of the house, followed by a record dance in the house. A good time was had by all of the 75 couples who attended the event. The following weekend, October 2, the entire chapter attended a dance at the Indiana Roof Ballroom as guests of the management. The chapter is now looking forward to the record dances which will be held in the house following each home game of the football season. We began the intramural program with wins in both opening football games and tennis matches and prospects of winning the all-sports trophy look good with such a fine start. Plans are now under way for the Homecoming float and house decorations. These two trophies were won by the chapter last year, and with Bill Cale as chairman of both events, our hopes of retaining these two trophies are high. The addition of a parking area, outdoor grill, new shrubbery and flower beds, together with a general clean-up campaign have made us a strong contender for the Yard Parks trophy awarded annually to the house with the most outstanding appearance.—JACK LAUGHNER, Reporter.

INDIANA DELTA, Franklin College.—Indiana Delta looked forward to another outstanding year this Fall when many of the brothers returned to ready the chapter house for a bumper crop of 31 new pledges. The rush committee, with strong support by many of our alumni, succeeded in pledging many of the outstanding men entering Franklin this semester. October 10, six carry-over pledges were initiated. They are: Ray Sonafank, Robert Albritton, Richard McElhenny, Peru; Fred Kurtz, Ft. Wayne; Robert Hamilton, Mitchell, and Richard Van Cleave, Franklin. Prior to their initiation, the men painted the hallways and performed other improvements about the house. A large turnout of students and townspeople attended Indiana Delta's annual formal Open House. The event marked the initial social function for men's groups on campus. Ray Blackwell, National Alumni Secretary, was in attendance. Last semester Indiana Delta finished first in scholarship rating among the Greek letter fraternities at Franklin. New Phikeias are: Gene White, Roger Schroeder, Kenneth Wendelman, Jim Gabbard, Bob Skinner, Bernie Admire, Joe Lusk, Al Simmons, Roger Devore, Jerry Locey, Jack Baker, Don O'Brien, Gene Lindsey, Bob Burton, Harry Horn, Tom Shelton, Norman Pash, Roger Roth, Frank Hiday, John Keseric, Jim Goodner, Jim Vogler, Mich Matsey, Jack Peterson, Tim Swegman, Milton Taylor, Jim Hall, Gilbert Rogers, Dean Sanderson and J. C. Marshall. The chapter is well

represented in Fall athletics. Gordon McCracken, Jim Knight and Phikeias Ray Sonaf Frank, Mich Matsey and Jack Peterson are among the first eleven on the football squad. Jim Orlosky again leads the tennis team with Phikeias Norman Pash and Dick McElhenny among the top four players.—JOHN E. ATWELL, *Reporter*.

INDIANA EPSILON, Hanover College.—Rush has been the dominant factor in time-consumption of the Phis with the start of the new school year. Under the leadership of Rush Chairman Kevin Kile, the machinery is starting to turn over and we are looking forward to having a big pledge class next semester. One of our main rush points this year is the excellent condition of the house. It was completely rejuvenated this Fall: the living and dining rooms and study rooms having being repainted and a new bathroom installed. The chapter added a new trophy to our mantel last Spring. Kile, Lloyd, Cox and Peaselee pedaled their way to victory in the annual bike classic held during Family Day. This was our second win in the last three runnings of the classic, giving us permanent possession of the trophy. During the Summer, Indiana Epsilon was fortunate in obtaining a new housemother, replacing Mrs. Gray, who retired last Winter. Our new "Mom" is Mrs. Prior Hancock, formerly the housemother of Kentucky Epsilon. The brothers are truly fond of Mrs. Hancock and feel that our gain was a great loss to Kentucky. The chapter pledged two men this Fall, Don Merriman, Whiteford, Md., and Jim White, Bedford, Ky. The Phis are also sharing the limelight in campus activities this Fall. Tom Cartmel was elected to the Student Council, Bob Gillespie is our new Sophomore representative to the I. F. C. and Brant Loper was named president of the Dorm Council.—JIM MASSMAN, *Reporter*.

INDIANA ZETA, Depauw University.—With a successful start in Fall rush, Indiana Zeta looks to a year of campus leadership, continued scholastic improvement and an expanded alumni program. When all the furor of rush had subsided, we had assembled a pledge class of seventeen, including one foreign exchange student. The new Phikeias are: Bert Augst, Besacion, France; Bob Burney, Alexandria, Va.; Ron Chase, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Neal Cochran, Skokie, Ill.; Jim Collins, Rock Island, Ill.; John Cook, Youngstown, Ohio; George Corey, Peoria, Ill.; Ed Filmanowicz, Chicago, Ill.; Dan Lewis, LaPorte; Art Lindbloom, Chicago, Ill.; Dick Martens, Peoria Heights, Ill.; Al Mertens, St. Joe; Pete McClennen, Bloomington;



WINNER

Kerin Kile completing the last lap in the Annual Bike Race at Hanover College brings the bike trophy to rest permanently on the mantel of Indiana Epsilon's chapter house.

ton; Bill Nickolas, LaGrange, Ill.; Glen Ralston, Indianapolis; Ray Spaeth, Chicago, Ill., and Terry Carr, Mt. Vernon, Ill. The chapter house is in top notch shape. Over the Summer, completely new wiring and lighting fixtures were installed in addition to the renovation of the upstairs shower rooms. Downstairs the chapter received a beautiful new rug and handsome end tables from the Schoen family of Oxford, Ind., and new draperies from the Mothers' Club. A new pool table, gift of alumnus Saul Page of Indianapolis, will liven up the bum room. On campus, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has snared four top activity positions, including student body president, Interfraternity Council president, M.S.M. prexy, and Cadet Colonel of the R.O.T.C. Of the six DePauw men tapped for Gold Key last Spring, three are Phis: Dean Berry, Tom Sargent and Mort Berfield. Scholastically, the chapter ranked fourth highest among the thirteen fraternities and aims for even higher this year. Social functions have included a banquet for all the Phis on the faculty and living in town, informal parties and the annual house dance. The DePauw Phi will be out soon, designed to keep our alumni informed of our activities. Intramurals will soon shift into high gear, with Phi hopes high for an impressive showing in tennis. Rikhoff has been alternating at the regular fullback slot on the University football squad. Pete Granzau, Burlington, Wis., was recently initiated into the chapter.—MORT BERFIELD, *Reporter*.

INDIANA THETA Purdue University No letter received.

IOWA ALPHA, Iowa Wesleyan College.—Iowa Alpha began its new semester with sixteen active members back. In October Fred Parsons, Keosauqua, was initiated, Sunday, October 10, pledging was held for 22 new Phikeias. They are: Duane Krieger, Mt. Union; Richard Hill, Duane Hill, Winfield; Bud Dickey, Ottumwa; Dick Young, Wayne King, Duane Maxwell, Bill Metcalf, David Ekstrand, Jerry Jackson, Mt. Pleasant; Carl Stodgell, John Stafford, Burlington; Clark Peterson, Milton; Jerry Price, Centerville; Ted Clapper, Keosauqua; Richard Peterson, Oids; John Bates, Rockford, Ill.; Tom Livingston, Arlington Heights, Ill.; John Swanson, Wayne, Pa.; Gordon Wills, Iowa City; Tony Ferrandino, Chicago, Ill., and Alex Jamieson, Staten Island, N.Y. We were pleased with the excellent rush program carried out under the leadership of Rush Chairman Crane Caris. The rush program included a watermelon feed and a wiener roast, both events held in the yard at the house. Our rush week party consisted of a dinner with President Doud telling about the local chapter, Hall Weir, president of Iowa Alpha Alumni Club speaking on the alumni program and Marvin Perry, Traveling Secretary, told the boys about the national organization. The dinner was followed by a movie on skiing and "The Stratton Story." Seniors Wendell Hester and Duane Semler are again taking an active part on Wesleyan's outstanding football team. President Lowell Doud has been busy as chairman of the student Homecoming committee.—BOB MCNEIL, *Reporter*.

IOWA BETA, University of Iowa.—Iowa Beta began the 1954-55 school year in what we believe to be a very outstanding fashion. September 14, 25 young men affiliated themselves with our chapter as new Phikeias. They are: Jim McConnell, Chuck Horner, Bill Kirtley, Jim Newsome, Don Prall, Bob Busing, Des Moines; Jim Williams, Atlantic; Gary Albertson, Pat Keefe, Charles City; John Ballard, Gary Eschman, Marion; Bob Wilder, Don Peterson, Cedar Rapids; Dick McSorley, Larry Hays, Council Bluffs; John Bauma, Pocahontas; Tom Kenefick, Eagle Grove; Burt Belt, Red Oak; Henry Gilman, Ames; Leon Robinson, Aledo, Ill.; Gene Novatny, Iowa City; Bob Jaeger, Spirit Lake; Dick Teasdale, Rodger Van Ness, Ottumwa, and Tom Davies, Spencer. Five new brothers added their names to the Bond October 7. They are: John Pierson, Sioux City; Dick Pederson, Marshall-

town; Jim Hubbard, Cedar Rapids; Bob Hornaday and Rod White, Des Moines. We are very proud of this, for the entire pledge class of the Spring semester proved themselves scholastically eligible for initiation into the Fraternity. This Fall the hard work of the officers and brothers of the active chapter paid big dividends. For not only did we get a fine pledge class, but the house has been improved in many ways. The outside of the house was repainted and new sod was laid on much of the front yard. In the interior of the house new lamps, tables and other minor improvements add greatly to its beauty. The brothers took great interest in their rooms, and improvements were made along these lines. Social Chairman Jay Ryan listed a tentative social calendar which will include barbecues in our back yard, the annual Buckaroo party, Homecoming open house and many other events for the Autumn and coming Winter. Now that the figures are in from the past school year the chapter is happy to report a big improvement in scholastic standard. Our over-all grade point was a very respectable 2.40, well above the all-men's average, and fifth out of nineteen in the fraternity rankings. This is an improvement of three places from the previous semester. Our hats are off to Tom Hoyer for a fine job as scholastic chairman. Further along this line, John Pierson won the pledge scholarship trophy and Don Inman won the John Towner Memorial and the Mother Perry scholarship improvement award. Our chapter was honored in early September by a visit from Traveling Secretary Marv Perry. Marv aided our rushing program and ably explained the proceedings and results of the 50th biennial General Convention. We are always glad to hear from Phis and we sincerely hope that more brothers will pay a visit to the chapter during the school year.—TOM ADAMS, *Reporter*.

IOWA GAMMA, Iowa State College.—Iowa Gamma introduced another fine pledge class at our annual active-pledge Fireside and in the following men we are placing great hope. The Phikeias are: Jerry Donohue, William Fogarty, Bill Goodwin, Jerry Faaborg, Tom Fisher, Richard Gleason, Bertram Hopkins, Alan Maris, Robert Marshall, Robert Nixon, Des Moines; Frank Judish, James Lamson, Ames; Gene Dekoster, Spencer; Lyle Frahm, Manning; William Huber, William Hansen, Sioux City; William Miller, Waterloo; Robert Sokol, Sibley; Robert Theile, Centerville; Alan Rickert, George Colias, John Hartford, Oak Park, Ill.; Con Smith, Mexico, Mo.; Merlin Elliot, Monmouth, Ill.; John Erhardt, Elmhurst, Ill.; George Fisher,



IOWA GAMMA PHIS ENJOY A FALL BARBECUE

Minneapolis, Minn.; Ernest Haffke, Omaha, Neb.; Jerry Henderson, Davis, Calif., and John Heuring, Tulsa, Okla. The weekend of October 10 found the chapter joining in the Miami Triad and it was one of the best in recent years. A football victory over Kansas in the afternoon in which Phis Bruce Alexander and Jim Stuelke and Phikeia Chuck Muelhaupt starred, was climaxed by a Saturday supper barbecue and semi-formal dance. Scholarship is something the chapter has been noted for and we are proud to say that Iowa Gamma was among the top five fraternities again last year. Along with scholarship we have many men in key positions on campus. Richard Day was tapped for Cardinal Key, top men's honorary. David LeBuhn, co-chairman of Homecoming, John Maney, president of Varsity "I" Club, Steve Kostakos, president of the intramural council, Charles Maxwell Gordon Shepherd and Philip Zink are all members of Cardinal Guild, student government body, and Chuck Nelson is business manager of the school year book, to mention a few.—JOHN D. MANEY, *Reporter*.

KANSAS ALPHA
University of Kansas
No letter received.

KANSAS BETA, Washburn University.—Kansas Beta started the year with a pledge class of twenty-one. The Phikeias are: Bub Bromich, Kenny Hass, Gary Heath, Jean Leuenberger, Don Luttrell, Bob Myers, Jack Shields and Dick Skram, Topeka; Gary Ernest, Stockton; Gary Heath, Garden City; Bill Leonard, Wichita; John Monroe, Bill Strode, Kansas City; Kendall Simpson, Pratt; Robert Watson, Arkansas City; Dave Wheeler, Newton; Wally Reid, Ronnie Tate, Bonner Springs, and Paul Fields, Chicago, Ill. Also returning from the service are Brothers Dave Gilman and

Dick Fox. Scholastically, Kansas Beta was third in fraternity standing to rank considerably above the all-men's average for the Spring semester. House improvements during the Summer include the installation by the alumni of a stainless steel and porcelain kitchen. Included are a new refrigerator, deep freeze, commercial food mixer and grinder, exhaust fans and stainless steel sinks and storage cabinets. This was just the first step in a long-range house maintenance program recently initiated by the alumni and active chapter. Brother Binner, former Province President and now member of the General Council, was a guest early in October and remarked upon the excellence of the new improvements. Of interest to alumni is the news that Terry McAdam, *Washburn '47*, announced that his book should be out sometime in January. Kansas Beta is enjoying the presence of Claes Melin, a Swedish student, whom we were fortunate to receive through the foreign student program of the Fraternity. On the social side, Social Chairman Jake Jackman has already launched a series of hour dances with the sororities and preliminary plans have been made for the annual Tri-Phi dance which includes Kansas Alpha, Kansas Beta and Kansas Gamma, to be held in November. In the sports field All-Little-Phi tackle Nick Cossman suffered an early season setback with a cracked jaw but now has regained his previous form. Other varsity Phis are Roger and Ralph Bowen and Bob Smith. Phikeias Paul Fields, Bill Leonard, Don Luttrell, Bob Myers, Bob Watson and Kendall Simpson are also squad members.—WALLACE B. SMITH, *Reporter*.

KANSAS GAMMA, Kansas State College.—When the doors of "508" opened this Fall, they welcomed the return of 57 brothers and Phikeias. It was a pleasant surprise to find our



KENTUCKY EPSILON PHIKEIAS

FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Roemele, Shannon, Russman, Rigby, Teague. SECOND ROW: Setzer, Harper, Smith, Caywood, Shirmer, Dohrman, Clancy, Scroggins. THIRD ROW: Klein, Summers, Plamp, Payne, O'Tool, McCannless, Essig, Berryman. FOURTH ROW: Gill, Scott, Rose, Thompson, Quest, Scharf, James, Chavan, Pingon.

new china, given by the Matrons' Club, here and ready for use. We immediately set to work on a housecleaning and repairing project under the direction of D. D. Lowell. Our efforts were well rewarded, for we pledged 35 outstanding men. They are: George Davidson, Paul Parsons, John Sudduth, Harry Gaffin, Kansas City; Wayne Mowrer, Robert Gowens, Merle Roberts, Ronald Rogers, Liberal; Larry McCully, David Nuttle, Burnett Earp, Arlan Stackley, El Dorado; Douglas Jones, William Patterson, Palmer Price, Salina; David Nigh, Joe Rich, McPherson; Ronald Boucek, Richard Pearson, Ottawa; Bruce Hand, Norman Wells, Mulvane; Charles Tuttle, Darrell Feaker, Topeka; Robert Gillespie, Ashland; Alan Nielson, Wichita; M. D. Casey, Council Grove; Mark Elliott, Sublette; Clair Harpster, Hiawatha; Fred Hart, Manhattan; Donald Miller, Dodge City; Stanley Wingate, Pretty Prairie; Lawrence Wise, Junction City; Jay D. Bolen, Colby; Thad Hogan, Houston, Tex. and John Spangler, Atwater, Minn. As always, the Phis are well represented in student government, listing Don Prigmore, Student Council; Bill Johnson and Dick Renfro, Arts and Science Council; Don Prigmore, Engineering Council; and Phil Robertson, Ag Council and Student Justice on K-State Tribunal. Phis in other activities include: Bob Featherston and Don Prigmore, Blue Key; Sax Stone, Cadet Colonel of A. F. R.O.T.C.; C. Q. Williamson, president of Arnold Air Society; Harry Knox, Y-Orpheum Director; and Phil Robertson, president of Milling Asso-

ciation and cheerleader. Turning to the social side, we have a full schedule of exchange parties and plans are being made for a Harvest party, the Triad, and the annual "Flush Bowl" football game with $\Sigma A E$, to be followed by the Flush Bowl ball. In the sports department, Kerry Clifford is doing a fine job on the gridiron, while the rest of us are getting ready for intramurals with Ed as coach. It was an honor for us to be visited by Rev. W. E. West, *Kansas State*, '42, author of the Pikeia Bond, who gave the pledges a short talk on $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ at Kansas State. Our only new initiate is C. Q. Williamson, who was initiated October 3.—PHIL ROBERTSON, *Reporter*.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, Centre College.—The Centre Phis returned this year minus several men but still had enough to lead the campus with 37 actives and three pledges. The pledging date at Centre follows *THE SCROLL* deadline by a week so no information is available. However, the Phis are expecting a good pledge class which will match or better the excellent groups of the past few years. President Gordon Scott, Treasurer Henry Dickinson and Bill McClellan returned this Fall with many stories and ideas from the General Convention. The Phis are well represented on the varsity football squad with Garland Howard and Dennie Steineker alternating at fullback, Gene Scott and H. G. Reed at the halfback positions, Logan Crouch at center and Powell Gillenwater, Bill Davis and Jim Lee filling the end positions. All eight Phis are Colonel

lettermen. The Phi intramural team looks to be well on the way to a championship. The Phis, led by Coach Henry Dickinson, downed their arch-rivals, $\Delta K E$, in the second game of the season by an 18-0 score. Leading performers for the "Big Blue": Jim Johnson, Freddie Travis and Kelly Deaton in the backfield, Curt McCall and Gene Scott at ends and Tom Jackson, Larry Caudill, John Hall and Bill Lippert on the line. In the first meeting of the year, the active chapter unanimously approved the new trusteeship plan for the house. It is hoped that this will mean better care for the Phi residence at 111 Maple Avenue and also provide for later additions and improvements.—TOM JENNINGS, *Reporter*.

KENTUCKY EPSILON, University of Kentucky.—The 1954 Fall semester started in a big way at Kentucky Epsilon. At a time when many fraternities at the University were finding it hard to fill their annual quotas, Kentucky Epsilon attracted one of its largest pledge groups in history and one which included an unusual number of prospective leaders. The pledge group consists of outstanding men from the State of Kentucky as well as number one men from surrounding states. The group contains members who are majoring in every college here at the University. Included also are outstanding athletes who Kentucky Epsilon believes in the near future will be outstanding college athletes in all major sports. On the athletic front in intramural sports, the Phis are so far undefeated in

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Phi at Centre Wins Fulbright Scholarship

By ROBERT F. ENSMINGER, Centre '43

EDWIN H. WALKER, IV, Centre '54, was awarded a Fulbright scholarship to study in Germany, it was announced in May by Dr. Wilbur Cook, Jr., Fulbright program adviser at Centre College in Kentucky.

Brother Walker plans to study toward a Ph.D. degree in Germanic literature at the University of Heidelberg in Germany. He sailed aboard the *Gripsholm* September 7. During his college years, Brother Walker was a top campus leader as well as maintaining a high scholastic average. President of O Δ K, editor-in-chief of the Centre College weekly newspaper and of *Olde Centre Yearbook*, member of the Student Council, Brother Walker still found time to be an active fraternity man, serving Kentucky Alpha-Delta as president, and he also served as organist and choir director at First Presbyterian Church. He was chosen a Centre representative in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. A native of Richmond, Ky., he attended The Choate School, Wallingford, Conn., before entering Centre.



EDWIN H. WALKER, IV, Centre '54

AND

Chapter Wins School Spirit Cup for Second Year

By EDWIN H. WALKER, IV, Centre '54

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA was awarded the School Spirit Cup for the second consecutive year during the presentation of awards at the 50th annual Centre College Carnival at Centre College, Danville, Ky., July 4, 1954. The cup, awarded annually to the fraternity which does the most to promote school spirit on the campus through various activities is the finest award made to student organizations.

Cited for high scholarship, participation in extra-curricular activities and cooperation in civic projects in Danville, Ky., Alpha-Delta was proud to receive the cup as a climax to a most successful year. The chapter ranked second in scholarship and its members held numerous positions on varsity athletic teams besides being active in many other activities.

During its annual Help Week in the Spring, the chapter renovated the Hangout, student union building on the campus. One of the highlights of its community projects was the presentation of a Varsity Show in May, which raised \$100 for the Boyle County Fire Truck Fund, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Henry Pennington, II, past president of Kentucky Alpha-Delta, is currently serving as president of the Jaycees. Richard Gordon Scott, president of the chapter, received the trophy on behalf of the chapter from John Mc-



THE RIGHT SPIRIT

John McClure, President of Men's Student Council, presents Centre's coveted School Spirit Trophy to Richard G. Scott (right), President of Kentucky Alpha-Delta. Looking on is Miss Joanne Mateer, Queen of 1954 Centre College Carnival.

Clure, incoming president of the Men's Student Council.



RUSH PARTIES

Good times were had by all at the outdoor rush party and barbecue given by Louisiana Beta.

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their division of football. Other sport activities have not started competition. Kentucky Epsilon this year has three outstanding brothers on the varsity football team, two of whom are on the starting eleven. They are Neil Lowry, Senior guard, and Dick Moloney, Junior halfback. The third Phi player is Jess Curry, Junior fullback, who is an outstanding reserve. All three have seen and are expected to continue to see plenty of action as the season progresses. On the entertainment side of college activities, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ participated in the Lances Carnival Festival on the university campus. After all the home football games, the Phis have been entertaining alumni and their friends along with members of both home and visiting team members.—GEORGE DALE ROBINSON, *Reporter*.

LOUISIANA ALPHA

Tulane University

No letter received.

LOUISIANA BETA, Louisiana State University.—Louisiana Beta started rolling the first week of the new college term. With a burst of enthusiasm among the good brothers rush week was off with a bang. Among the more successful rush parties was a barbecue at the home of Roy E. Wallace, an alumnus. This was greatly appreciated by the chapter. Success was in the making when Louisiana Beta pledged the following top-notch men: Charles Barber, Dick Blossman, Will Burns, Vincent Campbell, Sid Davison, Bob Fletcher, Eugene Gilchrist, Johnny Marlin, Roger Metz, Bob Morre, Maurice O'Rourke, Billy Planche, Craig Stewart, Leonard Smith and Al Thibeaux. Members of last year's pledge class also in this year's

group are Scotty Scott, John Enright, and Jerry Johnson. At the beginning of this term our chapter was happy to welcome Tommy Carter, Buddy McVay and Jimmy Owens, all Phi transfers from Louisiana Alpha at Tulane University in New Orleans. In athletics, Sports Chairman Harry Warner's football team seems to be headed for a very successful season. We have great hopes of finishing first in athletics this year instead of runnersup as last year. Scholastically, Louisiana Beta ranked seventh among L.S.U.'s nineteen fraternities. This success may be attributed to the study program which we have set up for pledges. One of our Phis, Scotty Frazier, member of the L.S.U. golf team, left for Panama City to play in the Panama Open. Scotty proved his ability on the links last year, and we all hope this year will be as successful. The chapter is looking forward to "The Cutest Freshman Girl Contest" on campus, which is sponsored by the Phis. On the future sports ledger $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is anxiously awaiting the annual Charity Bowl football game with the K As. With our great material this year we think that we will capture the title. We would also like to extend an invitation to our alumni and all other Phis to drop in whenever they might have a chance. Our meetings are held on Monday evenings.—KARL GOTTFRIED, JR., *Reporter*.

MAINE ALPHA, Colby College.—

Maine Alpha is looking forward to one of its greatest years with many outstanding Phis returning: Ralph Cuccuro, former chapter president and currently holding down a tackle slot on the football squad; Adam Berlute, treasurer, varsity fullback and Dean's List student; Barkey Boole, guard with a great knack for defensive play; Bill Saladino, starting end for the Mules, who also doubles as Sophomore class president and is current Phi rushing chairman; Jim Higgins, guard, Jug Merriman, halfback, George Pierce, guard, Jim Landoveck, tackle, all active this season. Bob Bruns will be back for another great year with the basketball squad. Last year, as a Sophomore, Bob was a high scoring forward and top rebound man. Voted most improved player of the 1953-54 season, he had the best shooting percentage on the team. Pel Brown, a forward, will try for the team. He is also a fine pitching prospect and captained last year's Freshman baseball team. Other Sophomores trying for berths are Bob Shanks, center, Bill Sullivan, guard, and Ron Darroch, forward. Letter winners in hockey returning are: Bob Templeton, Arlie Porath, Jack Dulaney and Charlie Morrissey, who also serves as editor of the college newspaper. In baseball, the Phis

were well represented last Spring with Barkey Boole, Captain-elect Ken Gray and Charlie Morrissey. This coming Spring Sophomores who will try to make the jump to varsity are Pel Brown, Ed Lagonegro, George Pierce, Bill Sullivan, Jug Merriman and Ron Darroch. Lee Larson and Bob Johnson are on the track squad. The chapter placed second in scholastic average last year. This Fall, Social Chairman Tom Newman has instigated a fine program for the entertainment of the brothers, and Scholastic Chairman Joe Wagenbach is hard at work organizing a study plan patterned after that of our formerly successful Jim White. Archie Anderson, alumni secretary, has originated an alumni newsletter which is receiving fine response. Representing the Phis on the interfraternity athletic field are: Jack DeLea, Buzz Miller, Vin Ferrara, Butch McGuire, Jimmy Greenlaw, John Farley, Lee Larson and Bob Johnson. Members of the Men's Judiciary Committee this Fall are Pete Oram, a Dean's List student, Charlie Morrissey and Pel Brown. Cliff Warner, president of the Junior class and Dean's List student, has been accepted at the Dental School of the University of Maryland.—JOHN FARLEY, *Reporter*.

MANITOBA ALPHA, University of Manitoba.—A formal pledging ceremony held October 13 brought to a close an unusually competitive rush session for Manitoba Alpha. Under the able direction of John Harris, our rushees were entertained at a variety of gatherings, resulting in twelve new Phikeias: Ross Brown, Bill Head, Lawrence Fairfield, Bill Douglas, Dick Ireland, Gerhard Kennedy, David Malaher, Peter Morris, George Riches, Dale Stewart, Joseph Venables, and Fred Wicks. Our rushing chairman, John Harris, is an entertainer in his own right, and as a result of auditions held this summer by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, was selected together with three or four other entrants for appearances on TV in eastern Canada. Brother Harris is a talented man with puppets, and his imitations of popular singers have been a feature of Phi Theatre Nights and rushing parties. The traditional Hallowe'en Party was held the last Saturday of October and the alumni contributed candy and apples to be taken with us on our annual pilgrimage to the Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children. The ever popular Mr. Phi Banquet, given each year for the presentation of awards to the year's outstanding actives in scholarship and athletics, was held in November.—BILL IRELAND, *Reporter*.

MARYLAND ALPHA, University of Maryland.—Looks of astonishment ap-



MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA PHIKEIAS

KNEELING, LEFT TO RIGHT: Fred White, Bob Raisler, Ben Chantry, Harry Ross, Don Dolben, Bob Sullivan. SECOND ROW: Don Grimes, Chris Gimre, Walt Ackerlund, Tom Ludwig, Larry Hilton. THIRD ROW: Will Veeck, Dan Huestis, Charlie King, Emil Wright, Mark Tenney, John Heespelink.

peared upon the faces of the Phis as they returned from their Summer vacations to take on another eventful school year. What was the reason? Well, the old house took on a new facial uplift. Yes, after a Summer of hard work and many hours with the assistance of dollar bills, the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ house has been proclaimed the most beautiful on the Maryland campus. Under the supervision of Sherman Kreuzburg, adviser to Maryland Alpha, the success and beauty of our fraternity house flowered. Sherm, with the assistance of Mike Sullivan, gave up his entire Summer vacation, except for a short break to attend the fiftieth biennial General Convention at Mackinac Island with John Rice and George Atwell, in order to keep a watchful eye on the construction work. Even though the scaffolding and lumber were still scattered in front of the house, rushing went on as scheduled and it, can be said, very successfully. The Phis took in 21 pledges and are now conducting a large informal rush session. Athletic Chairman Jim Ford has held regular practice sessions in order to defend the football championship that has been held for two straight years by $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The Phis have been picked again to lead the way with such veterans as John Rice, Jim Ford, Bill Huther, Dick Peterson, Bob Hur, Jerry LeFaivre, George Simons, Frank Harrison and the addition of Joe Avis. Ten pledges were put through a week of pre-initiation activity with trips to the University of Virginia, Penn State and Gettysburg College. Joe Avis, Robert Shockley, Robert Shuck, Harry Cranston, Rene Kawalec, Mike Aiello, Ray Asherfeld, John Elmore, Ed Schmidt and Dean Griffin were initiated Oc-

tober 10, and are now "Brothers in the Bond."—GEORGE GIAVASIS, *Reporter*.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.—Massachusetts Gamma leads the M.I.T. campus this year by pledging seventeen men, the second largest class in the history of our chapter. Our pledges come from all over the country—Washington to Florida and Massachusetts to California. It is also the tallest pledge class in history, the average height being over 6' 1". Alumni may be interested to know that the Shelton Hotel at 91 Bay State Road has been purchased by Boston University for use as a women's dormitory. As can be well imagined, the social activity has increased over 1,000%. In athletics we again hold the spotlight with DuWayne Peterson as captain of the baseball team, Tom Hamilton as captain of the swimming team, and Ben Lightfoot as president of Beaver Key, a varsity athletic honorary. In politics, two Freshmen, Tom Ludwig and Chris Gimre, have been elected as officers of the Freshman class. Jim Woodahl is the secretary of the "Q" Club, a Sophomore honorary. Our intramural football team is slated to be the team to beat this year. We won our first game of the season 24-0 over $\Delta\Psi$ and managed to use our second, third and fourth string teams entirely during the second half. Bradford Junior College sent a bus load of thirty girls down to the house October 8 for an acquaintance party. The brothers and pledges rather enjoyed the luxury of having their dates delivered to the door.—ANDREW T. HENGESTEG, *Reporter*.

Missouri Presents Baseball Star

By BILL WICKERSHAM, *Missouri Alpha Reporter*

LEADING HITTER in the N.C.A.A. College World Series was Buddy Cox, Missouri Alpha; with a .412 batting average. Among his hits were a double, a triple and a home run that clinched the game with Rollins College of Orlando, Fla. He was voted by *The Omaha Herald* and the Associated Press the most valuable player in the tournament. Buddy is a two-year letterman and has one year of eligibility left.

As a Freshman, Buddy played football for the University of Missouri, but he received a back injury in the Kansas game and has not been able to play football since. He also has a fine intramural record, being high scorer on the intramural basketball team. We of Missouri Alpha are proud of Buddy's athletic achievements and feel that his place is high among the great athletes of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.



Buddy Cox, *Missouri Alpha*

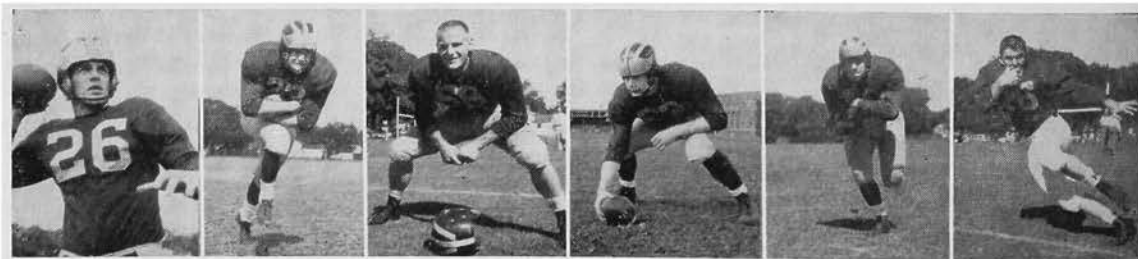
MICHIGAN ALPHA, University of Michigan.—September 22 we made an addition of ten entries in the Bond book of Michigan Alpha. They are: Scott Crisler, Ann Arbor; Charles (Chick) Jung, Glencoe, Ill.; Frank Gazzolo, Chicago, Ill.; Larry Kelly, Detroit; Bob Leland, Birmingham; Bob Sommer, Port Huron; Jerry Goebel, Grosse Pointe; Dick Peterjohn, Cleveland, Ohio; Dave Hershey, Birmingham, and Ed Shannon, River Forest, Ill. The weekend of the Michigan State-Michigan game, November 13, we held a large post-game party. Our guests of honor, of course, included Michigan Beta, President Harlan Hatcher, Dean Rea, William Zerman, the fraternity counsellor, and

Dr. Douglas Crary, Michigan A '33 and faculty counsellor. Also invited were the chapters of $\Psi \Gamma$, $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$, $\Sigma \chi$, $\Delta \Gamma$, $\Pi \beta \Phi$, $\text{KK}\Gamma$, and $\text{KA}\Theta$ from both the University and M.S.C. We are very proud to announce our new Phikeias: Bill MacFarland, Don Catrow, Bernie Rinella, Dave Bowers, Jim Van Pelt, Ken Meyers, Dick Murry, Dave Ralston, Byrne Marshall, Pete Tillotson, Charley Green, Pete Schauer, Jay Newberry, Bill Alger, Bruce Terry and Cliff Johnson.—BILL BOHNSACK, *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN BETA, Michigan State College.—Michigan Beta started the year by initiating the following men: Robert Garigan, Riverside, Ill.; Robert Smith, Birmingham; Robert Burn-

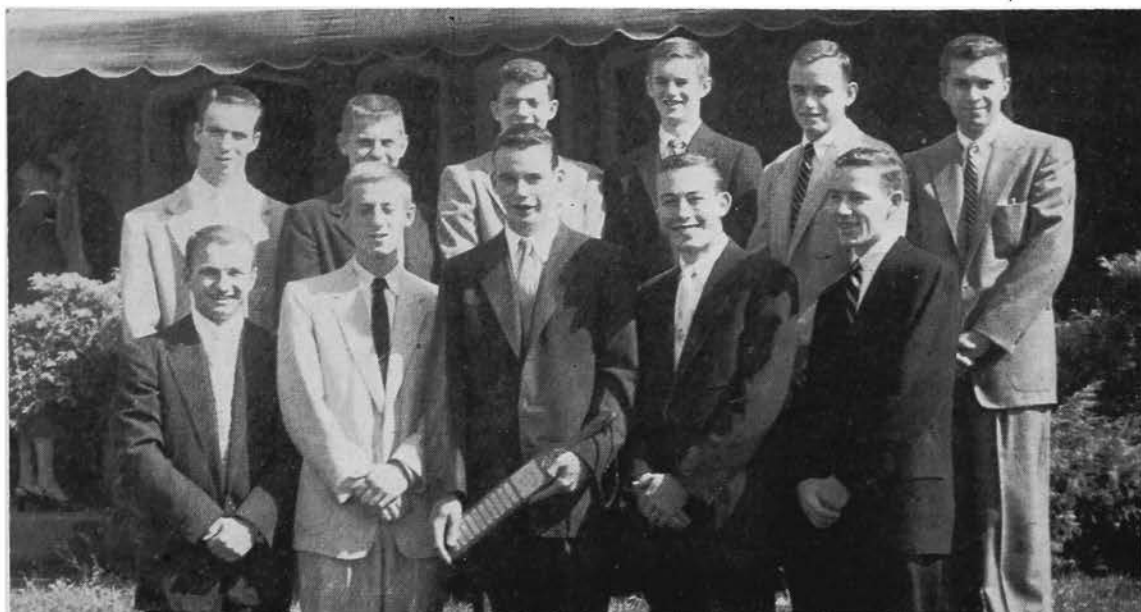
ham, Grand Rapids; Warren Boos, Detroit; Homer Mack, Scarsdale, N.Y.; Stephen Stubbs, Birmingham; Allen Reicheld, Detroit; Thomas Pishos, Mt. Pleasant; Stephen Rash, William Reeves, Grand Rapids, and Richard Houghton, Detroit. Chapter President Gene Bergel is newly appointed chairman of the outstanding social and all-college event of Spring term, Water Carnival. Senior Class President Bill Thistle, besides being co-chairman of the student flash card section Block-S, is also on the Union board of directors, and a member of Excalibur, a society for the top fourteen Senior men on campus. Cort Lecklider is president of the Interfraternity Council as well as being a member of Blue Key. Sophomore Vice President Dave Kilborn is also a chairman for the activities carnival. Carl Shook, along with doing a tremendous job as rush chairman, is student chairman for the High School cooperation committee. The entire social program is underway, featuring a house party almost every weekend. The intramural sports teams of football and bowling are well on their ways to I.F.C. titles. This Fall term's rush, with the excellent cooperation of the alumni sending in recommendations and under the guidance of Carl Shook, has proven to be one of the chapter's best. The first edition of *The Spartan Phi* was so well received by both alumni and the men at the General Convention, that another one has been planned, this to be bigger and carry more chapter news and pictures.—DAVID TRUMP, *Reporter*.

MINNESOTA ALPHA, University of Minnesota.—Minnesota Alpha is looking forward to another successful year under the able leadership of President Bob Bardwell. We are starting out with 41 actives this Fall, and so far we have pledged ten Phikeias—Ed Atcas, Fred Becker, Jeff Carlson, John Keppler, Don Newhall, Ev Richardson, John Ross, Jim Steivang, Dave Walstrom and Ted Werner. We also have two transfers in Franz Schubert from Ohio Eta and Barry McDougald from Manitoba Alpha.



PHIS ON MICHIGAN VARSITY

LEFT TO RIGHT: Jim Maddock, quarterback; Don Johnston, fullback; Jim Bates, center; Jerry Goebel, center; Fred Baer, fullback; Ed Shannon, halfback. Maddock, Johnston, Goebel, and Shannon are Sophomores; Bates, Baer seniors.



NEW INITIATES, MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE

Dick Higgins, Don Olson and Bob Reinertson are Phikeias from last Spring who will be initiated soon. On the lighter side, the chapter is looking forward to the two outstanding parties of Fall quarter—the Homecoming dance and the annual Honeymoon Hotel party in early December. In athletics we are entering an intramural touchball team and have already started work on the All-Phi Invitational Basketball Tournament to be held early next year. We again have several Phis on the varsity football team—John Baumgartner, Chuck Kubes, Dave Sauer, and Jim Soltau, who is taking a trip to the altar December 18. In the last big event of last Spring we combined with the $\Gamma\Phi\varsigma$ in Campus Carnival and presented a Latin-American show for which we won the best show trophy and the overall attendance award, the first time a single show has won both trophies. Our alumni helped us a great deal this Fall by buying us two new refrigerators, tarring the roof, and grading and resurfacing the driveway and parking lot. We are very grateful and thank them from the bottom of our pockets. With this good start and a bright outlook for the future, we are ready to go.—BOB BJORNDAHL, *Reporter*.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, University of Mississippi.—Mississippi Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has begun the academic year with a proud glance at the past and an optimistic look at the future. Last year's work gained this chapter the Cleveland Trophy from National and the interfraternity scholastic, and intramural sports, championships on this

campus. This year begins with an outstanding pledge class and a strong representation in school activities. Phi students in University extracurricular activities are Ed Williford, Y.M.C.A. president; Douglass Fontaine, Liberal Arts College president; Banks Shepherd, *Ole Miss* Editor; Hal Spragins, III, *Mississippian* business manager; Carl Downing and Jimmy Walker, varsity cheerleaders; James Cole, Cadet Commander of A.F.R.O.T.C.; and Bill Cox, vice president, Interfraternity Council. Our new housemother is Mrs. Walter Driver of Osceola, Ark. The following men became Phikeias October 1: John Boyd, Robert Burns, Jr., Jackson; Charles Brocato, Walter Nance, Clarksdale; Mark Burdette, Michael Corrigan, Meridian; William Burton, George Jackson, Jr., Laurel; William Carothers, Ralph Mills, Greenwood; Herbert Coleman, Canton; Robert Crowe, Oxford; Robert Crump, Jr., Harry Wright, Memphis, Tenn.; Leslie Daniel, Jr., Germantown, Tenn.; John DeCell, Lee Davis Thames, Vicksburg; Wayne Haley, Hughes, Ark.; Robert Hughes, Philadelphia, Pa.; Charles Hutchinson, Tupelo; Eddie Kling, Kosciusko; Paul Mitchell, Louisville; Bob Sansom, Okalona; Charles Sisson, Jr., Grenada; James Townes, Jr., Minter City, and Norman Weathersby, Jr., Lexington.—HARRY C. GRIFFITH, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI ALPHA, University of Missouri.—Missouri Alpha opened the school year with the pledging of one of the finest classes in the history of the chapter. The new Phikeias are: Given Adams, Independence; Ben Alexander, Colombia; Bernie Atchison,

Maryville; Bill Barnes, Ladue; Fred Brown, Richmond Heights; John Callison, Smithville; Norman Capps, North Kansas City; Jim Carney, North Kansas City; John Coots, Platte City; Bill Dallmeyer, Jefferson City; Don French, Charleston; Jack Gabler, Normendy; Gibby Gray, Maryville; Marty Haag, Colombia; Joe Hartenbower, Kansas City; Walt Harvey, Elden; Jim Henderson, Kansas City; Phil Hoover, Kansas City; Rick Horn, Independence; Keith Larson, St. Joseph; Ken Larson, Kansas City; Jim Laws, Kansas City; Dave McCord, St. Joseph; Charles Miller, Glen Allen, Miss.; Harry Minetree, Poplar Bluff; Karl Nordyke, Kirkwood; Fred Paulson, Kansas City; Don Pfost, Maryville; Mickey Ruthven, Jefferson City; Neil Sellenrick, Chesterfield; Bob Skipton, St. Joseph; Roger Smith, St. Joseph, and Paul Stehr, Cape Girardeau. Along with the new pledge class, we are looking forward to the construction of our new chapter house, the bids for which will be accepted soon. We are proud to announce that Fielding Potashnick now holds the office of president of the Student Body of the University. The members of Missouri Alpha would like to extend sincerest congratulations to Brother Clem Bininger, our Province President, for being selected a member of the General Council of the Fraternity. In a like manner we want to thank Brother Bininger for his interest and hard work on the behalf of Missouri Alpha and other chapters of Mu Province. We are confident that he will do a fine job in his new position.—BILL WICKERSHAM, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI BETA, Westminster College.—With the 1954-55 academic year now fully underway and Missouri Beta somewhat relaxed after the effects of a very hectic rush week, the Phis on the Westminster Campus feel that they have selected a really outstanding pledge class. The Phikeias are: Tom Cannon, Jacksonville, Ill.; Dick Gross, Independence; Woody Hopkins, Boonville; Wally Leopold, Ladue; Bob Melin, Bellville, Ill.; Art Olsen, Dick Vrooman, Kansas City; Valdon Galaway, Al Musick, Fulton; Jim Pullen, Waynesville; George Shadle, Poplar Bluff, Don Smith, University City, and Angus Shearer, Tulsa, Okla. Coming to Missouri Beta this year as a transfer from Oklahoma Alpha is Bud Goltrey, who hails from Enid, Okla. Missouri Beta in the last year has risen to a height of supremacy on the Westminster campus. The men in the Phi house, through the interest they've shown in college activities, have won for themselves many high campus positions as well as campus honors, among which are: Dave Vaughan, Student Body prexy for 1954-55; Mike Quigg and Bill Reller, editor and business manager respectively of the school paper; last but not least, Ted Growe, Battalion Commander of the R.O.T.C. unit. Phil Carr has won honors for himself and the Fraternity by having the highest Freshman average in the college. As far as athletics go, it appears almost certain that the Phis will again capture the Intramurals golf plaque.—**JACK GORDON, Reporter.**

MISSOURI GAMMA, Washington University.—Autumn and football are in the air here on the Washington University campus. Leading the varsity team this year are Jim Burt, Mike Bollinger, Rich Dammkoehler, Don Rott and Phikeia Don Polkinghorn, who is second in team scoring in his Freshman year, having scored three touchdowns in the first two games of his college career. Thanks to the fine efforts of our Rush Chairmen John Porter and Irv Dunkel, we have added 21 pledges to the chapter. From the St. Louis area come Jim Bledsoe, Rich Gould, George Hensley, Neal Hunstein, Jack Johanson, Harvey Kassebaum, John Lewis, Randy Matreci, Stacey MacDonald, Walt McFarland, Nick Papan, Don Polkinghorn, Taylor Stoneman, Larry Swaney and John Verbe; while Dick Carlson, John Isaacson, Alex Jerome, Al Mayner, Jim Schuelter and Doc Thompson hail from out-state. We here at Missouri Gamma are proud of these new Phikeias and the work they are doing on Homecoming and their willing participation in the intramural program. With these new men to bolster our ranks and take the place of the

members we lost through graduation, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is sure to remain one of the top fraternities on campus. Tom Roberts, intramural chairman, tells us that football as well as tennis finds the Phis with a strong team and good possibilities of winning all honors.—**RICHARD DAMMKOEHLER, Reporter.**

MONTANA ALPHA, University of Montana.—The members of Montana Alpha look forward to a great year on campus, having pledged twenty energetic Phikeias. They are: Richard Stahl, Larry Scher, Gary Bennett, Billings; Richard Christopher, Great Falls; Dick Banks, Havre; Thomas Fleming, Bonner; Clyde Crego, Jr., Missoula; Jay Quattrocchi, Stryker; Roger Pearsall, Park City; Alan Noyes, Fairview; Del Ivey, Max Miller, Chinook; Lester Schow, Scobey; James Quackenbush, Peerless; Larry Schulz, Sheridan; Ronald Paige, Philipsburg; Chuck Rhodes, Bluffton, Ind.; Ronald Johnson, Ronald Broker, Elmhurst, Ill., and Harold Erickson, Sioux Falls, S.D. Edward Palmer, Arthur Dahlberg and Gary Hunt were tapped for Bearpaws, men's Sophomore honorary society and Bill Gue became a member of Silent Sentinel, men's Senior honorary, which is limited to twelve outstanding Seniors on the campus. Actives and pledges of the $\Lambda\Phi$ sorority were invited to the chapter house one Saturday afternoon to hear the radio broadcast of the Montana Grizzly-Iowa Hawkeye football game. Players from the chapter seeing action were Phis Keith Peterson, Bill Gue, Arthur Dahlberg, George Samuelson, Donald Little and Paul Enochson. Phi Norm Anderson, 1954 graduate of Montana and former student body president, has entered medical school at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo. Johan Miller has been chosen chairman of the campus Traditions Board. George Boifeuillet is Commandant of the A.F.R.O.T.C. cadet unit at M.S.U. Plans are being made for our annual Fall Hawaiian party and a South Sea Island queen may be inaugurated this year.—**CHARLES ROBBIN, Reporter.**

NEBRASKA ALPHA, University of Nebraska.—Nebraska Alpha started this year as it has in past years—second to none. Our physical plant has been completely remodeled from top to bottom. The house was completely painted and the first floor was completely redecorated. The new furnishings on first floor include new rugs, new tile, new leather sofas, chairs and new tables. The biggest improvement upstairs is the new metal study desk for each active. The sports picture is still bright. The Phis have four men on the football team; Jack Braley, Doran Post, Gail "Punch" Lair and

Bill Giles. Last Spring the baseball team was honored with an all-Phi starting outfield—Jim Cederdahl, Bill Giles and Don Becker. Turning from University athletics to intramurals, we find the Phis taking first in track, golf, shallow-water basketball, rifle team and others. The final analysis showed the Phis in second place in the final standings, only a few points behind the winners. The General Convention held at Mackinac Island this Summer was well attended by the active chapter, thanks to the Omaha and Lincoln alumni organizations. These men contributed enough funds to send nine brothers to the Convention. The nine are: Al Anderson, Bill Devries, Jerry McKenzie, Charlie Haupt, Fred Larkin, Chuck Stuart, Sam Ellis, Herb Meissner and Jim Norsworthy. The two alumni to attend from Nebraska were Chick Stuart and Emmett Junge, P.P.G.C. We have come up with a top pledge class again this year. Rush week brought with it 23 top Freshmen from all over the state, one Junior from Princeton, and one Sophomore. The new Phikeias are: Bill Tomson, Erik Olsen, Stu Howerter, Don Pakieser, Morgan Holmes, Omaha; Bob Prest, McCook; Jerret Jones, Grand Island; Jack Hixon, Bob Lewis, Falls City; Cliff Boline, Tecumseh; Gary Claussen, Holdrege; John Rouzee, Dave Morehouse, Curt Cardwell, George Peterson, Fremont; Dick Cottrell, Scottsbluff; Hal Rowe, Dick Johnson, Art Weaver, Dick Randoff, "Phip" Stevens, "Wimp" Von Gillern, Lincoln; "Si" Gottschalk, Columbus; Jim Kiely, Lincoln, and Warren Burt, Scarsdale, N.Y.—**HERBERT C. MEISSNER, Reporter.**

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA, Dartmouth College.—Top on the list of Fall events as New Hampshire Alpha arrived in Hanover, was fraternity rushing. Under the leadership of Rick Webb, rushing chairman, the Phis had one of the most successful seasons in recent years. The new Phikeias are now in the hands of Lew Metzger, pledge master. They are: Bob Buckbee, Lamoyne, Pa.; Dick Burch, Forest Hills, N.Y.; Walt Burgin, New Cumberland, Pa.; Don Burkhardt, Larchmont, N.Y.; John Colenback, Toledo, Ohio; Bob Creasy, Tuckahoe, N.Y.; John Cusick, Louisville, Ky.; Fred Eichorn, Carnegie, Pa.; Tom Evans, Minneapolis, Minn.; John Griffin, Houston, Tex.; Tony Hess, Salt Lake City, Utah; Hank Holt, West Hartford, Conn.; Jerry Ischkanian, Lynn, Mass.; Staff Krouse, Byram, Conn.; Dodi Kregos, Milford; John La Monte, Columbus, Ohio; Jim Lothrop, Carlisle, Pa.; John Roberts, Morristown, N.J.; Carl Schmidt, Hohokus, N.J.; Paul Schmitt, Hopkins, Minn.; Jim



PHI KAPPA IOTA AT DARTMOUTH

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: John Cusick, Don White, Walt Burgin, Jerry Ischkanian, Don Burkhardt, Dodi Kregos, Staff Krouse, Hank Holt, Dick Burch, John Roberts. SECOND ROW: Carl Schmidt, Fred Eichorn, Bill Trager, Bob Buckbee, Jim Taylor, Tony Hess, John Griffin, Tom Evans, Paul Schmidt. SEATED: Bob Creasy, John La Monte, George Urban, Jim Lothrop, John Colenback.

Taylor, Little Silver, N.J.; Bill Trager, Peoria, Ill.; George Urban, Baltimore, Md., and Don White, Littlestown, Pa. The Navy weekend was a success despite Dartmouth's fourth-quarter loss. Dampened spirits were lifted during the post game cocktail party by the piano playing of Rodney Sturgess, "artiste," and his colorful repertoire. Social Chairman Rick Hollier topped off the weekend by having Paul Kettabriga and his Singing Tailors for the Saturday night dance. Still in the future are Homecoming and Houseparty weekends which will feature the perennial favorite, Manuel and his Black and White Jazz Band. Meanwhile the house intramural football team has a 1-1-1 record, and is still in the race for league championship. So far we have depended on active brothers, but now that rushing has supplied us with such a talented group of Phikeias, Coach "Terry" Schnorff has declared all positions wide open. Several key spots are due to be filled by pledges.—BOB HADLEY, Reporter.

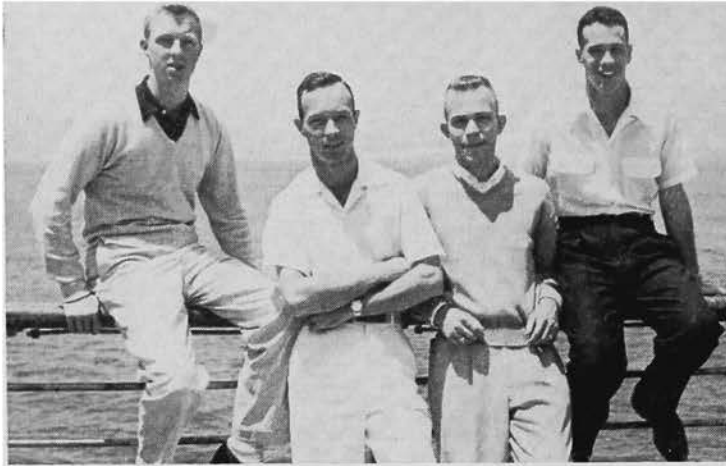
NEW MEXICO ALPHA, University of New Mexico.—The chapter boasts the addition of a housemother to the group this year. Mother McClellan came to us from Southern Arizona School for Boys, where she was Director of Music for five years. Rush week this Fall gave us 23 outstanding men as pledges. They are: Eddie Boise, Norman Goff, Bert Ledbetter, Ted Stranczek, Ted Vandegriff, Don West, Dan Worth, Albuquerque; Car-

rol Don Bryan, Carl "Bud" Kerns, Bill McCall, Max Pruitt, Paul Raymond, Carlsbad; John Barnes, Logansport, Ind.; Charles Doughdrill, Victoria, Tex.; Dave Emmert, Chugiak, Alaska; Robert Ford, Bozeman, Mont.; Richard Franks, Silver City; Pat Henson, Yale, Okla.; Don Hosner, Durango, Colo.; Jim Myers, New Orleans, La.; Tony Predock, Ferguson, Mo.; Vince Perna, Altadena, Calif.; and J. D. Strode, Las Cruces. New Mexico Alpha has had 191 men sign the Bond since 1948, with the initiation September 26 of: Jim Hamilton, Ralph Park, Carlsbad; Dick Drake, Morris Stagner, Clovis; John Moore, Ron Nelson, Jim Peterson, Albuquerque; Ernie Bruss, Farmington, and Frank Ewing, Phoenix. The town men and Summer session students spent the Summer sanding and refinishing the furniture in the house while the Mothers' Club contracted to have the guest room fixed into very comfortable living quarters for the housemother. Three Phis from the chapter, Swede Carlson, Dick Drake and Eddie Pendleton, are on the Lobo varsity football squad this year. Bruce Hood has been given the supporting lead in the Drama Department's presentation of Marlowe's *The Lady Is Not for Burning* and Ralph Park is stage manager for the play. The chapter is looking for top honors in the Homecoming house decorations and float activities in November and we are all looking forward to the sixth annual Blue and White formal.—HERBERT H. BRUNELL, JR., Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA
Cornell University
No letter received.

NEW YORK BETA
Union College
No letter received.

NEW YORK EPSILON, Syracuse University.—The Phis of New York Epsilon under the able leadership of President Bob Secor have already begun to make this year a memorable one. Rushing Chairman Ted Vansycle and all the other brothers are directing their energies toward making this Fall's rushing season the best yet. We are looking forward to a great pledge class. Intramural Manager Dick Milham has started intramural practice so that we might win the all-around Intramural Sports Trophy which we have won for the last two years. We were all glad to welcome back Ron Link who had to drop out of school last semester due to a serious case of rheumatic fever. Social Chairman Ken Brown has outlined an excellent social calendar for the current semester, the high spot of which is the Homecoming party after the Syracuse-Colgate game, when we will welcome back many alumni and Colgate Phis for the festivities. Playing varsity football this year are Senior Joe Cappadona and Sophomores Ron Tyler and Ed Ackley. Joe, especially, has been a great help to the Syracuse Eleven. Treasurer Pete Petersen and House Manager Don Douty have been working hard to keep the house financially and physically in top shape. Our dele-



PHIS MEET ON MEDITERRANEAN

Aboard the *Vulcania* off the African coast this past summer, four Phis got together for fun and for this picture. They are, LEFT TO RIGHT: Peter Burr, Duke '55; Vic Hobby, Duke '53; John Russey, Missouri '56; and Charlie Herd, Georgia '51.

gate to the General Convention, Skip Slater, has returned with many ideas which we plan to utilize in improving our chapter. Skip is also doing a fine job in preparing our present pledge class for initiation.—DICK SUTTER, *Reporter*.

NEW YORK ZETA, Colgate University.—The odor of turpentine greeted the brothers and pledges at the beginning of another activity-packed Fall semester. In addition to general chapter improvements conducted over the Summer months, such as carpentry and plumbing repairs, installation of sprinkler systems and exit signs in compliance with the multiple housing regulations, and the purchase of new desks and chairs for the study rooms, the members of New York Zeta redecorated both the dining and living rooms. This effort completed the long term program begun last Spring. On the sports scene, the chapter contributed Tom Miller, Frank Solana, Tony Tsocanos, Craig Randall and George Gardella to Coach Hal Lahar's 1954 football aggregation. In addition to his football duties, Gardella is also a member of the Athletic Governing Board, delegate to the Student Senate, and rushing chairman. Soccer captain and President George Williamson is supported on the field by Phil Paris, Bob Tuxill, Charlie Tillou and Phikeias Ray Dempsey, Nels Gough and Charlie Reis. Lacrosse hopefuls in "Fall training" include Mickey Warburton, Ed Janecsek and Phikeias Bill Barraclough and John Hilkert. Frank Patterson, high scoring captain of last year's basketball team, assumes co-captaincy

for the prospective season. Beanie Kraus and Bruce Dursema were elected co-captains of the Red Raider baseball team for 1955. Charlie Tillou, Student Senate delegate, also holds the position of president of Maroon Key, Junior honorary society. Bob Tuxill will be the guiding hand for the current Campus Fund Drive. Ted Armstrong and Hovey Larrison occupy the presidency and vice presidency, respectively, of the Colgate Glee Club. Ted and Hovey were recently elected to MIIΔ, honorary music fraternity, and are supervisors on the university radio station. The young intramural season finds the Phis on top of the heap boasting strong football and speedball teams. Scholastically, the chapter has improved registering eighth among fifteen fraternities, pledges excluded. The chapter is deeply engaged in preparation for Homecoming weekend and Alumni reunion, a highlight of the autumn weekend program.—NEAL PRICE, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, Duke University.—North Carolina Alpha, at this time, is in the midst of an experiment in early rushing at Duke. In the past it has been customary to rush at the beginning of the second semester. Although rushing has just begun, we feel that we have already lined up a pledge class that will rival the finest. The Phis put their faces on the campus map in September by entertaining the Freshman girls with a Combo Party. The event was a huge success, being attended not only by the Freshman girls, but also, as it turned out, by everyone

on campus. The chapter plans to make this an annual affair. The Phis seem destined to run the campus during the coming year. At the top of the pile is Worth Lutz, an old star at football, but a newcomer to politics, who will serve as president of the Student Government. Other notables include Charlie Pardoe, Judicial Board member; Ted Ziegler, campus newspaper editor; Reynolds Price, literary publication editor; Bob Clayton and Bert Oastler, executive officers of the N.R.O.T.C. and A.F.R.O.T.C. respectively; Bob Ulrich, Commanding Officer of the Arnold Air Society, and Chuck Gerhardt, Commandant of the Marines. The chapter is also proud to boast of having six out of the starting eleven Duke Blue Devils. They are: Worth Lutz, John Palmer, Jess Birchfield, Buddy Bass, Bob Pascal and Jerry Kocourek. Several of these men have been mentioned for possible All-American honors and all promise to give outstanding performances as members of one of the nation's top teams. We have recently swelled the ranks of ΦΔΘ by the initiation of six new brothers—Bert Oastler, Bob Pascal, Dan Cox, John Christofferson, Hal McElhaney and Bob Murray.—BILL BIGGERS, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA

University of North Carolina

No letter received.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, Davidson College.—North Carolina Gamma obtained another good pledge class of some twenty Phikeias. They are: David Alexander, Nashville, Tenn.; Ralph Basset, Fort Valley, Ga.; Jack Briggs, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Max Bryan, Raleigh; Charles Davis, Charleston, S.C.; Tom Dennard, Pineview, Ga.; Phil Diuguid, Jacksonville, Fla.; Gary Fisher, Raleigh; Bill Hopper, Waynesboro, Ga.; Bob Martin, Welsh, La.; Charles Morris, Raleigh; Bill Patton, Charlotte; Sonny Sanders, Tabor City; Ed Stewart, Kirkwood, Mo.; John Trask, Beaufort, S.C.; Bill Walker, Macon, Ga.; Bill Warlick, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Jim Weller, Charlotte; David Wood, Waynesboro, Ga., and Pat Woodward, Quincy, Fla. This year, in preparation for Rush week, the house was painted and repaired under the able leadership of John Reed, house chairman. The whole fraternity, under the leadership of President Bob Jones (Third Generation Phi) is gearing itself in hopes of a successful battle for the third Interfraternity Intramural Cup in three years. Last May we edged out the Betas to take Davidson's coveted interfraternity award. The Davidson football team, led by Phis Harley Smith, Gregg Poole, Lyle Llewellyn, Tom Lee and Tom New-



PHIKEIAS OF NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA

ton, won its third straight victory in a game here against Stetson. It was an all-Phi day, with halfback Smith and fullback Poole tallying all of Davidson's score.—AUSTIN STRAND, *Reporter*.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, University of North Dakota.—North Dakota Alpha wound up the 1953-54 season by copping their sixth first place trophy in eight years in the annual Flickertail Follies, campus variety show. The act, "The Bowery," was a comedy hit, ably managed by Jim Carney and Dick Kidd. Much credit is also due to Dick Lovegren. Memorial services were held for North Dakota Alpha's holder of Bond Number 1, the honorable Judge Donald Bruce McDonald. A large picture of Brother McDonald now hangs over our fireplace in his memory. North Dakota Alpha has gained special recognition by sending Brother Robert Anderson to Austria for a year of study at the University of Vienna. His exchange student, Adolf Walser of Vienna, is now a Phikeia, living in our midst. The project was arranged by Brother G. H. Grueninger, foreign student director at DePauw University. North Dakota Alpha has the following new Phikeias: Darrel Bye, Bob Harrington, Richard Niclai, Devils Lake; Gene Afseth, Don Corbett, James Wolfe, Gary Cranston, Ted Pedas, Minot; Howard Theige, Roger Loerch, Harvey; Dale Irwin, Velva; Robert Gilsdorf, Valley City; James Knauf, Ted Jelliff, Roger Rohloff, Grand Forks; Tom Stannard, James Webb, Williston; Howard Adams, Cavalier; Henry Owin, Washington, D.C.; Darryl Durgin, Robert Helgeland, James Zavoral, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Adolf Walser, Vienna, Austria; Stuart Randall, Bill Weitzel, Gordon Wedel, Ed Hiller, Bob Zobel, Wayne Pleasants, Baraboo, Wis.; Norman

Hilliard, Bill Slight, Skokie, Ill.; Jack Leach, Griswold, Iowa; Bob Parker, Bemidji, Minn., and Pat Jarzomkowski, Chicago, Ill.—JACK BAUKOL, *Reporter*.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, Dalhousie University.—Although the University did not open until October 4, it appears already that Nova Scotia Alpha is in for another big year. One of the main topics around the house is the General Convention. The five of us who made the trip were greatly impressed and have had our hands full answering the inquiries of the other brothers. Our late registration combined with the interfraternity rule against rushing Freshmen during the first term keeps us behind other chapters in that respect. Nevertheless, we have had one stag with the football team as our guests, seven-twelfths of the team being Phis. No doubt by the next stag, eleven-twelfths will be Phis. We also have had a mixed party to launch the social season at Dalhousie. During the Summer two of our brothers were successful in the athletic field, with our President "Champ" Cruickshank picking up a Canadian Army heavyweight boxing championship and Gary Watson coming through with some silverware in track and field. As usual we have drawn up a schedule of improvements to be made on the house—redecorating being our greatest task. The next printing will herald the completion of our new rumpus room and the renovation of our basement.—GEORGE W. SLIPP, *Reporter*.

OHIO BETA, Ohio Wesleyan University.—After starting the year with a pledge class of 24, Ohio Beta is making plans for another successful year. The new Phikeias are: Dick Bump, Marysville; Dick MacIntire, Middletown; Dick Hagenlocker, Ostrander; Keith Winget, Wooster; Tom

Ross, Wauseon; Jim Wight, Wellington; Arlan Church, Toledo; Harlton Dunbar, Delta; Bob Moffet, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Dick With, Canton; Wes Whitmyer, Massillon; John Antes, Canton; Roger Cook, Wooster; Jim Allemeier, Maumee; John Wing, Charles Ream, Mechanicsburg; Alan Bush, Canton; Dave Sheaffer, Wadsworth; John Norka, Cleveland; Paul Kimmel, Urbana; Ralph Day, Maple Heights; Al Johnson, Youngstown; Phil Shaffer, Middlefield, and Paul Nightingale, Wellsville. Initiation was held September 18, when Don Sultzbach, Springfield, signed the Bond. Dave Basinger, Jerry Ritter, John Harding, Jack Short, Dick Wiseley and Phikeias Dick Bump and Roger Cooke are representing Ohio Beta on the gridiron. Ken Creasy is serving as president of the Student Body, and Bob Watson is the men's representative-at-large. Vic Milla and Tom Roos have the co-chairmanship of a student government committee, and other Phis are active in student government work. Dick Brunn is the head announcer of WSLN, the campus radio station. Chorister Jerry Sheaffer has started the song group working toward the Interfraternity Song Fest which Ohio Beta won last Spring. Singing in the A Cappella Choir are: Dick Brunn, Bill Davis, Ivan Bowman, Larry Hill, Gerry Krick, Jack Cassell, Tom Roos, Jerry Sheaffer and Phikeias Ream and Winget. Leon Richey will play the part of Androcles in *Androcles and the Lion* when it is staged during Homecoming. Dick McPherson is planning a full social season, starting with a hayride.—CHARLES R. COX, *Reporter*.

OHIO GAMMA, Ohio University.—A general clean-up campaign has been the order of the day here at Ohio Gamma. Under the exacting leadership of President Tom Balding, House



OHIO ZETA PHIKEIA CLASS

FRONT ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Bill Keske, Dave Koenig, Bill Hillis, Bill Stoneman, Gerry Grinstead, Jerry Laube, Bud Asebrook, Joe Duffey, Chris Lohnes. SECOND ROW: Pete Butler, Bob Haines, Bill Tempel, Joe Austin, John Seever, John Baker, Don Schoenberger, Ray Siferd, Gene Lauro. BACK ROW: Sam McMahon, Jim Rickoff, Mike Moore, Ron Cook, Jack Campbell, Jim Snook, John Dilliam, Tom Crawford, Ray Beerman.

Manager Dave Hamm, and Housemother Mrs. Roach, the brothers living in the house have been conducting interesting experiments in color combinations. The entire inside of the house has been repainted. Ohio Gamma is happy to report that of the nineteen social fraternities on campus it has moved up from fifteenth to fourth in scholarship. New Scholarship Chairman Frank Nixon has offered numerous hints to the brothers to further improve the chapter's scholarship. Ohio Gamma's able Treasurer Paul Jessee completely revised the chapter's By-laws this Summer. They were accepted by the chapter after a week of studying the changes made in the new revision. Paul is to be commended for a job well done. Social Chairman Roger Fenniman wishes to invite Ohio Gamma alumni and any other Phis who happen to be in the vicinity to enjoy gay weekends here at the Phi House. Rushing this Fall is confined to second-semester Freshmen and upperclassmen. Rudy Maroscher, Ralph Firestone, Salem; Jim Eckly, Cleveland; Pete Reed, Columbus, and Phil Glass, Franklin, represent Ohio Gamma's new Phikeias. Intramural football is scheduled to get under way next week. Under the able leadership of Coach Dick Abbruzzese, the gridgers have been practicing for their first game with ΣN . Tennis and golf are also included in the Fall intramural program. Phikeia Roger Thomas, a Sophomore, is starting at right half for the Bobcat varsity. Sam Wharton and Frank Nixon are members of Ohio University's cross country team.—GILBERT M. CAMP, JR., Reporter.

OHIO EPSILON, University of Akron.—With the Founders' Trophy safely in our fold, Ohio Epsilon is hopefully embarking on another "championship" year. Our chapter plans to stay in the local as well as school spotlight all year long, through the aid of our great Chorus and campus leaders—leaders like Maurice McGuire, chapter president; Ken Holloman, Student Union manager; Ray Kiefer, business manager of *The Buchtelite* and assistant Student Union manager; Dick Ellis, $\Phi \Sigma$ Society president; Stu Terrass, I.F.C. president; Hal Frye, I.F.C. veep;—leaders in scholarship, athletics, and extracurricular distinctions. Terrass is also head cheerleader this year. So far this Fall, our chapter has pledged four outstanding men: Ed Pfeiffer, Ron Nichols, Lawton Vaughn and Jim Weiss. Phikeia Weiss was just recently voted into Student Council. The lead in the first University Theatre Production of *The Gramercy Ghost* was won by John Milford. Our chapter boasts also our new, talented and most efficient housemother—Mrs. Maisy Myers. In the field of sports, George Auten and Phikeias Bill Auten and Don Brautigan are football regulars. Phikeia John Wiener, Sophomore first string wingback, ran into a little appendix trouble and may unfortunately be out for the season. The sport of soccer is being introduced to Akron U's campus under the direction of player-assistant coach Phikeia George Parry. The majority of the school's team is composed of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ pledges. Our social committee, composed of Dick Lombardi, Dick Maloyan and Phikeia Al Barnes, has

planned a series of after-game parties and a hayride to highlight the Fall calendar. Martin Vronick, Marv Walker and Harold Hanna are in charge of directing our Homecoming house decoration. $\Phi \Delta \Theta$'s candidate for Homecoming Queen is lovely Miss Janet Bailey—Miss Ohio Sesquicentennial of 1953.—TONY MILO, Reporter.

OHIO ZETA, Ohio State University.—Ohio Zeta has just finished another highly successful rush week by pledging 20 outstanding new Phikeias. They are: James Snook, Robert Haines, Gerald Grinstead, Richard Crawford, William Butler, John Baker, Joel Austin, George Stoneman, Columbus; Maxmillian McMahon XV, Zanesville; Gene Lauro, Sandusky; John Seever, Fostoria; John Dilliam, Albert Asebrook, Chris Lohnes, Springfield; Paul Hutzelman, Mansfield; William Hillis, Chillicothe; Joseph Duffey, Thomas Crawford, Jack Campbell, Ray Beerman, Toledo; Michael Moore, Norwood; William Keske, Solon; John Koenig, Marion; William Temple, Ronald Cook, Andrew Wilson, Lima; Jerome Laube, Don Schoenberger, Raymond Siferd, Findlay, and James Rickoff, Indianapolis, Ind. Five of these new pledges, Ray Beerman, Ron Cook, Tom Crawford, Jack Campbell and John Dilliam are showing great promise with the Ohio State Freshman football team. The construction of the new chapter house is going along smoothly under the capable supervision of the house corporation. Ohio Zeta is always proud of its scholastic achievements and the last school year was no exception as we ranked ninth, out of 52 fraternities on campus. The

social calendar for the coming year is one of the best ever under the direction of Tom Kemp. Highlight of the Fall quarter whirl will be the Miami Triad and we hope, our new housewarming party.—LARRY WRIGHT, *Reporter*.

OHIO ETA, Case Institute of Technology.—Rushing this Summer featured a swimming party at the home of Rushing Chairman Gordon Heming. A picnic followed and set the stage for a fine back-to-school rushing program. Bids are returning now, but it will be some time before the pledge class reaches its fullest extent. Ohio Eta again seems headed for another banner year in sports. The volleyball and bowling teams have emerged victorious in their first encounters. Last year the All-Sports Trophy was again returned to our mantel for the eleventh consecutive year and the twenty-first time in its twenty-four year history. First place was copied in track, volleyball, swimming, basketball and wrestling, with a second in bowling. Scholarship will again be stressed this year especially after our fine showing last year which put us among the top five fraternities on campus for both semesters. The week before school opened a dozen brothers, led by Jess Willard and Jim Dawson, completed the face-lifting on our basement chapter room. Now pine paneling and sound proofing material have converted the room into a first class meeting place and recreation room. This whole project was financed by our wonderful and generous Mothers' Club, and they deserve tremendous credit for their actions.—GARY KUMLER, *Reporter*.

OHIO THETA, University of Cincinnati.—Ohio Theta, in three weeks of hectic rushing, took in an excellent bumper pledge class of 47 men representing at least twelve states. Having the largest pledge class on the University of Cincinnati campus, the chapter is also confident of having the greatest cross section of talent as musicians, athletes and scholars from high school days entered our pledge fold. The active chapter spent a less dormant Summer than usual as the construction of a swimming pool was begun under the supervision of Don Hayes, Dick Orth, Ed Loewe and Bill Friend. The work is being done solely by the fraternity and the pool will be finished before extreme weather sets in. In the athletic spotlight is Dick Goist once again. He has three touchdowns for three games on record. Goist is being touted for All American honors this year and will be a favorite for the All-Phi team which he made last year. Returned from the service are George Morgan and Dave Bode who

have resumed their studies. Foremost in our minds this year is a scholarship program which should bring Ohio Theta to the foreground in the only phase of college life in which it has not excelled, though average scholarship has been maintained.—EDWARD E. LOEWE, *Reporter*.

OHIO IOTA, Denison University.—The 1954-55 picture for Ohio Iota looks very bright with great prospects for the future. The brothers returned to find a newly painted dining room with new tables and chairs, new stair carpeting, plumbing improvements and great zeal in their House Manager Reese, who miraculously arranged for the remainder of the house to be put into top shape. A rack for pledge mugs is the newest novelty. The enthusiasm carried over from a through Summer rush program headed by Hendrickson and Weaver, who were assisted greatly by Pledgemaster Thompson. The chapter was rewarded greatly for their work by filling their quota of 24 pledges with the most outstanding men of the new class. With such an outcome to rushing, the enthusiasm has carried over into both intramural and varsity sports. Heamon, intramural manager, assisted by Bell, as coach of speedball, has placed a strong team upon the field headed by Armstrong and Semler. Phikeias Oberlin and Adams have combined at tennis to lead that sport. In the varsity department, Patton and Cornell, along with Phikeias Nichols, Rothman, Corry and Blunk, make up the nucleus of the soccer team, while Phikeia Click is playing the number one quarterback position in football. Not only have the brothers been active in sports, but Skuce and Gaenslen have participated in entertainment at a nearby blind home. Furthermore, Heiser is directing a school musical, *Of Thee I Sing*, with Knapp in charge of the musical score and Sizer singing the lead role. The new Phikeias are: John McDonald, Newark; Sonny Mills, Rick Hubbard, Springfield; Jim Cullman, Dave Garrett, Youngstown; Dean Burget, Toledo; Butch Creelman, Bud Corry, Cleveland Heights; Don Lynne, Cleveland; Dick Jablonski, Chagrin Falls; Bret Davis, Highland Park, Ill.; Bill Mefferd, Yellow Springs; Bob Marriott, Canton; John Skinner, Euclid; George Thompson, New York, N.Y.; Roger Wilson, Wilmette, Ill.; John Blunk, Cumberland, Md.; Bob Bliss, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Bill Stickney, Dave Scott, Evanston, Ill.; Dix Preston, Wayne, Pa.; Gary Holmes, Bob Hartman, Pittsburgh, Pa. and John Maschal, Swarthmore, Pa.—THEODORE A. BLUNK, *Reporter*.

OHIO KAPPA, Bowling Green State University.—46 brothers returned to

Ohio Kappa chapter for the Fall semester. Among those returning is George Byres, just released after a two-year stretch in the Air Corps. With King Football reigning supreme, most interest has been directed toward that sport. Among the brothers participating in varsity competition are: Bill Bradshaw, Harold Bruck, Glen Freimark, Marty Keipp, Maynard White, Otto Beindorf, Charles Grimming, Richard Bruck, John Ladd and Jim Longe. Along the social line, exchange parties, exchange dinners, hayrides and open houses have constituted most of the activity. Work has been started on the Homecoming decorations and Ohio Kappa hopes to better its last year's second place rating in the all-campus contest.—MARTIN KEIPP, *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, University of Oklahoma.—During a successful rush, led by our co-rush chairmen, Tom Jones and Ted Cobb, Oklahoma Alpha acquired 28 new Phikeias. They include: Darrell Bittle, Ralph Hester, Bob Smith, Oklahoma City; Sam Clammer, Bill Combs, David Ross, Tulsa; Mack Davis, Jerry Harbour, Doyle King, Bob Richardson, Duncan; Jim Boyle, Jim Clark, Lew Wilke, Bartlesville; Charles Foster, Dick McKnight, Enid; Jim Cargill, Bill Henry, Lawton; Charles Gwin, Ada; Harry Todd, Ardmore; Den McKinney, Blackwell; Ed Jordon, Fairview; Grant Irwin, Meeker; Dave Champlin, Ft. Worth, Texas; Jim Fambrough, Glendale, Calif.; Dick Farris, Douglas-town, N.Y.; Jack Hogue, Yazzoo City, Miss.; Bill Schmausser, Denver, Colo.; John Youngmeyer, Tyler, Texas. The chapter has set up residence in the old "Phi Gamma Delta" house, until our new home is completed. The Phi Delta social season opening with blind-dates with the sororities on campus is under the direction of Social Chairman Bob Schick. Brother John Batchelor was selected as the outstanding freshman by the University. Brothers Arch Gilbert and Don Wilson were elected to $\Phi B K$. The 1953-54 pledge class held the highest grade average among the men's pledge classes on campus. All offices in $\Phi H \Sigma$ are held by Phis for the coming year. The Phi intramural football teams are strong contenders for the championships, and are running well under the leadership of Gene Torbett. Oklahoma Alpha is again starting the school year successfully in all its varied endeavors.—JOE GILL LESSERT, *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA BETA, Oklahoma A. & M. College.—August was filled with industrious activity at the Phi residence at Oklahoma A. & M. Under the able guidance of President Jerry Shipley, the members completely repainted

Outstanding Ohio Kappa Graduate

By MARTIN KEIPP, *Ohio Kappa Reporter*

OHI O KAPPA at Bowling Green State University is proud of its 1954 graduate, Ralph V. McKinney, Jr., of Bay Village, Ohio, who was active in many phases of campus activity during his four years in college. His activities began during his Freshman year when he was elected to the Freshman class staff and was the outstanding Phikeia in his pledge group. His many activities and leadership qualities were rewarded by his election to O Δ K.



McKINNEY

Other organizations to which he lent his abilities are A Φ Ω, national service fraternity, which he served as vice-president; B B B, biology honorary, and the pre-med honorary A E Δ. Twice president of his chapter of Φ Δ Θ, he represented his fraternity on the Interfraternity Council, of which he was secretary-treasurer. Ralph also participated in several university theatrical productions.

Although Ralph lists his major as pre-dentistry, his main interest is in the military field. He was chosen outstanding cadet in the past three years in R.O.T.C., and served as Commander of the Pershing Rifles, military honorary. Last Spring he was selected as a Distinguished Military Student and was given a regular commission in the Artillery. At present he is serving as a Second Lieutenant in the Officers Battery Course at Fort Sill, Okla.

the house, and generally gave it a face lifting. Rush was climaxed by the annual party at Grand Lake, near Tulsa. Most of the brothers and many rushees congregated at comfortable Cowskin Lodge during August 28, 29 and 30. This party, the highlight of the Summer rush, included all the top prospects contacted since the end of Spring term. Amid water skiing, swimming, fishing and just loafing, both rushees and members alike had a very enjoyable three days. Culmination of rush week evidenced that once again the Phis had successfully bid some fine men. Twenty-one sets of ribbons were pinned on at bid house, and 60 brothers breathed a sigh of pride. The campus-wide Howdy dance followed, and then the chapter settled down for the more serious labors of college life—study. Social Chairman Eddie Hutchison arranged exchange dance hours with several sororities, and the new pledges were thus enabled to get acquainted quickly and easily with the fairer sex. October 2 was the date set for the annual Fall steak-fry at Blackwell Lake. The event was especially successful this year as the brothers and dates mingled perfect weather with good cheer. Following the steak-fry, the chapter serenaded the pin-mates. October 8 was the first Mothers' Club meeting of the term. The mothers were dinner guests of the chapter, and the new pledges and their mothers became acquainted with the "old" ones. Upcoming social events include the popular "half-formal" and the Gangster party.—GENE COWAN, *Reporter*.

ONTARIO ALPHA, University of Toronto.—The chapter house has resumed its role as home and haven for city and out-of-town brothers after successfully accommodating many alumni for the Summer. The redecorated chapter room and newly-completed pool room were the first improvements to be noted in the house, but the grounds had not been overlooked either. The lawns were re-seeded where necessary and ornamental trees have been planted. President John Davies, recently returned from the General Convention, expressed the chapter's sentiments in forecasting another very successful year for Ontario Alpha. Our Fall rushing is progressing very well with all brothers showing great interest in their choice of the men who will best fulfill the requirements of future Phis. Parties and stags have been used to great advantage by the rushee and the active as a means of becoming better acquainted with each other. U. of T. and its arch rival, the University of Western Ontario, clashed October 9 in a sparkling gridiron battle which officially opened 1954's college football season. A pre-game luncheon launched our Fall activities, while a dance that evening climaxed the first of the Toronto Phis' social sorties.—BRUCE T. CURRIE, *Reporter*.

OREGON ALPHA, University of Oregon.—Oregon Alpha completed a very successful rush week, pledging twenty-two Freshmen. The Phikeias are: John Bohlman, Harold Duffy, James Hilands, Stewart Jones, David

Kjome, Sidney Moody, William Searce, Vernon Scott, James White, Charles, Withers, Portland; Calvin Callaway, Charles Pattee, Jerry Urness, The Dalles; Brian Booth, Roseburg; Ronald Brown, Pendleton; Winfred Hastings, Bandon; Donald Lane, Modesto, Calif.; Donald Linland, Oakridge; Raymond Miller, Eugene; James Pifher, Baker; Theodore Tenny, Ashland, and William Thordarson, Tacoma, Wash. There will be no open rushing during the remainder of the Fall term. During Spring term of the last school year, Oregon Alpha was awarded the University Intramural Trophy, which is given to the living organization who obtains the most points in athletics throughout the year. It is quite an honor to receive this trophy and we hope we can capture it again this coming year. We have had a good start this season as our football crew is still undefeated with the season almost over. We have just completed our Fall initiation in which we initiated two men. The new members are Kenny Bond, Baker, and Norman Fogelstrom, Eugene.—DON GARTRELL, *Reporter*.

OREGON BETA
Oregon State College
No letter received.

OREGON GAMMA, Willamette University.—Oregon Gamma has moved into a new school year with much sincerity and enthusiasm. Rush was once again very successful and seventeen pledges were taken into the fold. They are: Charles Marsters, Ron Taylor, Tom Johns, Doug Card.

Louis Bright, Warren Campbell, Vic Backlund, Tom Voight, David Poff, William Walsh, Jerry Ackerson, Mike Benedict, Robert Goddard, Peter Van Horn, Gary Adams, Jerry Johnson and Brad Lucas. This large group will help offset the number of brothers we lost this Summer to the rites of matrimony. John Kent and Bob Miller took the final step and several others became engaged. The Phis are well represented on the football team this Fall. Bob Dyer, Dave Anderson, Phil McCallister, John Kent and Jerry McCallister are all seeing a good deal of first team duty. Phikeias Vic Backlund, Doug Card and Bob Goddard round out a fine group of men from $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ performing for Willamette U. Initiation was held October 3, and Oregon Gamma was exceedingly proud to welcome nine new brothers. They are: Paul Johnson, Fred Butler, Jack Bishop, Robert Withers, William Neel, James Geddes, Kenneth Renshaw, James Jones. Claire Geddes, a member of the Phi local, $\Lambda \Psi \Delta$, was formally initiated with his son, Jim, and the chapter sincerely enjoyed the honor.—**PHIL MCCALLISTER, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA, Lafayette College.—The 1954-55 college year finds the Phi brothers outstanding in college activities. We boast the captain of the varsity football team, the president of the Senior class, the president of the Junior honorary society, Maroon Key, the vice president of the Sophomore honorary society, Calumet, the president of the Marquis Players, the captain of the cheerleaders, the co-captain of the wrestling team, the Senior editor of *The Melange*, college year book, the vice president of the Junior-Senior honorary society, the Knights of the Round Table, and the vice president of the Kirby Society of Government and Law. At the present time we are in our third and final week of rushing. All indications point to one of the finest pledge classes we have had for some years. Rushing Chairman Don Mitchell has done a tremendous job. We have had two teas after football games and were very pleased to see so many alumni return to the house. We hope that more of the alumni will drop in to see us. In our first intramural football game of the season we defeated the $\Sigma \Delta \epsilon$ s by the score of 18-2. It is our hope that this year we will capture the coveted football trophy which we missed last year by losing to $\chi \chi$ in the final playoffs. The Interfraternity ball is planned for the weekend of November 19 and 20. Our old rivals from Lehigh will be the main attraction on the gridiron that weekend. We hope to see all the alumni there.—**WILLARD SNYDER, Reporter.**



JUNIOR LEADER

Norman Olliver, president of Pennsylvania Beta, was recently named "Outstanding Junior" at Gettysburg.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, Gettysburg College.—With the chapter placing second in scholastic average and interfraternity athletics, Pennsylvania Beta is looking forward to an even more successful year. With great support from alumni and hard work on the part of the rushing committee, we have pledged so far: John Benjamin, Knutley; Steve Bishop, Madison; Larry Gaenzle, Albany; Jack Hetrick, Baltimore, Md.; Ernie Ilgenfritz, Baltimore, Md.; Bob Kaufmann, North Hills; David Kessler, Lansdale; Charles Landis, Lititz; Lloyd Lauver, Lewistown; Jack Begee, Lansdowne; Carl Miller, Camp Hill; Jim Piston, Lansdale; Bruce Schlusemeyer, Framingham; Scott Tully, Bethlehem; Barclay Sell, West Lawn; Ralph Weaver, Catasauqua; Howard Worts, West Englewood, and Frank Young, Hackensack. Norm Olliver and Tom Brower attended the General Convention and brought to Pennsylvania Beta the Gold Star Award for outstanding excellence. Our social calendar looks like this: Father's Day, October 9; Homecoming, October 23; I.F.C. weekend, November 5-6; Pledge dance, November 20; Christmas weekend, December 10-11. Last but not least, are extracurricular activities, in which our President, Norm Olliver, was awarded Outstanding Junior and is a candidate for *Who's Who*. On campus, we have two presidents, one vice president, two secretaries, one treasurer, two chairmen of college com-

mittees, one business manager, in various campus organizations. We cordially invite the alumni and any friends of Pennsylvania Beta to visit us during the coming year.—**JOHN R. STONER, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, Washington and Jefferson College.—September 20, Pennsylvania Gamma dived into the beginning of the scholastic year with renewed enthusiasm that equaled that of the incoming Freshmen. The brothers and Phikeias returned to school a week early and quickly pitched in to freshen up the house and to get the chapter's Fall rush program under way. After an exhausting week of entertaining, mostly with girls from Pennsylvania College for Women, and observing the rush-ees, we pledged eleven boys deemed the best Phi prospects. The new Phikeias are: James Brown, Rod Smith, Greensburg; Charles Clark, Dick Gilardi, Pittsburgh; Don Croker, Canonsburg; Richard Hopkins, McKeesport; John Lightcap, Latrobe; Samuel Payne, Princeton, N.J.; Jorge Ramirez, Washington, D.C.; Bradley Schereschewsky, Andover, Mass., and Mario Seraly, New Eagle. The outlook for the 1954-55 interfraternity sports is promising, as we lost only five men through graduation last Spring. They are: Phil Smith, Niles Beeson, Herbert Cable, Frank Forsythe, Bill Judt and Lee McCormick. In order to provide an impetus to improve our overall scholarship standing, a plaque is to be presented each semester to the brother or Phikeia with the most improved average and one to the brother or Phikeia with the highest overall average. Homecoming house decorations promise to be an added attraction to the gala atmosphere of that particular day. The actives certainly are proud of the alumni and the able assistance they donate each year. We hope that this response will prevail again this year as in the past.—**PAUL E. RATHGEB, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, Allegheny College.—September started Pennsylvania Delta's seventy-fifth year of activity on the Allegheny College campus. A tea was held in honor of the Freshman women Sunday, September 25. After two weeks of polishing and painting, the chapter house was in excellent shape for the Freshmen. We applaud both Bill McDowell and Bill Foley—McDowell for his relentless efforts to have the house in excellent condition and to Foley for his efforts in organizing the tea and to all the brothers who spent many long hours painting their rooms and to the many brothers who drove up and down the "hill" supplying rides for all the women who came to the tea. But,

Allegheny Phis Observe 75th Anniversary

ALLEGHENY PHIS with wives and dates, met, 140-strong, at the Oakland Beach Hotel at Conneaut Lake, June 5, to celebrate the 75th anniversary of Pennsylvania Delta chapter. Robert J. Corbett, *Allegheny '27*, Pittsburgh congressman, was the featured speaker of the evening.

At the beginning of the Golden Legion service, six candles were lighted in memory of the Fraternity's founders—and ended being the only lights, as the hotel's lighting system blanked out.

During the Golden Legion service, A. W. Robertson, *Allegheny '06*, of Pittsburgh, and Walter D. Lewis, *Allegheny '05*, of Meadville, were awarded their certificates by Robert Moyers, chapter president.

Entertainment included music by The Saegertones and by the Phi ensemble of ten voices, led by Jim Lyons. A report from the committee on a new or remodeled chapter house was given by Alex Hill. Tom Gladden, Senior from Allegheny, served as toastmaster.

don't let it be said that Sunday was a day of rest, for that same evening the Freshman men were also welcomed to the house for their first look at the fraternities on Allegheny's campus before rush week which starts in November. Ted Arther, rush chairman, and his committee were on hand to see that every man in the fraternity was present for the occasion and that the Freshmen were properly introduced to everyone. All has not been work, for October 2, the second annual Barn dance was held. With 52 gallons of cider, doughnuts and an outstanding band, the next morning's aches and pains were soon forgotten. The general comment seemed to be that square dancing may be fun but who wants to get up the next morning feeling sore. Maybe the experts like Harvey Hefley and Lloyd Wisdom could give us novices a few lessons. By the way, does anyone know what can be done with fifty gallons of left-over cider? This year Pennsylvania Delta is represented on the college's Fall athletic program by four brothers. On the football side the chapter is represented by Don Kimmelman at starting halfback. The soccer field sees Marty Reichle, Sam Biondolio and Tom Levenhagen. The "hats-off" award for this article goes to President Bob Moyers who was presented the BK award for the most outstanding scholastic improvement over the previous year. This award was presented

to Bob at the first all-college convocation of the year. For the coming year, Robb Benson will be piloting the intramural sports program for Pennsylvania Delta. Benson's job is to retain the intramural sports trophy which the chapter won in the closing few softball games of last year. The entire chapter is supporting Benson and hoping that he will be successful in his task. Homecoming was October 16, and many of the class of '54 returned for the day. Some of those who came are Bob Byron, Bob Foster, Bruce Forsgren, John Nyman, John Raciappa and Harry Sherrick.—MAX SHOFASTAL, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, Dickinson College.—Pennsylvania Epsilon completed two weeks of rushing and there are now nine new faces around the house. The new Phikeias are: Paul Gerber, Summit Hill; Jack Morris, North Wales; Fred Conrad, Sunbury; George Ebner, Harrisburg; Joe Otto, Zelienople; Roy Maurer, Muncy; Carl Miller, Pittsburgh; Wally Runkle, Middleburg, and Goute Gregison, Oslo, Norway, Goute (he is known as Greg) is here as an exchange for one of our brothers who is studying in Norway. He is going to be a definite asset to the chapter. Our rushing program has been successful and now everybody can settle down to some studying. 1954-55 is going to be a good year for the Phis at Dickinson.—LEW WILKINSON, *Reporter*.

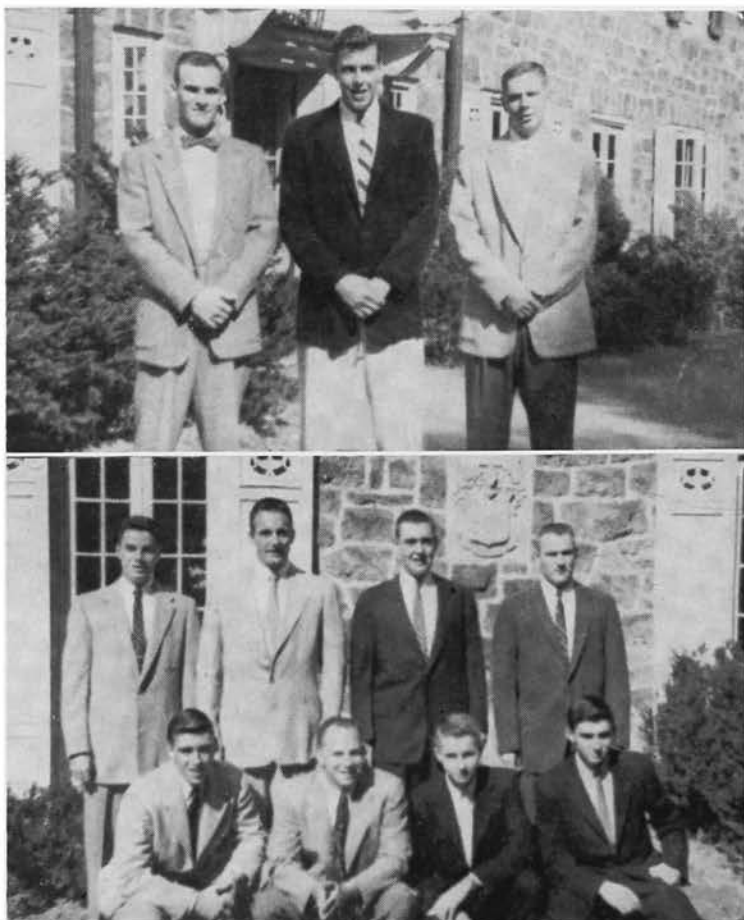
PENNSYLVANIA ZETA, University of Pennsylvania.—A wish of "get well" to begin with—President Wayne Ackerman has left our chapter for a leave of absence because of a back injury. A note of pride—Paul Raudenbush and President Roger Craton received the Spoon and Bowl respectively, for being elected the top two Seniors in last year's class. These two were also elected as Permanent Class Officers. The new University regulation permitting only Spring rushing should boost the chapter's scholastic standing. Jim Manley, quarterback, Stan Chaplin, fullback, and Bob Lebegood, halfback, start for the Red and Blue of Penn. with Bob Butler and Bill Judge seeing action also. Mark Johnson, Charles Anderson, Hershey Groff and Phikeia Walter Scott are on the 150 Squad. Charles Anderson and Jack Lawson wear the traditional hats of the Φ KB Junior honor society. Don Jaeger, manager of tennis, chairman of Campus Chest, and member of the Kite and Key Society was elected to Friars Senior honor society. Bob Moore, manager of football and Phil Tobin, manager of crew, and member of Kite and Key Society wear the hats of Sphinx Senior honor society. Henry Palm was elected to Hexagon Senior honor society. Fred Himmelein and Paul D. Van't Veer, both of Philadelphia, together with Walter Scott of Scranton and John Pettit of Washington are soon to accept the Sword and Shield.—PHILLIP T. TOBIN, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA, Lehigh University.—Last spring at the annual Flaggpole Day ceremonies the Phi Deltas were well represented in the award presentations. Frank Young made *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*, while Bob Vanderpool, another graduating Senior, was taken into Φ BK. Frank "Ozzie" Schubert, co-captain of the track team, and a consistent winner in the javelin and shotput, was awarded the trophy for the most outstanding field man of the year. Tex Arnold, who is captain of the Lehigh rifle team for the second successive year, was presented the N.R.A. award for the outstanding rifleman. Norm Kaelber, captain of the lacrosse team who won honorable mention on the All-American lacrosse team, was the recipient of the Drinker lacrosse trophy. At the annual meeting of the Chapter House Association on Alumni Day, a committee was appointed to investigate the possibilities of building an addition to the chapter house to supplement the existing dining room facilities. Plans have been received and approved by the committee and are now in the hands of contractors who are preparing esti-

mates for approval by the committee. Linc Jones, who would have been a Junior this year, got an appointment to West Point Military Academy and is enrolled in the present plebe class. On October 3, three Juniors—Bill Doremus, Dennis Noble, and John Neilan—and five Sophomores—Jim Clapp, Bill Bird, Walt Leach, Doug Maxwell, and Tom Smith were initiated. Before initiation the new brothers went through a very productive "Work Week" during which they painted the sleeping dorms and generally cleaned the chapter house. —JOHN H. WESTERMAN, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, Pennsylvania State University.—This Fall two new Phikeias joined us. They are Ed Drapcho, Clarence, and Milt Plum, Westfield, N.J. Recently initiated are Dave Schofield, Reading, and Francis Foster, Johnstown. Rejoining us this fall after serving with the Air Force is Brother Jim Stevens. Representing Pennsylvania Theta on the gridiron are Keith Horn, right guard, and Don Baily and Milt Plum, quarterbacks. Our representatives in soccer are Paul Dierks at fullback and Galen Robbins at halfback. On the baseball diamond, Phikeias Ed Drapcho and Milt Plum, sophomores, will make up a battery for the Lions, with Ed doing the pitching. Ed Seiling, who was one of the top six men last year, will be one of the first four men on the tennis team this year. In intramural sports, we placed second among the fraternities last year. This season looks even brighter and our chances are excellent for winning the all-year award. In other campus activities, Galen Robbins is secretary-treasurer of the athletic association, and Dick Hamer is president and John Moore is treasurer of the Society of American Military Engineers. In the men's glee club are Bob Piper, president; Bill Edgeworth, secretary; Phikeias Dave Hubert, publicity chairman; Jack Kersh, and Rog Snyder. In Thespians are Dick Hamer, stage manager and member of the board; Ed Grove, director; Bob Piper, Bill Edgeworth, Ed Robinson. Phikeias Jack Kersh, Buss Remeley, Jim Millen and Bob Allison. In Nat Societies are Galen Robbins, treasurer of Skull and Bones; Dick Seng, treasurer of Blue Key; Joe Barnett, member of Parminous, and Ed Seiling, member of Druids.—W. RICHARD SENG, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, University of Pittsburgh.—The chapter had a later start than usual this semester since classes did not begin until September 27. Work week for prospective initiates started the night of September 19 and the house was humming with activity during the week.



LEHIGH PHIS

TOP, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Tex Arnold, captain of Lehigh rifle team; Frank Schubert, co-captain of track team, and Norm Kaelber, captain of lacrosse team.* BELOW: *New Pennsylvania Eta initiates (rear): Bill Bird, Bill Doremus, Tom Smith, Dennis Noble; (front): John Neilan, Walt Leach, Jim Clapp, Doug Maxwell.*

The inside of the house was cleaned thoroughly and a sparkling new coat of paint was applied to the outside. Following this vigorous workout, the chapter welcomed the following new brothers to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$: Gonzala Cordoba, Bogota, Colombia; Allen R. Graham, David M. Bender, Pittsburgh; Thomas M. Myers, Ebensburg; T. Fenn Rider, Uniontown; John G. Danko, Glassport, and Jerry Kreider, Ephrata. We believe that special congratulations should go to Gonzala "Pancho" Cordoba if only because of the rather luxurious beard which he cultivated this Summer. Of course this is not the only reason for the congratulations. "Pancho" is a transfer student from the University of De Los Andes in Bogota, Colombia, South America. During the past Summer Gonzala worked for the Texas Oil Co. in the oil fields of Magdalena Valley, Colombia and this is where he acquired his "new look" (the aforementioned

beard). The chapter is presently engaged in an all-out rushing program and is confidently looking forward to another large pledge class this semester. During the past semester, the members of this chapter secured a great many positions in the student administration of Pitt. Our chapter President Art Gogel is vice president of Men's Council; Milt Emery is corresponding secretary; and Don Shanafelt, Bob Kennedy and Jim Hill are members-at-large. Jim Hill, chapter treasurer, is also Sophomore class president in Business Administration and Bob Kennedy is Senior class president in Business Administration. Glenn Heiskell is corresponding secretary for the Junior class in Engineering. The chapter is also looking forward to another successful touch football season and we believe we stand a good chance to capture the intramural championship again this Fall. GLENN R. HEISKELL, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, Swarthmore College.—Under the capable leadership of President Jim Hormel, Pennsylvania Kappa is well on the way toward one of its most successful years in a long time. With a helping hand from the alumni, and elbow grease contributed by brothers who returned to school early, the Lodge is in very good shape. Several new or renovated pieces of furniture, newly-painted floors, and hard-working cleanup crews, directed by Bill Hicks, have made the Lodge a place of which to be proud. Upon the opening of school, the chapter was glad to greet Ron Decker, who has returned from a year of study in England. A less happy note is the departure of Brogden and Hill for the Army. At the first meeting of the year, Sam Hayes, Wallingford, became a Phi. At Swarthmore, pledging of Freshmen does not occur until December, so there are no new Phikeias as yet. We have, however, initiated our rushing parties, and Social Chairman Gordon Smith is planning many red-hot functions. Through a series of good rushing events, Rush Chairman Scott Cooper is sure that we can draw some of the best men in the Class of '58 into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Some of the brothers have directed their surplus energy toward Fall sports, and Dave Dulles is a member of the Student Council. This year, the chapter hopes to benefit from increased contact and cooperation with our alumni. A very successful meeting to further this aim was held the second week of school. Speaking of Phi alumni, Robert Kintner, President of A.B.C., was speaker at the Alumni dinner, Homecoming Day, October 9. A reception in the Lodge was planned for Brother Kintner, as well as all other Phis who returned to the campus for Homecoming. GENE HEATON, *Reporter*.

QUEBEC ALPHA, McGill University.—This Fall the brothers arrived at the house about October 1 for the annual clean-up. The drive to clean and paint was much greater than in past years. Eight of the eleven bedrooms were newly painted and the chapter room and all of the halls were washed down. The alumni continued their strong support by having the outside of the house painted. The new rug was again laid in the chapter room and the house was at its best for the current rushing program which began one week after our return to school. So far the rushing has gone very well, thanks to the striving efforts of Brother Mike Crombie our rushing chairman. Brother Bob Hanna was runner-up in the Canadian Intercollegiate golf championship. He also led McGill University to the intercollegiate team cham-

pionship. Quebec Alpha is especially proud of Brother Lionel Whitman's athletic accomplishments. He was awarded distinction as best all-around athlete of McGill. In addition he holds intercollegiate records in shotput and discus events. Whitman was captain of the McGill track team and placed fifth in shotput in the British Empire games this Summer. The chapter was pleased to welcome so many alumni and friends at the post-football game parties. Senior members of the McGill football squad are Herb English, Lee Larson, Rick Adrian, Harry Beiwald, and Clyde Whitman.—R. B. FINDLAY, *Reporter*.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, Brown University.—A new college year, new officers, and plenty of new ideas have been evident in the enthusiasm shown this Fall. Saturdays find us cheering a winning Brown football team paced by Phis. Quarterback Pete Kohut's precision passing is heading him toward national distinction. Les Peavy, John O'Brien, Vin Jazwinski, Jim Smith, Jim Coukas, Richy Fusco, Howie and Dick Borjeson, Dom Balough, Nick Kovalcheck, Jim Cerasoli and Joe Kinter, all varsity players, are doing a fine job, too. Many Phis helped the Freshmen get started this Fall with Jim Cerasoli as a member of the Vigilante Committee and Phil Jarvinen, Joe Mues, Bill Wasicko and Bob Ecker all student advisers. Early in October we were pleased to have Lothar Vasholz, Traveling Secretary, here for a visit. A new homemade ping-pong table is competing with card playing for in-the-house amusements. Undeclared in five games, our intramural touch football team, led by Larry Corcoran, is hoping for the championship. After the Columbia game we had a cocktail party that drew many alumni. As this goes to press, plans are being made for a gala Homecoming weekend featuring the game with Princeton. There will be a pep rally including a skit by $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ followed by the campus formal on Friday night. Saturday, after the game, there will be a cocktail party with sandwiches in the afternoon, and our own jazz and dance band at night. Mike O'Dowd and Frank Dorsey have been working overtime with their crew preparing our Homecoming display which will be bigger and better than ever. Our alumni paper, *The Phi Spy*, is edited by Don Seifert this year and the mailing date of this semester's issue was November 15. We are looking forward to a successful year at Road Island Alpha.—ROBERT A. ECKER, *Reporter*.

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA, University of South Dakota.—Although reduced in numbers by graduation,

South Dakota Alpha quickly got into swing for the new school year. The chapter house received first consideration as the brothers teamed up to paint the screens, windows and the living room. A purchasing committee was set up this Summer to investigate the feasibility of buying a new living room carpet and furniture. When rush week began, the brothers were pleased to find that the house had been completely refurnished by this committee. Rushing took up most of September but was a great success for the chapter as we welcomed 29 new Phikeias. They are: Eugene Fick, Ida Grove, Ia.; Dick Flanery, Milbank; Franklyn Krogman, White River; Hugh Hines, Don VanVeldhuizen, Sioux Falls; Gary Richards, Belle Fourche; Lloyd Keszler, Sturgis; John Smiley, John Baggaley, Deadwood; Lawrence Thompson, Reliance; Donald Benson, Wakonda; Don Snoozy, Beresford; Robert Tyler, Lewis Cullin, Don Connolly, John Clyde, Marion Clarke, Don Miller, Bill Lantis, Bob Lantis, Bill Gamet, Sioux City, Ia.; Wayne Sampson, Vermillion; Jim Scheurenbrand, Armour; Dave Valandry, Martin; Albert Williams, Lead; Bill Jenkins, Early, Ia.; Robert Ellis, Sioux City, Ia. and Gary Carter and Bill Kriesel, Britton. A recent guest of the chapter was Marvin Perry, Traveling Secretary of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Scholarship has become a great interest in this chapter and although we climbed from seventh to second last year we are determined more than ever to take over the number one position. Plans are now being made for our float and house decorations for "Dakota Day" Homecoming. Many of the alumni have stopped by to admire our recent decorations in the house and we extend a special invitation to all our alumni to stop in to talk with us soon. The brothers who were married this Summer include Harley Fletcher, George Horner, Bob Ellingson, Dick Swedeen, Carlton Hoy and Larry Kennedy.—ROBERT W. CRAMPTON, *Reporter*.

TENNESSEE ALPHA, Vanderbilt University.—Tennessee Alpha begins its 78th year with prospects of the best year yet—at this point we seem to be leading in every phase of college life. We are well represented on campus with campus offices including the presidents of the four most important student organizations. Dornbush serves as president of the I.F.C. and OAK while D. Adams and Patton serve as presidents of the S.C.A. and JAA-VU respectively. Cate, Dale and Toups represent us on the Student Senate and the Honor Council while D. Adams, Patton, R. Smith and Jarman represent us on campus publications. Needless to say, we're mighty proud

of Dornbush and his intrafraternity honor. In the intramural department we are favored to repeat last year's fabulous showing. We finished last year with first place trophies in intramural football, softball, swimming, track, tennis and golf. We won the intramural trophy and managed to rack up the largest number of intramural points that any fraternity has ever assembled at Vanderbilt. Kliros, Jarman, Moore, Dale and Hardin were instrumental in this success and are back with us for another year—we should have plenty of power. "Dr. Jim" Estes is chief athletic supporter.

We are also in the limelight on the varsity gridiron. With the able representation of Horton, Rolfe, Fails, Demmas, Troups, Woodruff, Tyler, Gillispie and G. Adams, the Phis are very much in the picture. Horton, Rolfe and Fails are on the starting eleven and are considered by about everyone to be the outstanding players on the team. Fall rushing and pledging take place in November and we hope to come out on top again. Alumni must not associate with Freshmen until after November 8. The sending of THE SCROLL or any other printed fraternity matter to Vanderbilt Freshman will result in a \$100.00 fine for the fraternity and the loss of pledging privileges for the Freshman involved. Please realize the seriousness of this and cooperate with us.—JIM PATTON, Reporter.

TENNESSEE BETA, University of the South.—Under the leadership of Rush Chairman Sam Boney, we have just pledged the following men: Anthony Hathaway, Orlando, Fla.; Harrison Steeves, Robert Creveling, John Seals, Birmingham, Ala.; Joe Bradley, Montgomery, Ala., and George Lewis, Jackson, Miss. Recently initiated into Tennessee Beta are Bob Dubose, Tom Darnall, Jack Tally and Sheldon Reagan. This year a good number of Phis will be holding positions of responsibility in college activities. In the R.O.T.C., Dick Corbin, Jim Green and Pete Garland are Majors, Frank Bozeman, Captain and Ed McHenry and Clyde Fasick Lieutenants. Frank Bozeman is Secretary of the Order of Gownsmen, president of Blue Key and a member of the Executive Committee of Φ B K. Bert Tanner is art editor of *Cap and Gown*, Sewanee's year book, while Jim Creveling and Bill Burrill are business manager and advertising manager respectively of *The Sewanee Purple*, the school paper. Pete Garland, president of the chapter, is also president of the Panhellenic Council, and of the Arnold Air Society. Dick Corbin holds the honorary post of proctor. Bobby Glaze is secretary of the Panhellenic Council, and to round out the Phi activities on the campus



DEDICATE MEMORIAL TERRACE

At Commencement last spring a Memorial Terrace at Sewanee was dedicated to memory of Eugene Harris, Sewanee '24. At right is John Ezzell '31, who raised fund for terrace, with head bowed as Bishop Juhan reads service which was written originally by Bishop R. Bland Mitchell '04, for dedication of John P. Torian Memorial Chapter Room. Behind Brother Ezzell is Peter Garland, President of Tennessee Beta, in Air Force uniform. The ceremony was very impressive, ending with the singing of the Sewanee Alma Mater by a large audience of Commencement visitors. Thirty-five alumni of Tennessee Beta were present, according to Mrs. Sarah Hodgson Torian who sent the picture to THE SCROLL.

Bill Brantley in president of the Los Peones club. Representing the Phis in sports are Ed McHenry and Burks Hamner, members of last year's undefeated cross country team; and Oney Raines as a member of this year's varsity football squad. In intramural sports there is a big chance that we will move from second to first place to take the Intramural Trophy. Under the direction of Dick Corbin, this year's football captain, we have made a good start, with two wins, toward taking the football cup for the fourth straight year.—JAMES G. CREVELING, JR., Reporter.

TEXAS BETA, University of Texas.—The chapter completed a successful rush week September 11. Twenty new men were pledged to the Fraternity. They are: Robert F. Bartlett, Richard R. Frederick, Marshall; Stephen R. Butter, Longview; Philip R. Cecil, Paris; Joe R. Dacy, Mike P. Roche, Austin; Whippell S. Newell, Charles Allen Lingo, Taylor K. Smith, Guy E. Knolle, Garrett Meador, Robert H. Sheridan, Jr., Houston; Douglas W. English, Jr., Gibbs McDaniel, Jr., San Antonio; Wade C. Smith, Bill Jett Rogers, John W. Duckett, Dallas; John F. Trimble, Orange; Robert E. Jenkins, Rotan, and Jerry V. Kyle, Sherman. Congratulations go to our

Rush Captain, David Shelmire, for the fine job he did throughout the rush season. The chapter also welcomed David Woolley, a transfer from S.M.U. Intramural athletics are in full swing now with both our A and B football teams still in the running for the league championships. On the varsity football team are C. L. Snow and Mike Trant, a Sophomore from Tyler who has seen considerable action in all of the games. Several big parties are planned for November among which the annual Barn dance is the biggest. Most of the brothers made the trip to Dallas for the traditional Texas-Oklahoma game. Parties were attended by both actives and alumni, and a good time was had by all.—DAVID N. HORN, Reporter.

TEXAS GAMMA, Southwestern University.—Texas Gamma is proud to announce one of the most outstanding pledge classes in recent years. We were fortunate enough to be able to pledge the following men: Jim and Roy Strickland, Georgetown; Norman Rylander, Austin; Eugene Sutton, Ranger; Bill Wetterman, Gayle Saffie, Bruceville; Keith Johnson, Frisco; Lee McKague, Marshall; Ray Mang, San Antonio; Richard Spinn, Jr., Brenham; Levan Smith, Jack Myers, Tommy Blackstock, II, Tommie Keep-



WORTHY TEXAS GAMMA PROJECTS

Recent initiates of Texas Gamma Chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ at Southwestern University are shown above installing the posts for the parking lot of the First Methodist Church of Georgetown, Texas, as one of their community projects. Congratulations to Southwestern Phis on this splendid work!

ers, III, Houston; Stanley Putnam, Midland; Winston Lester, Devine, and Windham Rider, Jerry Moore and Bill Simmons, Tomball. Also welcomed into the brotherhood as initiates October 1 are Roger Butler, Robstown; Bill Harlow, Alton Fogle, Killean; Lionel King, Bryan; Reagon Coe, Tomball; Steve Hoffpauir, Houston; Branson Thurston, El Paso, and Wayne Zimmerman, Brownsville. After having won the intramural traveling sports trophy last year, as well as high scholarship for fraternities, the Phis at Southwestern seem well on their way to equally successful seasons this year, as we sternly trounced our arch rivals, K Σ s, in the football opener, 14-0. Coach Thompson's men displayed a fine, well balanced attack, and were well in command all the way. Hopes are that we can keep it up all year. Pledge week was strongly enriched this Fall as our new initiates built a parking lot for the First Methodist Church in Georgetown as their community project. Our group spirit as well as our community prestige were greatly benefited, and similar tasks are certain for future months. We are all looking forward to our first party of the year in the near future, as Social Chairman Farren has kept strictest secrecy about the theme.—WILLIAM H. GLAZE, Reporter.

TEXAS DELTA, Southern Methodist University.—The Phis at S.M.U. began the year with a splendid rush week, taking one of the largest and best groups of Phikeias in many years. There are 33 new men to bolster the Fraternity for the next four years. They are: Dorsey Baker, Joe Bettis, Larry Brooks, James Duncan, Jack Dyer, Bill Eldridge, Phil Finn, Eddie

Foster, Foster Francis, Al Fuller, Dean Goss, David Goldman, Rae Hendrix, Roger Hussey, Ben James, David Lamb, Jack Lively, Jerry Long, Ben Moore, Bill Moss, Dick North, Lip Norvell, Steve O'Gier, Dick Orsini, Bill Otstott, Sammy Scott, Lon Slaughter, Bob Tunnell, Boyd Waggoner, George Williamson, Tommy Winger, Phil Workman, and Jerry York. Rush week was hardly over before several of the brothers had become pinned and were calling for a serenade, these being George Black, Ivan Irwin, Don Apeland, and George Reynolds. The social season also got a good start with an informal dinner-dance preceding the first football game with Georgia Tech. A turkey dinner and orchestra music helped to soften the effects of the loss of the game that night. The intramural season started with the Phis looking for their sixth straight football crown, and with the passing of Ivan Irwin, prospects for the trophy are excellent. All enjoyed having the alums back for the Homecoming with Texas A. & M. There was a dinner at the house preceding the football game and a breakfast the next morning. The float for the Homecoming parade had to be significant of a song title to stay with the theme set by the University, so Brothers Garrett Briggs and Johnny Hollingsworth spearheaded the building of a large skunk to go with the song, "Lonesome Polecat." It was suggested that the well known scent of the skunk be recreated with a synthetic organic compound, but it was over-ruled by some of the more conscientious members.—PAT THOMAS, Reporter.

TEXAS EPSILON, Texas Techno-

logical College.—The Fall semester has begun in earnest for Texas Epsilon. The chapter chose as its President, Carl Ince, Lubbock; Reporter, Charles H. Luling, III; Secretary, Royal Hagerty, and Warden, Glen Cary. As its first official proceedings for the semester the chapter acquired some new members by initiating the Phikeias from Spring semester. The newly initiated members are: Larry Byrd, Lubbock; Dennis Calvert, Lubbock; Leo Chase, Plainview; Dane Grant, Lubbock; Monroe Henderson, Jacksboro; Jack Hooker, Abilene; Gray Lewis, Lubbock; Roy Miller, Denver City; William Ramsey, Abilene; Hubert Ring, Floydada; Richard Spencer, Midland; Ray Weed, Lubbock; Steve West, Keller; Wallace Wilson, Lubbock; Charles Wright, Lubbock, and Frank Wright, Lubbock. One of our brothers became the first man on the Texas Technological College campus to receive the Gardner-Denber Scholarship, awarded on the basis of scholarship, outside school activities and a basic and working knowledge of the Spanish language. Earl Dietering was the recipient of the scholarship, which brings a double honor to the chapter since a Phi was the first to win the scholarship the first year that it was established and awarded. A member of the chapter, Glenn Rainer, was elected president of the student body and Glen Cary was elected president of the Junior class. The chapter, at this writing, is right in the middle of rush week and preparing for some outstanding social activities which will begin with a Dinner dance in November to be followed with the always excitement packed Homecoming celebration. We are making plans for a terrific turnout in alumni and visiting Phis. Texas Tech's opponent for the Homecoming game will be Tulsa University and our Red Raider team, the highest scoring team in the nation last year, is ably staffed with Phis. Jerry Johnson, Dwayne West, Ralph Martin, Minor Nelson and Bowden Cook are Phis who will help lead the Raiders to victory.—CHARLES H. LULING, III, Reporter.

UTAH ALPHA, University of Utah.—Utah Alpha started the new year with a bang by winning the Hello Week sweepstakes trophy. Victories in the sack races and the mud relays brought us this award. Three Phis are playing first string on Utah's football team. They are: Dave Dungan, Donnie Barr and Don Henderson. Sam Wilson is president of I.F.C. for the coming year. Exchanges have been held with A Δ II and X Ω sororities. Intramural football holds an active interest, with hopes for a championship team.—SAM WILSON, Reporter.

VERMONT ALPHA, University of Vermont.—As the 1954-55 school year opens, Vermont Alpha has begun right where the members left off last semester. The Phis procured six new cups for our heavily-laden trophy case last term in addition to garnering a runner-up spot in softball, and finishing third in scholarship. Beginning this semester thanks to "Egg" Wadley and "Sleepy" Hill, we picked up a third place in poster competition, and due to Alumni Secretary Dan Milloy's hard work on letters to our grads, we enjoyed a fine Homecoming weekend. Captain Eddie Nemer and nine other hard-charging Phis in the persons of Paul Harasimowicz, Togo Calorusso, Bill Farwell, Gort Gorman, Herman Maxson, Bard Teta, Ted McCabe, Yo-yo Flannery and Ron Hill provided many thrills during the big Homecoming game. Another Phi, Vic Scotese, is assisting the Frosh team this year as line coach. On the home front, despite heavy losses to the varsity and graduation, Coach Walgren has fielded a swift, well-balanced intramural squad with stalwarts such as O'Donnell, Frank Maccini, Russ Hubley, Milloy, MacLean, Mac McCrane and many others who should give a fine account of themselves before the season runs its course. Under the direction of Bob Crawford, the I.F.C. rushing program is well under way, and Vermont Alpha is looking forward to a fine crop of new Phikeias. Bob Parker is handling the chapter rushing program. On the military side, the Phis lead again, with Frank Maccini and Ed Nemer commanding the Army and Air R.O.T.C. honoraries respectively, and Bob Crawford as Lieutenant-Commander of the former. —BOB CRAWFORD, *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA BETA, University of Virginia.—We opened the school year by welcoming back two brothers who have completed their tour in the service: Bill Albrecht and Dick Covington, two outstanding leaders. The chapter has come up considerably scholastically with Bill Johnson receiving an award for the most improved grades, while Bill Reams copped the prize for the highest grades. These awards were donated by Bill McKee who is now in the service. In the world of sports the chapter is in good shape with four returning football lettermen who include Captain Henry Strempek, Ray Quillen, Charlie Modlin and Carlton Schelhorn. Phikeia Frank Fannon is starring at guard on the team, while Dave King and Stu Keesee are improving rapidly. Kermit Lowry and Phikeia Roger Wilkenloh are playing on the soccer team. Jim Bates is training hard to capture the state div-



WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Earl Dietering, Texas Epsilon at Texas Tech, who recently won the Gardner-Denber Scholarship for scholastic ability, outside activities and knowledge of Spanish. The scholarship was awarded for the first time this year.

ing championship which he should do. He earned 44 individual points on the swimming team last year. With a little luck he ought to rank high in the nationals this year. Bob Greer is presently running on the cross country team as number one man and is doing well. He is captain for the second straight year and has accepted an assistant coaching position. Last year Dick Wells, captain of the golf team and president of the chapter, won the state intercollegiate golf championship. The pledges have really gotten the house whipped into good shape with a practically brand new living room and they have painted the porch and the roof. They are due to be initiated in November.—R. K. HOPKEW, JR., *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA GAMMA
Randolph-Macon College
No letter received.

VIRGINIA DELTA, University of Richmond.—Virginia held a combined picnic and beer party which was thoroughly enjoyed by brothers, Phikeias and rushees alike. We have some very good prospects, and if all goes well, this should prove to be the boom year that we have long awaited. During the Summer and Fall sessions, the following were initiated to bring our active membership to twenty-nine: Charles E. Blankenship, Jr., Harry Hodges, Gregory Howard, Richmond,

and John S. Magyarosi, Rochelle, N.J. There seems to be an epidemic of weddings around as the bells will soon ring for James E. Brown, Wm. A. Brown, Harry Hodges and James E. Lindsey, Jr.—JOE F. MATISCO, *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA ZETA, Washington and Lee University.—After a long and relaxing Summer Virginia Zeta was brought back to reality early in September with the prospect of rush week. Qualitatively speaking, rush week was quite successful though the total number of Phikeias procured was five. The Phikeias are: Clayton Brantz, Ft. Worth, Tex.; Bill Caspari, Baltimore, Md.; Bill France, Shaker Heights, Ohio; John Candler, Atlanta, Ga., and Chuck Corn, Macon, Ga. Since the last letter many Phis have succeeded to positions on Campus. Bob Fishburn was elected as Final Dance Set president; Gordon Gooch heads the Student War Memorial Scholarship Fund committee; Alex Platt, as a member of the Christian Council, is director of the Lexington Boys Club; Ed Hood is editor-in-chief of the Shenandoah Literary Magazine and Bill Northrop is sports editor of the school newspaper. In addition, John Smith and John Candler are members of the Glee Club. In varsity sports the Phis are also prominent. Alex Platt represents Virginia Zeta on the football team; Ike Smith and Charlie Mochwart, basketball; Bill Dixon, Dicky Johnson and Bill Northrop, wrestling; Beldon Butterfield, Jim Stockton and Tom Markham, soccer, and Harry Ford, Pete Hartman and Dicky Johnson, lacrosse. Much success in intramurals is anticipated this year for the Washington and Lee Phis and a minimum of two trophies is expected for the year. From all early Fall observances a well rounded program ranging from scholastics to social life, can be seen.—WILLIAM B. NORTHROP, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON ALPHA, University of Washington.—With rush week over and the 1954-55 school year beginning, Washington Alpha proudly presents to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ a truly outstanding pledge class, consisting of 33 Phikeias. They are: Steve Anderson, Seattle; Larry Blackburn, Richland; Keith Clarke, Seattle; Bill Cleaver, Hoquiam; John Conway, Seattle; Frank Countner, Seattle; Bill DuBois, Seattle; Larry English, Spokane; Ev Flasted, Moses Lake; Booth Gardner, Seattle; John Glase, Seattle; Bob Gordon, Seattle; Dave Gordon, Seattle; Dick Hinton, Seattle; Bill Hofius, Seattle; Ben Hughes, Wenatchee; Reese Lindquist, Seattle; Al Link, Seattle; Tom Morrison, Aberdeen; Larry Morrow, Seattle; Mike Murphy, Spokane; Don



WASHINGTON ALPHA PHIKEIAS

TOP ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Reese Lindquist, Dave Gordon, Larry English, Dick Peterson, John Williams, Jim Weiss, Ev Flasted, Larry Morrow, Ernie Taylor. SECOND ROW: Earl Thomas, Doug Smidt, Stef Thordarson, Dick Yale, Larry Blackburn, Bill Hofius, Mike Murphy, Frank Countner, Don Pennell. THIRD ROW: Mac Steen, Tom Morrison, Dick Hinton, John Glase, Booth Gardner, Steve Anderson, John Conway, Al Link. BOTTOM ROW: Ben Hughes, Keith Clarke, Bill Cleaver, Bill DuBois, John Fitzgerald '55 (Pledge Father), Bob Gordon, John Rhine, Joe Whilt.

Pennell, Seattle; Dick Peterson, Tacoma; John Rhine, Yakima; Doug Smidt, Tacoma; Mac Steen, Vashon Island; Ernie Taylor, Seattle; Earl Thomas, Los Angeles, Calif.; Stef Thordarson, Tacoma; Jim Weiss, Tacoma; Joe Whilt, Hoquiam; John Williams, Ardmore, Okla., and Dick Yale, Moses Lake. Congratulations and thanks are in order for our capable Rushing Chairman Bob Frayn, who played such an important part in our ultimate success. In campus activity we find: Sayre Boyd, Senior class president; Fred Erickson, Associated Men Students president; Bob Lewis, Big "W" president; Bill Nichols, vice president of the I.F.C.; Wendell Waite, president of the Husky Winter Sports Club; Bill Burch, officer of the Oval Club (Honorary), and Rusty Young, head varsity football manager. On the football squad: Bob Cox, starting varsity quarterback, and Babe Bates, fullback. Our social calendar for this quarter includes: Pledge dance, Phi Delt and Beta Pajama Dance in November, and numerous exchanges and firesides.—FRED FARR, Reporter.

WASHINGTON BETA, Whitman College.—Washington Beta, proud winner of the Cleveland Trophy, all-intramural Trophy and All Men's Scholarship Cup, climaxed an outstanding chapter rush for pleasing 40 top men. The new Phikeias are: Jim Anderson, Wenatchee; Sidney Beck, Morton; Gene Blattman, Walla Walla; Robert Becker, Walla Walla; Jerry Callaway, Walla Walla; Gary Carlberg, Bremerton; Arnold Coe, Richard Downs, Ephrata; Steve Ervin, Montesano; James Finical, Victoria, B.C.; Cliff Fletcher, Walla Walla; Ron Frasier, Vancouver; Phelps Gose, Walla Walla; Scott Gruber, Walla Walla; John Halsey, Bellvue; Bruce Hendrickson, Seattle; Jim Jeppe, Walla Walla; Jim Ladley, Hoquiam; Gary LaRose, Spokane; Jim Leavitt, Seattle; Nick Mason, Wapato; Corwin Matthews,

Spokane; Steve Merrill, Tacoma; Dick Mobley, Walla Walla; Dan O'Neal, Bremerton; Henry Sutton Penny-packer, Jr., Montana; Jim Phillips, Portland, Ore.; Dale Pickard, Portland, Ore.; John Simpson, Seattle; Harry Sutcliffe, Wenatchee; Charles Wilmot, Aberdeen; Daryl Jonson, Richland; John Hergert, Walla Walla; Ivan Hovis, Joseph, Ore.; John McGee, Dayton; Roger Mielke, Vancouver, B.C.; Jerry Nelson, Spokane; Ed Newton, Joseph, Ore.; Bob Schembs, Seattle, and George Sullivan, Walla Walla. Twelve Phis are bolstering the Whitman football squad. Backs Earl Walker (and Roger Strawick; end, Eve Beck; tackle, Vern Conrad and center, Phikeia John Hergert, have starting berths. The chapter golf team was victorious in the all-intramural match. We are shooting for the seventh consecutive year of I.M. superiority. After witnessing the 36-0 beating we gave ΣX , the brothers are expecting another great football team. Homecoming will again be a festive weekend with parade, game, dance, and house dinner. We are preparing for close to 300 parents and alumni. Five new brothers were initiated this Fall: Art Dorsey, Dale Canfield, Doug Freeman, Ed Newcombe and Rod Rolfson. Jack Leander and Jim Joy were welcomed back after a brief stint in the service. Strengthened by the fine job done by Rush Chairman Dick Sutherland and wisely directed by President Paul Panagakakis, the chapter is underway towards another outstanding year on the Whitman Campus.—RON COOK, Reporter.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, Washington State College.—The Phis of Washington Gamma have again stepped forward in what is hoped to be another outstanding year. Under the able leadership of President Bob Morgan, the chapter has already begun the project of becoming the finest living group on the campus, in scholarship, athletic ability and activities.

A truly fine pledge class was formally initiated recently. The new brothers are: Clayton Udell, James Bryant, William Rich, Yakima; Richard Cole, Bernard Lang, Gary Blank, Spokane; James Hobbs, Mt. Vernon; Phillip Davidson, William Anderson, Seattle; Norris Carver, Michal Yambra, Kent; Edward Noyd, Wenatchee; James Shepherd, Donald Shafer, Ronald Riehl, Lenard Riehl, Walla Walla; George Plummer, Vancouver; Bruce Powell, Sumner; James Bell, Kennewick; James Kassner, Foster; James Ingwolson, Arlington, Va.; Bard Glenne, Oslo, Norway; John McMillan, Kalispell, Mont.; William Loscher, Glendale, Calif., and William Jacobson, Mullan, Idaho. The elected pledge class officers are: president Clayton Udell, vice president Bard Glenne, secretary-treasurer James Hobbs, Warden, William Rich. The chapter is quite proud that last semester the chapter grade point average was high enough to move us from fourteenth to nearer to the top this Fall. Phis Doug seventh among the living groups on Riggs, Ron Jacobson and Del McCampus, and we are expecting to move Ghee, P.C.C. 167-lb. wrestling champ, are ably representing the chapter on the gridiron, as well as Phikeias Bill Anderson and Dick Cole for the W.S.C. Freshmen. President Morgan has brought considerable honor to the chapter and to himself by being elected to the presidency of the Interfraternity Council. Eugene Bartlett was accepted and is now enrolled in the School of Medicine at Washington University in St. Louis. The chapter is pleased that Dave Klicker has transferred from Washington Beta to W.S.C. and is certain he will be helping us out greatly this year.—ELDEN R. ABBOTT, Reporter.

WASHINGTON DELTA
College of Puget Sound
No letter received.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, West Virginia University.—Formal fraternity

rushing ended on a successful note, with 32 Phikeias in the fold: John M. Brown, Jr., Alderson; James Daniel Lilly, Jr., Beckley; Bobby E. Dough-ton, Robert L. Worth, Bluefield; Maurice Jackson Hamrick, Clendenin; Charles H. Porter, East Bank; Alfred C. Tarleton, Fairmont; David L. Whipkey, Glendale; Harry Staley White, Jr., Grafton; Richard L. Bright, Keyser; Karl Kent Kasnic, Mc-Mechen; Joe S. Tucci, Monessen, Pa.; James R. Harrison, Moorefield; David W. Drasnin, John Pike Drasnin, Nathaniel Kennedy, Montgomery; John E. Demund, Thomas O. Dob-bins, Carl E. Frankhouser, Harold Lynn Jamison, Frederick K. Prager, Morgantown; Gary K. Berger, David C. Rogerson, Moundsville; Richard F. Murphy, James R. Woodford, Philippi; James C. Shires, Ronceverte; John S. McLaughlin, Sutton; William J. Dorsch, Thomas R. Emmerth, Rob-ert L. Howard, Kenneth F. Kirch-gessner, Howard Richard Millard, Wheeling. Four new brothers were initiated in September: John M. Core, Uniontown, Pa.; William R. Heathcote, Morgantown; James A. Boggs, Gassaway; David H. Farley, South Charleston. Three trophies were placed on the mantel during the month. West Virginia Phis took first place in the Interfraternity golf meet to move out in front in competition for the all-year cup. The second trophy was awarded $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in the Homecoming house decoration con-test, and the Phi Delt Barbershop Quartet, the "Hi Phis," placed third in the Mountaineer Homecoming Sing. Kappa Delta sorority presented the brothers with a mascot, a small puppy named "Dennis," in honor of Brother Hank Ketcham's comic strip creation. Recent additions to the house include wall to wall carpeting and new draperies donated by the Mothers Club.—ROY B. SHROUT, JR., Reporter.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, University of Wisconsin.—The usual hustle of pre-rush cleanup took on a new light this fall as the brothers undertook the complete redecoration of the chapter house. This included new paint, wallpaper, fixtures, and the con-

A Phi Delt Must Be Proud

*Stand up and shout aloud,
Let the world know you are proud—
Proud to wear the honored Sword
and Shield.*

*Be honest and true,
Be supreme in all you do—
Phi Delta Theta must never yield.*

—ROBERT W. CRAMPTON
South Dakota Alpha

struction of a new living room fire-place. Their efforts were supervised by an interior decorator, the mother of Brother Richard Downing. Follow-ing the new look was a highly success-ful rushing program and the pledging of twenty new Phikeias: Lanny Ald-ritch, Walworth; Jeff Ames, Clarend-on Hills, Ill.; Joe Brom and Bill Waterman, Beloit; Stewart Charlson, Eau Claire; Steve Foster and Nick Schmidt, Whitefish Bay; John Gregory, Manitowoc; John Hackworthy and Fred Koepke, Madison; Fred Hall, Oak Park, Ill.; Don Kaatz, Wausau; John Kerler and Dick Schuman, Wauwatosa; Tore Larson, Oslo, Nor-way; John Lovaas, Crystal Lake, Ill.; Wally Meisner, Chicago, Ill.; Dave Robery, Park Ridge, Ill.; Dick Spence, New Rochelle, N.Y.; Lee Stewart, Woodstock, Ill.; and Jon Hanson, Marinette. Affiliating was Brother William Lange from Missouri Gam-ma. With the emphasis on football, we have Mike Essex and Jan Jay as gridiron aspirants. The intramural athletic program is underway with Phis competing in touch football, volleyball, and bowling. Phis in cam-pus activities list Dick Downing, Stu-dent Senate; Howie Bowman and Keith Glisch, Haresfoot; Jack Marvin, Interfraternity Council, and John Morrison, Student Union. To cele-brate Alumni Day, a banquet was held in honor of Brother Randolph Conners who has been Wisconsin Al-

pha's financial adviser for more than twenty years.—RAYMOND LUNDBERG, Reporter.

WISCONSIN BETA, Lawrence Col-lege.—This year Wisconsin Beta pledged an outstanding class of fu-ture Lawrence scholars and athletes. After a week of concentrated rushing on the part of both the actives and alumni, we pledged the following Phikeias Sunday evening, September 26: Tom Bayer, Racine; Neil Buck, Appleton; Wally Chandler, Park Ridge, Ill.; Frank Cole, Prairie View, Ill.; Sam Dooley, Watseka, Ill.; Bert Elliott, Fond du Lac; Jerry Fahrner, Wisconsin Rapids; Ranny Hoehn, Port Washington; Wayne Kellogg, West Allis; James Koehnke, Appleton; Randy Koser, Skokie, Ill.; Chris Kuhne, Champaign, Ill.; Matt Maj-decki, Fort Atkinson; Bob Olen, Clintonville; John Owen, Neenah; Jon Peterson, Winneconne; George Purucker, Fort Atkinson; Joe Quick, Wilmette, Ill.; Paul Ramsey, Fort Atkinson; Jack Scambler, Evanston, Ill.; Carl Solberg, Appleton; Bob Sternitzke, Menasha; Bert Walker, La-Grange, Ill.; Richard Weber, Shawano; David Wiese, Chetek, and Bill Wood, Kimberly. A very inspiring Phikeia Day dinner was held September 27, at the Riverview Country Club. The new President of the General Council, John Wilterding, an alumnus of Wis-consin Beta, was also honored at the dinner. General Paul Hawley, Re-porter of the General Council, gave the main address. During the Summer *The Skull*, annual publication of our chapter, was sent to the alumni and new students. It included pictures and articles of our last year's activities. Interfraternity sports are getting under way. In varsity sports Wiscon-sin Beta has a very good representa-tion with eleven men on the football squad. With the enthusiasm and the spirit carried over from last year's Freshmen and the spirit of the new Phikeias we hope to share more cam-pus honors than ever before.—ALAN EHRHARDT, Reporter.

WYOMING ALPHA
University of Wyoming
No letter received.

WISCONSIN ALPHA MEN REDECORATE HOUSE

Phis of Wisconsin Alpha undertook a major project this fall when they decided to redecorate the entire house. These pictures are testimony to the fact that all pitched in on the job. LEFT: John Walker (standing) and Howie Bowman washing and painting. CENTER: Don Glasenapp and Phikeias John Smith and John Schumann rebuilding the fireplace. RIGHT: Keith Glisch, also the chapter's rush chairman, and Hugh Olson painting walls.



The Alumni Club Activities



GOLDEN LEGION AWARDS

LEFT: The Rev. William M. Hoffman, Dickinson '07, and RIGHT: F. Marshall Weller, North Carolina '06, receiving their Golden Legion certificates at Baltimore Club's Founders Day dinner. President Al Ruppersberger is making the presentations.



BALTIMORE PHIS

At rush party for high school Seniors in area. STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: Hedrick, Littleton, Wootton, Jones, Weller, Ingalls. KNEELING: Brandt, Edhett, Van Lill, Lodge, Erbe.

Atlanta

ATLANTA Alumni Club held its annual rush party for men in the Atlanta area who were leaving for colleges throughout the country where $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is represented. Party was held Saturday night, September 11, at Snapfinger Farm Lodge, home of Brother Sam Smith, Emory '47. There were 180 rushees from the Atlanta area who would be attending school at Georgia Tech, Emory, University of Georgia, Mercer, Florida, Florida State, Vanderbilt, Sewanee, North Carolina, Davidson, Auburn, Washington & Lee, and many other colleges throughout the country. Brother

Charles R. Yates, Georgia Tech '36, was the principal speaker, and after a fine barbecue dinner the gathering spent the evening dancing to a combo which played a lot of popular and Dixie-land music. This affair was the sixth annual party that the Atlanta Club has sponsored and it has met with continuing success. This year's party was the largest of all.

At the last evening meeting of this Club we were honored to have Brother H. L. "Pete" Stuart of the General Council with us and at that meeting we received the report from the General Convention from Brother Griggs Shaefer, Georgia '40. Plans are now being made for Founders Day which

will be held in the early Spring of 1955.—JOHN B. JACKSON, JR., Secretary.

Baltimore

FOR the second year the Baltimore Club staged a "Rushing" party for local area high school students. As before, the event was held on the spacious grounds of Brother Richard Bucheimer's estate. Invitations on Alumni Club stationery were sent to two hundred young men, explaining the background and objectives, and stressing the absence of any shandygaff or other intoxicating liquors.

Upon arrival, softball, baseball, horseshoes and other games were indulged in, shared by representatives from Maryland Alpha chapter and the Baltimore alumni. At conclusion of the games a delightful old fashioned crab feast was held. From the similar occasion last year nine Phikeias were pledged and it is hoped that this success will be duplicated. This most pleasant gathering was arranged by Brothers John Hobbs and Bill Littleton, who are an inspiration for the soporifics in any club.

Sherman Kreuzburg, adviser to the Maryland chapter, was among those present and gave an interesting account of the progress of the chapter during the past few years. Another highlight was afforded by the tales of Brother Dick Lodge, whose adventurous voyage to British Guiana to explore this fabled treasure land of South America in a 42 foot ketch, the *Sea Weed*, has since been the fascinating subject of several magazine articles, and is being put into book form.

Founders Day was observed by the Baltimore Club (and is tardily reported here) via a dinner dance in the purlieus of the Park Plaza Hotel, the evening of March 27. The festive event was most impressive and was greatly enjoyed by some one hundred loyal and enthusiastic guests.

Under the aegis of retiring Pres. Ernie Trimble, Maryland '42, brief reports of committees were followed by the election of new officers: Omar L. Shake, Indiana '35, president; John O. Hobbs, Maryland '48, vice-president; T. Marshall Brandt, Maryland '45, treasurer, and F. Marshall Weller, North Carolina '06, secretary.

In a very touching candlelight ceremony, two alumni were awarded Golden Legion Certificates, namely the Rev. Wm. M. Hoffman, Dickinson '07, and F. Marshall Weller, North Carolina '06. Brother Hoffman is a retired pastor of the First Clifton Methodist

Church, Washington, D.C., and more recently pastor of the Baldwin Memorial Church, Baltimore. Brother Weller recently retired from Public Utility work with the Consolidated Gas Electric Light and Power Co., in Baltimore, and was a former organizer and president of the Baltimore Alumni Club for many years.

The presentations were conducted by Al Ruppertsberger, *Maryland '44*, and the original six Immortal Founders who wrote the Bond 106 years ago were enacted by R. R. Swigert, *Pennsylvania '15*; E. Randolph Wootton, *Alabama '28*; Sid McFerrin, *Maryland '36*; Warren Ingalls, *Syracuse '31*; T. H. Erbe, *Maryland '36*, and Edwin H. Taze, *Illinois '25*.

The the dance finale! The hemisemidiquavers of the musicians disclosed a still further bond between the Terrapins, the Hoosiers, the Cantabrigians and their distaff companions. The terpsichorean period displayed a non-atrabilian company of erubescant nymphs and satyrs, deploying in carmagnoles and corymbic style. In effect, a mellifluous cotillion. And, as the noctivagant Phi Delt cavaliers and senioritas issued forth into the williwaws of the winter night, all vowed sempiternal fealty, under the spell of an evening distinguished by its serendipity and consentaneousness.

To the foregoing adumbration should be appended a note or two on the current activities of the Baltimore Alumni Club. Luncheon meetings are held on the first Friday of each month, at 12:15 P.M. at the University Club, 801 N. Charles St.

To many of the older members of the Club the news of Brother Ernest Spedden's passing on August 20 was a distinct shock. A loyal Phi and member of the Baltimore Club, he was always ready to give a talk or serve on any occasion.—F. MARSHALL WELLER, *Secretary*

Central Kentucky Club Organized

THE Central Kentucky Alumni Club was formed on Friday, September 10, at a meeting held at the home of Frazee Wilson. The meeting was called to reorganize the club and to effect a permanent organizational program.



ANOTHER PHI ALUMNI CLUB IS BORN

Pictured at organizational meeting of new Central Kentucky Alumni Club, left to right, are: Frazee Wilson, at whose home the meeting was held; Col. Henry H. Rogers, President of Eta Province; Dr. Harry W. Alexander, president of the new club; E. W. Humphreys, secretary-treasurer, and Sam Stiles, president of the Blue Grass Alumni Club. Missing when picture was taken: Robert Hillenmeyer, vice-president.

The following were elected as officers: Dr. Harry W. Alexander, president; E. W. Humphreys, of Georgetown, secretary-treasurer, and Robert Hillenmeyer, vice-president. Present was Sam Stiles, Frankfort, President of the Bluegrass Alumni Club.

The Alumni Club will be advised by Col. Henry H. Rogers, Adviser to Kentucky Epsilon and President of Eta Province. The newly formed club wasted no time in inaugurating its ambitious program for the future. A dinner was held in early October at a local suburban hotel to welcome all new officers and alumni members and to further plans to stimulate Kentucky alumni interest.—GEORGE D. ROBINSON, *Kentucky Epsilon Reporter*.

Charleston, W. Va.

ON Saturday, August 21, the Charleston alumni group held a rush party at nearby Coonskin Park for selected men who are attending college for the first time this fall. A total of thirteen were present as prospective rushees for Duke, Washington & Lee, West Virginia University, Virginia, and Miami. They were entertained by active members from various chapters in this area and subsequently a rec-

ommendation was sent on the respective rushee to the Phi Delt house on the campus of his particular choice. The party was in the nature of a wiener roast, and horseshoe games and softball were a part of the bill of fare.

Long range plans are likewise being made for our participation in the second annual Alumni Miami Triad dance for next year. We are holding monthly luncheon get togethers the first Wednesday of each month at the Ruffner Hotel and while the attendance is relatively poor we are still keeping the nucleus alive and hoping for greater participation.—BEN RUBRECHT, *Reporter*

Clarksdale (Miss.)

THE Phi Alumni Club of Clarksdale sponsored its annual rush party Saturday night, August 21. A sizeable group of rushees from all parts of the State and from Memphis were on hand.

At this meeting new officers were elected for the year as follows: E. V. Catoe, *Vanderbilt '31*, president; W. C. Connell, Jr., *Mississippi '49*, vice-president, and R. E. Bobo, Jr., *Mississippi '47*, secretary-treasurer.—R. E. BOBO, JR., *Secretary*

MISSISSIPPI PHIS SPONSOR RUSH PARTY

LEFT: Alumni of Clarksdale Club and undergraduates from Mississippi Alpha at the party.
RIGHT: A group of the rushees—any new Phikeias among them?



Detroit

THE Detroit Club held its annual Alumni Day dinner Friday, October 15, at the Stockholm, with eighteen brothers present. Main item on the program was a report on the 50th General Convention by Henry Woods, *Tulane '99*, the Club's official delegate to the meeting.

Officers for 1954-55 were elected as follows: E. K. Pilcher, *Michigan '23*, president; Henry N. Woods, executive vice-president; W. T. Macauley, *Miami '23*, secretary, and Robert H. Cadwell, *Denison '40*, treasurer.

A meeting of the officers will be held in the near future to decide on a possible change in the luncheon days and to consider a suggested switch to a monthly supper, inasmuch as attendance at the luncheons has been discouraging.—HENRY N. WOODS, *Reporter*.

Fort Worth

A meeting of a "revitalizing" nature was held the night of October 12 by Fort Worth Phis and Harold G. Neely, *Pennsylvania '18*, was elected new President of the group. He will be assisted by James C. Roberts, vice-president; Edgar H. Keltner, treasurer, and Walter E. Jordan, secretary. It was decided to meet the second Tuesday of each month, but a definite meeting place was not selected. The Club has a "project" and intends to make a strenuous effort to establish a chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Texas Christian University.—F. W. HOGAN, *Retiring Secretary*.

Fox River Valley

ALUMNI of the Fox River Valley Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, in conjunction with the Wisconsin Beta chapter at Lawrence, sponsored the Annual Phikeia Day dinner at the Riverview Country Club in Appleton, Monday, September 20.

It was a double-barrelled affair this year and the new Phikeias shared the spotlight with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s new President, John H. (Ding) Wilterding, *Lawrence '23*. It was also one of the most successful Fraternity functions ever held in this area, with 131 present, including 55 alumni, 48 undergraduates, and 28 Phikeias.

The chapter's outstanding pledge class of 28 was introduced by the big brothers in the chapter, following a resume of the rush season by Chairman Jim Overby.

The ceremony honoring Brother Wilterding was centered around three brief talks on behalf of the Alumni Club by Brother Sam Pickard, *Lawrence '20*; on behalf of the active



HAIL THE CHIEF!

Principals at Fox Valley-Wisconsin Beta Phikeia Day dinner, honoring new pledges and new President Wilterding. LEFT TO RIGHT: Gen. Paul R. Hawley, Brothers Wilterding, Hay Biggers, Jerry Hart, Wisconsin Beta president, and J. L. Sensenbrenner, president of the Alumni Club.

chapter by Jerry (Stretch) Hart, president of Wisconsin Beta; and on behalf of the General Fraternity by George Banta, Jr., P.P.G.C. The new President responded with a short speech.

Principal speaker for the evening was General Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana '12*, newly-elected member of the General Council, who had come to the dinner from Chicago. He too paid tribute to Ding and to the Wisconsin Beta for its splendid pledge class.

Hay Biggers, Editor of *THE SCROLL*, acted as toastmaster and, in addition, to those mentioned, introduced Bud Banta, Iota Province President; J. L. Sensenbrenner, president of the Fox Valley Alumni Club, and Al Zupek and Bill Thompson, chapter advisers. It was announced at the dinner that the Club had just purchased for the active chapter a beautiful new television set. Brothers Sensenbrenner and Zupek sent out just one letter and received enough for the set plus a couple hundred extra for scholarship purposes!

Fort Collins

THIS report is inclusive from our Founders Day April 24 until our last quarterly meeting October 4. Founders Day was a grand success, being held in the Ram Room at Lamb's Cafe in Fort Collins. Guests of the alumni were the Brothers and Phikeias of Colorado Gamma. Province President Bob Downing spoke on "What Does Fraternity Mean?" Annual election of

officers resulted in the election of Richard S. Baker, president; Bob Everitt, vice-president; Walter D. Thomas, Jr., secretary, and Floyd Cross, treasurer.

During the Summer the alumni were busy ferreting out prospective Phikeias among recent high school graduates in northern Colorado. Plans were formulated at the Summer meeting on July 19 for a rush party, which was a huge success on September 18. The party was a dinner at Pine-Vu Inn, up the Poudre Canyon. Actives from Colorado Gamma assisted in the rushing program which contacted some twenty rushees. Films on the Centennial Convention were shown to the rushees and were well accepted.

The alumni have been assisting Colorado Gamma actively during the fall program by visiting the house and working with the chapter during rush week. This activity has stimulated improved spirit and increased pledging in the chapter.

It has been decided that noon meetings quarterly are more successful than the evening meetings held previously. At the last meeting the meeting place was changed to the Ram Room, Lamb's Cafe in Fort Collins. Other brothers in northern Colorado are cordially invited to attend our meetings on the first Monday noon of each quarter. It is hoped, also, that some meetings can be held eventually in other cities in the area such as Greeley, Loveland or Longmont.

Alumni interest in this area is continuing to grow, and with the realization of plans being formulated by the House Corporation to remodel and double the size of the chapter house at Colorado Gamma in the next year, we hope that alumni interest will become even more active.—WALTER D. THOMAS, JR., *Secretary*.

Kansas City

THE Greater Kansas City Alumni Club activities for 1954 have provided all of us with many fine opportunities for fellowship. In March we were hosts to fifteen presidents of other alumni groups at one of our regular Friday luncheons. This luncheon was doubly important in that we welcomed alumni secretary Ray Blackwell to Kansas City. It was a pleasure to have him with us and we hope he returns often. In May we had our first Spring dance. This event was so successful, it will now be an annual affair. Our yearly golf tournament was held in July; many of the brothers turned out to make this our best attended tournament in recent years. By the way, they all finished eighteen holes in one hundred degree heat—No casualties.

The golf tournament was followed by our annual picnic for all Phis, their wives and children. There is always a big turn-out for this one. As in the past, we had a rush party for all prospective rushees in this area. We feel this contribution by the club is a big help to our neighboring undergraduate brothers.

The Fall season got off to a booming start with our Ninth Annual Harvest Party. Approximately 550 Phis and their guests left this party convinced that the Phi of Kansas City had scored again. This function is our only money-raising party of the year. A good part of the profit is donated to a deserving charitable organization, which we feel will help the fraternal system as a whole.

We are justly proud of our own Dr. Clem E. Binger, who was elected to the General Council at the recent Convention. Dr. Binger is pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, and it seems particularly appropriate, in that five of our six founders were Presbyterian ministers.—WILLIAM N. BROWNFIELD, *Secretary*.

Pittsburgh

"DOWN IN SMOKY TOWN" is no longer the catch tune it was when we had smoke. Pittsburgh is now the most beautiful "new look" city in the world; 24 magazines said so recently. So, brother, if you feel you're missing

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something in life, why not put Pittsburgh on your agenda? Our Alumni Club meets every Friday noon at Child's Restaurant, 5th and Smithfield. After an hour, you are a new man!

News Notes: Bill Campbell has left Pittsburgh and is now living in Atlanta; he received a fine promotion in his company—Allis-Chalmers. . . . Don Baker, Jr., Tice Ryan, and Carl Hagelein all became fathers recently. Congratulations! . . . Bob Prince, our popular Phi Delt broadcaster is part owner of Station WENS. . . . Harbaugh Miller has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh. He won from two other Phis, George Stewart and William T. Canan.

Portland

THE big event of the Summer season for Portland Phi is the annual golf tournament and banquet following the tournament. This year it was again held at the usual place—Forest Hills Country Club. Seventy-five brothers were in attendance. Jim Schram again did a fine job of masterminding the event, ably assisted by Bob Bronson. Low gross honors had to be divided this year by Bob and Pross Clark with 74's. Roger Martin, a student, won low net with a 60, closely followed by Don Frederickson with a 61. Clyde Carroll got in the most exercise for eighteen holes to take the high gross award. Ted Garlington duplicated the feat for nine holes. Ray Ameen won the closest-to-pin award. Bill Crosbie banged out the longest drive while Warren Johnson had to be content with short drive honors.—DON LANE, *Secretary*.

Seattle

PRESIDENT PHIL WOLGEMUTH reconvened the Seattle Alumni Club Thursday (October 7) at the College Club after a three months Summer adjournment. Our delegate, Scott Cassill, and Mort Frayn received a standing vote of thanks for their fine

work back at the Phi Convention on Mackinac Island.

Summer activities included our alumni golf tournament held August 13 at Sand Point Golf and Country Club. Chairman Carl Fenema awarded the prizes to the outstanding golfers in our club, with Brother Arnie Groth taking low gross honors.

The annual alumni rushing banquet, held in September at the Seattle Golf Club, was well attended by 40 rushees, 55 actives and 40 alumni. Most of our top alumni talent turned out for this successful event and a majority of these rushees were later pledged. Active rushing chairman Bob Frayn reported 33 new pledges after the Fall rushing campaign just concluded here at Washington.

We all enjoyed the Homecoming activities arranged by Chairman Bob Behnke after the California game November 6. A no host cocktail party and dance was held at the Olympic Hotel.—PAT GOODFELLOW, *Reporter*.

Washington

OUR club President, Jim Fassett, *Kansas State '50*, was married in August and then took leave from his position here with Westinghouse to attend Harvard Business School. We will miss Jim and wish him well. Melvin Hildreth, *Columbia '16*, becomes President, which certainly leaves us in good hands.

Major General Harry Vaughn, *Westminster '16*, was our delegate to the General Convention and his son Dave was the Westminster chapter delegate. Harry returned from the Convention via Kansas City where he visited with former President Harry Truman.

The many friends of Lt. Col. John Coffman, *Oklahoma '26*, and Joe Townsend, *Montana '18*, will miss these fine Phis who passed away (see Chapter Grand).

We are happy to have Col. Frank Holmes (USA Ret'd.), *Michigan '21*, back in Washington. He has arranged with the Army-Navy Club to continue using the facilities of the Club for our Thursday luncheons. All Phis in this area are most welcome to join us.

John Flood, *Gettysburg '53*, is following in the steps of his father Everett Flood, *Arizona '27*, selling Pontiac cars.

Our faithful Sherman Kreuzberg, *Swarthmore '26*, Chapter Adviser at Maryland Alpha has just guided the chapter's renovation of its house. It is the best appearing house on campus and Sherm deserves our congratulations and thanks.—CARL SCHEID, *Chicago '32*.

Chapter Grand

DR. BURTON L. FRENCH, *Idaho '01*, Professor Emeritus of Government at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, and former United States Representative from Idaho, died in Mercy Hospital, Hamilton, Ohio, Sept. 12, 1954. He was 79 years old and had been ill for a year. He was holder of Bond No. 1 of Idaho Alpha.

Brother French, a native of Delhi, India, received his education at Palouse, Wash., and received degrees from the University of Idaho and the University of Chicago. Idaho later conferred the honorary doctor of laws upon him.

A lawyer, lecturer and writer on law and political science, Brother French began his political career while still a student, serving in the Idaho state legislature from 1899 to 1903. In 1902, he was elected congressman from Idaho and served for thirteen terms between then and 1933, the last consecutively from 1916 until the Democratic landslide of 1932. A Republican, he nevertheless served the Truman administration as Vice Chairman of the President's Loyalty Review Board.

In 1934, Brother French went to Miami University as professor of Government and remained on the faculty there until his retirement in 1947.

In 1930 he was a delegate to the Interparliamentary Union Convention at London, and in 1931 at Bucharest.

Since making his home at Oxford, Brother French has been active in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and served as presiding officer of the opening exercises at the Centennial Convention. He was a member of the Priest Foundation Award Committee and a Golden Legionnaire.

Among the survivors is a brother, Frank V. French, *Idaho '06*, Berkeley, Calif.

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JOHN HARRY COFFMAN, *Oklahoma '26*, Washington, D.C., lawyer, died in a fire at his home in Washington, D.C., July 25, 1954. Alone in the house, Brother Coffman was found unconscious in a second-floor bedroom and died of third degree burns.

Always a loyal and devoted Phi, his loss will be deeply felt by the brothers of the Washington Alumni Club in which he had been so active. Brother Coffman was born in Oklahoma in 1904 and was reared on the farmlands of Oklahoma. He attended the University of Oklahoma from 1921 to 1926. Upon his graduation from that University he joined the Marine Corps as an officer. He always had been interested in Marine activities and had been in the Marine Corps as a juvenile, with parental consent, having joined at the age of sixteen.

While in his Junior year at the University of Oklahoma he was pledged to the Oklahoma Chapter, and became a member in his Senior year, and thereafter was a staunch Phi.

As a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps, he was stationed in many places over the world. Two

years after entering the Marine Corps he fought in the Nicaraguan rebellion, following which service he returned to this country and after having been stationed at several bases in the United States, he entered the Judge Advocate's office in the Marine Corps.

He attended law school at George Washington University from 1938 to 1941, where he received his law degree.

In December, 1942, he fought at Guadalcanal and spent the greater part of World War II in the Pacific area. In 1944 he returned to a legal position in the Pentagon, and was made a legal officer of the 14th Naval District, stationed at Pearl Harbor, and held that position as a Lieutenant Colonel until 1946, at which time he retired from the Marine Corps and entered the private practice of law in Washington, D.C.

Brother Coffman continued his activities in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and became very active in the Alumni Club in Washington. He followed the writer as president of the Alumni Club in 1949, and remained most active in the Club's affairs throughout the remainder of his career. He had the honor of making the nominating speech for Mr. George S. Ward at the 1952 Convention, at which time Mr. Ward was made our national president.

He was a 32nd Degree Mason, and was the Acting Commander of the Commandery of the District of Columbia. He was also a member of many clubs, and was especially active in the Reserve Corps.

Brother Coffman did a great deal of free work helping soldiers who got into unfortunate difficulties while on active duty, and recently won a case before the United States Supreme Court helping such a soldier out of difficulty. He also gave a great deal of his time to the church and was a leader in a large men's Bible class in one of the local Presbyterian churches.

At the time of his death he was President of the local Chapter of the National Sojourners and was on the Arrangements Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Alumni Association for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. His loss will be widely felt in the community because he was a very able lawyer and unusually generous with his time and money for all of his friends and associates.—MILTON C. COBEY, M.D., *Amherst '31*.

Another tribute to Brother Coffman was received from Hayden Talbot, *Williams '03*, in which he says in part "... the fact remains that our (the Washington Phis') sense of loss is as poignant as it is genuine. Our weekly foregatherings at luncheon serve to perpetuate that feeling. By way of solace, we can only cling to memories of his unfailing kindness which enriched the lives of all who knew him and which made us prouder than ever that he was a Phi."

MERLE JAY TREES, *Illinois '07*, industrialist, philanthropist and civic leader, died in Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago, Ill., Aug. 6, 1954. He was 71 years old and since 1945 had served as chairman of the board of the Chicago Bridge and Iron Company.

A native of Mayview, Ill., Brother Trees received his early education at Frankfurt, Ind., and his B.S. degree from Illinois in 1907. Four years later he received his degree in civil engineering from that institution. He joined the Chicago Bridge and Iron Company in 1908 as an estimator, was named general sales manager in 1911, a director in 1913, executive vice president in 1942 and chairman of the board in 1945.

He also served as a director of more than six large corporations, including International Harvester and Montgomery Ward.

Always a devoted alumnus of the University of Illinois, he had served on the board of trustees for more than twelve years, one term as president, and in 1938 he and his wife donated a \$150,000 collection of oil paintings to the university. In succeeding years they supplemented this with gifts of seven more old masterpieces and established a fund, the income of which might be used for maintenance and insurance of the art collection.

In the 1930s, Brother Trees was vice-president and then president of the United Charities of Chicago and in 1953 was named a member of the board of trustees of Channel 11, Chicago's educational television project.

He was a trustee of the Art Institute of Chicago, the Fourth Presbyterian Church, and was a member of the Chicago Historical Society and the Field Museum of Natural History.

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JEFFERSON (JEFF) DAVIS McCORD, *Emory '15*, died in a hospital at Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 26, 1954. He was 61 years old and until his retirement had been director of athletics and physical education at Emory University. During that time he was responsible for the development of the university's intramural athletic program.

Brother McCord was a member of O Δ K, of Glenn Memorial Methodist Church, the Georgia Society of Naturalists, the Georgia Mineral Society and the Atlanta Athletic Club. He had lived in Atlanta most of his life. Among the survivors are three brothers: H. Y. McCord, Jr., *Emory '09*, Atlanta; Dr. James R. McCord, *Emory '08*, Ocala, Fla., and T. A. McCord, *Emory '19*, Fort Valley, Ga.; and a son, H. Y. McCord, III, *Emory '46*.

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CHARLES HOWARD ABBOTT, *Nebraska '01*, died at his home in Grenada, Miss., Aug. 19, 1954. He was 74 years old and during his lifetime had mingled many interests and several careers. He was an oil man, a public relations expert, newsman and author. While representing the Gulf Oil Co. in Bogota, Colombia, Brother Abbott helped originate the plan for conciliation of countries in the Western Hemisphere

which is, in effect, the "Good Neighbor" policy which was later carried out. During a stay at Buenos Aires, he served as director-general of the Escuelas Internacionales de la America Del Sur and as director of the United States Chamber of Commerce in the Argentine.

Brother Abbott later wrote a book and many articles on the development of affairs in the Western Hemisphere since World War I, and in recent months had written a book on his travels and experiences. One of the first reporters and later city editor of *The Houston Chronicle*, he was well known throughout Texas through his 35 years' experience as a newspaper man. He also organized the public relations department of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and directed campaigns for Gov. W. P. Hobby and Gov. Ross S. Sterling. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ. Among the survivors is a son, Charles H. Abbott, *Nebraska '32*, Louisville, Ky.

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FRANK ELWOOD MILLER, *Kansas '14*, prominent Topeka lawyer, died at his home in Topeka, Kan., July 17, 1954. He had practiced law in Topeka since 1925 and was past president of the Topeka Bar Association and the Civic Theater. For the past four years he had been a law partner of Probate Judge Glenn D. Cogswell, *Washburn '43*.

Following graduation from the University of Kansas Law School in 1914, Brother Miller was with the Frisco Railroad in St. Louis until 1921, when he entered private law practice in Cheyenne Wells, Colo. He was district attorney there from 1921 until he moved to Topeka in 1925. An active participant in Civic Theatre plays, Brother Miller also, for many years, directed the annual Topeka Bar Association shows patterned after the Gridiron Club skits in Washington, D.C. He was a member of Grace Episcopal Church, the State bar association, the Topeka Country Club and was an active Mason and a loyal Phi.

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DR. ERNEST R. SPEDDEN, *Dickinson '04*, economist, educator, author and lecturer, died at his home in Baltimore, Md., Aug. 20, 1954. He was 72 years old and had taught English, literature, history, economics and personnel relations at Polytechnic Institute for 29 years until his retirement ten years ago.

For many Summers Brother Spedden taught at various universities including Maryland, Purdue and Cornell. He was an organizer and past president of the Orators and Philosophers Club of Maryland, a Φ B K, an active member of the Walbrook Methodist-Episcopal Church, and a former member of the American Economic Association and the Association of Labor Organization. During World War I he also taught at the Hospital for the Rehabilitation of the Blind at Evergreen. Brother Spedden earned his B.A. and M.A. degrees at Dickinson and his Ph.D. at Johns Hopkins University. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ and long an active member of the Baltimore Alumni Club.

CHARLES HENRY OLDFATHER, *Hanover '06*, for many years beloved dean of Arts and Sciences at the University of Nebraska, died at a hospital in Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 20, 1954.

Brother Oldfather, who began his career at Nebraska in 1926 as a professor of ancient history, later became chairman of the History department, and, in 1932, Dean of the Arts and Science College, which post he held until his retirement in 1951.

Born in Tabriz, Persia, he received his B.A. degree from Hanover College in 1906 and later, in 1933, was awarded the LL.D. degree by his alma mater. He did graduate work at the University of Munich and in 1922 received his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin. During his long teaching career he taught at many schools, one of them the Syrian Protestant College in Beirut, Lebanon, from 1912 to 1914; another, Hanover, where he served as professor of classics from 1914-1916; and another, Wabash, where he was professor of Greek and ancient history from 1916 until he went to Nebraska in 1926.

An eminent scholar and educator, Brother Oldfather was nevertheless intensely interested in his students and they reciprocated with devotion. As one said "He made ancient history seem to pass before our eyes."

He was a member of a distinguished family in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. His father, a missionary to Persia, was a Phi at Ohio Alpha, class of 1869, and a brother, William Abbott Oldfather, who preceded him in death, also belonged to Indiana Epsilon, class of '99.

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HARRY LEONARD WOOD, *Case '16*, died in Massillon City Hospital, Massillon, Ohio, his home, July 14, 1954. He was 62 years old and since 1944 had served as vice-president of the Trundle Engineering Co. He had joined that company when it was organized in 1919, left it to do independent consulting work in 1921, but returned to the firm in 1940.

A graduate of Case, Brother Wood was active in the Case Alumni Association, a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the Society of Professional Engineers, the Gaston G. Allen Masonic Lodge, the Union League Club of Chicago, the Massillon Y.M.C.A., and of the Cleveland Aviation Club and an honorary member of the National Aviation association. A veteran of World War I, he had served as an Army pilot. Among the survivors are two brothers, C. D. Wood, *Case '19*, and John C. Wood, *Case '18*, Beverly Hills, Calif.

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ERNEST PHILIP MEYER, *Union '23*, died in Poughkeepsie, N.Y., April 20, 1954. For some years after leaving college, he was employed by various construction and bridge building firms. In 1927 he was instrumental in organizing the Northeast Utility Contractors, Inc., and served as vice president of that firm until 1934. In 1934, he took over the bottled gas operations of the Central Hudson Gas and Electric Corporation, forming the Mid-Hudson Bottled Gas Corporation, which he served as president until his death.

A veteran of World War II, Brother Meyer saw service with the U.S. Navy in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres, leaving active duty in 1946 with the rank of Lieutenant Commander. He was a member of the Lorillard Masonic Lodge of Tuxedo Park, N.Y., and the New York State Society of Professional Engineers. Among the survivors is a twin brother, Richmon Meyer, also *Union '23*.

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WILLIAM MUIR URQUHART, JR., *Williams '12*, died suddenly at the Henry Hudson Hotel, New York City, July 27, 1954. He was 64 years old and was an investment broker in New York. A devoted Phi, Brother Urquhart for some years had been a contributing member on the editorial board of *THE SCROLL*. He had recently returned from a trip to Spain. He was a brother of the late James Urquhart, *Washington '04*, one of the charter members of Washington Alpha.

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ENSIGN BRUCE V. CHRISTY, JR., *Washington '55*, was killed when his jet fighter plane, an F-3-D Sky-knight, exploded in mid-air the night of Aug. 24, 1954, during ground control intercept training exercises 35 miles off Barber's Point, Oahu, T. H. Brother Christy's home was in Seattle, Wash.

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PAUL FLETCHER SWANK, *Ohio Wesleyan '16*, veteran Associated Press editor, died in University Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, of injuries received in an automobile accident, Sept. 1, 1954.

Brother Swank, who had been a newspaperman for some 37 years, had been a member of The Associated Press staff since 1921, first in Columbus, then in Cincinnati and in Cleveland, where he headed the bureau, returning to Columbus in 1940.

In 1917 he went to work for the *Marion Star*, then under the active management of Senator Warren G. Harding, and in 1920 he covered the Harding campaign for the presidency. He was a member of the Lakeside Methodist Church, a member of the board of trustees of the Lakeside Association, a Mason, and of $\Sigma\Delta X$. His hobby was ships and he was considered an authority on Great Lakes shipping.

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ARCHIBALD JOHN BATTLE, JR., *Mercer '87*, died in a Richmond, Va., hospital, July 22, 1954. He was 86 years old and was president of the Glacier Metal Company which he founded in London, England, several years after his graduation from Mercer. Brother Battle's grandfather was a founder of Mercer and his father served as the sixth president of that University.

Following graduation, Brother Battle entered the banking business in Macon. After several years, he moved to England where he established his metal firm, later returning to the States and opening offices first in New York City and later in Richmond, Va. He was a member of the Virginia His-

torical Society, the Richmond German, the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of Virginia and was a member and past president of the Virginia Society of the Sons of the Revolution. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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DR. ANDREW C. KNOX, *Westminster* '95, for more than fifty years a practicing physician at Kansas City, Mo., died in a hospital there Aug. 9, 1954. A graduate of Westminster and of the old Kansas City Medical College, Brother Knox had spent three years in Joplin, Mo., early in his career, but since that time had practiced in Kansas City. The Jackson County Medical Society had awarded him a 50-year pin, and he had also received his Golden Legion certificate from $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. A veteran of World War I, he served in the Medical Corps. He had served on the Y.M.C.A. board of directors for many years and was a member of the Central Presbyterian Church. A brother, Edgar C. Knox, *Westminster* '02, Independence, Mo., survives.

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RICHARD KENNON PERRY, *Auburn* '11, Atlanta architect and artist, died in a hospital at Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 29, 1954. Since coming to Atlanta in 1911, Brother Perry had designed many homes there and in Alabama and was designer of the physics building at Georgia Tech. An artist, he had exhibited his works several times at the High Museum of Art. He was a Mason, a director of the Georgia chapter of the American Institute of Architecture, a member of the Atlanta Historical Society, the Lions Club, Atlanta Art Association, Atlanta Auburn Club, Atlanta Chamber of Commerce and of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Club of Atlanta.

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THOMAS ELLIMAN BISSELL, *Ohio Wesleyan* '14, died at his home in Hudson, Ohio, Sept. 1, 1954. He was 62 years old and since 1918 had operated the Ford agency at Hudson. He was a Mason and a member of Christ Episcopal Church.

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OLIVER REED PRINGLE, *Northwestern* '19, died at his home in Hinsdale, Ill., July 10, 1954. Brother Pringle was a broker with the Chicago firm of Shearson Hammill and Co. He was a veteran of World War I and had been a member of Grace Episcopal Church at Hinsdale for the past 24 years.

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ROGER H. SHERMAN, *Colorado* '26, widely known oil exploration authority, died at his home in Forest Hills, L.I., N.Y., Sept. 5, 1954. At the time of his death, Brother Sherman was coordinator of all oil producing activities of Standard Oil Company (New Jersey), and in that capacity had travelled widely to the major oil fields of the world.

A native of Denver, Colo., Brother Sherman began his career with the Huasteca Petroleum Company in Mexico and following the purchase of that com-

pany by Jersey Standard in 1932, moved to Venezuela. From 1933 to 1946 he served Standard Oil there in various capacities, and in 1946 returned to the States. He was a director of Standard Oil Development Company and the Arabian American Oil Company and was a member of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists, the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, and of the University Club of New York.

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DR. JOHN REECE TROUT, *Ohio Wesleyan-Ohio State* '50, died suddenly in Ft. Worth, Tex., Aug. 20, 1954. He was 26 years old and was an optometrist at Ft. Worth. A native of Marietta, Ohio, he attended schools there, later graduating from Ohio State University School of Optometry in 1950.

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HAL DAVIDSON CRENSHAW, *Mississippi* '12, prominent planter and banker of Crenshaw, Miss., died in an Oxford, Miss., hospital, August, 1954.

Member of a pioneer family of that area, for whom the town was named, Brother Crenshaw had been president of the bank of Crenshaw for many years and was vice president at the time of his death. He was president of the county board of supervisors, member of the Panola-Tate Livestock Association, head of Crenshaw Planters Gin Co., and a partner in Crenshaw Bros. farming operations.

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JOSEPH B. TOWNSEND, *Montana* '18, a Veterans Administration employee in Washington, D.C., and a former Montana newspaperman, died September 13 at the age of 59, following a heart attack. His death came as a shock to Washington Phis who had believed him to be well recovered from a heart attack suffered last Spring. He had been attending luncheons regularly and had been with a group from the Club at the funeral of Brother John Coffman.

Before going to Washington ten years ago to take on a series of administrative posts in the V.A., Brother Townsend had been Director of the Montana State Unemployment Commission. For several years following World War I, in which he served as a lieutenant with the Artillery in France, he followed a newspaper career in Montana.

A loyal and enthusiastic Phi, He will be greatly missed by his brothers in Washington.—CARL SCHEID, *Chicago* '32.

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LAWRENCE M. CUNNINGHAM, *W & J* '12, prominent Fairmont, W.Va., citizen, died September 26 at the age of 67. Brother Cunningham was an outstanding football lineman at W & J and played on the great team that beat Yale and represented the East in the Rose Bowl. In World War I he enjoyed a colorful career as a first lieutenant.

For many years he was engaged in the undertaking business with his father and was a pioneer radio enthusiast in Fairmont. He was also active in politics in the State Democratic party.

CLARENCE MAHN, *Nebraska '28*, was killed when struck by lightning near his office in Alma, Neb., Sept. 8, 1954. He was engaged in the practice of law at Alma, and was known as the youngest Nebraskan to serve as county judge when he served as Harlan County Judge for several terms.

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EDWARD C. WHITFIELD, JR., *Alabama-Kentucky '43*, died May 22, 1954, after being thrown from his horse while rounding up cattle on his ranch near Mayhew, Miss.

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SAM HAY HARPER, *Southwestern '22*, died in Tulsa, Okla., Aug. 25, 1954. A native of Mexia, Tex., Brother Harper had lived in Houston, Tex., for 22 years, where he was purchasing agent for the Pure Oil Company. At the time of his death he was general sales manager for the Milwhite Mud Sales Co. He was a member of the Brae Burn Country Club, the Houston Club, Technical Club, and at the time of his resignation from Pure Oil was president of the Oil Well Purchasing Agents Society. Among the survivors is a brother, J. M. Harper, *Southwestern '27*, Taos, N.M.

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COL. GILBERT SYLVESTER WOOLWORTH, U.S.A. Ret., *Union '02*, died at San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 17, 1954.

Following graduation from Union, Brother Woolworth studied law at George Washington University and was admitted to the bar in New York State in 1907. For the next ten years he engaged in private practice in Watertown, N.Y.

Beginning his military career as a captain in the Calvary section of the Officers Reserve Corps in 1917, he served with the A.E.F. in France during World War I. In 1920 he was appointed a captain in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the regular Army and served with that branch until his permanent retirement in 1944. Following World War II, he was assigned as a prosecutor in the war crimes trials in Japan. He was a Golden Legionnaire.

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LT. ROBERT O. THURSTON, *Butler '45*, died in San Diego Naval Hospital, Calif., of bulbar polio, June 27, 1954. In the Supply Corps of the Navy, he was serving as administrative aide to the commanding officer at the Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif. A veteran of World War II, he served in the Seabees on Okinawa.

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LEONIDAS JOHN UNDERWOOD, *Akron '96*, former owner of the Underwood Chemical Company, died at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., June 27, 1954. He was 83 years old and had retired in 1951 when he sold his interests in the pharmaceutical manufacturing company which bore his name and which he had founded in 1907. A Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, he received his certificate in 1943.



WILLIAM HUCKEL, *Williams '22*

WILLIAM HUCKEL, *Williams '22*, died suddenly in the Manhasset Medical Center, Manhasset, Long Island, Sept. 19, 1954. He was 53 years old and made his home in Great Neck, L.I.

A second vice president in the advertising and public relations department of the Chase National Bank in New York, Brother Huckel joined the advertising department of the Equitable Trust Company in 1924, and for the past 30 years had specialized in advertising and publicity for the Equitable and the Chase, which banks were merged in 1930. He was appointed an assistant cashier in 1945 and promoted to second vice president in 1952. In 1946 he was elected president of the New York Financial Advertisers Association. Active in community affairs, Brother Huckel was vice-president and a trustee of the Great Neck Library.

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2ND LT. GEORGE M. NELSON, *Hanover '52*, was killed June 8, 1954, when an F-84 Sabre Jet he was piloting crashed four miles from Stockton, Ga. Brother Nelson was on a routine training flight from his base at Moody Field, Valdosta, Ga., at the time. During his college years, he was an enthusiastic member of campus dramatic organizations and a star pitcher on the Hanover baseball team.

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ROBERT RAYMOND MCBETH, *Iowa Wesleyan '96*, veteran attorney and Keosauqua, Ia., civic leader, died in Van Buren County Hospital, July 23, 1954. A native of Keosauqua, Brother McBeth returned there after graduating from Iowa Wesleyan and receiving his law degree from Iowa University in 1899. He was named deputy clerk of Van Buren County in 1899 and in 1901 entered private law practice which he continued until his death.

During his lifetime, Brother McBeth held nearly every civic office in Keosauqua and was chairman of the Van Buren County Red Cross chapter for 20 years. A member of the Iowa State and American Bar Associations, he also was a president of the Van Buren County Bar Association and a past president of the Second Judicial District Bar Association. A member of many Masonic orders, including the Shrine, he held the honorary 33rd degree award. He also was an active member of the Congregational Church which he had served in every lay office. Brother McBeth was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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JAMES MARION BUTLER, *Ohio Wesleyan '92*, a practicing attorney in Columbus, Ohio, for 60 years, and an active civic leader, died at his home Sept. 2, 1954. He was 88 years old and had practiced law in Columbus since receiving his law degree from Ohio State in 1894.

Prominent in legal work, he at one time served as assistant attorney general of the United States for special work under Attorney General Daugherty, Stone and Sargent. Brother Butler was a life trustee and general counsel of Ohio Wesleyan, a member of First Congregational Church, a Mason, a member of the Elks and IOOF, and a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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WILLIAM C. SNOW, *Alabama '42*, died the night of Aug. 26, 1954, when his automobile crashed into an anti-aircraft gun on U.S. Highway 54, Northeast of El Paso, Tex. Brother Snow, who was 33, was a native of El Paso, and following graduation from the University of Alabama he received his law degree from the University of Texas and was admitted to the bar in 1947. He was a member of the El Paso, Texas, and New Mexico bar associations, a former president of the Exchange Club and a charter member of the El Paso Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. A veteran of World War II, he served for four years, becoming a lieutenant in the Air Force.

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HARRY TEETS, *Pennsylvania '42*, died in Washington, D.C., Aug. 2, 1954. An employee of the United States Government, Brother Teets made his home in Bethesda, Md. At Pennsylvania, he was manager of track in his Senior year and a member of Sphinx and Junior Society his Junior year.

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COL. FRANK J. SCHNELLER, *Lawrence '02*, died September 12 at the age of 77. He had been a patient at Hines Veterans Hospital since August 22 when he suffered an injury from a fall in his home.

Brother Schneller was National Commander of the Military Order of the Purple Heart in 1948, and

had long been active in American Legion and veterans' affairs in Wisconsin. Long a resident of Neenah, Wis., while associated with the Gilbert Paper Company, he had lived in Chicago in recent years. He was one of Lawrence College's all-time football greats, having been captain of the College's first undefeated football team in 1901.

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DANIEL S. HALLADAY, *California '90*, retired civil engineer whose early surveying projects included laying out the city of Beverly Hills and Angels Flight, died in Santa Ana, Calif., where he made his home, Aug. 13, 1954. For several years he worked as a civil engineer in Mexico, Honduras and Guatemala, surveying for the first railroad in the latter country. Later he was in private practice in Los Angeles before his retirement in 1915. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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SENATOR HENRY R. EMMERSON, *McGill '06*, died at his home in Dorchester, N. B., Can., June 21, 1954. He was 70 years old and had served New Brunswick as Senator since 1949. Previous to that time he had served in the House of Commons from 1935 to 1945. Brother Emmerson worked for a time as a salesman following his return from overseas service during World War I when he reached the rank of major with the 219th Battalion.

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GILBERT FRED ANDERSON, *Knox '55*, died during August, 1954, of bulbar polio contracted while vacationing in Wisconsin following Summer R.O.T.C. Camp.

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The name of WILLIAM NOBLE HULSEY, JR., *Vanderbilt '48*, has been added to the list of honored dead. He died in Fukuoka, Japan, May 24, 1952, while on active duty in Korean waters.

A native of Memphis, Tenn., Brother Hulsey received his education in the Memphis schools and graduated, *cum laude*, from Vanderbilt in 1950. He was elected a member of O Δ K in his Junior year. He interrupted his college career to spend two years in the U.S. Merchant Marine Cadet Corps, returning to Vanderbilt to finish school. Following graduation he was with the Prudential Life Insurance Co. for a short time, then joined the U.S. Air Force for six months, later being transferred to the Naval Officers' Training School in Providence, R.I., where he secured a commission as Ensign in the U.S. Navy. While aboard the U.S. *Okonogan*, Brother Hulsey was assistant Navigation Officer and Senior Deck Watch Officer. He was a Blue Lodge Mason, member of the Memphis Country Club and an executive in Boy Scouts of America, Memphis chapter. Among the survivors is a brother, Chessley, *Sewanee '55*.

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- NEBRASKA ALPHA (1875), University of Nebraska, 1545 "R" St., Lincoln, Nebr. *President*, William Devries; *Reporter*, Herbert C. Meissner; *Adviser*, Leo Beck, Jr., 144 N. 13th, Lincoln, Nebr.; *Co-adviser*, George Bastian, Stuart Bldg., Lincoln, Nebr.
- NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA (1884), Dartmouth College, 6 Webster Ave., Hanover, N.H. *President*, Frederick H. Starling, III; *Reporter*, Robert G. Hadley; *Adviser*, Prof. A. L. Demaree, 1 North Park St., Hanover, N.H.
- NEW MEXICO ALPHA (1946), University of New Mexico, 1705 Mesa Vista Rd. N.E., Albuquerque, N.Mex. *President*, Harry F. Schram; *Reporter*, Herbert H. Brunell, Jr.; *Adviser*, Harold K. Pride, 520 Amherst Dr. S.E., Albuquerque, N.M.
- NEW YORK ALPHA (1872), Cornell University, 2 Ridge-wood Rd., Ithaca, N.Y. *President*, A. Richard Triebei; *Reporter*, Harold W. Booth; *Adviser*, Stan Perez, Tru-mansburg, N.Y.
- NEW YORK BETA (1883), Union College, Schenectady, N.Y. *President*, Lee Michalsky; *Reporter*, Thomas J. Miles; *Adviser*, J. Harold Wittner, Alumni Gymnasium, Union College, Schenectady, N.Y.
- NEW YORK EPSILON (1887), Syracuse University, 703 Walnut Ave., Syracuse, N.Y. *President*, Robert Secor; *Reporter*, Richard Sutter; *Advisers*: Dr. Paul Ward, 817 Sumner Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.; Rev. Harry Reddick, 905 Walnut Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.
- NEW YORK ZETA (1918), Colgate University, Box 806, Hamilton, N.Y. *President*, George Williamson; *Reporter*, Neal Price; *Advisers*: James F. Dickinson, Colgate University, Hamilton, N.Y.; John Dunn, 22 W. Pleasant St., Hamilton, N.Y.
- NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA (1878), Duke University, Box 4693, Durham, N.C. *President*, Peter Burr; *Reporter*, William Biggers; *Adviser*, Jay Luvaas, 1837 Forest Rd., Durham, N.C.
- NORTH CAROLINA BETA (1885), University of North Carolina, 304 S. Columbia St., Chapel Hill, N.C. *President*, P. Warren Heemann; *Reporter*, Sherwood H. Smith, Jr.; *Adviser*, Dr. James F. Newsom, N.C. Memorial Hospital, Chapel Hill, N.C.
- NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA (1928), Davidson College, Box 673, Davidson, N.C. *President*, Robert Jones; *Reporter*, Austin Strand; *Adviser*, Dr. C. K. Brown, Box 56, Davidson, N.C.
- NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA (1913), University of North Dakota, University Station, Grand Forks, N.D. *President*, Ted Maragos; *Reporter*, Bill Redmond; *Adviser*, J. Earl McFadden, 212 Red River Natl. Bank Bldg., Grand Forks, N.D.
- NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA (1930), Dalhousie University, 66 Seymour St., Halifax, N.S., Can. *President*, James Cruickshank; *Reporter*, George Slipp; *Adviser*, George B. Robertson, 35 Bedford Row, Halifax, N.S., Can.
- OHIO ALPHA (1848), Miami University, 506 E. High St., Oxford, Ohio. *President*, Ted Keller; *Reporter*,

- Edward Schoenfeld; *Advisers*: Harry M. Gerlach, 3 E. Walnut, Oxford, Ohio; Dr. Eugene Klise, E. Chestnut, Oxford, Ohio.
- OHIO BETA (1860), Ohio Wesleyan University, 130 N. Washington St., Delaware, Ohio. *President*, Jerry L. Sheaffer; *Reporter*, Charles R. Cox; *Advisers*: Howard E. Strauch, 17 Orchard Heights, Delaware, Ohio; Herman Shipp, 148 Griswold St., Delaware, Ohio.
- OHIO GAMMA (1868), Ohio University, 10 W. Mulberry St., Athens, Ohio. *President*, Tom Balding; *Reporter*, Gilbert Camp; *Adviser*: Donald Mansfield, AFROTC Dept., Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.
- OHIO EPSILON (1875), University of Akron, 194 Spicer Ave., Akron, Ohio. *President*, Maurice McGuire; *Reporter*, Tony Milo; *Advisers*: Lt. Col. Robert C. Patrick, 2625 Columbus Rd., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St., Akron, Ohio.
- OHIO ZETA (1883), Ohio State University, 1942 Iuka Ave., Columbus 1, Ohio. *President*, David Call; *Reporter*, Lawrence Wright; *Advisers*: Wilson Dumble, 13 E. 16th Ave., Columbus, Ohio; Dan Fulmer, 1653 Arlington Ave., Columbus, Ohio.
- OHIO ETA (1896), Case Institute of Technology, 2139 Abington Rd., Cleveland 6, Ohio. *President*, Phil Cole; *Reporter*, Gary Kuller; *Adviser*, John Sturgis, 19620 Winslow Rd., Shaker Heights, Ohio.
- OHIO THETA (1898), University of Cincinnati, 2718 Digby Ave., Cincinnati 19, Ohio. *President*, Glenn Streibig; *Reporter*, Ed Loewe; *Adviser*, Bob Davis, 2718 Digby Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.
- OHIO IOTA (1914), Denison University, Granville, Ohio. *President*, M. Bradley Rogers; *Reporter*, Theodore A. Blunk; *Advisers*: C. L. Goodell, 228 E. Elm St., Granville, Ohio; Fred L. Preston, 120 E. Elm St., Granville, Ohio.
- OHIO KAPPA (1950), Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio. *President*, Don Baginski; *Reporter*, Marty Keipp; *Adviser*, Maj. James Cables, 310 N. Church St., Bowling Green, Ohio.
- OKLAHOMA ALPHA (1918), University of Oklahoma, Boyd House, Woodrow Wilson Center, Norman, Okla. *President*, Jack H. Coleman; *Reporter*, Joe Gill Lessert; *Adviser*, Hugh McDermott, 807 S. Ponca, Norman, Okla.; *Co-Adviser*, Robert F. Brandenburg, 430 Macy, Norman, Okla.
- OKLAHOMA BETA (1946), Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, 901 College St., Stillwater, Okla. *President*, Jerry Shipley; *Reporter*, Gene Cowan; *Adviser*, Robert Kersten, 316 N. Main St., Apt. 18, Stillwater, Okla.
- ONTARIO ALPHA (1906), University of Toronto, 165 St. George St., Toronto, Ont., Can. *President*, John B. Davies; *Reporter*, Bruce Currie; *Adviser*, D. M. Martyn, 7 Edmund Ave. Apt. 405, Toronto, Ont., Can.
- OREGON ALPHA (1912), University of Oregon, 1472 Kincaid, Eugene, Ore. *President*, Peter D. Williams; *Reporter*, Don Gartrell; *Advisers*: W. H. Skade, 2154 Emerald St., Eugene, Ore.; Mr. Arthur J. Anderson, 2140 Agate St., Eugene, Ore.
- OREGON BETA (1918), Oregon State College, 13th & Monroe Sts., Corvallis, Ore. *President*, Jim Ruggles; *Reporter*, Larry Paulus; *Adviser*, Robert Wilson, Forestry Dept., Ore. State College, Corvallis, Ore.
- OREGON GAMMA (1946), Willamette University, Salem, Ore. *President*, Duane Shield; *Reporter*, Phil McCallister; *Adviser*, Dave Putnam, 2745 Nola Ave., Salem, Ore.
- PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA (1873), Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. *President*, William Sherwood; *Reporter*, Willard Snyder; *Adviser*, Dr. Samuel Pascal, Lafayette College, Easton, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA BETA (1875), Gettysburg College, 109 W. Lincoln Ave., Gettysburg, Pa. *President*, Norman Ollivier; *Reporter*, John R. Stoner; *Adviser*, John C. Stahle, R. 3, Gettysburg, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA (1875), Washington and Jefferson College, 140 S. Lincoln St., Washington, Pa. *President*, Eugene P. Howard, Jr.; *Reporter*, Paul E. Rathgeb, Jr.; *Advisers*: Roger Patton, 664 E. Beau St., Washington, Pa.; Robert M. Jenner, 118 Broughton Rd., Pittsburgh 34, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA DELTA (1879), Allegheny College, 681 The Terrace, Meadville, Pa. *President*, Robert Moyers; *Reporter*, Max Shofstahl; *Advisers*: Richard H. Hughes, R.1, Meadville, Pa.; Bernard Frick, 408 Trust Co. Bldg., Meadville, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON (1880), Dickinson College, 49 N. West St., Carlisle, Pa. *President*, George G. Easley, Jr.; *Reporter*, R. Lewis Wilkinson; *Adviser*, Walter L. Barnard, 206 Willow Ave., Camp Hill, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA ZETA (1883), University of Pennsylvania, 3700 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa. *President*, Wayne Ackerman; *Reporter*, Philip T. Tobin; *Advisers*: Donald Colasona, 3700 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Robert McCann, 1527 Oregon Ave., Philadelphia 45, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA ETA (1876), Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa. *President*, David Fenton; *Reporter*, John Westerman; *Adviser*, Richard Johnson, 35 County Line Rd., Hatboro, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA THETA (1904), Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pa. *President*, Robert Piper; *Reporter*, Richard Seng; *Adviser*, Henry Yeagley, Jr., 531 W. Mitchell, State College, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA IOTA (1918), University of Pittsburgh, 255 N. Dithridge, Pittsburgh 13, Pa. *President*, Arthur C. Vogel; *Reporter*, Glenn R. Heiskell; *Adviser*, George Herrington, 420 Duquesne Dr., Pittsburgh 16, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA (1918), Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa. *President*, James Hormel; *Reporter*, Eugene Heaton; *Adviser*, Edward L. Noyes, 490 River-view Ave., Swarthmore, Pa.
- QUEBEC ALPHA (1902), McGill University, 3581 University St., Montreal, Que., Can. *President*, George B. Payne; *Reporter*, R. B. Findlay; *Adviser*, George Seely, 201 Notre Dame St. W., Montreal, Que., Can.
- RHODE ISLAND ALPHA (1889), Brown University, Box 1164, Providence, R.I. *President*, John Leva; *Reporter*, Robert Ecker; *Adviser*, Frank Powers, 123 Blackamore Ave., Cranston, R.I.
- SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA (1906), University of South Dakota, 202 E. Clark, Vermillion, S.D. *President*, Richard Chaussee; *Reporter*, Robert W. Crampton; *Adviser*, Wayne Rausch, 402 E. Main, Vermillion, S.D.
- TENNESSEE ALPHA (1876), Vanderbilt University, 2019 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn. *President*, Kirk Terry Dornbush; *Reporter*, James H. Patton, III; *Adviser*, Robert C. H. Mathews, Jr., 478 Craighead St., Nashville, Tenn.
- TENNESSEE BETA (1883), University of the South, Box 227, Seawanee, Tenn. *President*, Peter J. Garland; *Reporter*, James G. Creveling; *Advisers*: Dr. O. N. Torian, Seawanee, Tenn.; Douglas Vaughan, Seawanee, Tenn.
- TEXAS BETA (1883), University of Texas, 2300 Nueces, Austin, Tex. *President*, Louis B. Paine, Jr.; *Reporter*, David N. Horn; *Adviser*, Edward R. L. Wroe, Jr., 3213 Clearview, Austin, Tex.
- TEXAS GAMMA (1886), Southwestern University, 915 Pine St., Georgetown, Tex. *President*, Frank M. Eddins; *Reporter*, William H. Glaze; *Adviser*, Judge Sam V. Stone, Georgetown, Tex.
- TEXAS DELTA (1922), Southern Methodist University, 7 Fraternity Row, Dallas 5, Tex. *President*, William C. Abernathy; *Reporter*, Patrick R. Thomas; *Adviser*, Spencer Carver, 3521 Wentwood Drive, Dallas, Tex.
- TEXAS EPSILON (1953), Texas Technological College, Box 4022, Lubbock, Tex. *President*, Carl Ince; *Reporter*, Charles H. Luling, III; *Advisers*: John Harding, 2610 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.; E. W. Williams, Jr., 4514 21st Street, Lubbock, Tex.
- UTAH ALPHA (1914), University of Utah, 102 University St., Salt Lake City, Utah. *President*, Bart Smith; *Reporter*, Sam Wilson; *Adviser*: Ted Whitney, 132 S. Main, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- VERMONT ALPHA (1879), University of Vermont, 439 College St., Burlington, Vt. *President*, Frank Maccini; *Reporter*, Robert Crawford; *Adviser*, Truman Webster, Shelburne, Vt., *Co-Adviser*: Benjamin Schweyer, 32 Kingsland Terr., Burlington, Vt.
- VIRGINIA BETA (1873), University of Virginia, 129

- Chancellor St., Charlottesville, Va. *President*, Sidney C. Kinkad, Jr.; *Reporter*, Robert K. Hopkins, Jr.; *Advisers*: Maupin M. Pence, Mason Lane, Charlottesville, Va., Claude C. Carroll, 905 Fendal Terrace, Charlottesville, Va.
- VIRGINIA GAMMA (1874), Box 347, Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va. *President*, Henry B. Lipscomb, III; *Reporter*, George C. Pittman, Jr.; *Adviser*, Dr. G. C. Simpson, Center St., Ashland, Va.
- VIRGINIA DELTA (1875), University of Richmond, Box 57, University, Va. *President*, Hugh A. Lawson; *Reporter*, W. Vaughn Dunnivant; *Advisers*: J. B. Hall, Jr., 3402 Park Ave., Richmond, Va.; Forrest W. Brown, Jr., 3418 Grove Ave., Richmond, Va.
- VIRGINIA ZETA (1887), Washington and Lee University, 5 Henry St., Lexington, Va. *President*, Robert N. Fishburn; *Reporter*, William B. Northrop; *Adviser*, Earl S. Mattingly, Treasurer's Office, Washington & Lee University, Lexington, Va.
- WASHINGTON ALPHA (1900), University of Washington, 2111 E. 47th St., Seattle 5, Wash. *President*, Robert M. Lewis; *Reporter*, Fred J. Farr; *Adviser*, Terry L. Donoghue, 149 West 144th St., Seattle, Wash.
- WASHINGTON BETA (1914), Whitman College, 715 Estrella St., Walla Walla, Wash. *President*, Paul Panagakis; *Reporter*, Ron Cook; *Advisers*: Robert R. Reid, 336 Bonasella, Walla Walla, Wash.; Frederick C. Wilson, 418 Boyer, Walla Walla, Wash.
- WASHINGTON GAMMA (1918), Washington State College, 600 Campus Ave., Pullman, Wash. *President*, Robert Morgan; *Reporter*, Elden Abbott; *Adviser*, F. L. Titus, R. 1, Pullman, Wash.
- WASHINGTON DELTA (1952), College of Puget Sound, 3722 N. 8th Ave., Tacoma, Wash. *President*, John H. Chapman; *Reporter*, Terrence W. Schick; *Adviser*, Ray Gardner, Jr., 6320 Nyanza Park Dr., Tacoma, Wash.
- WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA (1926), West Virginia University, 664 Spruce St., Morgantown, W.Va. *President*, James Howard Spencer; *Reporter*, Roy B. ShROUT, Jr.; *Adviser*, Charles Ashton, 240 S. High, Morgantown, W.Va.
- WISCONSIN ALPHA (1857), University of Wisconsin, 222 Langdon St., Madison, Wis. *President*, James Lawson; *Reporter*, Raymond Lundberg; *Advisers*, Jack R. DeWitt, 5741 Dogwood Place, Madison, Wis.; Ralph Huitt, South Hall, Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.
- WISCONSIN BETA (1859), Lawrence College, 711 E. Alton St., Appleton, Wis. *President*, Jerome Hart; *Reporter*, Alan Erhardt; *Advisers*, Al Zupek, 1418 N. Union, Appleton, Wis.; Wm. Thompson, 213 Elm St., Menasha, Wis.
- WYOMING ALPHA (1934), University of Wyoming, 1309 Grand Ave., Laramie, Wyo. *President*, Jack O'Neill; *Reporter*, Dan Doherty; *Adviser*, Charles Thompson, 609 S. 9th, Laramie, Wyo.

The Roll of Alumni Clubs

THE items in each entry are entered in this order: Name of the city; the Secretary of the Club with his address; the time and place of the weekly luncheon or other stated meeting.

Changes should be reported immediately to General Headquarters, Oxford, Ohio

ALABAMA

- BIRMINGHAM—Irvine C. Porter, 302 Comer Bldg.
- MOBILE—Alex. F. Lankford, Box 935, Mobile, Ala. Called meetings, Battle House Hotel.
- MONTGOMERY—Allen D. Harper, Jr., 3546 Gaylord Ave. Called meetings, Beauvois Country Club.
- OPELIKA—Scott Farley, 2 Fitzpatrick.

ARIZONA

- PHOENIX—Nelson King, 1330 E. Avalon Dr. Quarterly meetings, 1st Mon. of each quarter.
- TUCSON—Norbert A. Wagner, 201 N. Stone, Tucson, Ariz., 12 Noon, 1st Tuesday, Y.M.C.A. Bldg.

ARKANSAS

- STATE OF ARKANSAS—Jay W. Hill, 305 Boyle Bldg., Little Rock.

CALIFORNIA

- HOLLYWOOD—David T. Arnold, 2060 Benedict Canyon Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. First Wednesday of each month, Hollywood Athletic Club, 6525 Sunset Blvd.
- LOS ANGELES—Ken Cutler c/o Calif. Fund, 606 S. Hill St., Los Angeles, 12 Noon, every Friday, University Club, 614 S. Hope St.
- EAST BAY—Vincent Angwin, Secretary. Correspondence to: Dave Schindler, 1108 Central Bank Bldg., Oakland 12. Phone, Templebar 6-4747. Luncheon meetings Thursday Noon at Bellini's Restaurant, 4130 Telegraph Ave., Oakland.
- PASADENA—Dan Clay, Box 8, E.P., Pasadena 8, 6:30 P.M., 1st Friday, University Club.
- SACRAMENTO—C. L. Rudine, 1005 8th St., Mitau Bldg., Last Friday, University Club.
- SAN DIEGO—John Terhorst, 4950 Rose Hedge Dr., La Mesa, Calif.
- SAN FRANCISCO—Thomas O. King, 910 Green St., 4th Tuesday, St. Julian Restaurant, 140 Battery St., S.E.
- SANTA BARBARA—Robert W. Hutton, 2931 Lomito Rd., Dinner Meetings once every 6 weeks as called.

COLORADO

- COLORADO SPRINGS—Robert Crowder, Box 489. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays (October through May) at 6:15 P.M. at the chapter house.

- DENVER—Joseph E. Cook, Jr., 706 Majestic Bldg., Denver, Colo. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea Room.

- FT. COLLINS—W. D. Thomas, Dept. of Botany and Plant Pathology, Colorado A. & M. College.

DELAWARE

- WILMINGTON—Lyle E. King, 9060 DuPont Bldg. Dinner meetings monthly except June, July and August, University Club.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

- WASHINGTON—Philip B. Yeager, 4201 25th St. N., Arlington, Va. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Army and Navy Club, 17th and Eye St. N.W. Call Everett Flood, Woodyly 6-8400 or Martin Heffin.

FLORIDA

- GAINESVILLE—W. E. Rion, Florida Union, Univ. of Florida. Called meetings, Florida Alpha chapter house.
- JACKSONVILLE—George Smith, 1738 San Marco Blvd., Apt. 2. Quarterly meetings.
- MANATEE COUNTY—John A. Wooten, P.O. Box 318, Bradenton, Fla. Garcia's Restaurant.
- MIAMI—William J. Booher, 830 S.E. Miami Ave. Rd. 12 Noon, first Wednesday Seven Seas Restaurant, 101 S.E. 2nd Ave.
- ORLANDO—Andrew Yaros, 2836 Northwood Blvd., Meetings 2nd Tuesdays, Noon, at Lamar Hotel.
- ST. PETERSBURG—Russell A. Lampe, c/o Gen. Motors Acceptance, 1025 1st Ave. N. Luncheon every Friday, Hotel Suwannee.
- SARASOTA—Bill Robertson, 401 Palmer Bank Bldg.
- TAMPA—W. F. McLane, 3118 Kensington.

GEORGIA

- AMERICUS—Hays McMath, Jr., Rylander, McMath Tractor Co., Americus, Ga.
- ATLANTA—John B. Jackson, Jr., Box 2051. Tel. VERNON 2216. Monthly meetings, last Friday of each month, alternately at 12:15 P.M. and 7 P.M., Emile's Restaurant, 87 Fairlie St., N.W.
- COLUMBUS—Guy Blackmon, Jr., Box 1336. First Monday, 7:30 EST.
- GAINESVILLE—A. P. Butler c/o Gainesville Daily Times, Dinner 7:30 P.M. Dixie Hunt Hotel, first Sunday.
- GRIFFIN—Wm. H. Beck, III, 217 S. 11th St., Quarterly

meetings, third Friday. Jan., April, July, Oct. 12 Noon.
Harry's Diner, also special and Founders Day meetings.
MACON—M. F. Meadors, Professional Bldg. Fourth
Monday; 1 and 7 P.M. alternate months, S & S Cafeteria,
337 Third St.

IDAHO

BOISE—Byron H. Erstad, 915 Warm Springs. Third
Wednesday, 12:15 P.M. Valencia.

ILLINOIS

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA—Frank D. Murphy, Jr., 604 W.
John. First Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan. and March.
CHICAGO—(Metropolitan)—Robert O. Bormann, 153 N.
Menard, Chicago 44. Meetings, Friday, 12 P.M., Blue
Note.

GALESBURG—Richard Goff, 512 E. South St., Knoxville,
Ill. Five meetings a year, Sept., Oct., Feb., March 15,
June, Phi Delta Theta House, Called meetings and
Founders Day.

PEORIA—Dr. Phil Chain, 3940 Prospect Rd. (4). Third
Friday in June, and Friday in Sept., University Club.

ROCKFORD—John M. Picken, 1107 Rockford Trust
Bldg., Rockford, Ill. Called meetings.

INDIANA

BLOOMINGTON—Marion Rogers, 1130 E. Atwater,
Bloomington, Ind.

COLUMBUS—C. W. Hathaway, 1204 Lafayette, Colum-
bus, Ind.

EVANSVILLE—Robert M. Leich, Box 869, c/o Charles
Leich and Co.

FT. WAYNE—John H. McCully, Wayne Pump Co., Ft.
Wayne 4, Ind. Tues. Noon 12:00 Wayne St. Hobby
House.

FRANKLIN—Patrick Cuddy, 151 Walnut St. Called meet-
ings.

INDIANAPOLIS—John E. Thurston, 105 Chamber of
Commerce Bldg., Indianapolis 4, Ind. Hotel Warren,
123 S. Illinois St., Luncheon every Friday Noon.

KOKOMO—Charles Rose, 911 W. Walnut St.

LAFAYETTE—Maurice R. Knoy, Rostone Corp.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—Gordon A. Mefford, 402
Porter St., Crawfordsville, Ind. and Wednesday at Indi-
ana Beta chapter house, Crawfordsville, Ind.

SHELBYVILLE—Richard Schneider, 242 W. Pennsylvania.
By notice, 6:15 P.M. Blue River Inn.

ST. JOSEPH VALLEY—Carl V. Shellhouse, 613 JMS
Bldg., South Bend, first Tuesday, Ramble Inn.

SULLIVAN—Clem J. Hux, 490 N. W. 1st St., Linton, Ind.
Quarterly by notice. Black Bat Tea Room.

TIPTON—C. L. O'Banion, Tipton, Ind.

IOWA

CEDAR RAPIDS—H. Schrader, c/o Gazette Co. 6:30 P.M.,
Roosevelt Hotel.

DES MOINES—W. F. Rauscher, Carlisle, Iowa.

MT. PLEASANT—George E. Crane, Hardware Store, first
Friday, 6:30 P.M. Harlon Hotel.

KANSAS

HUTCHINSON—Ted Romig, 608 Wiley Blvd.

MANHATTAN—J. W. Funk, 1814 Platt, second Tuesday,
7:30 P.M., Phi Delta Theta House.

TOPEKA—Charles Martin, c/o Topeka Daily Capitol,
8th & Jackson, Jayhawk Hotel, first Friday, 12:15 P.M.

WICHITA—Elmer Wolf, 6027 E. Lincoln, Wichita 77.
12 Noon, Fri., except first, Mezzanine, Hotel Lassen.
6 P.M., dinner first Fri., Droll's English Grill.

KENTUCKY

BLUEGRASS—Thomas F. Marshall, McClure Bldg.,
Frankfort, Ky. First Monday each quarter at Stagg Dis-
tillery Club House.

LOUISVILLE—Walter Dewar, 807 Sharon Dr., Jefferson-
ville, Ind. Second Tuesday evening, 6:30 P.M. Place to
be announced.

LOUISIANA

BATON ROUGE—John W. McCornack, 3207 Iowa.

NEW ORLEANS—Chas. W. Robinson, 1101 Hibernia
Bank Bldg. Friday, 12 Noon, Arnaud's Restaurant.

CENTRAL—E. W. Humphreys, Georgetown, Ky., Sec.

MAINE

WATERVILLE—Gordon K. Fuller, 44 Burleigh St. Sec-
ond Wednesday Evening, Phi Delta Theta House.

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE—F. Marshall Weller, 4804 Wilmslow Rd.,
Baltimore 10, Md. Luncheons 12:15 P.M. on first Friday.

MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON—Philip J. Gray, 96 Bay State Rd. Second Tues-
day, 12:15 P.M. Union Oyster House. Call Secretary for
details.

MICHIGAN

DETROIT—Henry N. Woods, 508 Baldwin Ave., Detroit
14. Luncheons, first and third Friday at the Stockholm,
1014 E. Jefferson.

GRAND RAPIDS—Bruce I. Dutcher, 537 Ardmore St.,
S.E. June and Dec. meetings.

LANSING—Wm. A. Ruble, Central Trust Co. Monday,
12:15 P.M. Hotel Club.

MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS—Rutherford F. Burr, Jr. 3040 S. Lyn-
dale Ave. Phone, Regent 7421. Fourth Wednesday, 12:15
P.M.

MISSISSIPPI

CLARKSDALE—R. E. Bobo, Jr., Clarksdale, Miss. Meet-
ings two times each year. Founders Day, Fall.

JACKSON—Robert Swittenberg, Capital Nat'l. Bank.

TUPELO—J. M. Thomas, Jr., P.O. Box 416. Called meet-
ings.

MISSOURI

COLUMBIA—Albert Price, Boone County Nat'l. Bank.

FULTON—Harvey S. Clapp, 307 E. Sixth St. Called meet-
ings.

JEFFERSON CITY—Jack H. Acuff, Missouri State High-
way.

KANSAS CITY—W. N. Brownfield, Columbia Nat'l. Bank,
921 Walnut. Friday Noon, Hotel Continental.

SPRINGFIELD—Lester L. Cox, 1739 S. Nat'l. Blvd.
Luncheon first Thursday, Hotel Moran, 12 Noon.

ST. JOSEPH—J. A. Nussbaum, Jr., 611-15 Corby Bldg.,
Friday Noon, Foubidoux Hotel.

ST. LOUIS—Wm. B. Gerstung, A. G. Edwards & Sons,
409 N. 8th St. Meetings each Friday Noon at Forest
Park Hotel, 4910 W. Pine Blvd.

MONTANA

HELENA—Michael E. Donovan, 1021 Leslie Ave. Third
Thursday, Montana Club Rathskeller.

MISSOULA—Charles Little, 715 Russell. 12 Noon, Mon-
days, Palace Hotel.

NEBRASKA

LINCOLN—Robert J. Glenn, 2210 Woodcrest Ave.

OMAHA—Virgil E. Northwall, 1037 Omaha Nat'l. Bank
Bldg. 12:15 Noon, first Monday, Omaha Athletic Club.

NEW MEXICO

ALBUQUERQUE—Robert B. Stephenson, 9116 Candelaria
Rd. N.E.

LAS CRUCES—Southern New Mexico—West Texas—Co-
Secretary Don Strode, c/o Diamond Gravel Co., Las
Cruces, N.M. First Thursday every month, 7:15 P.M. at
El Paso.

NEW YORK

BUFFALO—Roger Gross, 209-A Kenville Rd., Buffalo 15,
N.Y. Bi-weekly luncheon meetings, 12:30 P.M., first Mon.
of every month, Lafayette Hotel.

NEW YORK—William S. Story, American Metal Market,
New York 38. Chamber of Commerce Bldg. 4th Floor,
65 Liberty St. 1:00 P.M. Friday (except first Friday every
month, then 12:30 P.M.)

ROCHESTER—G. E. Schuman, 26 Morningside Park.
Monday, 12:15 P.M. Hotel Sheraton.

SYRACUSE—Harry B. Reddick, 905 Walnut Ave., Meet-
ings Monday Noon. American Legion Club, 123 S.
Clinton St.

OHIO

AKRON—R. C. Davis, 1002 Berwin St. Luncheons, Thursday noon, University Club. Called business meetings.

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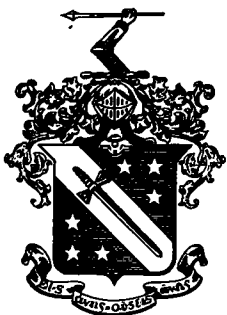
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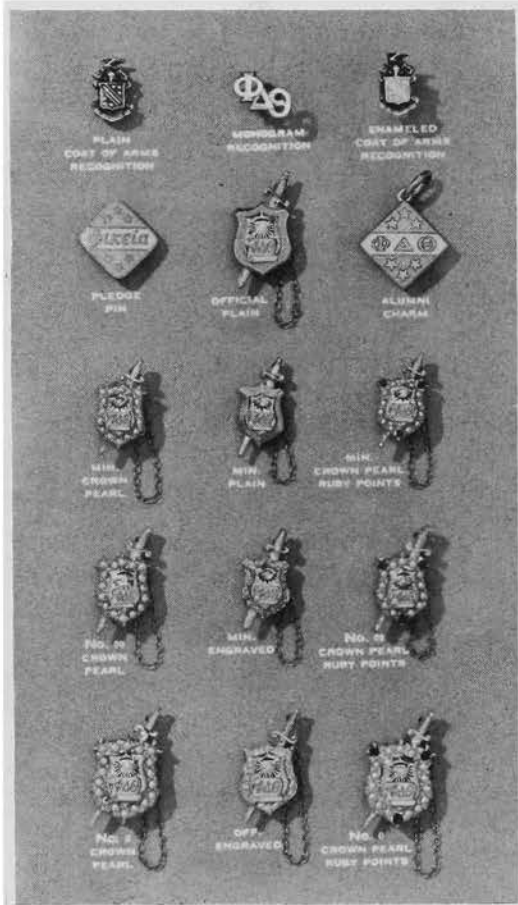
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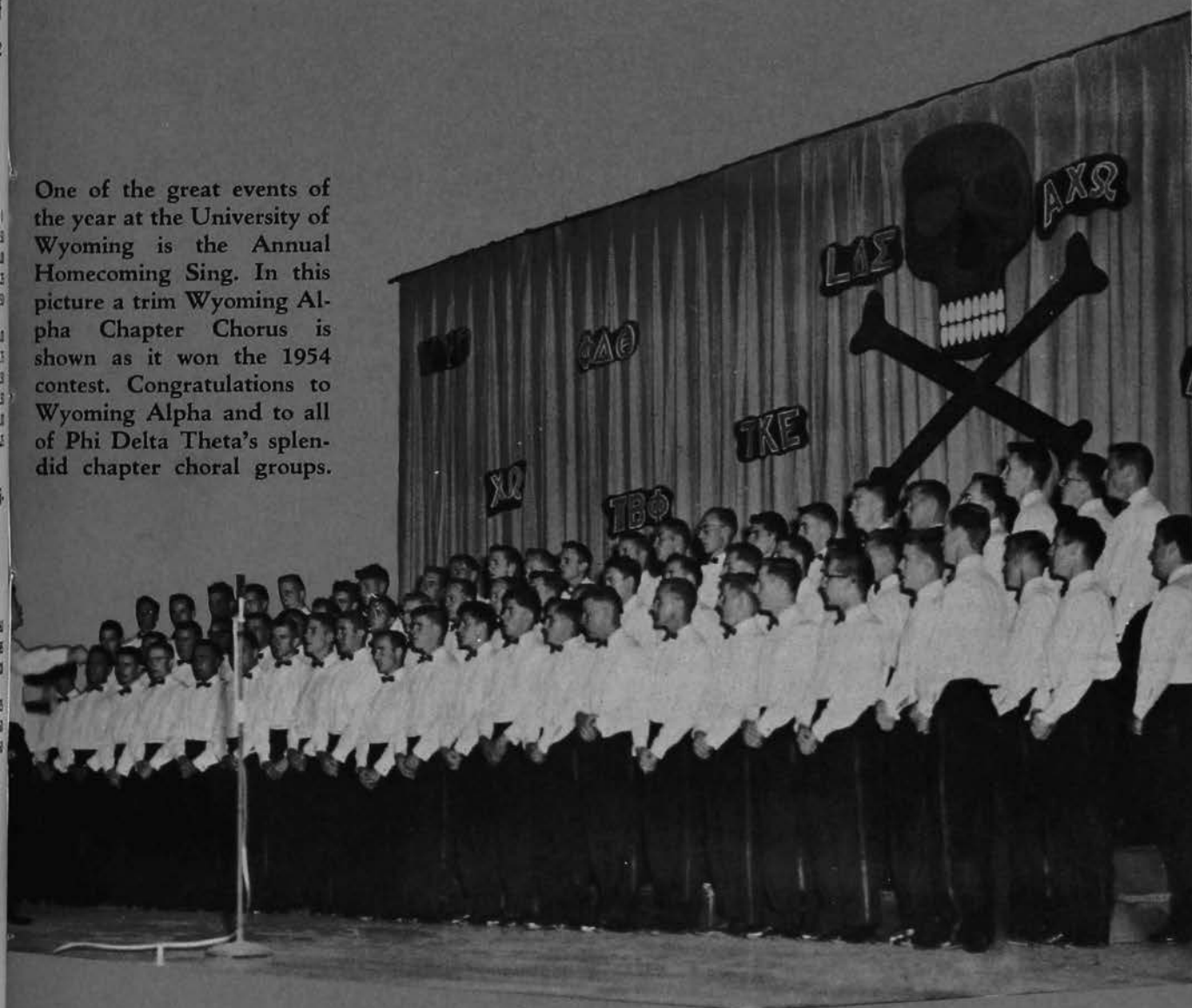
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One of the great events of the year at the University of Wyoming is the Annual Homecoming Sing. In this picture a trim Wyoming Alpha Chapter Chorus is shown as it won the 1954 contest. Congratulations to Wyoming Alpha and to all of Phi Delta Theta's splendid chapter choral groups.





"In the BOND There Is STRENGTH"

By The Rev. CLEM E. BININGER, Centre '31
Member-at-Large of the General Council

A Commentary on the Theme for Founders Day, 1955

WHEN Robert Morrison, John McMillan Wilson, Robert Thompson Drake, John Wolfe Lindley, Ardivan Walker Rodgers, and Andrew Watts Rogers met in Wilson's room in old North Hall, on December 26, 1848, there was no Phi Delta Theta. Two days later, however, the BOND was presented, and on December 30 adopted. The BOND at once furnished a sure basis of union, and ample material on which to build a ritual. It is a vision of friendship, of devotion to truth, and of steadfast determination to realize God's likeness in their own lives.

In late 1954 it was thrice our privilege to read aloud the BOND—once in a Chapter that is seventy-five years old (where it is read monthly); and twice at installation initiations for new brothers at Valparaiso and Kent State. This, old and new, always listen with rapt attention to the pulsating prose of that unaltered and unalterable covenant to which we have all pledged our sacred word and honor. The six Founders, to be sure, were wholesome and fun-loving college students; but in the BOND they breathe with such immortal earnestness that today they head a column of marching men—seventy thousand strong.

It is appropriate that the words "IN THE BOND THERE IS STRENGTH" have been chosen as our Founders Day theme for March 1955. We need to be reminded that FRIENDSHIP is stronger than back-slapping; that it involves constant consultation with each other for mental growth and moral conservation. LEARNING is sounder than selfish intellectualism; it issues in unprejudiced service to mankind. MORALITY is mightier than strait-laced rectitude; it is basically Biblical and rooted in the merciful graciousness of Him who was "a Friend of publicans and sinners."

The BOND's selectivity stabs straight into fundamentals bidding us admit to our circle only friendly, intelligent, unprejudiced, character-conscious men. Specific phraseology in both BOND and Ritual make it difficult to see how one devoid of Christian conviction and character can feel at home in the family of Phi Delta Theta.

But don't take our word for it. Around March 15, 1955, let every chapter meet for a solemn reading of the BOND. Let every Alumni Club consider the example of those who annually invite brothers from the nearest undergraduate chapter to bring their BOND (properly safe-guarded) for private reading in a specially reserved room *before* the conviviality of the social hour. Surely, this everywhere will enjoy fifteen golden minutes of listening to the BOND we often talk about but too seldom hear, remembering its significance in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and as the only document of its kind in the fraternity world.

When your Founders Day invitations go out, why not docket time for fellowship not only with each other but also for a few moments with the Immortal Six who best impart to us their strength in the BOND?



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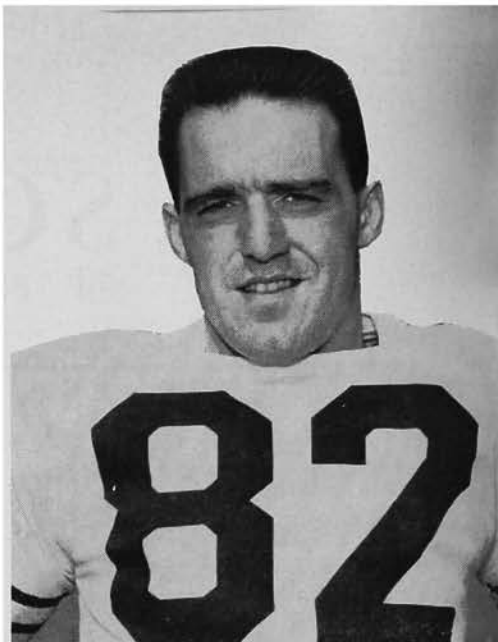
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All-Americans

Bob Davenport, U.C.L.A.'s unanimous All-Phi choice at fullback; outstanding All-American on Red Sanders' unbeaten championship team. And he's only a Junior!



Frank McDonald, Miami's great end named All-American by Associated Press.



Bob Pascal, Duke halfback, A.P. All-American 3rd team; unanimous All-Conference. A Junior—watch him again next year!



All-Phi Football Team—1954



Position	Player	College	Points	Class	Weight
End	FRANK McDONALD, <i>Miami (Fla.)</i>		(33)	Senior	205
Tackle	CARLETON SCHELHORN, <i>Virginia</i>		(31)	Senior	225
Guard	CHARLES MARTUCCI, <i>California</i>		(31)	Senior	200
Center	STEVE DELATORRE, <i>Florida</i>		(33)	Senior	220
Guard	WAYLAND ROBERTS, <i>Arkansas</i>		(29)	Junior	195
Tackle	CHARLES KUBES, <i>Minnesota</i>		(25)	Senior	225
End	JIM FREEMAN, <i>Iowa</i>		(33)	Junior	230
Quarterback	WADE MITCHELL, <i>Georgia Tech</i>		(31)	Sophomore	185
Halfback	*DICK GOIST, <i>Cincinnati</i>		(31)	Senior	175
Halfback	BOB PASCAL, <i>Duke</i>		(25)	Junior	190
Fullback	*BOB DAVENPORT, <i>U.C.L.A.</i>		(35)	Junior	203

* All-Phi prior to 1954.



They Picked 'em—The Scroll's All-Phi Football Board

The 1954 All-Phi football teams were selected by the panel of experts pictured above. They are, left to right: STU HOLCOMB, Ohio State '32, head coach, Purdue; FRANCIS WISTERT, Michigan '34, former Wolverine All-American; DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., Washburn '38, Secretary of the Board; ART LEWIS, Ohio '35, head coach, West Virginia University; DALLAS C. WARD, Oregon State '27, head coach, Colorado; WILFRID SMITH, DePauw '20, Chicago Tribune football authority; and BOBBY GRAYSON, Stanford '36, great two-time All-American back for the Indians, who replaces former Coach Howie Odell on the Board.

The All-Phi Football Teams for 1954

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., Washburn '38

Secretary of the All-Phi Board

THE 1954 All-Phi football team is highlighted by the most outstanding backfield since presentation of the 1947 trio of All-Americans, Ray Evans, Kansas; Bob Chappuis, Michigan; and Doak Walker, S.M.U. This year's backfield quartet is paced by U.C.L.A.'s great star and a unanimous choice, Bob Davenport, Junior fullback. His mates are halfbacks Dick Goist of Cincinnati and Bob Pascal of Duke, Senior and Junior, respectively, and quarterback Wade Mitchell of Georgia Tech., a Sophomore. The only contest among the backs centered around Pascal, a unanimous Atlantic Coast Conference back who edged Strempek of Virginia by a single vote.

The wealth of quarterback material which the Board had to consider is revealed by the fact that four outstanding stars landed on the Honorable Mention list. They are Pete Kohut, Brown's All-Ivy League selection; Jerry Johnson, Texas Tech co-captain and an All-Border Conference second team choice; Dave Dungan, Utah Junior, the NCAA's sixth ranking passer with 823 yards; and Tony Scardino of Missouri who passed for 606 yards.

The linemen are led by All-American end Frank McDonald of Miami (Fla.) a near unanimous choice. On the firing line with him are Jim Freeman, Iowa end; Carleton Shelhorn (Vir-

ginia) and Charles Kubes (Minnesota) at tackles; Charles Martucci (California) and Wayland Roberts (Arkansas) at guards; and Steve Delatorre (Florida) at center. Only James Nelson, Duke guard, who tallied 25 points pressed any of these linemen for top honors.

The All-Phi Board consists of Wilfrid Smith, DePauw '20 sports writer and top football authority for the Chicago Tribune; a trio of geographically distributed famous grid mentors, Art Lewis, Ohio '35, of West Virginia, a new permanent member this year; Stu Holcomb, Ohio State '32, of Purdue; and Dallas Ward, Oregon State '27, of Colorado; the former Michigan tackle—first of the three All-American Wisterts—Francis '34; a newcomer, Robert Grayson, Stanford '36, the two-time All-American back, and Dr. John Davis, Jr. Washburn '38, sports analyst of the SCROLL's Editorial Board.

Ballots listing the entire roster of Phi stars at each position were sent to the Board on December 1 by Brother Davis. Players were scored by points—5, 3 and 1. Thus players listed in the tabulations with 35 points are unanimous choices.

The Backfield: Only one man was so honored by the Board and he is Bob Davenport, fullback on the undefeated U.C.L.A. team. who was selected on *Look's* All-American, the A.P. and Chicago Tribune's Players All-American



SOPHOMORE CHOICE
Quarterback Wade Mitchell,
Georgia Tech sensation.

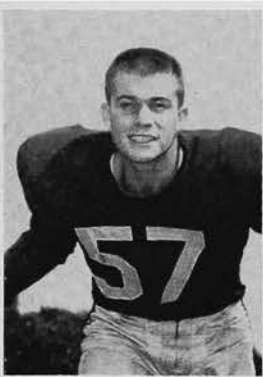


All-Phi First Team Stars

ABOVE, LEFT TO RIGHT: Dick Goist, *Cincinnati*, halfback; Jim Freeman, *Iowa*, end; Steve Delatorre, *Florida*, center; Charles Kubes, *Minnesota*, tackle; Wayland Roberts, *Arkansas*, guard.

AT LEFT: Carleton Schelhorn, *Virginia*, tackle.

AT RIGHT: Charles Martucci, *California*, guard.



second team; the U.P. and *Sporting News* All-American third team; *Collier's*, A.P. and U.P. All-Coast teams. He tallied 66 points for the Bruins and rushed almost 600 yards. Coach Red Sanders says, "Davenport is the greatest fullback I have ever coached."

Bob Pascal, flashy Duke halfback, was a unanimous Atlantic Coast Conference back and an A.P. All-American third team choice. He was the Blue Devils' leading ground gainer with almost 600 yards and ranked third in the Conference. He scored a touchdown against Tennessee and Army, two against North Carolina State, and three in the season's final contest against North Carolina.

The only backfield Senior is Dick Goist, Cincinnati co-captain and, with Davenport, an All-Phi repeater from last year. He was an All-Mid American Conference defensive back as a Sophomore and a Conference honorary choice as a Junior and Senior. Goist, who was named on the All-Opponent team of Wichita University, has been named a member of the East Squad for the Shrine East-West game in San Francisco on New Year's Day.

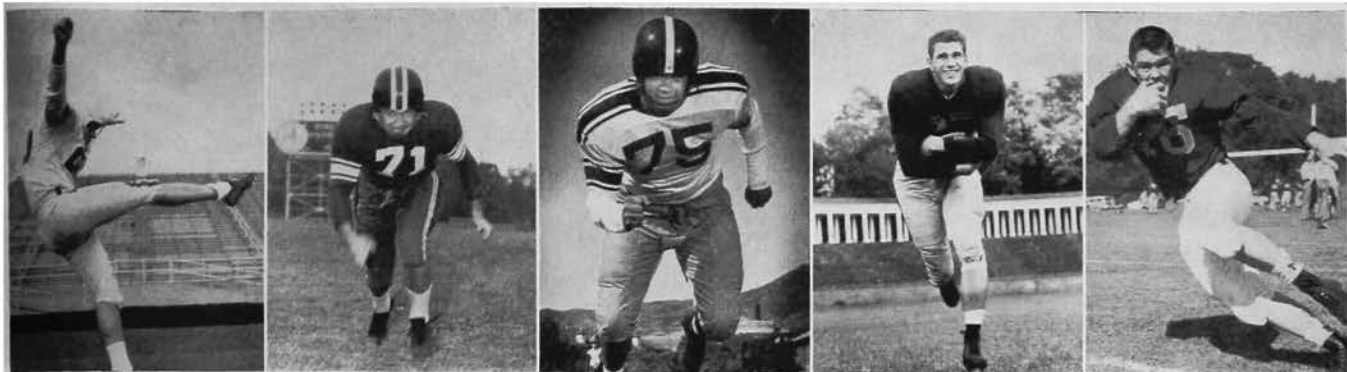
At quarterback is Wade Mitchell, a Georgia Tech Sophomore. He has been called Tech's greatest signal-caller since Bobby Dodds. In the season's opener he threw the winning touchdown pass in the last three minutes to whip S.M.U. and in the final contest he pitched a 19-yard aerial TD to win 7-3 over Georgia. He wrecked the Tennessee defense in the fourth quarter with two brilliant breakaway touchdown runs,

one for 28 yards when he was trapped while back to pass and the other for 36 yards on an intercepted pass. Wade is a conversion expert and defensive standout.

The Line: Both wingmen tallied 33 ballot points. Frank McDonald, Miami (Fla.) was an All-American selection by both the Associated Press and *Look* magazine. He established a new University record of 68 passes received for 825 yards during his three years of varsity play. Jim Freeman, 230-pound Iowa Junior, won the other end post. He was a standout in the 13-7 win over Wisconsin, catching a pass on the 8 yard line and later converting after the score. He kicked both extra points in the 14-10 upset of Michigan State and all three conversions in the 27-14 Indiana victory.

A pair of Seniors earned the tackle berths. Carleton Schelhorn was the star of every Virginia game and went the full 60 minutes in the 20-21 loss to Army at West Point. He rated Honorable Mention on the A.P. and U.P. Atlantic Coast Conference teams. Charles Kubes was a stalwart on the improved Minnesota eleven. He was terrific in the 22-20 win over Iowa. Kubes rated A.P. and U.P. Honorable Mention on the All-Big Ten teams. Both Kubes and his Phi team-mate, Jim Soltau, have been named to play in the Shrine North-South game in Miami, Florida.

The East and West divided honors at the guards. Wayland Roberts, Arkansas Junior, was a brilliant performer throughout the Razorback's great season. He made the I.N.S. All-



All-Phi Second Team

ABOVE, LEFT TO RIGHT: Don Bailey, *Penn State*, quarterback; Jim Nelson, *Duke*, guard; Don Henderson, *Utah*, tackle; Henry Strempek, *Virginia*, halfback; Ed Shannon, *Michigan*, halfback.

AT LEFT: John O'Brien, *Brown*, tackle.

AT RIGHT: John DeKleva, *Colorado A & M*, guard.



Southwest Conference team and was a standout in the Cotton Bowl classic. Charles Martucci, California Senior, started every game except the opening contest against Oklahoma. He scored A.P., U.P. and Chicago *Tribune* Honorable Mention All-Coast, and was similarly honored by P.C.C. coaches.*

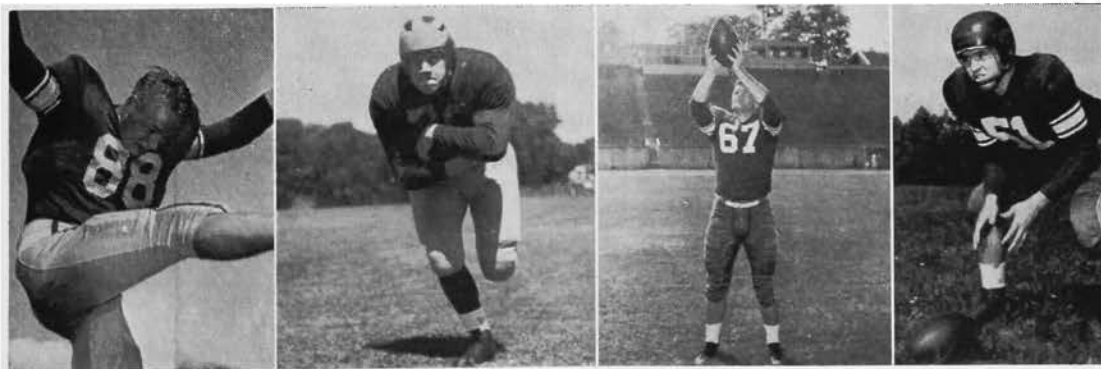
Florida University placed its first All-Phi performer in history with 220-pound Steve Delatorre at center. He was terrific in the Mississippi State game when he made 27 tackles of which 12 were unassisted. Steve received A.P., U.P., and Chicago *Tribune* Honorable Mention All-South.

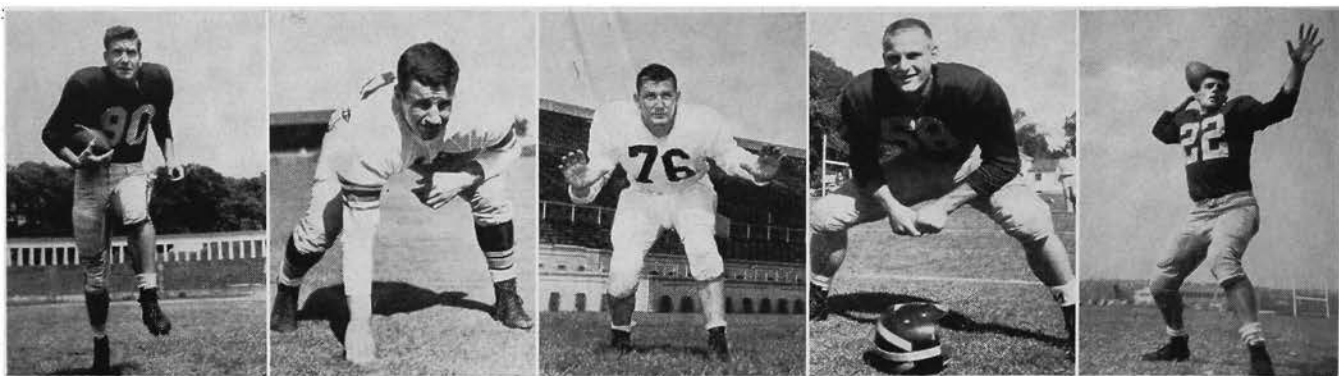
The Second Team: Standouts on the All-Phi second team are Don Henderson, Utah tackle who rated the A.P. All-Skyline Conference second team; Don Bailey, Penn State quarterback,

who was selected to play in the Shrine East-West contest; and Fred Baer, Michigan fullback, who was honored as the Wolverines' "Most Valuable Player" and chosen to play in the Blue-Gray game. At one halfback is Henry Strempek, Virginia captain, a starter in every Cavalier game during the past two seasons. He personally almost upset Army as he grabbed an Army fumble in mid-air to score and later ran 53 yards to the 3 yard line to set up another touchdown in the 20-21 loss.

An unusual situation of Phi football strength at Duke is displayed by the Blue Devils' placing three men on the second team. They are James Nelson, a rugged guard and conversion record-holder for the Atlantic Coast Conference; steady John Palmer at center, and a promising Junior end, Jerry Kocourek.

BELOW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jim Soltau, *Minnesota*, end; Fred Baer, *Michigan*, fullback; Jerry Kocourek, *Duke*, end; John Palmer, *Duke*, center.





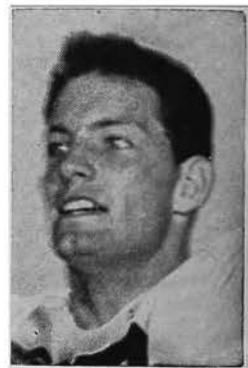
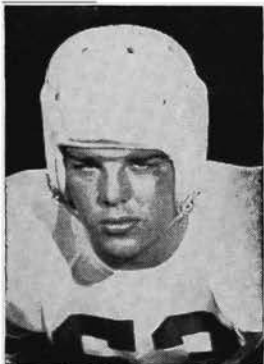
All-Phi Third Team Stars

ABOVE, LEFT TO RIGHT: Ray Quillen, *Virginia*, end; Lon Stiner, Jr., *Oregon*, tackle; Neil Lowry, *Kentucky*, guard; Jim Bates, *Michigan*, center; Bobby Cox, *Washington*, quarterback.

AT LEFT: Tom Miller, *Colgate*, guard.

AT RIGHT: Ed Bernet, *S.M.U.*, end.

THE SCROLL regrets that pictures of Charles Horton, *Vanderbilt*, and Ernest Bass, *Duke*, both halfbacks on the third team, were not received.



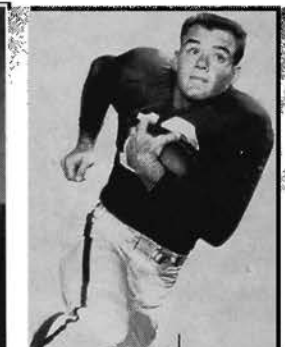
Phi Sophomore strength is displayed by Ed Shannon, Michigan halfback, who was a stand-out in the victories over Northwestern and Michigan State. The other second team berths are held by James Soltau, Minnesota's fine Senior end; John DeKleva, clever Colorado A&M Junior guard; and reliable John O'Brien, Brown tackle.

The Third Team: In an ordinary year the All-Phi third team backfield might be moved to top honors and be considered terrific. The future holds high hopes for Sophomore Bobby Cox, Washington's de luxe passer, who picked up 809 yards passing. He went the entire 60 minutes in his first collegiate contest, almost leading the Huskies to a king-size upset in pitching three TDs against U.C.L.A. only to lose a squeaker, 21-20. Cox made the U.P. and *Chicago Tribune* All-Coast second team. Still another Sophomore

is Ernest Bass from Duke's Phi-filled team. He started every contest and starred in the 26-7 North Carolina win with two touchdowns and passing for a third. At the other halfback is Charlie Horton, Vanderbilt Junior, who was named on the I.N.S. All-South second team. To point up the backfield competition in 1954, Vin Jazwinski, Brown fullback and an All-Ivy League selection, rated only the third team behind Davenport and Baer.

The center of the third team line is comprised of Seniors. It is anchored by James Bates, Michigan center, and flanked by guards Neil Lowry, Kentucky, and Tom Miller of Colgate. Lowry, with Jerry Johnson, Texas Tech quarterback, will don the gray in the Blue-Gray game in Montgomery. At tackles are a pair of West Coast lower-classmen, Paul Wiggins (Stanford), a terrific Junior College transfer, and Lon

BELOW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Paul Wiggins, *Stanford*, tackle; Vincent Jazwinski, *Brown*, fullback; Pete Kohut, *Brown*, quarterback (honorable mention); Jerry Johnson, *Texas Tech*, quarterback (honorable mention).



All-Phi Second Team

James Soltau, <i>Minnesota</i> (21) Sr.	E
Don Henderson, <i>Utah</i> (22) Sr.	T
James Nelson, <i>Duke</i> (25) Jr.	G
*John Palmer, <i>Duke</i> (15) Sr.	C
John DeKleva, <i>Colorado A&M</i> (19) Jr.	G
John O'Brien, <i>Brown</i> (21) Sr.	T
Jerry Kocourek, <i>Duke</i> (16) Jr.	E
Don Bailey, <i>Penn State</i> (11) Sr.	QB
Henry Strempek, <i>Virginia</i> (24) Sr.	HB
Ed Shannon, <i>Michigan</i> (19) Soph.	HB
Fred Baer, <i>Michigan</i> (12) Sr.	FB

* All-Phi prior to 1954.

All-Phi Third Team

*Ed Bernet, <i>S.M.U.</i> (7) Sr.
Lon Stiner, Jr., <i>Oregon</i> (17) Soph.
Neil Lowry, <i>Kentucky</i> (12) Sr.
James Bates, <i>Michigan</i> (13) Sr.
*Tom Miller, <i>Colgate</i> (7) Sr.
Paul Wiggins, <i>Stanford</i> (5) Jr.
Ray Quillen, <i>Virginia</i> (10) Sr.
Bobby Cox, <i>Washington</i> (8) Soph.
Chas. Horton, <i>Vanderbilt</i> (12) Jr.
Ernest Bass, <i>Duke</i> (8) Soph.
Vin Jazwinski, <i>Brown</i> (8) Sr.

Other Phi Players Mentioned in the Balloting

ENDS: Bill Giles, *Nebraska* (3); Phi McHugh, *Oregon* (2); Wes Ediger, *Oregon State* (2); Tony Aloisio, *Indiana*; Terry Fails, *Vanderbilt*; Don Martin, *Kansas*. TACKLES: Ralph London, *Butler* (2); Nick Cossman, *Washburn* (2); Ralph Baierl, *Maryland*; Rces Phenix, *Georgia Tech*. GUARDS: Jerry Jacobs, *Florida State* (1); Don Pfitzenreuter, *Kansas* (1); Ray Willoch, *Georgia Tech* (1); * Keith Horn, *Penn State* (5). CENTERS: Dwayne West, *Texas Tech* (2); Jerry Goebel, *Michigan* and Russ Hedden, *Lafayette*. QUARTERBACKS: Jerry Johnson, *Texas Tech* (4); Pete Kohut, *Brown* (3); Dave Dungan, *Utah* (3); Tony Scardino, *Missouri* (3); Ray Westfall, *Oregon State*; Harry Massey, *Florida State*. HALFBACKS: Bruce Alexander, *Iowa State* (2); Jack Peterson, *Oregon State* (1); Dick Moloney, *Kentucky* (1); Charles Rolfe, *Vanderbilt* (1); Ed Sutton, *North Carolina* (1); Jim Head, *Iowa* (1); Ron Brown, *Southern California*; Ed Bass, *Florida*; Bob Lebegood, *Pennsylvania*. FULLBACKS: John Baumgartner, *Minnesota* (4); Worth Lutz, *Duke* (3); Stan Chaplin, *Pennsylvania* (1).

The All-Phi Football Teams of the Future

Due to an unusual and outstanding group of future Phi grid performers, THE SCROLL is presenting for the first time an All-Phiikeia squad and an All-Sophomore squad.

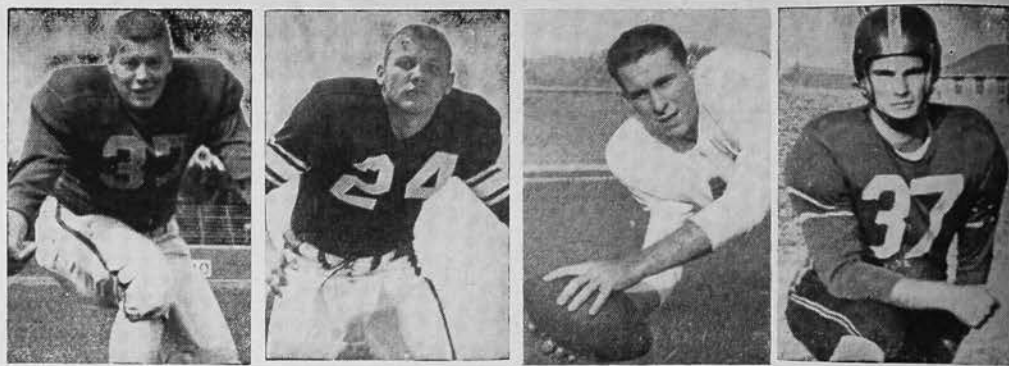
1954 ALL-PHIKEIA SQUAD

ENDS: Ray Brown, *Florida*; Gary Francis, *Illinois*; Will Ffye, *North Carolina*; Ted Souter, *Arkansas*. TACKLES: Jesse Birchfield, *Duke*; Bob Riggert, *Oregon State*; Fred Wilmoth, *Illinois*. GUARDS: Francis Fannon, *Virginia*; Russell Giganti, *Miami*; James Smith, *Brown*. CENTERS: Jack Peterson, *Franklin*; Frank Solma, *Colgate*. BACKS: John Bayuk, *Colorado*; Bill Gabbert, *Wabash*; Don Luttrell, *Washburn*; Gary Lutz, *Iowa State*; Wayne Kurlak, *S. Calif.*; Jim Maddock, *Michigan*; Bill Mitchell, *Kentucky*; Larry McMullen, *North Carolina*; George Sullivan, *Whitman*; Roger Thomas, *Ohio*; Preston Carpenter, *Arkansas*.

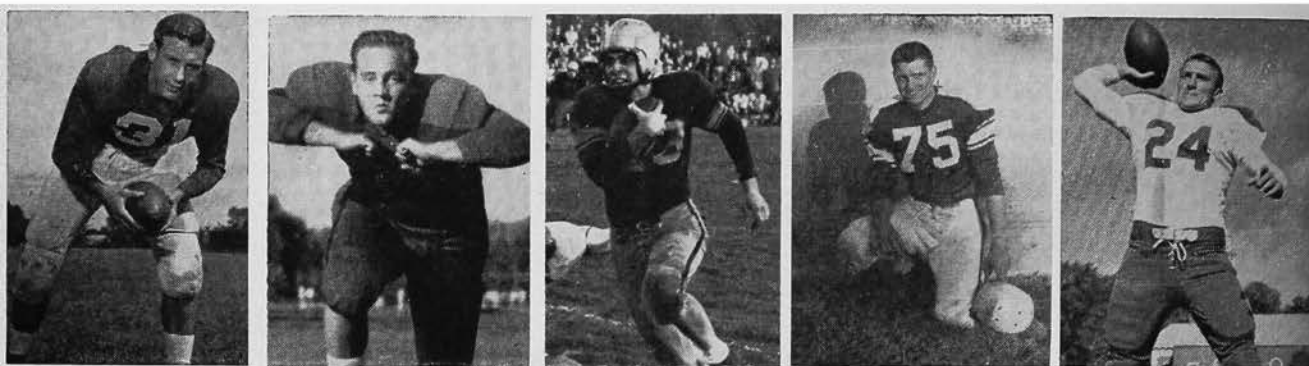
1954 ALL-SOPHOMORE SQUAD

ENDS: Tony Aloisio, *Indiana*; Phi McCallister, *Willamette*; Phi McHugh, *Oregon*. TACKLES: Paul Harasmowicz, *Vermont*; Tom Lee, *Davidson*; Lon Stiner, Jr., *Oregon*. GUARDS: Dan Cox, *Duke*; Robert Hummel, *Iowa Wesleyan*; Lyle Llewellyn, *Davidson*. CENTERS: Frank Black, *Kansas*; Gerry Goebel, *Michigan*. BACKS: Ernest Bass, *Duke*; Bobby Cox, *Washington*; Harry Massey, *Florida State*; Noland Masters, *Butler*; Wade Mitchell, *Georgia Tech*; Dick Rine, *Lawrence*; Charles Rolfe, *Vanderbilt*; Ed Shannon, *Michigan*; Ed Sutton, *North Carolina*; Ray Westfall, *Oregon State*.

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**Nine Little
 All-Phi Stars,
 Repeaters
 from 1953**
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Overby, *Lawrence*; Jacobs, *Florida State*; Ryan, *North Dakota*; Cossman, *Washburn*.



Burst, *Washington (St. Louis)*; London, *Butler*; Walker, *Whitman*; Hester, *Iowa Wesleyan*; Grayam, *Wabash*.

★ **Little All-Phi Football Roster—1954** ★

Ends

*Wendell Hester, *Iowa Wesleyan*—Sr.—200
 Jerry Spacek, *Lafayette*—Sr.—205
 John Verdon, *Akron*—Sr.—200
 Don Augustin, *North Dakota*—Jr.—200
 Mischa Rader, *Lake Forest*—Jr.—210

Tackles

*Nick Cossman, *Washburn*—Sr.—220
 *Ralph London, *Butler*—Sr.—220
 *Jim Overby, *Lawrence*—Sr.—220
 *Dave Anderson, *Willamette*—Jr.—205
 Paul Harasimowicz, *Vermont*—Soph.—240

Guards

*Jerry Jacobs, *Fla. State*—Jr.—200
 Bob Meyer, *Lawrence*—Jr.—235
 Pete Hosutt, *Knox*—Sr.—200
 Barkey Boole, *Colby*—Jr.—190
 Jerry Ritter, *Ohio Wes.*—Jr.—185

Centers

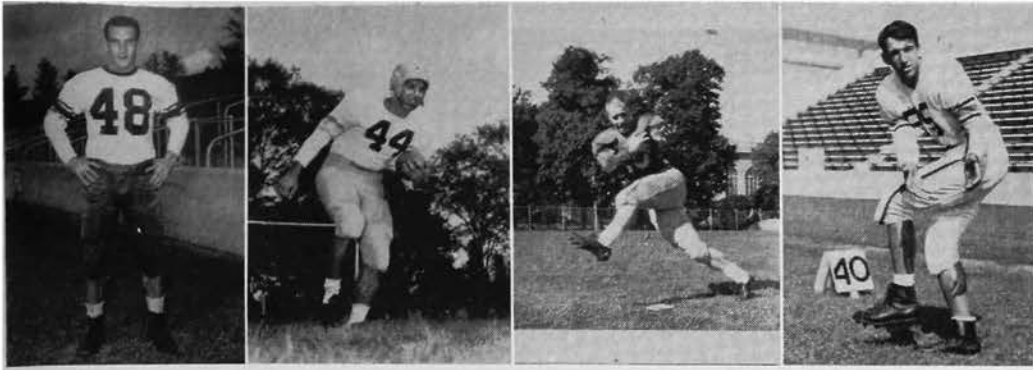
*Ron Seibert, *Wabash*—Jr.—210
 Russ Hedden, *Lafayette*—Sr.—205
 Vern Conrad, *Whitman*—Jr.—190

Backs

*Jim Burst, *Wash. (St. L.)*—Sr.—175
 *Earle Walker, *Whitman*—Sr.—185
 *Vaino Grayam, *Wabash*—Sr.—175
 John Gundlach, *Lawrence*—Jr.—170
 Carl Hoehn, *Knox*—Jr.—208
 John Ladd, *Bowling Green*—Sr.—190
 Nolan Masters, *Butler*—Soph.—185
 Harry Massey, *Fla. State*—Soph.—185
 James Magee, *Gettysburg*—Sr.—160
 Ed Memer, *Vermont*—Sr.—180
 *Dick Ryan, *North Dakota*—Sr.—170
 Jack Short, *Ohio Wes.*—Sr.—170
 Harley Smith, *Davidson*—Jr.—175

HONORABLE MENTION—LINEMEN: Martin Keipp, *Bowling Green*; George Samuelson, *Montana*; Joe Guerra, *Union*; Powell Gillenwater, *Centre*; Dan Cox, *Hanover*; John Clay, *Lawrence*; Doug Horst, *Lafayette*; Dave Basinger, *Ohio Wesleyan*; Tom Newton, *Davidson*; William Saladino and Ralph Cuccuro, *Colby*; Jack Fitzgerald, *Wabash*; Bob Dyer, *Willamette*; Dick Drake, *New Mexico*; Gordon McCracken, *Franklin*.
BACKS: Charles Garwood, *Dickinson*; Frank Casey, *Knox*; *Bill Bradshaw, *Bowling Green*; Jerry Hurst, *Lake Forest*; John Slotter, *Lafayette*; Don Kimmelman, *Allegheny*; Gene Scott and H. G. Reed, *Centre*; James Knight, *Franklin*; Dick Merriman, *Colby*; Dick Rine, Mert Trumbower, *Lawrence*; George Wodarzak, *Union*.

* Little All-Phi prior to 1954.



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More Little
All-Phi
Gridders
of 1954
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Masters, *Butler*; Nemer, *Vermont*; Gundlach, *Lawrence*; Ladd, *Bowling Green*.



Hedden, *Lafayette*; Ritter, *Ohio Wesleyan*; Rader, *Lake Forest*; Short, *Ohio Wesleyan*; Meyer, *Lawrence*.

Stiner, Jr., Oregon Sophomore standout, who won honorable mention on the All-Coast team selected by the coaches. The ends are Seniors Ed Berner, S.M.U. conversion specialist and Ray Quillen of Virginia.

Future Outlook Is Good: It is interesting to note the Phi team strength this year. On the top three teams Duke placed five players, Virginia and Michigan landed three each. Strength and quality for next year is assured with only one backfield Senior on the first team and four backs and a Sophomore-Junior status on the 1954 second and third teams. Phikeia backfield potential is reflected in John Bayuk, Colorado, the Big Seven Conference rushing leader with 824 yards; Jim Maddock, Michigan's regular quarterback, a Soph, and Bill Mitchell, Kentucky flash.

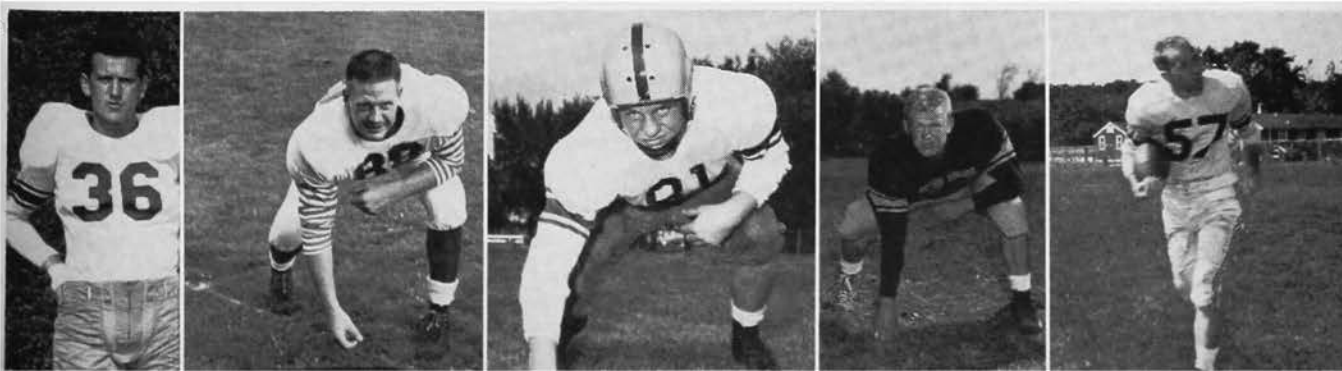
The Little All-Phi Team

Tackles Are Tops: The 1954 Little All-Phi football team is highlighted by the finest array

of small college tackles in the Fraternity's history. Ralph London (Butler), is a three time Little All-Phi tackle as well as a choice on the All-Indiana Conference team for the third straight year. Nick Cossman, Washburn's co-captain was named on the A.P., U.P. and Topeka *Daily Capital's* All-Central Conference team. Jim Overby, Lawrence's "Most Valuable Player," and Dave Anderson, Willamette, were named to the All-Midwest and All-Northwest Conference teams, respectively. This great quartet are repeaters from last year and they are hefty, with Anderson being the lightest at 205 while London, Cossman and Overby register 220. The lone newcomer at a tackle berth is the outstanding 240-pound Vermont Sophomore, Paul Harasimowicz.

A trio of fine centers is paced by Russ Hedden, 205-pound Lafayette captain, rated the East's best small college center. A holdover is Ron Seibert, steady 210-pound Wabash College Junior. Vern Conrad, Whitman tackle and

Spacek, *Lafayette*; Anderson, *Willamette*; Hosutt, *Knox*; Conrad, *Whitman*; Magee, *Gettysburg*.



And Now . . .

ALL-PHI BASKETBALL

Send Recommendations Now

PREVIEW: *Arkansas*—Sr. forward 6-4 **Norman Smith**. . . . *Missouri*—Sr. forward **Ned Parks** and Soph. **Gary Rust**. . . . *Cincinnati*—Phil **Wheeler**, 6-4 Jr., forward. . . . *Colgate*—co-captain **Frank Patterson**, forward. . . . *Iowa State*—Sr. 6-4 forward **Don DeKoster**. . . . *Kansas*—Soph. starting forward **Gene Elstun**; also, **Hurst**, **Hollinger**, **Wenger** and **Jett**. . . . *Michigan*—Key man is **Jim Barron**, guard who let the team in scoring last year with a 17.1 average; also **Tom Jorgensen, Jr.** forward. . . . *Mississippi*—regular forward 6-5 **Johnny Palmer**. . . . *Montana*—6-5 center **George Samuelson**. . . . *Oregon State*—Regular forward 6-6 **Tex Whiteman**. . . . *Purdue*—The team is led by 5-10 guard **Dennis Blind**; also **Ted Dunn**, 6-5 Sr. forward. . . . *Texas Tech*—**Carl Ince**, 5-10, sharp shooting All-Border Conference guard. . . . *S.M.U.*—Second team All-Southwest Conference forward **Art Barnes**. . . . *Vanderbilt*—6-7 junior center **Charles Harrison** who averaged 7 points per game last year as a Sophomore. . . . *Washington*—**Dean Parsons**, 6-7, Sr. All-No. Division pivot man; third in division scoring and second in rebounding, also, **Jerry Johnson**, a regular guard, and **Gary Nelson**, 7-1 center, who averaged 19.3 for the frosh last year. . . . *Wyoming*—**Bill Lange**, 6-5 center, and **Bob MacDonald**, regular guard. . . . *Washington State*—**Allen Perry** and **Robert Morgan**, regular guards. . . . *Mercer*—**Capt. Tommy Mixon**. . . . *Washington (St. Louis)*—**Bill Gullion** and **Bob Riley**.

All chapter reporters, interested alumni, and undergraduates **MUST** report Phi basketball names to Secretary (Dr. John Davis, Jr., 603 Kansas Avenue, Topeka, Kansas) before February 5 to be considered by the All-Phi Board. There can be **NO EXCEPTIONS** to this policy as ballots must be mailed, returned, and tabulated. These results are forwarded, pictures secured and stories prepared for the March SCROLL.

co-captain for 1955, who was named on the All-Northwest Conference second team, completes the trio. With an abundance of tackles, Conrad was shifted to strengthen our line-up.

The guards are headed by Senior Pete Hosutt, Knox co-captain. The other positions were copped by a fancy quartet of Juniors: Bob Meyer, 235-pound Lawrence co-captain for

1955; Jerry Ritter from the splendid Ohio Wesleyan team; repeater Jerry Jacobs from Florida State's upset club, and Barkey Boole, Colby's top lineman.

The quintet of honorary wingmen all exceeds 200 pounds. They are holdover Wendell Hester (Iowa Wesleyan), an All-Iowa Conference end for the second straight year; Jerry Spacek, Lafayette; Mischa Rader, Lake Forest's defensive star; Don Augustine, North Dakota's offensive flash, and Akron's John Verdon, who caught 30 passes for 468 yards and was given Honorable Mention on the A.P. All-Midwest team.

The Backfield: The 1954 honorary backfield is paced by a trio of '53 holdovers. They are Vaino Grayam, the dynamic Wabash field general; Richard Ryan, North Dakota captain, an All-North Central Conference selection for the past three years; and Earl Walker, Whitman, an All-Northwest Conference choice the last two seasons. Grayam was terrific in the 17-0 Homecoming win over Sewanee, completing six of eleven passes for two touchdowns, kicking a 15-yard field goal and a pair of conversions. Ryan was the Conference's leading scorer and ranked among the top fifteen in small college rushing, highlighted by a 360-yard output in the 27-21 win over South Dakota. Ryan was named N.A.I.B. Little All-American. Walker was the leading rusher in his conference with 592 yards, accounting for seven touchdowns. He was selected on the U.P. Little All-Coast third team.

A pair of exceptional Senior halfbacks are Ed Nemer, Vermont captain who rolled up almost 600 yards and four touchdowns, and James Magee, diminutive Gettysburg star who was named the Eastern Intercollegiate Football's "Back of the Week" on October 9 when he scored twice in the 33-0 win over Franklin and Marshall. Magee rushed almost 400 yards and tallied five TDs.

Another ace quarterback is Florida State's Sun Bowl Sophomore star, Harry Massey, who pitched both touchdown passes in the 13-7 upset win over heavily favored North Carolina State. Massey had another field day, completing 15 of 22 passes against Furman. A second Sophomore on the honorary squad is Butler halfback Nolan Masters, a four year Air Force veteran who rolled up 482 yards and scored four touchdowns.

Harley Smith, Davidson Junior, was named Southern Conference "Back of the Week" on September 29 as he scored two touchdowns in

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DR. J. F. GATES CLARKE, Washington State '27, a government entomologist, studies in his office at the United States National Museum one of the insects he collected on a trip to Kusaie, a small volcanic island in the Pacific.



The Baltimore Sun

60,000 Bugs and a Man

On a Little Pacific Island a Noted Phi Scientist Made Collection That Large

THE following story about DR. J. F. GATES CLARKE, Washington State '27, appeared in the magazine section of the Baltimore Sun for September 26. Our thanks to Elden R. Abbott, Washington Gamma Reporter, for calling it to our attention, and to Mr. Harold A. Williams, Sunday Editor of The Sun, for permission to reprint it. The article was written by Mr. Frank Woodfield of the Sun staff. Incidentally, Brother Clarke's son, J. F. Gates Clarke, Jr., is also a Washington State Phi and will be receiving a degree in chemistry from his father's Alma Mater this year.—ED.

GREAT spiders which are able to walk on water, small crickets which dive into streams and swim away below the surface when pursued, and "walking sticks" twice as big as our Maryland variety were among the unusual insects found by Dr. J. F. Gates Clarke, Washington State '27, on a recent one-man expedition to Kusaie. This is the easternmost of the Caroline Islands, tiny volcanic-coral spots in the Pacific.

Dr. Clarke, who has been interested in "bugs" ever since he was a boy of 6 or 7 in Washington State, went to Kusaie to make a survey of the insects to be found on its 43 square miles. He brought back nearly 60,000 specimens representing nearly 800 species—about half of all the species there, he believes.

Now a resident of Glenridge, a section of Hyattsville, Dr. Clarke is a Department of Agriculture entomologist. He went to Kusaie under the sponsorship of the Office of Naval Research and the Pacific Science Board of the National Academy of Sciences-National Research Council, and with the co-operation of the administration of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Dr. Clarke found innumerable types of small moths on the island, many varieties of beetles, and numerous kinds of flies, but he did not discover one insect which could be classified as a truly noxious one or a serious threat to man or animal.

Among the most interesting to him were the unusually large blue-green walking sticks, all of which are winged. These have a peculiar "hand-

over-hand" way of walking among the pinelike pandanus trees, where they eat great quantities of foliage. They reach a length of 7 inches, with legs 2 inches long.

Both the spiders—about 4 inches long—and the "submarine crickets," were found along jungle streams. The spiders lurk in the high grasses and when alarmed drop onto the water and run swiftly over it. This is possible, Dr. Clarke explains, because they have "water shoes"—growths of bristles—which do not sink into the streams.

The entomologist had difficulty in seeing the inch-long crickets which live on basalt rocks along the sides of the waterways, because they are almost invisible in the dim jungle light. Their presence is indicated, however, by their practically constant chirping.

One species which Dr. Clarke brought back with him he remembers "with a vengeance"—ants which bit him frequently when he climbed some of the 1,500 to 2,000-foot mountain peaks to set his insect traps. It was necessary to hack a path "every foot of the way" with machetes, and the final 300 feet of the ascent had to be made by practically crawling.

Dr. Clarke relates: "Because of the slippery underfooting—muddy volcanic ash—we had to cling to the vegetation, and this was made difficult and most uncomfortable by the fact that a small red ant in these regions climbs on one's hands and bites.

"I brought back some of these but so far have not identified them. But you may be sure I remember them with great distaste."

Traps with lights in them were put atop the jungle peaks. These were operated for 51 nights and were more successful than the other collect-

ing methods used—sweeping vegetation with nets and collecting over dead marine animals on the beaches.

Insects were also collected in three caves. One of the caves presented Dr. Clarke with a problem which neither he nor any of his colleagues has been able to solve.

This cave was nearly knee deep at several points in debris which resembled coffee grounds. Under the microscope the substance proved to be the shell-like remains of countless varieties of insects.

The question is: How did these billions of insect "shells" get into the cave. The answer, which at first seemed "obvious," was that they were taken in by birds, but the absence of guano in the heaps seemed to discount that theory.

Dr. Clarke brought back a peck or two of these insect remains which he is studying.

The entomologist found the Kusaie natives hospitable, intelligent and interesting.

"They are believed to have been descended originally from the Chinese of Hanoi," he relates. "Despite the fact they were under Spanish domination until 1898; then under German rule until the end of the first World War; then were under the Japanese until the end of World War II, and now are under United States trusteeship, they still have their own language quite different from those of neighboring isles.

"There are about 2,000 on the island—one of the most isolated parts of the world.

"With their admixtures of European and American blood, and more than a century of Christianity, they are not as picturesque as the natives of some other places, but they are a grand people, and I was sorry to tell them goodbye."

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To Hold Second Officers' Conference in Summer

An Officers' Conference, similar to the one conducted in August, 1953, will be held again this summer. This decision was reached by the General Council at its most recent meeting in Chicago, November 28. Details of the program will be worked out at the next meeting of the General Council, but it was decided that all General Officers of the Fraternity will be invited to attend. This was a highly successful meeting in 1953 and it is hoped that all officers will arrange their schedules to permit attendance. Although not definitely set, the Conference will probably be in August.



ABOUT THE BUSINESS OF HIS BELOVED FRATERNITY

The late Barrett Herrick (left) with 1950-52 General Council at meeting in Alumni Room at Memorial Headquarters Building in Oxford, which he did so much to raise through his work as chairman of Ways and Means committee. With him, left to right, are J. H. Wilterding, Secretary Paul Beam, George Housser, George S. Ward, and Frank S. Wright. Brother Herrick died suddenly the evening of October 29.

Barrett Herrick . . . Life-Loyal Phi

By JOHN H. WILTERDING, *Lawrence '23, P.G.C.*

SO this morning, even though it rains outside, I am in a sky-blue-pink haze of happiness. . . ."

So wrote Barrett Herrick to Paul Beam on October 29, telling Paul of the testimonial dinner staged for him the night before by the Phis of the New York Alumni Club. It was his last $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ letter for later during the evening of the same day he had passed to the Chapter Grand. He was in his sixtieth year.

Thus ended, on a happy note, more than forty years of devoted loyalty and happy service to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on the part of one whose love for his Fraternity was known and recognized by Phis across the world.

Barrett Herrick signed the Bond at Washington Alpha on June 12, 1912, at Number 142. During the rest of the days of his life he never ceased to sing the praises of "Wash. Alpha," the University of Washington, and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. And never once did he decline to take a job of work for any of these three great interests of his life. His work and influence for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ extended into many spheres of action, in most of the chapters, in all

sections of the country, and was felt by countless numbers of Phis, young and old.

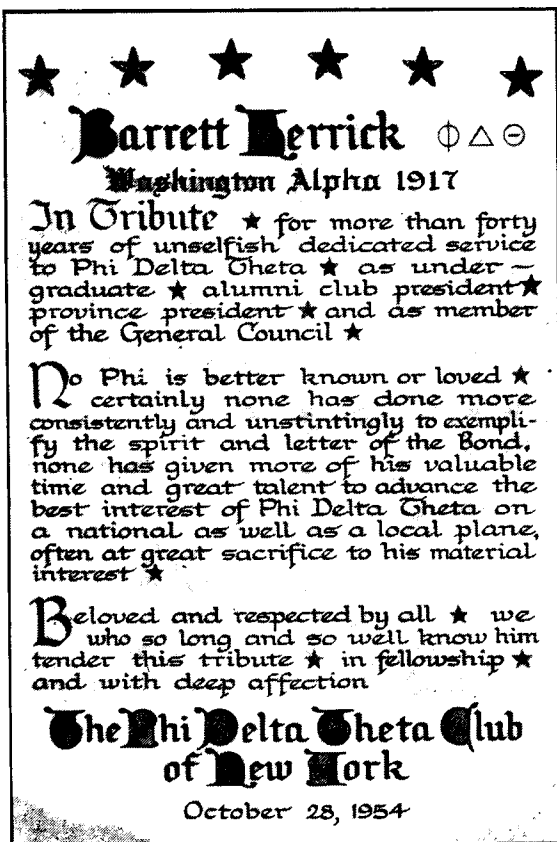
As a Senior in Washington Alpha, Brother Herrick participated in the installation of Washington Beta at Whitman, the first of many such occasions in which he was later to play a leading part as a member of the General Council, and which were especially pleasing to him for he was always an ardent expansionist.

Shortly after graduation he went into the Army and served through World War I with distinction, emerging a captain and with the lifelong friendship of General James Van Fleet, under whom he served out the entire war, and who was present at the burial services in Arlington Cemetery. Barrett always loved to tell of his military experiences, and his pride in his old outfit—the 16th Machine Gun Battalion, Sixth Infantry Division—was second only to his pride in being a Phi.

Returning from the war, Barrett became President of old Kappa Province, which covered chapters in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, and Utah, serving from 1919 until 1921.



BARRETT HERRICK
Washington '15



TESTIMONIAL

Beautifully engrossed tribute presented to Barrett Herrick by New York Alumni Club at dinner in his honor the night before he died.

In that year Barrett moved to New York and joined the firm of Dillon, Reed & Company where he received the training and experience which was to make him so well fitted to head his own investment banking firm later.

As he started his career in New York, so also did he take up his work for ΦΔΘ. He immediately became active in the New York Alumni Club and through the years he was among the faithful few who kept the wheels turning, attracting many other Phis to service for the Fraternity.

Always a mainstay of the New York Alumni Club, his interest in that group was interrupted even though he soon branched out to broader fields of activity for ΦΔΘ. He became Alumni Commissioner, President of Beta Province, Chairman of Ways and Means for the Centennial, toiling night and day at the job of raising funds for the beautiful General Headquarters Building at Oxford. In 1946 came election

to the General Council, with re-election in 1948, 1950, and 1952.

In his eight years of service on the General Council Barrett took many important assignments. As the head of Barrett Herrick & Company, he travelled to all parts of the country from New York and rarely did he take a business trip that there wasn't some chore to perform for the Fraternity also. During these eight years he was not absent from a single official meeting of the G.C. and in all the deliberations of the Council his was the voice of enthusiasm and optimism and faith.

One of his favorite ΦΔΘ songs was "Eternal Praise," and at times of especially great problems or strain, he was wont to sing, "... To Sword and Shield we'll loyal be, in defeat or victory. . . ." And these were the last words the writer heard him utter, upon our parting at the close of the Convention on Mackinac Island in September. They will ever remain in my mind as a lasting memory of a devoted friend and a consecrated colleague, for they sum up so eloquently Barrett's undying love for ΦΔΘ.

The testimonial dinner held in New York on October 28, was attended by fifty Phis, all gathered especially to do honor to the man who had meant so much to the New York Alumni Club and to ΦΔΘ. It was his last public appearance. John B. Ballou and Henry K. Urion, P.P.G.C.s and long-time co-workers were there. Brother Charles Berry, the American League umpire, gave the principal address, and Brother Fred Chapman, Vice-President of Barrett Herrick & Company, spoke of Barrett's professional career and of his years of close association with him. Then Brother Fenimore Owen (happily, a Washington Alpha Phi) presented Barrett with a beautifully engrossed testimonial plaque which is reproduced on these pages.

Next morning he wrote Paul Beam to express his joy. And that evening at the home of a friend he was seized by a cerebral hemorrhage which took his life. Mrs. Herrick was in Kansas City attending her mother, who was ill.

So passed a kind, devoted soul away. Services were held in New York, and burial was in Arlington National Cemetery, with full military honors, attended by many Phis.

The undying gratitude of ΦΔΘ will always be Charles Barrett Herrick's due. To his widow, the former Jewell Wilson, and to his son by a previous marriage, Kimball H. Herrick, *Pennsylvania '43*, go the sincere sympathy of the hundreds of his brothers who knew him and loved him.

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GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

LEFT: HOWARD L. STUART, *Penn State '18*, Member-at-Large of the General Council, presents Golden Legion certificates to two Pennsylvania Theta charter members, ROBERT G. LOSE '05 (left) and JOHN C. COSGROVE '07, as highlight of Anniversary Banquet. RIGHT: JUDGE WILLIAM R. BAYES, P.P.G.C., *Ohio Wesleyan '01*, giving principal speech of evening. Dr. Milton Eisenhower, President of Penn State, also addressed the gathering.

Pennsylvania Theta Marks 50th Year

By DON M. CRESSWELL, *Penn State '18*

CELEBRATION of the 50th anniversary of the granting of a Phi Delta Theta charter to the Pennsylvania Theta chapter at Pennsylvania State University was by far the biggest event ever held for chapter alumni.

A grand total of 185 alumni members of the chapter returned for the Golden Anniversary observance on October 15, 16 and 17. Of these, 135 braved the October 15 Hurricane Hazel that swept through Eastern and Central Pennsylvania and attended the banquet on Friday night.

Pennsylvania Theta's charter was granted by the General Council on May 10, 1904, and every class except four graduated since that year was represented at the combined anniversary and homecoming reunion. Including active chapter members and guests, 240 participated in a buffet luncheon at the chapter house on Saturday, October 16, and 270 had dinner that night. They came from Maine to California, Texas and all sections of the country. Needless to say, it was the greatest Homecoming Day the chapter had ever experienced.

Highlighting the anniversary was the banquet where two charter members received certificates of membership in the Golden Legion of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

They are Robert Graham Lose '05, and John C. Cosgrove '07. Present also were Frank O.

Leitzell '07, and Robert M. Carson '06, the former having received his certificate at a previous meeting of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club, the latter from the Philadelphia Alumni Club. H. L. (Pete) Stuart, *Penn State '21*, member of the General Council, made the presentations to Brothers Cosgrove and Lose.

Of the eighteen charter members of Pennsylvania Theta, ten are living but only four were able to attend the celebration. The others were prevented from making the trip to State College by distance or illness.

A candle-lighting ceremony in honor of the six original founders of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was staged by active chapter members.

The value of good fraternities to the university was stressed at the banquet by Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower, president of the Pennsylvania State University and a member of $\Sigma\Delta E$.

Tribute to the general fraternity and to Pennsylvania Theta for scholastic achievements was paid by the principal speaker, Judge William Robert Bayes, *Ohio Wesleyan '01*, Past President of the General Council (1934-36). His topic was "One Hundred and Six Years of Phi Delta Theta." Master of ceremonies was Edwin T. Eggers, *Penn State '28*. Reports of chapter activities were given by Robert Piper '55, chap-

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Phi Delta Theta Points With Pride To . . .



"NO HANDICAP TOO BIG . . ."

Davis Duty, outstanding Phi of Arkansas Alpha, with Binney, his Seeing Eye dog.

ARKANSAS ALPHA and all of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ may well be proud of Brother Davis Duty who has proved by his magnificent record that no handicap is too big if one has the desire to be a success.

Davis was born in Rogers, Arkansas, and lived a life similar to all little boys, playing cowboys and Indians with his buddies, until a week after his fifth birthday he suffered severe, extensive hemorrhages, internal and external, as a result of scarlet fever. The sickness left him blind.

When Davis was six, his parents tried something which had not been done previously in

DAVIS DUTY, *Arkansas Alpha*

By ALBERT MILLER, Reporter

Arkansas when they enrolled him in the public schools in Rogers. Through the fifth grade he attended school in the company of a private teacher who supplemented his regular work by teaching him to read and write Braille and develop use of his hands and sense of touch.

From that time forward Davis attended school alone in Rogers and finished junior high there. At this time his family moved to Little Rock, and Davis entered the Little Rock high school where he became a member of the Key Club, A Cappella Choir, the Men's Glee Club, the National Honor Society, the Student Council, and was elected eleventh grade representative-at-large to the Student Council. During his Senior year Davis entered Fayetteville High School, from which he graduated with honors.

Following graduation from high school, he applied for admission to the Seeing Eye school in Morristown, New Jersey, in order to procure a Seeing Eye dog. He was accepted, and in July of that summer Davis went to Morristown where he spent the next month in training with his new guide dog, Binney, an 85-pound, black and tan German Shepherd female.

The following September Davis entered the University of Arkansas and began his life as a college student. He registered in the College of Arts and Sciences studying prelaw. Going through rush week, Davis was pledged by Arkansas Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. His activities as a Phi and an Arkansas student have been many and varied: Phi Eta Sigma, Omicron Delta Kappa, Collegiate Singers, A Cappella Choir, Student Senate, member of the varsity men's Glee Club, member of *Razorback* (Yearbook) staff, Student Union Committee, Associate Justice of Student Court, and Reporter of Arkansas Alpha.

Throughout all this activity, and despite the handicap of blindness, his accumulative grade point is 5.1 out of a possible 6.00!

Davis's ambitions for the future are to obtain B.S. and LL.B. degrees, and if possible to obtain a scholarship for overseas study, with the ultimate hope of getting a position in either the legal department of a large industrial concern or in the State department.

Historic Badge Acquired by Museum

By GEORGE BANTA, JR., *Wabash '14*, P.P.G.C

A RECENT acquisition of the museum at the David D. Banta Memorial Library at Oxford, Ohio, holds such a background of historic interest that it seems worth while to record it at this time. Milo W. Summers, *Lehigh '20*, has presented a badge of the $\Phi \Sigma$ League, a fraternity absorbed by $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ in the late seventies. It belonged to Brother Summer's father, Milo C. Summers, *Lombard '81*, and the library has long been interested in acquiring it because of the old badge's historic significance and colorful appearance.



$\Phi \Sigma$ BADGE.

I have had a particular interest in this badge because of my father's connection with the absorption of the $\Phi \Sigma$ League and my recollection of what he told me about it. In the 1870's $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ was in a weak and precarious condition with chapters expiring almost as fast as they could be chartered. It was at this time that the late Walter B. Palmer, *Emory '77-Vanderbilt '80*, and father concerned themselves with the expansion of the Fraternity and carried on a voluminous correspondence between themselves and with institutions and men who might assist them in their endeavor. While they did not actually meet until just prior to the Convention of 1880, they worked by mail for about three years before this occasion and divided their expansion activities, Brother Palmer confining himself to the south and father to the north of the Mason-Dixon line.

According to Palmer's *History of Phi Delta Theta*, the Fraternity was almost extinct in Illinois in 1877, having only two chapters in the state, at Monmouth and Knox. It was at this time that father undertook to revive the faltering organization in that section. To quote from Palmer's *History*:

"In the spring of 1877, he (Banta) obtained from A. W. Little, of the Knox chapter, the address of J. A. Wakefield, then a junior at Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington. Wakefield had formerly attended Lombard University, Galesburg, Ill. Little, who had met him there, gave him a good recommendation. Banta wrote to him in regard to establishing a chapter. He replied that while at Lombard he joined the $\Phi \Sigma$ League, which organization had desired to obtain a $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ charter, in order to be in a national fraternity. He also wrote

that he would join $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ if the whole League would do so, and that he would immediately write to the members at Lombard about it. The correspondence between Wakefield and Banta was continued during the summer. October 29, Banta received a letter from S. C. Ransom, Secretary of the League at Lombard, asking a number of questions about $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. The members of the League were pleased with the information about the Fraternity which Banta furnished, and determined to apply for a charter.

"Wakefield, hearing of this determination took preliminary steps toward establishing a chapter at Illinois Wesleyan. C. H. Sherwood '80, and M. L. Johnson '81, joined him in signing a pledge which was forwarded to Banta; whereupon Banta, with the approval of Whitehead and Norris, of the Executive Committee, sent to Wakefield the Bond and Constitution. Wakefield, Sherwood and Johnson signed an application for charter and sent it to Banta. The Monmouth chapter was then the senior chapter and State Grand Chapter in Illinois, but, owing to its weak condition, it was thought best to refer the application to the National Grand at Wooster, Ohio. Banta forwarded it, November 28, 1877, but the National Grand



MILO W. SUMMERS, *Lombard '81*

refusing to grant it, he decided to bring the matter before the Convention in May, 1878. Wakefield, Sherwood and Johnson initiated others, and by the last of March there were fourteen Phis at Illinois Wesleyan. The older fraternities there were $\Phi\Gamma\Delta$ and $\Delta\Gamma\Delta$.

"After receiving written pledges from the members of $\Phi\Sigma$ (initials of " $\Phi\iota\lambda\omicron\gamma\eta\theta\acute{\iota}\varsigma$ $\Sigma\upsilon\nu\theta\acute{\eta}\kappa\eta$ ")* at Lombard, Banta, with the approval of Whitehead and Norris, sent the Bond and Constitution to them. An application to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for a charter, dated December 15, 1877, was signed by H. L. Arnold '78; William McGaan, Jr. '78; S. C. Ransom '78; F. E. Claycomb '79; O. H. Swigart '80; D. P. Ginrich '82; P. G. Reynolds '82; G. M. Swart '82; J. D. Swart '82. Banta received the application December 18, but did not forward it to the National Grand, as he had been informed of the rejection of the Illinois Wesleyan application, and had no reason to believe that the one from Lombard would receive from the National Grand any more favorable consideration. In 1877-78 the Knox chapter had only three members, and they were seniors and were about to surrender their charter. Banta obtained the consent of Whitehead and Norris for the charter to be transferred to the applicants at Lombard, and the transfer was made, February, 1878. It was intended that Knox students should be initiated at Lombard, and thus keep $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ alive at Knox, but this was found impracticable.

"The National Convention, May 23, 1878, granted the application for charter from Illinois Wesleyan, and the chapter there became Illinois Epsilon. The Convention took no action regarding the transfer of the charter from Knox to Lombard, and, by such non-action, the transfer was sanctioned. In the Fall of 1878, only two members returned to Lombard. November 4, they initiated M. C. Summers, with a ceremony which combined features of the $\Phi\Sigma$ and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ ritual. This date has since been adopted for the beginning of the chapter's existence as a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ organization. Summers became an active fraternity worker. By June, 1879, twenty more students had been initiated, but the fact that $\Phi\Sigma$ had been absorbed by $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was not an-

nounced at Lombard until the Fall of that year. The first report of the chapter to THE SCROLL was dated December, 1879. The Knox chapter was originally Illinois Gamma, and so remained until the Convention of 1875, when the titles of chapters were reformed. It then became Illinois Delta, and when the transfer of the charter was made, the Lombard chapter was called Illinois Delta, but the catalogue of 1883 gave it the title of Illinois Zeta, and the Convention of 1884, confirmed this title."

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*The $\Phi\Sigma$ League was founded at Lombard in the fall of 1857. Its motto (given in parentheses above) was translated, "Philothethian (mirth-loving) League." It had two degrees—the "anchor degree" for preparatory students, and the "harp degree" for collegiate students. The badge of the first was a golden anchor bearing " $\Phi\Sigma$." The badge of the second was a golden harp with " Φ " in gold set in black enamel at the top of the staff, and " Σ " likewise at the bottom. In 1867 there was a reorganization, which provided for a third degree, and for extending the League to other colleges. The preamble to the constitution then adopted said that one of the objects of the League was to "spread western principles of education."

During the next five years chapters were established at Knox College, Monmouth College, Northwestern University, Hedding College, Abingdon, Ill., Eureka College, Eureka, Ill., and Jefferson College, Jefferson, Wis., but none of these chapters lived long. The third degree was called the Grand $\Phi\Sigma$ League, and was composed of second degree graduates and delegates from chapters. The Grand League, which regulated the workings of the League and granted charters, held annual conventions at Lombard, but none was held after 1874.—See *American College Fraternities*, 1879.

The only prosperous chapter was the parent chapter, which was called "Lombard $\Phi\Sigma$ League Number 1." Some of its alumni members who expressed a desire to become members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ were affiliated and are included in the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ *Catalogue*. When the League transferred its allegiance from $\Phi\Sigma$ to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, it occupied a hall in the university building. The hall was well furnished and well equipped with paraphernalia. The only other fraternity which had entered Lombard was $\Delta\Gamma\Delta$. Its chapter there was established in 1869 and was in active existence up to 1885.

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Palladium Supplement in This Issue

The annual *Palladium Supplement* appears as the last twelve pages of this issue of THE SCROLL in all copies going to members of the Fraternity. Included are the minutes of five important meetings of the General Council. All Phis should read this section carefully to stay on top of the business of the Fraternity.

L.A., Hollywood Phis Honor "Doc" Cloyes

By GEORGE K. SHAFFER, *Chicago '16*

MARSHALL JOHN CLOYES, *Kansas '03*, better known as "Doc" to members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in most of the 48 states, was singled out for an honor that had not previously been tendered by alumni of the Los Angeles area, on Friday, November 12. On that day "Doc" Cloyes found out what the other 1,399 Phi Delt alumni of the Southern California area had already commonly agreed, and that was that Brother Cloyes is regarded as a sort of "Mr. Sword and Shield" wherever he is well known.

"Doc" was the honor guest at a special joint luncheon meeting of the Los Angeles and Hollywood Alumni Clubs, held at the L.A. University Club. Forty-eight gathered to see the day's guest presented with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ wall plaque that was inscribed with his record of dates, offices and achievements in the Fraternity.

So many wished to voice their esteem for the day's guest that five or six brothers got into the oratorical act.

Attorney Harry Wishard, *Iowa Wesleyan '11*, grew a trifle misty eyed as he back tracked on some old days of friendship and fraternity ties with the house guest. Loyal Crawford, who was in the Kansas Alpha chapter with Marshall Cloyes, did a brief job of stretching the span back for 52 years. Brother Crawford is an inventor of coal mining machinery and an engineer.

Omicron Province President Stanley D. Brown, *Nebraska '36*, refreshed the assemblage's appreciation of Doc's doings for, and in the ranks of, the Fraternity between 1940 and the present time. George K. Shaffer, *Chicago '16*, a newspaperman and a Californian since 1924, highlighted the Cloyes career prior to 1940. This account started with Doc's birth in Atchison, Kansas, September 14, 1882, recounted his initiation in Kansas Alpha September 23, 1899, as a member of the graduating class of 1903, and noted Doc's two post-graduate years in the "University Medical College of Kansas City"—now long since absorbed into the University of Kansas, and the period of life during



"DOC" CLOYES

which the honored brother to all intents and purposes lost his first name and acquired the lifelong handle of "Doc."

Otto Steiert, *Pittsburgh '19*, president of the Hollywood Alumni Club, threw some complimentary remarks into the oratorical jackpot. William Rohlfs, *Montana '31*, president of the L.A. Alumni Club, and Louis Tellner, *North Dakota '16*, made the presentation of the plaque which will always remind Doc of his brothers' esteem.

For the benefit of thousands of Phis about the United States and Canada who have met Doc Cloyes in person, and had their sights raised and their Fraternity pride expanded in doing so, it may be allowable to usurp a bit of space to highlight the Cloyes career.

The Cloyes family, originally from French Normandie, got to the United States via a great-

great grandfather who came to Cambridge, Massachusetts. All generations proved to be great travelers, and Doc's grandfather went to Kansas from Vermont in 1858 or '59, and joined the Quantrill mounted force in the Confederacy. Doc's mother, the former Martha Rust, was a Southerner from Arkansas.

When Marshall John Cloyes found family reasons for leaving medical school after two years, he took his degree of Bachelor of Science in Chemistry into as close a field as he could get to the healing art, and joined a Chicago surgical instruments house (Sharp and Smith) in 1906. He traveled for this firm for some years purveying equipment to hospitals, clinics, surgeons and physicians throughout Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Georgia.

Then the Chicago firm dispatched its star sales emissary to new and expanding fields along the Pacific in 1912. The Cloyes operations took in Los Angeles and San Francisco until 1923.

"I went around the United States for years, carrying a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Directory as my most cherished possession," Doc tells. "Every community that I stayed in, I looked up the Phi Delt club there, if any, and went around to the addresses of the Phis in the city, and made friends."

It wasn't long before Doc Cloyes began to be regarded as sort of a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ "Johnny Appleseed," or "circuit rider." Where Doc's foot touched, there either a new alumni club started, or some Phikeias gravitated toward an active chapter; or, perhaps some years later, a new active chapter got its genesis.

Cloyes joined Petrolagar Laboratories (then in San Diego) in 1923, and he became perhaps the world's greatest popularizer of the use of the smooth Pacific ocean seaweed product of agar-agar for the various things that a gulp will help the system with.

The main plant of the Petrolagar firm moved to Chicago in 1928, but its bales of beneficial kelp continued to come from San Diego, and still continue to come from there despite a number of moves in the field of corporation control by which the American Home Products Co. as a holding company in 1928 effected a merger at the conclusion of which eight firms, including Petrolagar Laboratories, were functioning as Wyeth, Inc., of Philadelphia, doing business in anacin, kolynos and various food products and specifics, all of which crowded into the Cloyes repertoire of things to represent. The job of representing them all consumed the next 22 years, until "Doc" retired almost as full of honors as the world was filled with agar-agar and other formula drugs, in 1950. At his retirement, Doc had attended every American Medical Association convention for 25 years.

During these busy years about the U.S., Canada and Hawaii, Doc saw about as many Phi Deltas as he did doctors, and divided his "missionary" work about half-and-half between his profession and his Fraternity. Doc sat in from 1912 through World War I days through the thin times of the early Los Angeles Alumni Club, which was then somewhat different from the well fed group which gathered to greet him again in November, 1954.

Brother Cloyes credits his $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ membership to the inspiration and sponsorship of Dr. John outland, *Kansas-Pennsylvania* '98, a well re-

membered All-American football star, who was coaching at Kansas when Marshall Cloyes went to Lawrence as a freshman and in spite of lean build and limited weight, helped lead the Phis to a 4-year series of wins in the campus intramural tussles at football, baseball and basketball.

To Dr. Leon C. Long, a Phi also from Pennsylvania Zeta, and also a physician in Kansas, Doc credits his great interest in the medical profession. At Dr. Long's death, the older Phi turned his cherished Fraternity badge over to his younger friend and fraternity brother.

Cloyes helped found the alumni clubs at San Diego and Hollywood. He was a stalwart of the Kansas City club in its younger days. He served as president of both the Greater Los Angeles and the Hollywood clubs. He helped induct the California Gamma chapter at University of California at Los Angeles in 1924, and California Delta at University of Southern California exactly a quarter of a century later, in 1949. He was the first chapter adviser at the U.S.C. chapter.

The 48 brothers who gathered at the L.A. University Club to honor Cloyes infused a tender theme when they took the occasion to add a tribute to the late beloved wife of their honor guest. The former Florence Kline of Macomb, Illinois, during all her years as Doc Cloyes' cherished spouse, on up to her passing last autumn, had been almost a "Phi" herself. She cooked meals, swapped jokes, chaperoned parties, thought up entertainment occasions, traveled, and helped "rush" with the brothers in many cities, becoming almost as well known as her husband, "Mr. Sword and Shield" himself.

Two kinsmen, Gene Cloyes, *U.S.C.* '51, an architect in Delmar, California; and Thomas Browning Cloyes, *Case* '49, with the Cloyes Gear Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, have seen to it that Doc Cloyes' trail shall be followed as the years roll on to the lilt of Phi Delta Theta for Aye. The Cloyeses had no children of their own.

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Coming Up in THE SCROLL

Deadline for the March issue of *THE SCROLL* will be February 10. Stories of the three new chapter installations at Valparaiso, Kent, and Miami (Fla.) will appear in this number. This will be the last issue of the year to carry undergraduate chapter reports, as Founders Day observations will be featured in May. Watch that deadline . . . and send your copy to the Editor in Menasha, Wisconsin.



SCENES FROM "FURY IN PARADISE"

Tale of an Incredible South American Odyssey . . . and A Movie

By HOWARD COLDREN, *Colorado College '21*

IF ANYONE were to ask me how it happens that Howard Coldren, a supposedly retired lumberman, comes to have his name listed as Executive Producer on the main title of a very stirring and very beautiful motion picture entitled *Fury in Paradise*, now in the process of world distribution, my answer would be a trifle vague. It isn't straight in my own mind as yet.

One day in June of 1953, Sloane and I met a gentleman named George Bruce, who has a legendary reputation in Hollywood, and the next thing we knew we were ensconced amidst the breath-taking beauty of the Hacienda Vista Hermosa at Tequesquitengo, Morelos, Mexico, where the picture was filmed in its entirety, in what has been described as the most beautiful color ever to appear on the screen. The Hacienda Vista Hermosa was built by Hernan Cortes, the conqueror of Mexico, as one of his homes, more than four hundred years ago (1547).

George Bruce, who wrote and directed the picture, will be remembered for having given the screen such smash box-office successes as *Navy Blue and Gold*, *Man in the Iron Mask*, *Corsican Brothers*, *Two Years Before the Mast*, *Fiesta*, *Son of Monte Cristo*, *The Crowd Roars*, *Kit Carson*, and many more major features which rolled up tremendous grosses, and brought him the greatest record of individual success in the history of Hollywood. He was one of the very few men who dared to spearhead

the attack on Communism in the film industry and to make the industry aware of the infiltration of this menace.

Perhaps my running broad jump into show business had its genesis in the callow years of my undergraduate days when I was first exposed to the glitter and glamor of the foot-lights as manager of the Senior Play at Colorado College.

Or perhaps the locale and subject of Bruce's screen play intrigued me. Bruce told a tale of Central Mexico in the year 1911, the beginning of the revolt by the Mexican people against the 30-year dictatorship of Porfirio Diaz, an event which saw the birth of Mexico as a great nation.

Sloane and I had just returned from a fantastic trek by automobile across the heart of South America, from east to west, and then north. Our hearts were filled with gratitude for the wonderful kindness and hospitality accorded us by all the Latin peoples, of all classes, during our months of wanderings through the almost trackless wilderness of desert, jungle, mountains and pampas that lie between Argentina and Chile. We were also feeling a sense of shame, near to guilt, at the concept of the United States and its people and ways held in the minds of these South Americans who shared their homes and their food with us when we arrived unheralded and uninvited, even in the middle of the night, and who received us



"CRAZY NORTEAMERICANOS"

HOWARD COLDREN, *Colorado College '21*, and Mrs. Coldren.

About the Author

Howard Coldren, *Colorado College '21*, was manager of the baseball team and manager of the Senior Play during his last year in college.

After graduation he entered the lumber business in Denver, and at the request of Brother Arthur Priest, who was then Executive Secretary, consented to head a committee formed to complete the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ house at Colorado Alpha. Coldren's committee functioned so well that the project was cleared of existing indebtedness, after which a loan was negotiated with an insurance company and second mortgage bonds were sold to the alumni, and the house was completed from new plans drawn by the committee.

Brother Priest then requested Coldren to accept the office of President of Xi Province, which at that time consisted of Colorado, Utah and Wyoming. His own chapter, Colorado Beta, was badly in need of a new house, and working with the alumni, a new home was purchased on the campus.

In 1937 Brother Coldren with his family (wife Sloane and son Jack) moved to California and purchased a woodworking plant in Alhambra. During the war the plant operated entirely for the Army, Navy, Air Corps and Chemical Warfare Service on a 24 hour basis. In Alhambra, Brother Coldren was a member of the Rotary Club, served on the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and as Chairman of the Committee of International Affairs.

A few years after the war Brother Coldren retired, and with his wife, set out on the *Odyssey* recounted in this article.

mirror of the American "way of life" were based on gangsters, prisons, juvenile delinquency, crooked politicians or pornographic problems laid in Park Avenue penthouses, featuring busty babes and musty males. A hundred times during our trip Sloane and I groaned at the false impressions of the United States such pictures were making upon friendly, eager minds, avid to know all about the United States and the "Norteamericanos."

To Sloane and myself, the greatest thing about *Fury in Paradise* was that it was not only a fine, entertaining motion picture, but we knew it would help promote friendly relations between Latin America and the United States. Our faith in *Fury in Paradise* was fully supported by the Eric Johnson office in Hollywood when we ran the rough cut of the film for the purpose of securing the Code Seal of the Motion Picture Producer's Association. We were requested to make available to the Johnson Office the first print of the picture and permit them to forward it to the United Nations in New York as the outstanding example of how a motion picture could be, at the same time, a thing of great entertainment and a great medium for the promotion of genuine understanding and friendship between nations. I think that when you see *Fury in Paradise* you will agree. We are proud to have had a part in the making of it.

A thumbnail sketch of our South American jaunt might be of interest to the brethren, especially to those who might be contemplating a trip through the Latin countries. For Sloane and myself, the trip projected itself out of the blue. We were footloose and fancy free and our son, Jack, was attending the University of California. So, one fine day, we loaded our car aboard a cargo vessel in Los Angeles harbor, and we were off, via the Panama Canal.

The ship called at ports of Colombia, Venezuela, Brazil, Uruguay, and finally, after two months at sea, arrived at Buenos Aires, Argentina. Permission for taking the car into Argentina was arranged for by the American Automobile Association, and it required some arranging. We had to submit a financial statement to the AAA together with a cash bond, because, under the laws of Argentina, the AAA rendered itself liable to a possible fine of 500 times the value of the car if the owner failed to remove it from Argentine territory within six months after it was admitted into the country. We noticed on the Cardet issued to us a penalty clause stipulating that the Argentine Government could levy this penalty

eagerly and openheartedly as honored and respected guests.

Sloane and I learned that the American motion picture was responsible, in greatest measure, for the interpretation of the United States and its people to the average South American. American pictures are by far the most heavily patronized in all of the Latin countries. The Latins, therefore, know us as we depict ourselves in our own pictures. Why should they think we are any different from the manner in which we present ourselves on the screen? To our chagrin, we discovered that the greater part of the pictures sent from the United States as



MORE SCENES FROM "FURY IN PARADISE"

if the car were sold within the Argentine territory or not removed from the country within the prescribed time. If the car chanced to be wrecked or disabled during its stay in Argentina, it had to be hauled out, or the remnants removed to escape the penalty. (While there we were offered \$16,000 for the car.) Now 500 times the value of our Cadillac figured up to \$2,500,000. The value of the Argentine peso at the moment was 29 to the dollar. Hence, the AAA was liable to a possible penalty of 72,500,000 pesos if the Coldrens defaulted the terms of the Cardet. We understood why the AAA was extremely careful in arranging for cardets covering Argentina.

Sloane and I spent two weeks driving about the beautiful city of Buenos Aires and meeting the people. We were entertained by the Mihanovitch family. The father is the world-renowned portrait painter and the sons are internationally famous polo players. They are close friends of Bing Crosby and Bing was the house guest of the Mihanovitchs during his trip to Argentina. Ivan was Bing's favorite golfing partner. We spent a great deal of time at the Mihanovitch ranch, watching the sons train the polo ponies which would carry them to new triumphs.

It was nearing Carnival season in Uruguay, so we crossed the river by boat and spent six weeks touring that beautiful country which is aptly called the "Switzerland of America." Everywhere we were received warmly and were given a genuine welcome. The Uruguayans are very proud of their country and its capital, Montevideo, with its lovely, modern buildings. To us, the Uruguayans were less interested in "politics" than any other peoples in South America. The word seldom entered any conversation. The Uruguayans are happy, fun loving and open-handed. We will never forget them and their goodness to the two Yankee strangers they made feel so much at home.

Returning to Argentina, we headed south to Mar del Plata, the fabulous and beautiful resort with its fine hotels, lovely homes and palatial

gambling casinos. From there, we headed across the pampas. Rather naively, we pointed the car toward the lake region and went jouncing over the rough, dusty cattle trails which served as roads. This was a country for the vaquero and his horse—not for automobiles. Naturally, a car uses gasoline, and there were few filling stations in this part of the world. Sometimes we had to wait days for a lumbering cart to bring us what passed for gasoline in that remote vastness. It was more like anemic kerosene, but somehow the car gulped it down and kept running. Some of the natives of the pampas stared at us incredulously when we crawled into sight and surreptitiously crossed themselves. News of the trek of the "crazy Norteamericanos" filtered across the pampas ahead of us (which will convey some idea of the rapidity of our progress) and everywhere we were met by astounded but friendly and helpful people, some of whom had ridden leagues, just to get a look at us.

I remember that we once ran out of gasoline at nightfall, and it seemed that we were doomed to spend another night in the car in the vastness of nowhere hoping that someone would happen along and that we could send him somewhere—anywhere—to locate fuel. Then we came over a rise in ground and before us were the buildings of a great hacienda. No, they had no gas, but that small fact was brushed aside in the warmth of our welcome. Gasoline would be arranged for, and in the meantime, the estancia was to be considered our home. It was rather large. The hacienda included one hundred square miles. We were there for days, and the owner had no thought but for our comfort and entertainment.

One day he invited about forty people, gathered from unbelievable distances to an "asada" (barbecue) in our honor. The fires were started early in the morning. A steer, two lambs, and a pig were spitted and slow roasted all day, being basted and turned constantly, and by evening the aroma created a ravenous appetite. Leather sacks containing wine were



SOUTH AMERICAN CAVALRY

passed around. Each sack had a nipple at the top through which, when squeezed, the wine spurted in continuous stream. The trick was to hold the nipple as far away from the mouth as possible, squeeze the sack, and to swallow every drop of wine as it squirted toward the face. The experts could hold the sack at arm's length from the mouth, squirt, and without seeming to swallow, drink prodigious quantities without taking a deep breath. By opening my big mouth as far as possible, I succeeded in doing a wonderful job of washing my face and glasses.

The wine was of excellent flavor and bouquet. I learned that its piquancy was enhanced by the skin bags which contained it. The bags retained the original hair of the goat on the inside. The longer the hair, the better the wine. If one has qualms or squeamishness or a "delicate appetite" the pampas will completely cure him. Sloane and I closed our eyes, ate and drank everything put before us, and strangely, we enjoyed every bite and every swallow.

Each guest was given a gaucho knife, sharp as a razor but ten times as big, and the idea was to cut off from the whole barbecued carcass his favorite bit of meat. He would then put one end of the cut in his mouth, suspend the other in mid air, and with the gaucho knife, cut off a mouthful close to his lips. Of course, cutting off a bit of the nose is considered a faux-pas. I happen to have a very long nose. It was quite a sporting proposition.

After the meat we were served immense bowls of hot soup. Even at the risk of insulting our host, Sloane and I could absorb no more than half a bowl each . . . about half a gallon. We learned that the average diet of the Argentine worker is about five pounds of meat daily, washed down with lots of "mate" which is a tea native to Paraguay and rich in minerals and

vitamines. On this they thrive.

After the meal, the Indian servants gorged themselves and then the dogs were fed. In the morning nothing was left from the "asada" but the ashes in the barbecue pits.

Finally some gasoline was carted in for us, after days, and we bade a reluctant farewell to our host. There were times, waiting for the gasoline, when we believed we would spend the rest of our lives on the estancia as "guests." It would not have been too hard to take. The neighborhood for miles around was genuinely sorry to see us go when we chugged away in the direction of the lakes region. This was not an unusual reception. It was typical of every place in which we stopped.

Days later we came to Barriloché and the beautiful hotel overlooking a lovely lake. Hans Noble, the internationally famous teacher of skiing, invited us to go trout fishing with him. We put out in his motor launch. Soon I had a strike and brought in a beautiful two-pound rainbow trout. We have fished most of the trout streams of Colorado, New Mexico, and Wyoming, and this was the largest trout I had ever caught. I was rhapsodizing over it, when Noble gave me a pitying look and started to throw my fish back into the lake, saying that it was nothing more than a minnow. Sloane indignantly clung to the trout, telling Noble that we were going to keep it, that it was a fine fish and she was satisfied, even if it was a "minnow." My ego was so deflated by Noble's disrespect for my story-book trout, that I made my next cast in complete silence. After a moment I felt a strike, started to reel in, then the strike took the line and my reel sang and smoked. Noble yelled at me: "Now you've hooked a grandel!" Thirty minutes later, I managed to work the fish close enough to the launch so that we could see him in the water. I caught my breath. He looked like a whale! The fish looked back at me, must have sensed that I was scared to death and decided to have some fun with me. He dived under the launch, and if Sloane hadn't grabbed my belt and prevented, I would have taken a header out of the launch into the water.

There was another fifteen minutes of lively battle, and finally when I was about ready to settle for a draw, I was able to bring him to gaff, and haul him out on deck. This rainbow trout was 37 inches long and weighed 16 pounds! During our stay at Barriloché, Sloane and I both caught many more trout weighing from 8 to 10 pounds, but that sixteen pounder is a story I am saving to tell my grandchildren.

So immersed were we with the beauty of Barriloché and the delights of trout fishing that

we lost track of time. We suddenly realized that we had just three days to get our car out of Argentina or be in jail, and the jails we had visited were not inviting to say the least. Neither was the prospect of obtaining bail to keep out of the calaboose. And we couldn't go back. There was no place to go but straight ahead, across the mountains and lakes, into Chile.

One hundred pesos bought us the co-operation of a detachment of the Argentine Army stationed at Barriloché, and with great labor our car was loaded onto a makeshift barge and pushed out onto the lake in the general direction of Chile and the intervening wilds. After jungle, more lakes, more half-submerged barges, we arrived in Chile.

Don't ask us *how* we drove that car over rocks, mud, and one-way trails hanging on the sides of perpendicular mountains. Don't ask us why those thrown together rafts didn't sink completely with the weight of the car. Don't ask us *how* we traversed the swamps, the deep jungle, the Andes themselves, and finally made it to the Pacific Coast of Chile. But we did it.

From Port Mott, Chile, we drove, if it can be called driving, north to Santiago, and then to Arequipa, Peru, and then, on to Lima. More than 2,000 miles of this section was over a roadless desert with fantastic heat and no shade. Some days we made as much as 35 miles!

Arriving in Lima, we discovered that the news of our trip had preceded us and that it was being recounted in all of the newspapers along our route. We were met by a representative of the Lima Auto Club who wanted to interview us. He told us that there was no record of anyone ever having made such a trip by automobile and seemed a little skeptical that it could have been done, even though he knew that Sloane and I had made it. From Buenos Aires to Lima, Peru by car! By way of 12,000 miles across the Andes and the lake region, bisecting South America. Thirteen months on the road. And at the end, to find that we were being celebrated as pioneers!

After spending some time in Lima, we loaded the car on a ship, and unloaded it again at Los



PRINCIPALS IN MOVIE

Angeles Harbor. On a beautiful 8-lane concrete road between Los Angeles and Long Beach, the car uttered a deep groan, stopped dead, and gave up the ghost. But it had never failed us when it was the difference between life and death.

So, Sloane and I arrived home by taxi.

Did I remember to mention the fact, that all during the trip we didn't have a single spare part with us? Not even so much as an extra spark plug?

Is it any wonder why we cannot express an iota of our admiration of the Latin peoples and our gratitude to them for their unselfish hospitality, extended to two wandering "gringos," to whom they gave not only their friendship, but their own homes and beds and food, as well as their hearts, unstintingly and without reservation.

It hurts us to think that these people are going to see an American motion picture which won the Academy Award and believe that the American Army, its men, women and ideals, are as they are depicted on the screen in this picture!

That is one of the reasons, as I stated previously, why the name of Howard Coldren appears as Executive Producer on the main-title of the motion-picture *Fury In Paradise*.

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All-Phi Pro Football Team

Faithful SCROLL contributor L. P. Davis, *Hillsdale '97*, of Los Angeles, submits the following All-Phi pro eleven: Ends: Gordie Soltau ('49ers), Jim Ladd (Cardinals); Tackles: Charlie Toogood (Rams), Don Colo (Browns); Guards: Dick Barwegan (Colts), Herschel Forester (Browns); Center: Bill Austin (Giants); Backs: Doak Walker and Tom Dublinski (Lions), Dick Nolan (Giants), Ken Gorgal (Browns).



P. R. Hawley

BROTHER BLACKWELL DEMONSTRATES HIS MAGIC LANTERN AT RECENT GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING

PHI DELTA THETA introduces with pleasure the PHI PROJECT-A-TALK for 1955." With these words appearing on a large screen our Alumni Secretary, Brother Ray Blackwell, *Franklin '24*, will begin an illustrated talk on Phi Delta Theta for alumni meetings throughout the United States and Canada during coming months. A special version of the PROJECT-A-TALK will be given to undergraduate chapters when such talks can be included in the travel schedule of the Secretary.

Last year Brother Blackwell visited 86 alumni clubs from Boston to San Diego and from Miami to Seattle. At most of these alumni meetings he gave a brief talk on current trends and problems in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ following which he conducted a question and answer period.

"Our experiences last year demonstrated conclusively that Phi alumni are tremendously interested in the affairs of the Fraternity and are eager for current information concerning $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, its progress, its programs, and its problems," the Alumni Secretary told members of the General Council at a recent meeting. He continued:

"In my opinion one of the most significant contributions we can make to the welfare of the Fraternity is to provide alumni groups with current information concerning $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. This, I believe, can be done most effectively through some form of visual presentation."

Alumni Secretary Offers New "Phi Project-A-Talk"

Blackwell Plans Phi Story in Pictures for 1955 Club Visits

Equipped with an opaque projector, a seven-foot screen, and a large assortment of material which he has especially prepared for projection, the Alumni Secretary plans to start his annual tour of alumni clubs in mid-January. He will be traveling almost continuously until mid-June and hopes to work in visits to most organized alumni groups in the United States and Canada, and also meetings in communities having no alumni club organizations.

Material to be presented visually by Brother Blackwell includes a limited amount of historical review in pictures and words, charts tracing the development of the Fraternity by decades, information on the current status of chapters, comparative standings of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ with comparable fraternities, significant recent events in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, outstanding Phis, and a four-fold program of alumni participation.

The PROJECT-A-TALK has been planned upon the basis of wide variation and, according to the Alumni Secretary, it is doubtful if any two talks will be identical. Each talk will be tailored to fit into the time limits and specific interests of local groups.

"Obviously the maximum use of the visual presentation can be made at evening functions where the available time provides greater opportunity for developing the complete library

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If You Want the Phi Project-A-Talk in Your Community . . .

Any alumni club or any group of ten or more alumni in any community that would like the Alumni Secretary to present his PHI PROJECT-A-TALK before the Phis in their area are invited to arrange for dates that can be fitted into his scheduled itinerary. Simply write R. E. Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, Phi Delta Theta Headquarters, Box 151, Oxford, Ohio.

Phi Heads Insurance Million Dollar Club

G. Nolan Bearden Is Accorded Highest Individual Honor in Insurance Field

HHEAD of the outstanding insurance organization of the country, the Million Dollar Round Table of the National Association of Life Underwriters, is G. Nolan Bearden, *Georgia Tech '28*, who now resides in Beverly Hills, California.

The Million Dollar Round Table is an international organization comprised of the top producers of all life insurance companies.

To qualify, an insurance man must personally have written \$1,000,000 of life insurance during the previous year—or \$1,000,000 for three consecutive years, to qualify as a life member. Membership in the organization comprises the highest production honor attainable in the life insurance business. To be elected chairman of this distinguished group is generally recognized as the highest singular honor in American life insurance and lends added recognition to Brother Bearden's leadership in the industry.

The MDRT recently completed its annual meeting held this year in the Coronado Hotel,

Coronado, California. As head of the organization, Bearden was chairman of this national session.

Formerly from Madison, Georgia, Brother Bearden went to California after graduating from Georgia Tech. He was in the general insurance business before entering the life insurance field in 1937. He qualified for membership in the MDRT in 1939, the second year he was in the life insurance business, and has been a continuous qualifier except for the three years when he was on duty with the United States Navy from which he was discharged as a Lieutenant Commander.

Mr. Bearden is associated with the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company of Boston, Massachusetts. He has been one of the company's leading producers for many years.

He has been active in alumni affairs in Los Angeles and Beverly Hills and continues a strong interest in college and alumni affairs. He returns regularly to visit Atlanta and the Georgia Tech campus.

Mr. Bearden has two Phi brothers, also from Georgia Delta chapter, Judge W. Bearden '27, and Clarke W. Bearden '32.

The All-Phi Football Teams of 1954

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the 19-13 victory over Stetson. Carl Hoehn, a 208-pound bruising Knox fullback, and John Gundlach, Lawrence College co-captain for 1955, both received Honorable Mention on the All-Midwest Conference team. Completing the group of All-Star backs are James Burst, Washington (St. Louis), who boasted an 8.6 yard average per carry; H. G. Reed, Centre's leading scorer with six touchdowns; John Ladd, Bowling Green's leading rusher, and Jack Short (Ohio Wesleyan), all star ball carriers for their respective teams.

Several other exceptional performers who barely missed the 1954 Little All-Phi Squad should be mentioned. They are Powell Gillenwater, Centre co-captain; Tom Newton, Davidson's Sophomore end; Senior guard Jack Fitzgerald, Wabash; Joe Guerra, Union; Frank Casey, flashy Knox quarterback, and the oft injured Billy Bradshaw, Bowling Green's small college N.C.A.A. punting champion for 1953 and again in 1954.



G. NOLAN BEARDEN, *Georgia Tech '28*
He has to produce . . . and he does.

Unique Trust Fund Benefits Maine Alpha

By C. A. MORRISSEY, *Colby '56*, and F. G. AREY, *Colby '12*

A TRUST fund scholarship, unique in the Fraternity, has been established in Maine Alpha chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ at Colby College by the widow of a man who was not a Phi and who did not attend Colby.

She is Mrs. Arthur R. Barter of Roslindale, Massachusetts, and she was aided and encouraged in her action by the family's long-time attorney, Florian G. Arey, *Colby '12*, devoted Phi and loyal Colby alumnus. Through his efforts Mrs. Barter became interested in the college, but even more specifically in the chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ there.

When Mrs. Barter expressed a desire to help the men of Maine Alpha who were experiencing some difficulty in connection with their new home on the beautiful new Colby campus, Brother Arey advanced the idea of a trust fund to be managed by the college as part of its regular endowment fund, the income to be divided among three Phis each year who achieve honors in three fields. Specifically, the goals set by Mrs. Barter are as follows: To show their value to themselves by good scholarship, to show their value to their fraternity by good citizenship, and to assist in developing outstanding characteristics in their Alma Mater by development of their own characters.

Since the beginning of this grant Maine Alpha has shown an increased interest in college activities—and, more important, in attitude. Even in the first year there was a marked change, with a real Phi spirit in evidence. Mrs. Barter has been much pleased with the attitude of the men and they, in turn, showed their gratitude by naming one of the rooms and the lounge in their new house for her husband.

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Arthur E. Barter was a resident of Isle au



MEMORIAL PLAQUE



THE LATE ARTHUR R. BARTER

Haut, Maine. During his early years and until about 1889 he attended the schools of Isle au Haut, and Castine Normal School, where he prepared for teaching. During his vacations he worked with his father who was a master carpenter in the construction of many of the buildings at Point Lookout.

After teaching a short time in Maine he came to Boston where he accepted employment with Ginn & Company. Later in July of 1900 he accepted employment with the Plimpton Press in Norwood, Massachusetts, where he was in charge of their Shipping Department. About 1906 he became assistant to the General Manager, Henry P. Kendall, and gradually took charge of the manufacturing activities of the company as works manager. In 1913 the company was incorporated and Mr. Barter became a director.

He took a leave of absence in 1917-18, to serve in the production division of the Army Ordnance department during the First World War. He left the service a Lieutenant.

With increasing age Mr. Barter delegated many of his duties to others and, because of poor health, had been inactive for the past several years. His death terminated an illness which had kept him confined for two years.

“G” Is For Greater

Facts and Figures Focused on GLAC

By WALTER L. RUNYAN, *Wabash '02**

AND Who, or What is GLAC? Concisely, the letters in the word—GLAC—are the initial letters of Greater Los Angeles Alumni Clubs. Sources of this “1400” group, their activities and aspirations, with relations of other groups and methods of GLAC, are touched upon in this compilation.

Sources: The States and Canadian areas from which these many men of many minds have come may be seen in the Lists and Graphs below. In Fig. 1 the Base—B-A-S-E—shows relative sizes of sources; while the figures at top of each group, and the height of the vertical lines indicate the respective numbers of chapters in each group or State. Thus, 18 States have one chapter each represented; the groups of 9 and 7 and 5 have, respectively, 9×3 , 7×2 , and 5×1 representatives in GLAC. The 5×1 group is for the Canadian Provinces; the 18 group is for Alabama, Arizona, Idaho, Maine, Maryland, Mississippi, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, and Wyoming. States having 2 chapters represented for each State are Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, North Caro-

lina, Tennessee, Virginia, and Wisconsin. States with 3 chapters in each are Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Oregon, Texas, and Washington. States with 4 chapters are Georgia and California (latter with 5 after 1955 installation at Davis). New York has 6 chapters represented; Illinois and Indiana have 7 chapters each; Ohio has 9; and Pennsylvania has 10 chapters represented in GLAC.

GLAC has representatives from 34 States, *equivalent* to the 34 chapters in said States; GLAC has *less* representatives than there are chapters in only 8 States; while in 3 States GLAC has *more* Alumni than the present number of chapters therein. (Fig. 2.)

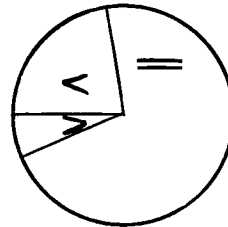


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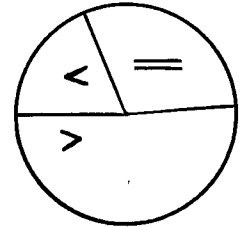


FIG. 3

Fig. 3 indicates that in 23 States the number of Alumni Clubs is *equal* to the actual number of chapters in the same States; that Alumni Clubs are *less* than institutional chapters in 9 States; and that Alumni Clubs are *more* than chapters in 23 States! Alumni Clubs appear to be on the march!

Fig. 4 brings to focus a most important phase of Alumni Clubs' life—the Frequency of Times of Meetings. “M” represents a segment

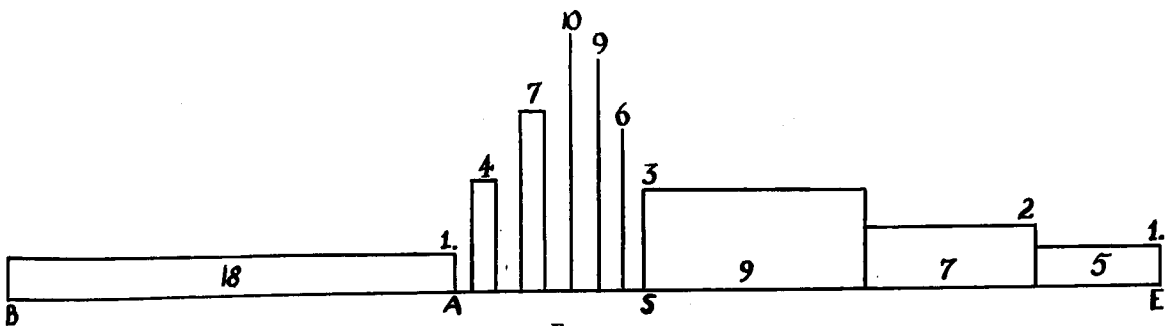


FIG. 1

Chapters represented in GLAC from 41 States and 5 Canadian Provinces.

* One of the Los Angeles Club's "Senior Citizens," Walter L. Runyan, is a consecrated member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He knows well the values of Fraternity to alumni members and has devoted a great deal of time to studies designed to increase the effectiveness of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni Clubs. In this article he focuses attention on the makeup and program of one of the Fraternity's best—the Greater Los Angeles Alumni Club. Brother Runyan, proud member of the Golden Legion, has had a distinguished career as author and teacher. He is the only living member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ from his class at Wabash.

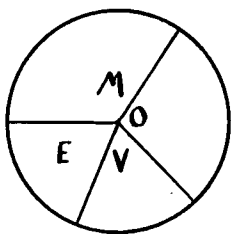


FIG. 4

of 53 Alumni Clubs which have Monthly meetings; "O" means that NO stated definite times are given in the recent (November) SCROLL Alumni Roll for 41 Clubs; "V" means Various times—usually at longer intervals; "E" stands for Every-week. Of course local conditions largely determine meeting times, but some Alumni Clubs are considering changing their frequency of meeting times, and some others indicate that they might well do so. Both attitudes should be credited as evidences of life and progress. Certainly, for traveling Alumni a definite Notice of Meeting times would be helpful. And, by the way, GLAC meets EVERY Friday Noon in the University Club of Los Angeles. $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni are cordially welcomed.

Among the Luncheon Groups are to be found some of GLAC's Senior Citizens. 64 of the 84 S.C. enrollees have attained the GOLDEN LEGION award. The Senior Citizens represent 22 States as shown in Fig. 5.

Of the 20 men who have not yet become Golden Legionnaires, eleven become eligible for that award in 1955. Their varied backgrounds and rich fraternal experiences bring large values to GLAC. And if from 84 men such great values accrue, how much more from the hundreds who meet at Founders Day celebrations and other events of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$! If chapters and academic environments put distinctive marks upon their Alumni, it may be imagined how very varied and interesting is the group called GLAC!

What, now, makes GLAC a Great Alumni Club? Why and How can it become Greater?

Concisely, a GREATER Fraternity is to be composed of GREATER MEN. And Greater Men will come from Greater Chapters, and will develop in Greater Alumni Clubs. That challenge of Tennyson's Round Table is taken up by GLAC and other Groups of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. "The old Order changeth, yielding place to new; and God fulfils Himself in many ways." Thus will a Great Fraternity become Greater and Greater.

Humbly we pause, realizing somewhat the greatness of past leaders and their accomplishments. But the Present is our time to serve, and perhaps to improve toward a Greater Fraternity for the future.

From far and wide today there are appearing messages of renewed resolves among Alumni Clubs. From Fort Worth, Texas, we read of "A strenuous effort to establish a Chapter at

T.C.U." THE SCROLL reports that "The Central Kentucky Alumni Club was formed September 10." Kansas City was host to "Fifteen Presidents of *other* [Fraternity Alumni] Clubs." Fort Collins writes: "It is hoped that some meetings can be held eventually in such *other* cities as Greeley, Loveland, and Longmont." Atlanta tells of entertaining "180 rushees who would be attending many colleges throughout the country." And as more and more Alumni Clubs come to see and to practice the OTHER attitude, trying to stimulate and enjoy each other in Club groups as well as individually, Alumni Clubs and their Fraternity will become Greater and Greater.

But not only are quantitative aspects to be

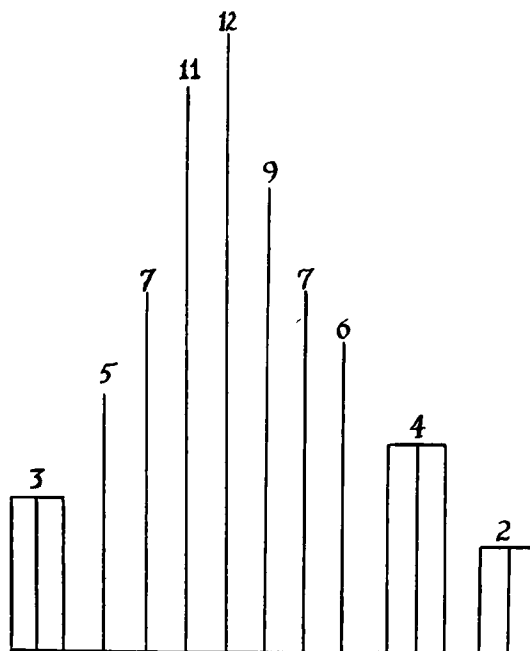


FIG. 5

Graduates, 1887-1907, Now in GLAC area and States of Their Graduation.

- $3 \times 3 = 9$ (3 each) from Maine, Minnesota, and Wisconsin.
 5 from Ohio.
 $7 \times 1 = 7$ from seven different States.
 11 from Illinois.
 12 from California.
 9 from Kansas.
 7 from Michigan.
 6 from New York.
 $4 \times 3 = 12$ (4 each) from Indiana, Iowa, and Pennsylvania.
 $3 \times 2 = 6$ (2 each) from Idaho, Nebraska, and Washington.
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 Total 84 "Senior Citizens" in GLAC from 22 States.

promoted; the qualitative factors must be considered by Alumni Clubs. Granted that such media as Luncheons bring excellent results. As a Pittsburgh Reporter wrote: "After an hour you are a new man . . .," and so it seems sometimes at GLAC Luncheons also. But is there not needed more careful attention in some areas to providing planned programs, even with highly motivated objectives? GLAC has proven the values in Regional Reunions, where some State or area is featured for a given day. Beginning last April with Indiana Beta, such featured days have continued week after week and are still going strong. Somewhat kaleidoscopic in the faces seen there, but frequently resulting in attendance by the newly discovered brothers, these "new man" methods are recommended.

Yes, Alumni Clubs can and do add much to the making, and re-making of better and greater Fraternity men. As a columnist has expressed: "An impressive pledging ceremony, a beautiful initiation, and the possession of a diamond-studded badge do *not* make a fraternity man. Not even regular attendance at meetings nor the prompt payment of bills give that certain something which sends him out in the world bearing the fraternity stamp." California's Capitol bears the words: "God give us MEN to match our mountains." Likewise for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$!

Even to begin to list the "Greats" of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is far beyond our space limitations herein. GLAC and other Alumni Clubs have and have had many noteworthy members. See *The Good Ship Phi* from GHQ; or leaf through the 79 volumes of that steadily growing greater periodical—THE SCROLL. Its emphasis upon human personalities is outstanding. Ye editor's comments, the many fine photographic reproductions, and the expert staff of associates make it a liberal education in fraternal facts and philosophies. From it and other sources GLAC is building a remarkable classified compendium of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ information.

One department alone—the Chapter Grand is being carefully edited by a GLAC Elder Statesman for private usage. It indicates the truthfulness of that great American Quotation: "Life is real, Life is earnest, and the grave is *not* its goal." For only in the "Beyond" can the GREATER Life be realized fully. Even some of our Golden Legionnaires still have far to go. And if some readers question that statement, consider the Shakespearean advice: "There are more things in heaven and earth than are dreamt of in thy philosophy."

Comparative philosophies and methods toward attainment of Greater Fraternal groups

have been assembled by IRAC* in *Ideals of Fraternity*. We read: "Analyze briefly the elements of Friendship—the fundamental basis of Fraternity Life. Eight essential factors are: (1) Generosity; (2) Loyalty and dependability; (3) Attractive mental and physical qualities; (4) Cheerfulness; (5) Mutual interest; (6) Fortitude; (7) Tolerance; (8) Truthfulness and honesty.

Basically there are 5 qualities to be developed: (1) Development of physical powers; (2) Development of mental powers; (3) Emotional poise; (4) Maintaining highest moral standards; (5) Achievement of lofty spiritual ideals.

Add to the preceding that classical prescription: "Four things a man must learn to DO, if he would keep his record true—To think without confusion clearly; To love his fellow-man sincerely; To act from honest motives purely; To trust in God and heaven securely." Big prescriptions? Yes, but, are not some guideposts needed on the way to Greater manhood, and consequent Greater Fraternity?

Finally, and underlying all last and first, is the guidance from the Friend "who sticketh closer than a brother." "Seek ye *first* the Kingdom" . . . and "The Kingdom is *within* YOU!"

* Interfraternity Research and Advisory Council.

Alumni Secretary Offers "Phi Project-A-Talk"

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of prepared material," Brother Blackwell declared in discussing the proposed use of the opaque projector. "However, many alumni clubs prefer to meet at noon and we will be prepared to present the high points of the illustrated talk in a program lasting only a few minutes."

In the experimentation done with alumni groups to date, the response to the visual presentation has been most enthusiastic.

In addition to appearing before organized alumni groups and undergraduate chapters, the Alumni Secretary has indicated his willingness and desire to meet with groups of alumni in communities in which no recognized alumni club is currently functioning. "While the organized clubs in the larger cities offer the ideal set-up for our presentation, we do not want to limit our efforts to such communities and I shall be delighted to meet with any group of ten or more alumni provided such meetings can be worked into the planned travel schedule," Brother Blackwell stated.

New Province Leaders Are Named

Presidents Are Announced for Gamma, Mu, and Delta Areas

THREE new Province Presidents have been named recently by the General Council. Two, to be introduced on these pages, succeed Brothers Howard L. Stuart and Clem E. Bininger who were elected to the General Council at the 50th General Convention. They are Frederick B. Huston, who takes over for Stuart in Gamma Province, and J. William Henderson, Bininger's successor in Mu Province. The third new appointee is Moreland Irby, *Richmond '43*, in Delta Province, succeeding Roland Galvin. Brother Irby will be presented in the next issue of THE SCROLL.

Frederick B. Huston, Gamma

A native of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, where he still lives, Brother Huston (*Penn State '22*) began an active career in athletics and other extracurricular fields in the Harrisburg high school from which he was graduated in 1918. He entered Penn State the following September and was pledged and initiated quickly by Pennsylvania Theta.

As an undergraduate, Huston participated in class athletics and was a member of the varsity basketball team. He served as chairman of the Student Tribunal and played the lead role in

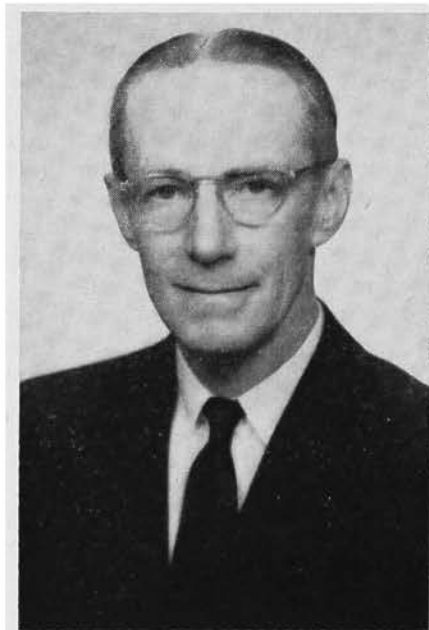
the Thespian production in his Senior year.

Upon graduation from Penn State Brother Huston went to work for the Bell Telephone Company and recently observed his 32nd year of employment with that company at the same time Pennsylvania Theta was celebrating its fiftieth anniversary. He is serving presently as Manager of Special Accounts.

Huston is a past president of the Harrisburg Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and the Penn State Alumni Club of Greater Harrisburg. For the past five years he has served as chairman of the Scholarship Committee of the Fraternity Alumni Club which has endeavored to stimulate scholarship in the chapters in Central Pennsylvania. He is also completing his third term as a member of the Alumni Council of Penn State University. Brother Huston is a member of various Masonic bodies and of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, which he now serves as Trustee and chairman of the Church Council.

J. William Henderson, Mu

J. William Henderson, *Missouri '26*, President of Mu Province, is a native of Kansas City, Missouri. A graduate of Central high school of
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FRED B. HUSTON, *Penn State '22*
New President, Gamma Province



J. WILLIAM HENDERSON, *Missouri '26*
New President, Mu Province

Penn Theta Marks 50th Year

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ter president, and Henry L. Yeagley, Jr., chapter adviser.

The chapter "shingle" of the late charter member, Wilhelm G. Felmeth, contained in a frame with his photograph, was presented to the active chapter by his widow, Mrs. Keziah L. Felmeth, Basking Ridge, New Jersey.

As a closing event on the banquet program a rising vote of thanks was given Fred B. Huston, *Penn State '22*, of Harrisburg, in appreciation of his outstanding service as chairman of the Golden Anniversary Committee. The big turnout was a credit to his personal efforts which entailed his giving up a good part of his vacation on both preliminary and final arrangements. In turn, Fred claimed the splendid turnout was made possible by letters written by 25 other brothers to members of the various classes.

Following the banquet, members adjourned to the chapter room to witness the final phase of the initiation of Pennsylvania Theta's Bond No. 607. Golden Anniversary smokers extended into late hours Friday and Saturday nights. On Sunday morning a large number of alumni and actives attended the regular morning worship services at the First Presbyterian Church in State College as a tribute to the memory of Dr. Irving Lysander Foster, *Brown '93*. Brother Foster was a member of the Penn State faculty in 1902 when he saw opportunity to establish a chapter on the campus. He was so active in that effort and in his 25 years as adviser that he

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that city and of the University of Missouri, he received a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1926 and a Bachelor of Journalism degree in 1927. He was student president of the College of Arts and Sciences and captain of the University golf team in 1925 and 1926. He was initiated by the Missouri Alpha chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in 1923, and is also a member of $\Sigma\Delta X$, professional journalistic fraternity.

After graduation from the University of Missouri, Brother Henderson was in newspaper and magazine work until 1934 when he joined the advertising staff of Mehornay Furniture Company of Kansas City. At the present time he is Director of that company's Institutional Wholesale Division.

In 1930 Henderson married Margaret Enloe, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Cortez F. Enloe of Jefferson City, Missouri, and sister of Dr. Cortez F. Enloe, *Missouri '32*, of Manhasset, New York. The Hendersons have two sons, James William, Jr., a Missouri Alpha Phikeia and David Enloe, a student in Kansas City Southwest high school.

Brother Henderson's father, Dr. James Paris Henderson of Excelsior Springs, Missouri, is a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, having been initiated by Missouri Alpha in 1897.

earned the title of "Father of Pennsylvania Theta." He died in 1929, a few weeks after the chapter observed its 25th anniversary.

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With Phis in the World of Sports

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., *Washburn '38*

Bud Grant (Minnesota), former All-Phi end, was selected on the Canadian Western All-Star team as an offensive end. . . . Although Kansas had a disappointing gridiron season, a pair of Phis received top honors at the annual football banquet. Guard Don Pfeutzenreuter, tiny 155-pound, was named the top defensive linebacker, and end Don Martin, the top defensive lineman. . . . Lowell Dawson (Tulane), Pittsburgh's ailing grid coach who stepped down for the balance of the season due to a heart condition, resigned on November 17. . . . Bill Austin (Ore. State), N.Y. Giant guard, and Don Colo (Brown), Cleveland Brown tackle and defensive captain, have been selected to play with the East Squad in the annual January charity pro bowl game. . . . B. H. Born (Kansas), All-Phi basketball center last year, is now playing for the A.A.U. Peoria Caterpillars who won the World Basketball Tournament in Rio de Janeiro. . . . Dwight Morrison (Idaho), All-Phi basketball selection, is playing pro basketball with the Boston Celtics. . . . Alvin Dark (LSU), field captain of the World Champion N.Y. Giants, signed a two year contract on October 20 for \$36,500 per year. . . . Levan Gray (Missouri), All-Phi Honor Roll hurdler, has been elected captain of the Tiger track team. . . . Jim Smith (Lawrence) was named captain-elect of the 1956 cross-country team.



THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE



Phi Principal and His School Mark 25th Milestone

In April, 1953, H. C. GODFREY FRY, South Dakota '14, observed his 25 anniversary as principal of Libby junior high school in Spokane, Wash. Coincidentally, the school marked the same milestone because Brother Fry began his term when the school was brand new. This double anniversary was the subject of a feature story in the magazine section of the Spokane Spokesman-Review by Dorothy Rochon Powers. It is reprinted in part by permission. The picture is cropped from a photograph by Frank Parker, Spokesman-Review staff photographer.—ED.

SOMETIMES a school is a man—his dreams and his aspirations, his beliefs and his practices.

That's the way it is with Libby junior high school and H. C. Godfrey Fry. . . .

Fry came to Libby with lots of teaching experience behind him.

He needed every bit when he opened Libby. Spokane's "East End" had long been talked about—perhaps unjustly—for its gangs of rough, tough boys. Soon after Libby opened, the mysterious letters of one of the district's most notorious gangs appeared scratched on lockers and walls—F. A. G.

"When we'd have a night entertainment at the school, the gang members used to line on both sides of the halls. They never did anything to anybody, but they made it pretty unpleasant," Fry recalls.

Within a few months, Fry had turned the F. A. G. gang members into a "protective organization" for school property. They guarded parked cars during night entertainments, served as hall monitors during school hours. The area's biggest gang had found a new channel for its energies.

From the start, Fry began to pile up "firsts" for his new school. The first two houses sponsored by the Spokane Kiwanis club for pension mothers were

built by Libby manual arts students. The Kiwanians furnished the material, and the boys the labor.

Hardly had the school opened when Fry installed a flag pole, and opened every day's classes by hoisting the colors in a ceremony complete with bugler and drummer. Every student in the school stood still and saluted. His pupils became the first junior high students in the state to use such a ceremony daily.

Every now and then, when he hears of a group of boys who make news because they take cooking classes, Fry has a quiet snicker. As early as 1930, he had classes of boisterous adolescents whipping around his school kitchens with a hot saucepan.

Nor were the Libby girls forgotten. Classes in woodworking and metal work were instituted for them at the same time.

Libby also was the first school in the city to have safe driving courses for students of junior high school age. This, too, occurred in 1930. Two years later his pupils, with Mrs. Lillian Smith as adviser, began their own newspaper. It was among the first in the city.

His students "caught fire" from their principal in scores of ways. His patriotism spurred them into selling so many bonds in 1945 that the air force awarded them a plaque "to honor the patriotic spirit of members of Libby junior high school." Purchased from their bond money were a scout car, a land jeep and a triple-threat amphibian jeep.

Membership in the Junior Red Cross at Libby has always been a 100 per cent affair. Every student participates. During the last war they filled endless stockings at Christmas for Baxter hospital patients, and packed boxes and kits of overseas necessities for United States service men abroad. . . .

Famous through the years—and still in his office—is a comfortable rocking chair which caused more than its share of lifted eyebrows when Fry installed it. Up to that time, a principal's office was an austere place. Fry left his door open always, and the chair was always there for students who wanted to "talk it over." It's been upholstered many times, but Fry believes it's been well worth it.

The pupils Fry and Libby junior high school trained stayed with him in memory. He never forgets a pupil, and he usually can tell not only their names but at least one anecdote about their school days. . . .

Since Godfrey Fry and Libby junior high school started out together, a parade of 3,564 graduates has



H. C. GODFREY FRY, South Dakota '14

JUDGE ALFRED L. BARTLETT, *Amherst '07*, whose name in the *Fraternity Directory* has borne a star these many years, meaning deceased, has instead been most alive and active in California judicial circles. Brother Bartlett retired, in October, from the Superior Court bench after eleven years. He was appointed by Governor Warren in 1943, and at a meeting honoring Judge Bartlett conducted by the judges at the Los Angeles Athletic Club in November, Warren, now Chief Justice Warren, sent a letter of commendation and good wishes to his "first appointee to the Superior Court."

Brother Bartlett, who came to California following his attendance at Amherst, received his law degree from the University of Southern California Law School in 1909 and practiced law in Los Angeles until his appointment to the bench. He has returned to private practice, associated in law offices with Arthur Little, former speaker of the State Assembly, as his partner. Brother Bartlett is a Mason, a member of Coif, a former President of the State Bar of California and a former member of the State Assembly.

Two affairs, one a luncheon given in his honor by the Directors of Swift and Co., in Chicago in September, and the other a dinner by employees and friends of the Neuhoff Packing Company, Nashville, Tenn., in October, honored the retirement of E. C. (Tommy) TOMPKINS, *Knox '10*. Brother Tompkins, who began his career with Swift and Co. in 1911, served his concern in various capacities and as a top manager of various plants, has been with the Neuhoff Packing Company in Nashville, Tenn., since 1931. The dinner, for which the president of Swift and Co., John Holmes, was present, was given in a "This Is Your Life," theme with slides and stories of his various accomplishments for his firm.

Although retiring from active business life, Brother Tompkins will go on working—devoting his whole time to being director of the United Givers fund in Nashville. During his years in Nashville, he has become one of the city's civic leaders, having served as vice-president and president of the Chamber of Commerce, president of the Rotary Club, president of Travelers Aid, board member and budget chairman of Community Chest and head of the initial gifts committee of the Red Cross.

T. ROSS FINK, *Swarthmore '26*, has been designated head of the elementary education division of the College of William and Mary and the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in Norfolk, Va. The Norfolk Division has been operating at a junior college for the past 25 years, but as the result of legislative approval has entered into a four-year degree program in the fields of Business Administration, Elementary Education, and Nursing.

left Libby. Many of them were back for the anniversary celebration to reminisce about their younger days, perhaps, but most of all to say hello again to an old and well-loved friend, their principal. . . .



PHI INTERVIEW

Brothers Crum and Harmon and Mrs. Harmon

Thousands of Phis from coast to coast enjoyed each Saturday afternoon during the past season the outstanding football telecasts by TOM HARMON, *Michigan '41*, and his co-worker Jack Drees, who were selected to handle all of the NCAA television games.

In the picture shown above the ex-Michigan All-American and his charming wife, the former Elyse Knox of the movies, are being interviewed by JAMES W. CRUM, *Ohio '52*, over WLWC-TV in Columbus on the eve of the Ohio State-Michigan game. The photo was taken at Brother Crum's November 19 Football Scoreboard telecast. In addition to featuring an outstanding sports personality as guest each week, Crum gave Friday night high school scores, national and Ohio College top ten rankings, and predicted the outcome of the week's top college games. Going out on a limb on 160 contests, he called 118 correct, 37 wrong, and had five ties for a percentage of .753.

WILLIAM H. WELCH, *Northwestern '48*, Denver, Colo., placed among the top nine in a field of 12,098 candidates in the autumn 1953 certified public accountant examinations to win an Elijah Watt Sells honorable mention award, it was announced recently by the American Institute of Accountants. Brother Welch is employed in the Office of the Chief Counsel of the Internal Revenue Service at Denver, Colo. A member of both the Iowa and Illinois bar, he holds two degrees from Northwestern, the B.S. in 1948, and the J.D., 1951.

FRANK M. RUSSELL, *Iowa State '25*, has completed 25 years' service as Vice-president in charge of the National Broadcasting Company's Washington office and was honored by NBC employees at a banquet at the Sheraton-Carlton Hotel on Tuesday, November 30.



DR. A. L. FEILD, North Carolina '11
Sauveur Medalist for 1954.

DR. ALEXANDER L. FEILD, North Carolina '11, associate director of research for Armco Steel Corporation, and one of the nation's outstanding authorities on stainless steel, has been named Sauveur Medalist for 1954.

The Sauveur Medal was established in 1934 by the American Society for Metals, and is one of the highest honors in the field of metallurgy. It recognizes achievements which have made a marked contribution to the basic knowledge of metals. Presentation of the award was made at the annual meeting of the Society.

Dr. Feild, who directs Armco's research in stainless steel, maintains his headquarters at the research laboratories at the company's Baltimore Works.

In 1923 Dr. Feild received the J. E. Johnson, Jr. Award of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, and in 1940 the Modern Pioneer Award, both coveted prizes in the metallurgical field. During World War II he served with the Technical Industrial Intelligence Committee of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and in 1945 carried out an important scientific mission to England and Germany.

In his 35 years of research Dr. Feild has been awarded 37 United States patents, and has written numerous technical papers and reports, most of them in his special field of stainless steel.

VINCENT HILLYER, California '47, recently welcomed home his wife, Princess Fatemah, sister of the Shah of Iran, who had been in the Middle East for six months. Shortly after her return, their 10-month-old daughter, Rana, died of injuries suffered in a fall in her play pen.

JOE T. DICKERSON, Oklahoma '19, of Shell Pipe Line Corp., has an unusual formula for success in the oil industry: Go through law school, join the legal department of a big oil company, and try to make yourself indispensable. He doesn't claim to be indispensable to Shell Pipe Line, but he's the next thing to it. He's president.

A veteran in the Shell organization, Brother Dickerson became president of Shell Pipe Line after serving three years as vice-president of Shell Oil Co.'s Midland, Tex., area in charge of exploration and production. He first rubbed shoulders with Shell Pipe Line years ago when he was head of Shell Oil Co.'s legal department.

Dickerson modestly admits his legal training "has been a great help" to him in the oil business. Most of his experience with Shell had been in the legal department prior to his recent transfer to Houston, Tex., as president. He had been head of the legal departments in Tulsa, St. Louis, and Houston, and also had served as general attorney in the company's Houston office and assistant secretary and manager of the head-office legal department in New York City.

In 1946, with more than twenty years of legal experience behind him, he was named area manager for East Texas and the Texas Gulf Coast, with headquarters in Houston. He remained in that position until 1951, when he was named vice-president and was transferred to the Midland district, which embraces the vast Permian basin and southeastern New Mexico.

Brother Dickerson's career with Shell was interrupted during World War II when he joined the U.S. Air Corp's combat intelligence as a captain and wound up a lieutenant colonel. Serving with a B-24 bomber group in Italy a little more than a



JOE T. DICKERSON, Oklahoma '19
He has a formula for success . . .

year, he flew many bombing missions as an intelligence observer, and was in on one of the bombing runs over the Ploesti oil fields.

Time spent by most men in hobbies is used by Brother Dickerson in civic work, in all branches of which he has been most active. He has consented to be the principal speaker at the Phi Delta Theta Tulsa Alumni Association's annual Founders Day banquet, March 13, 1955, at the Mayo Hotel.—O. F. COZIER, *Ohio Wesleyan '22*.

HARRY W. GOCHNAUER, *Lawrence '13*, has been appointed chief plant engineer for Marathon Corporation. Assigned to the company's central manufacturing staff at Menasha, Brother Gochbauer will divide his time between there and Green Bay, where he has served for the past 33 years as chief engineer of Northern Paper Mills, which Marathon purchased last year. Previous to coming to Northern in 1921, he worked for the Ohio State department of health on public water supplies and with consulting engineers in Cleveland.

ARTHUR M. GEE, *Miami '13*, former Director and General Counsel for the Ohio Oil Company, received the American Petroleum Institute's Certificate of Appreciation recently at the organization's 34th annual meeting in Chicago.

Brother Gee was one of nine oil men honored by the Division of Transportation in recognition of long and outstanding service to the oil industry through participation in the work of the Institute. He retired from active duty last year under the Ohio Oil Company's annuity plan following 34 years of service.



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ARTHUR M. GEE, *Miami '13*
Honored by A.P.I.



Chicago Tribune

WILLIAM J. FULTON, *Illinois '98*
Retires from Illinois Supreme Court.

JUSTICE WILLIAM J. FULTON, *Illinois '98*, of Sycamore, Ill., a member of the Illinois Supreme Court for the last twelve years, resigned Nov. 1, 1954. A veteran of 30 years on the bench, Brother Fulton, who is 80, gave advancing age and the illness of his wife as the reasons for his decision to retire. Dean of the court both in service and age, he served as Chief Justice in 1944-45, and as senior judge had served several years as motions judge, alerting other members as to motions and their effect on decisions and court actions.

Brother Fulton began the practice of law in Illinois in 1901, and later served as city attorney of Sycamore and master of chancery of DeKalb County. In March, 1923, he was elected Circuit judge of the 16th judicial district and in 1930 was named judge of Appellate Court, 4th district. He was elected to the Supreme Court in 1942 and re-elected in 1951.

Brother Fulton's two sons are also Illinois Phis: William, Jr., *Illinois '29*, eastern correspondent for *The Chicago Tribune* and Robert B. Fulton, *Illinois '31*, of Dobbs Ferry, N.Y.

A fortieth wedding anniversary was celebrated recently by the Bryan Reids at their home in Lake Forest, Ill. BRYAN REID, *Wisconsin '13*, is a well-known civic figure and has served as head of the Community Chest drive.

WALTER R. BAGOT, *Indiana '25*, prominent Anderson, Ind., attorney, has been named president of the Anderson Chamber of Commerce. He has been active in Chamber of Commerce affairs for a number of years. Brother Bagot is a member of the law firm of Bagot, Free and Shearer.



TOM McCALL, Oregon '36
Loses a close one.

TOM LAWSON McCALL, Oregon '36, assistant to Douglas McKay, Oregon State '17, when he was Governor of Oregon, was the Republican nominee for Congressman from Oregon's third congressional district (Multnomah county which includes Portland). He defeated the long-time incumbent, Republican Congressman Homer Angell to win the nomination but in November, lost a close election to the Democrat nominee.

President of his chapter and of the interfraternity council at the University of Oregon, Brother McCall became a sports editor in Idaho following his graduation and during World War II was a combat correspondent in the U. S. Navy. Later, he entered radio work in Portland before Brother McKay, now Secretary of the Interior, appointed him as Assistant to the Governor in 1949.

Two years of radio and television work in Portland followed his departure from the Governor's office. McCall has been a partner in a Portland public relations firm and has one of the State's most outstanding records of public service, including the presidency of the Oregon Prison Association, Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Conference of Christians and Jews, and has lent leadership to civil defense, Indian affairs and other activities.

Popular as a Founders Day speaker, Brother McCall's interest in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has continued through the years. He is married and the father of two prospective Phis. Other Oregon Phis in the state government continue to make news. William E. Walsh, Willamette '27, a former President of the State Senate, was recently appointed to the Willamette University Board of Trustees and the State Board of Higher Education and completed a term on the Board of Governors of the Bar Association. Frank J. Van Dyke, Willamette '31, has been ap-

pointed a commissioner on the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education and a commissioner for Crater Lake National Park. He was Speaker of the House of Representatives in 1949. Travis Cross, Willamette-Stanford '49, assistant to the chancellor of the state system of higher education, has been elected district director of the American College Public Relations Association.

JUSTIN HAMMOND, Missouri '37, author of a column called the "Ring Around" in the *Corona Daily Independent* (which he and his brother publish) used THE SCROLL article on "Dennis the Menace" as a basis for one of his columns in September.

Equally famous for his accomplishments on the tennis court and his years of service to the people of Dallas, former Mayor JEAN BAPTISTE ADOUE, JR., Texas '06, recently celebrated his 70th birthday. President of the National Bank of Commerce at Dallas, Brother Adoue spent much of the day at the bank as usual. Although he retired from politics in 1953 after having served terms on the City Council from 1941-47 and as mayor—the city's first directly elected mayor in 20 years—in 1951, he still plays tennis regularly. He was at one time the acknowledged champion of Dallas. Brother Adoue is a former president of the Community Chest, of the Chamber of Commerce, of the Dallas Clearing House Association, and during World War II was a member of the executive committee of the War Chest of Dallas County and a vice-president of the National War Fund. In 1943, he was the recipient of the Linz Award, given annually to Dallas' outstanding citizen.



Dallas Times Herald

JEAN BAPTISTE ADOUE, JR., Texas '06
Veteran Dallas leader checks tennis racket on 70th birthday.

WILLIAM G. FARRINGTON, *Cincinnati* '29, is the subject of an interesting feature story that appeared in the *Houston Post* last summer. It refers to him as "Titled Texan . . . A Conservative Who Builds for Beauty."

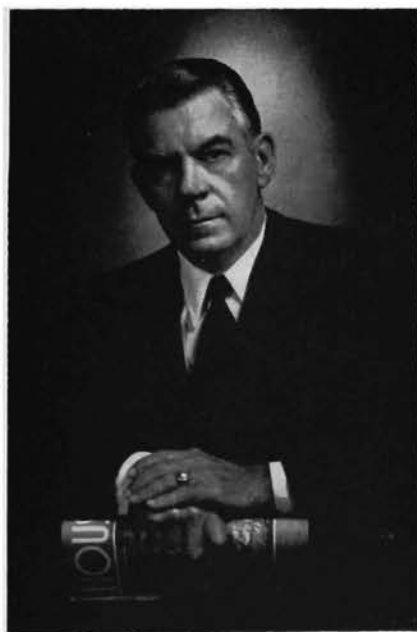
Brother Farrington "is an engineer, a builder, and a community developer." He calls it an interesting business "because the form of American cities has been changing pretty fast since World War II."

The story goes on to point out that he "is also a soil conservationist and a lover of trees. The community which he is developing now—Tanglewood, lying off the Post Oak Road and San Felipe Road—has been carefully and cunningly planted with the native trees of Harris County, not in geometric rows but with an eye to the general landscape effect. . . ."

Though Brother Farrington was born in Oklahoma and went to Houston only in the 1930s he has a Texas background on both his maternal and paternal sides and also a long tradition in civil engineering. It was not surprising, therefore, that he decided to follow this profession after working on construction jobs for three years following high school. He enrolled at the University of Cincinnati but stayed only three years.

"The only degrees I ever took," he says, "were those of pledge and initiate of Phi Delta Theta."

Farrington started his own firm in 1931 and built it to what is now the William G. Farrington Co., which he heads as President. He is also President of the Tanglewood Corporation, the Parkwood Terrace Corporation, and a director of two banks and a savings and loan association. He is a member of Kiwanis, the Houston Club, the Houston Country Club, and is very active in civic affairs.



W. G. FARRINGTON, *Cincinnati* '29
Engineer, community developer, conservationist.



ORVILLE P. NUFFER, *Kansas State* '33
Promoted by Mead Johnson

Directors of Mead Johnson and Company, Evansville, Ind., have named ORVILLE P. NUFFER, *Kansas State* '33, to the post of vice-president in charge of the Parenteral Products Division.

Brother Nuffer will have complete charge of the development and marketing of Mead Johnson's new and expanding line of injectable medicines. He had been parenteral products sales manager prior to his promotion.

A native of Emporia, Kansas, Nuffer had lived for a number of years in Berkeley, California, prior to joining Mead Johnson in February 1953. In Berkeley he was with Cutter Laboratories.

The entire personal library of HERBERT FITZPATRICK, *Washington & Lee* '92, Huntington, W.Va., attorney, has been presented to his alma mater, Washington & Lee University. The collection, including about 2,800 bound volumes and numerous pamphlets, is valued at \$50,000 and includes complete sets of Thackeray, Dickens, Shakespeare and many sets of reference works. Brother Fitzpatrick, who graduated in 1892 and received his law degree one year later, served as University librarian for a year following his graduation, became a member of his alma mater's Board of Trustees in 1931 and was director of the Board from 1941 to 1953.

ROBERT W. BEALL, *Maryland* '31, attorney in Bethesda, Md., is President of the Montgomery County Bar Association.

COL. JOSEPH F. SILER, *Virginia* '98, a member of the Golden Legion, was re-elected in October as President of the Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine, a post he has held since 1941.

★ SHORT SHOTS FROM THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE ★

In Charter Day ceremonies which brought Columbia University's bicentennial observance to a close on Sunday, October 31, **Dr. Levering Tyson** (Gettysburg '10) was one of 48 personages (22 from abroad) to be awarded an honorary degree. Brother Tyson, a member of the Fraternity's Survey Commission and Chancellor of the Free Europe University in Exile, was formerly President of Muhlenberg College. Among the 48 notables honored was Queen Mother Elizabeth of Britain. . . . **Virgil M. Newton, Jr.** (Florida '26), managing editor of the *Tampa Tribune*, was recently given an award by the National Association of Foremen as the "free enterprise newswriter for 1954." He received the award when he addressed the Association's national convention in Cincinnati. . . . **Joseph W. Moore** (Pittsburgh '50) recently became associated with the law firm of Baker, Watts & Woods in Pittsburgh.

JAMES C. TAYLOR, JR., *Northwestern* '38, has opened new advertising offices in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Approximately 18 feet by 50 feet, the offices have a front of translucent glass framed in aluminum with a decorative red brick base that includes a flower box. Aluminum doors lead to a large reception room in green, with a white ceiling and a brick storage wall of antique white. Handsome wrought iron furniture is used in the area reserved for clients. The conference room features brown carpeting and walls, and woodwork of natural white oak. A sofa and chairs are upholstered in brown and green leather.

Brother Taylor has been in advertising and public relations work for sixteen years. He was associated with John Morrell & Co. from 1938 to 1942, and as an infantryman in the 38th Infantry Division, he helped compile the unit's history overseas in 1944 and 1945. In 1948 he prepared an 80-page history of Ottumwa.



JAMES C. TAYLOR, JR., *Northwestern*, '38
Announces opening of attractive new offices for his
advertising agency in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Dr. Alton Ochsner (South Dakota '18), distinguished American surgeon and one of the world's most eminent cancer specialists, is the author of *Smoking and Cancer*. . . . **Thomas M. Brownlee** (Nebraska '50), was promoted to the post of manager of the Tallahassee (Fla.) Chamber of Commerce, effective November 1. . . . **Bill Glassford** (Pittsburgh '36), coach of the Nebraska football team which met Duke in the Orange Bowl on New Year's Day, was the featured speaker at the Nebraska Alumni banquet at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles in November. . . . The retirement of **Austin S. Iglehart** (Wisconsin '12) as chairman of the Board of Directors of General Foods was announced at a December meeting. He will continue as a member of the board and its executive committee. . . . **Judge Victor R. Hansen** (U.C.L.A. '25), Los Angeles Superior Court Judge, is a new member of the Board of Directors of the Lutheran Hospital Society. He was formally installed at a luncheon in his honor at the California hospital.

Architect **Frank Lloyd Wright** (Wisconsin '80) has stated that he will tear down his famed Taliesin studio near Madison (Wis.) and leave his native state because of court rulings subjecting him to additional taxes. Brother Wright was angered when the Wisconsin Supreme Court ruled that the Foundation which operates his architectural school is not a school in the accepted sense of the term and is subject to local property taxes. He will continue his work at the Foundation's present winter site in Arizona and probably at a new site in Upstate New York during the summers. . . . **Erie D. Chapman** (Akron '28) became general secretary of the Toledo (Ohio) YMCA on January 1. For the past ten years he was executive secretary of the Hollywood (Calif.) YMCA branch. . . . **J. Earle Jardine, Jr.** (California '23) has accepted the chairmanship of the 1955 Los Angeles Red Cross fundraising campaign.

Acting Atty. Gen. **William V. O'Connor** (North Dakota '33) of California has been honored by the American Legion of that State for his part in the State-wide narcotics study made last year. He was awarded the American Legion certificate of Distinguished Service for his "untiring zeal and effective work in the field of narcotic enforcement." . . . U. S. Ambassador **Donald R. Heath** (Washburn '17) returned to Washington in November for reassignment after four years in Saigon, Viet-Nam, Indo-China war capital. . . . For the second straight time **Coach Art Lewis** (Ohio '35) of West Virginia University was named Coach of the Year in the Southern Conference. He is a member of the All-Phi Football Board. . . . **Col. Kenwood B. Rohrer** (U.C.L.A. '28) assumed new duties recently as a member of the State (California) Adjutant General's Selective Service section. In civil life he is legal and guardianship attorney for the Veterans Administration.

The new President of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority has close $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ connections. She is a member of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Mothers' Club of the University of Cincinnati where her son **Tom** is a member of Ohio Theta, as is her husband, **Elliott Chapman** (Cincinnati '26). . . . **James E. Reynolds** (Stanford '28) is vice-president and manager of the Alhambra (Calif.) branch of the Bank of America. Until October he was assistant manager of the Whittier branch. . . . At their annual Dad's Day dinner Idaho Alpha made a great hit with clever "Dennis the Menace" menus, through the courtesy of Artist **Hank Ketcham** (Washington '41). . . . **Charles "Chick" Evans** (Northwestern '13), former golfing wizard who won 53 major amateur titles, including two U. S. amateur championships, is a salesman for the Beloit (Wis.) Dairy Company. At 63, he still manages to play in amateur tourneys. "Win or lose, I'll golf until I die," he says.

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Phil McCullough (Nebraska '17), internationally known telephone engineering authority, was honored recently when initiated into Sigma Tau, honorary engineering fraternity at the University of Nebraska. He had just returned from one of his worldwide trips. . . . **Howard L. "Pete" Stuart** (Penn State '20), new member of the Fraternity's General Council, has been re-elected chairman of the Penn State Athletic Advisory Board. He starts his fifth term on the board and second as chairman. . . . **Marion S. Leaming** (Wabash '07) has retired after 36 years of service with the Chicago & Western Indiana and Belt Railway Companies. He was Freight Claim Agent in Chicago. Brother Leaming was with the Monon and the Illinois Central for ten years following his graduation and thus rounds out 46 years of railroad service. . . . **Ira A. Pitsenberger** (West Virginia '24) was named second vice-president of the West Virginia Society of Professional Engineers at the organization's White Sulphur Springs meeting recently.

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Note in Ed Sullivan's column, "Broadway": "After 20 years as piano-playing bandleader at El Morocco, Chauncey Grey bows out this week and Charles Holden (Phi Delta Theta, no less) bows in." **Charles A. Holden** (Colorado A & M '32), we think. Will some good night-clubbing New York Phi please verify? . . . Note in the Indianapolis *News*' "Seventy-Five Years Ago" column: "Hilton U. Brown, was one of the leading participants in the national convention of Phi Delta Theta social fraternity at Bloomington. He addressed the audience on 'The Modern Greek, or Is Civilization Declining?'" This was in 1879, brothers, and he's still making wonderful speeches at $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ conventions! . . . **George A. Schumacher** (Butler '25) has left his post as Information Director of the Indiana State Chamber of Commerce to become Assistant Secretary of the Indiana Telephone Association. George is a frequent contributor to THE SCROLL.

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Walker M. Treece (Oregon '42), Portland finance company executive and a past president of the

Junior Chamber of Commerce of the city, recently received the Jaycees' annual "First Citizen" award for 1954. Brother Treece won the award through his activities in no less than nineteen civic, professional, and educational groups! . . . **Lawrence R. Lynch** (Ohio Wesleyan '13) was re-elected president of the West Virginia Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting, which featured an address by Pulitzer Prize-winning novelist **Louis Bromfield** (Columbia '20). . . . Vice-President of the Eisenhower Exchange Fellowships is **Donald K. David** (Idaho '16), Dean of the Harvard Graduate School of Business. As an officer, he is also a member of the Board of Trustees, which includes two other Phis: **Rufus C. Harris** (Mercer '17), President of Tulane University, and **Andrew W. Robertson** (Allegheny '06), Chairman of the Finance Committee for Westinghouse Electric.

DONALD K. DAVID, Idaho '16, dean of the Harvard Graduate School of Business, announced his retirement from the post he has held since 1942, effective next Summer. After retiring Brother David said he would devote increased time to his business and philanthropic interests. He is a director of Aluminum, Ltd., the American Maize Products Co., the Ford Motor Company, the General Electric Company, the First National Bank of the City of New York and R. H. Macy and Co.

He also is a director of the Boys' Clubs of America and a trustee of the Ford Foundation, the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, Whitehall Foundation, Inc., and the Merrill Foundation for Advancement of Financial Knowledge, Inc.

A Texas father and son Phi team recently received advancement in their banking business. **T. D. SELLS**, Southwestern '26, became president of the Orange National Bank at Houston, Tex., and his son, **George Sells, II**, Southwestern '51, became the newest officer in the bank, receiving the post of assistant trust officer and assistant cashier. Brother T. D. began his career with the bank 28 years ago, and Brother George worked for the bank two Summers while attending Southwestern.

HOMER H. MCINTYRE, Washington (St. Louis) '45, won national recognition last summer when he (as a Regis College Senior) surpassed more than 2,600 Senior accounting majors in the National Accounting Achievement Test prepared, conducted and scored by the American Institute of Accountants of New York. He received the highest possible percentile rating in the difficult four-hour test, achieving the score of 100. Brother McIntyre was initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ with the class of 1945 at Washington University. Ill health forced him to leave school for a period of time and he re-entered Regis College in Denver where he graduated last Spring.

As a result of his outstanding accomplishment in the A.I.A. competitive test, McIntyre received many offers of employment. He chose to go to work for Arthur Young & Co. in Toledo, Ohio.

★ BRIEF ITEMS ABOUT PHIS WITH THE COLORS ★

PFC Theodore C. Kiekhaefer (Nebraska '55) is serving as an out patient clerk in the Medical Detachment of the 1st Infantry Division's 32nd Field Artillery Battalion in Germany. He entered the Army in August, 1953, and has been overseas since May of this year. . . . Dr. Albert C. Lammert (Allegheny '44) began his second tour of duty with the Navy in June, 1953, after completion of three years of specialized training in obstetrics in Jacksonville, Fla. Since that time he has been assigned to a Destroyer Squadron operating out of Newport, R.I., with tours of duty in the Mediterranean and the Caribbean. His family, wife Patricia and daughters Linda and Nancy, have been living in Newport since last August. Brother Lammert's Fleet address is: Lt. A. C. Lammert, M.C., USNR, Com. Cort Des Ron 6, c/o DDE Fred T. Berry, F.P.O., New York, N.Y. He would like very much to hear from any of his fraternity brothers. . . . Pvt. Glen A. Mitchell (Purdue '52) recently arrived on Okinawa for duty with the Ryukyus Command Transportation Service. . . . Delwyn D. Renzelman (Colorado A & M '55) has been promoted to Corporal in Japan where he is with the 34th Engineer Company.

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Lt. Fal Johnson (Florida '50), former star football player, is holder of the Soldier's Medal, the Army's highest award for heroism not involving actual conflict with enemy forces. Johnson was awarded the medal for his actions in combatting a fire and leading rescue operations at the scene of a crashed airplane at Fort Bragg, N.C. . . . Pvt. Gil Sabuco (Michigan '53) is with the 99th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion in Detroit, Mich., as a personnel administrative supervisor. . . . 2nd Lt. Thomas T.



CITED IN KOREA

After receiving the Commendation Ribbon for meritorious service, LT. COL. ARTHUR E. HARRELL, Indiana '31, (right), is congratulated by Colonel Charles P. Crosby, commanding officer of the 55th Quartermaster Depot, Korean Communications Zone in Pusan, Korea. Colonel Harrell was cited for service as chief of the Storage Division's Headquarters Company.

Taylor (North Dakota '53) was graduated from the Army Information School at Fort Slocum, N.Y. in October. He is assigned to the 3400th Area Service Unit at Fort Campbell, Ky. . . . Richard W. Malsack (Lawrence '53) recently joined the 7th Infantry Division in Korea. Men in this "Bayonet" division are undergoing intensive training to maintain the peak combat efficiency displayed by the unit from Pusan to the Yalu river. . . .

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Col. John C. Miller, Jr. (South Dakota '35) is back in business at the same old stand after thirteen years. He returned to Pearl Harbor in September as assistant chief of staff, G-3. Brother Miller was in Hawaii last in 1941, leaving at that time for service at Saipan (two Purple Hearts and a Bronze Star), Okinawa (Bronze Star), and Japan. . . . The Air Force has announced the promotion to First Lieutenant of James C. Holmes (Ohio Wesleyan '51), who is stationed at the Spangdahlen Air Base in Germany. . . . Pvt. Lorenz Silva (Florida '55) is serving with the Seventh Army Headquarters in Germany as a stenographer in the chemical section. . . . Lt. Billy G. Walker (Oklahoma A & M '50) joined the 196th Ordnance Detachment at Fort Lewis, Wash., in December. He is serving as commanding officer of the unit.

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John R. Robson (Arizona '51), enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps in November, 1952. He completed basic training in San Diego as Honor Man of his Platoon. Later he graduated in first place from clerical school at Cherry Point, N.C., and was recommended for Naval Air Cadet training at the "Annapolis of the Air," Pensacola, Florida. He had attained the rank of corporal before he was separated from the Marines to start the Naval Cadet program in March, 1954. On June 25 he graduated from pre-flight training fifth highest in a class of 56 cadets, with rank of Battalion Cadet Sub-Commander, an office he also now holds at Corry Field, Pensacola, where he made his first solo flight in September. Shortly he will be transferred to Saufley Field, Pensacola, for formation flight training. His designation as an officer and aviator will occur in August, 1955.



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John R. Alison (Florida '35), former Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Aeronautics, was elected president of the Air Force Association in August. The association is composed of 40,000 Air Force veterans and members. Brother Alison, administrative vice-president of Northrop Aircraft, Inc., lives at San Mateo and Redwood City, Calif.

The Phi Delt quartet pictured at right works side by side at the world's largest Marine Corps base—Camp Pendleton, California. Johns, a Marine Corporal, is a writer-announcer on the weekly "Marines in Review" radio show, which is aired nationally by ABC. Nusbaum, a Hospital-man in the Base Surgeon's office, is due to be discharged soon and will return to U.C.L.A. Woodman, a Marine Sergeant, is editor of the *Camp Pendleton Scout* newspaper, and Phikeia Kinney handles all publicity for Marine radio and TV productions.

Scheduled to return to the U.S. from Germany in December, COL. HARWOOD O. BENTON, *Washburn '17*, wearer of the nation's second highest award for combat heroism, will retire from the Army after 37 years of service.

Colonel Benton for the past three years served as athletic and decreation officer for the V Corps in Frankfurt, Germany. He will make his home in Topeka, Kansas.

The colonel, who began his military career as a private in Topeka, gained the Distinguished Service Cross in World War I when, wounded, he braved enemy fire to rescue injured comrades after leaders of his company were disabled.

In addition to the nation's second highest award, Colonel Benton wears among his decorations the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster and the Reserve Medal with 30-year device. The French government awarded him the Croix de Guerre and the Legion of Honor.

DONALD E. ABOOD, *Union '43*, is the newly appointed manager of the Portland, Me., branch office of the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn. He was formerly assistant manager of the Albany, N.Y., branch.

DONALD E. ABOOD, *Union '43*

NO REST FOR A PHIKEIA

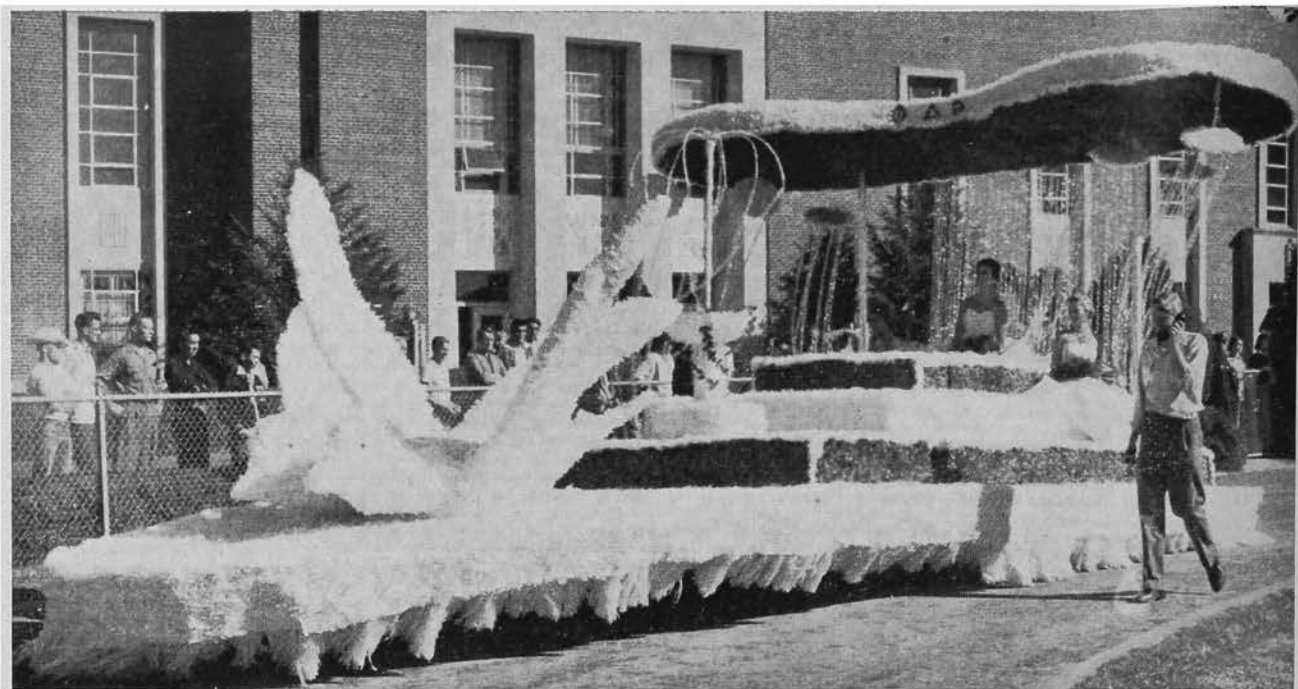
Even in the Army! Indiana Gamma Phikeia Bob Kinney performs his daily pledge duties at newly activated "Camp Pendleton Alpha" for Actives (left to right) BRUCE JOHNS, Ohio Wesleyan '53; BILL NUSBAUM, U.C.L.A. '56; and JIM WOODMAN, New Mexico '53.

Following World War I, Colonel Benton served as a reserve officer and later as a member of the Kansas National Guard's 114th Cavalry Regiment. In 1940 he joined the Kansas unit, renamed the 147th Field Artillery Regiment, when it was called to active duty.

During World War II Colonel Benton served in the Pacific Theater of Operations, including the Bougainville, Guadalcanal and New Caledonia campaigns.

From 1945 to 1948 he served in Korea as military governor of Pusan and chief of the Korean Liaison Mission.

COL. H. O. BENTON, *Washburn '17*



OKLAHOMA BETA'S PRIZE-WINNING HOMECOMING FLOAT

As always, in the January "Scroll," the chapter reports are filled with news of Homecoming activities and of prize-winning efforts in float and house decoration competitions. Typical of the thought and work that go into these traditional campus contests is this beautiful float conceived and constructed by the Phis of Oklahoma Beta chapter at Oklahoma A & M. It won first place in beauty and also the grand championship award this year, marking the fourth time in the eight-year life of this chapter that it has been recognized for outstanding Homecoming achievement. A splendid tradition to maintain—both for undergraduate and alumni interest and we congratulate Oklahoma Beta!

★ REPORTS from the UNDERGRADUATE FRONT ★

ALABAMA ALPHA, University of Alabama.—December as always, proved to be a big month for Alabama Alpha. The annual Christmas Party, a rush season feature, was highlighted by a pledge skit and Santa Claus presenting presents. Basketball season also began with Miller Weatherly as captain of the team. We should have one of the best teams on campus with almost the entire team back from last year, plus the addition of a few talented Phikeias. The university sponsored a Help Week and the chapter took an active part. We are all proud of Dan Coyle. He started the football season as just another substitute for Alabama's Crimson Tide, but by the end of the year he was a starting end. He has come a long way this season and we look for great things from him before his playing days are over.—J. MOLTON SMITH, *Reporter*.

ALABAMA BETA, Alabama Polytechnic Institute.—At the time of this writing, the Reporter finds that Alabama Beta is completing a very successful Fall quarter in the field

of athletics, scholastics, school and social activities. The chapter's intramural football team won second place in interfraternity football league and at this time, the basketball team is practicing for the coming season. Most of last year's starting five have returned and the team promises to be a top contender. The chapter is proud to be an honor chapter in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and doing everything to retain the rating this quarter. Homecoming weekend at Alabama Beta was an enormous success with over 300 people visiting the house, and Auburn winning the football game. All of the boys enjoyed the fellowship of the numerous alumni and brothers from Clemson who dropped in for the weekend. We also were glad to welcome the Florida Gamma brothers who were here for the Auburn-Florida State Game. The Fall social activities have been highlighted by the annual Bowery ball, Homecoming dance, Alabama-Auburn dance in Birmingham with the Auburn KAs and $\Sigma\Delta E$, and many other house dances and pledge swaps. Our outstanding pledge class has made a top-notch record this Fall. Be-

sides keeping the house and grounds in shape, they have constructed a float for the Wreck-Tech parade, decorated the party room with murals, competed in the annual Freshman Cake Race and along with some of the brothers, put up our "Dennis the Menace" Homecoming decoration, which was acclaimed by all as the cutest on campus. The chapter has made several improvements on the house including linoleum and formica on the kitchen floors and table-tops respectively. We are planning on redecorating our housemother's rooms next quarter. We are saddened by the loss of our head cook, Mandy Bryant, who had served us faithfully for some 30 years.—FRED L. SMITH, *Reporter*.

ALBERTA ALPHA, University of Alberta.—Rushing is over for another year and it was the greatest. The brothers really put out, and as a result $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has 25 spanking new pledges. To term the rushing season a success is definitely the understatement of the year. The fact remains that the Fall season has been a hit in many respects, to wit: the Intra-

mural Football Trophy is currently esconced on our mantelpiece for the third consecutive year; we have a king in the crowd, as Tom Peacock was elected King of the Mardi Gras over four or five candidates. This same Peacock was a close second in the consideration for the Rhodes Scholarship Award but was edged out at the last minute. Undoubtedly Brother Peacock must be considered a great guy, an all around guy, who aside from being house manager, president of the Golden Key Honor Society and one of the strongest supporters of any fraternity team entered in Interfraternity competition, is always available for any personal counsel. Marv Perry has come and gone, gone but definitely is not forgotten. Fortunately Marv had the opportunity of witnessing the Edmonton Eskimo Football Club in action, and showed his good taste by betting that they would win the Grey Cup, emblematic of the Canadian Championship. We were indeed sorry that Marv could not extend his visit with us, but the brothers, as a whole, will long remember the short though pleasant association. The monthly Alumni meeting was held at the house, December 8, and plans already are under way for a gala weekend commemorating our twenty-fifth year on campus, March 4, 5, 6, 1955.—J. R. HIGGIN, *Reporter*.

ARIZONA ALPHA, University of Arizona.—Arizona Alpha is now making an all-out attempt to bring up the scholarship rating. At mid-semester we had our annual "steak and beans dinner." People not on the "D List" had steak, and the ones on the "D List" had beans. As a result of our increased emphasis on scholarship, an unusual number of people ate steaks. Mom and Dad's



AT ALABAMA BETA

LEFT: Fourteen of Alabama Beta's nineteen Phikeias. They are, TOP ROW: Bill Healy, Cleve Wester, Lew Thomson. MIDDLE ROW: Tony Reynolds, Lee Phillips, Don Greer, Bill Church, John Dixon. BOTTOM ROW: Joe Oliver, Sonny Culpepper, Bob Clark, Rob Leatherbury, Dooley Culbertson, Mack Gordon. RIGHT: Homecoming at Auburn: A 20-foot high "Dennis the Menace" waves his arms as he says, "C'mon, let's have a Tiger fight," to the two tigers moving back and forth in front of him.

Day was a great success as our house decoration won the sweepstakes trophy. Before the football game we had an open house and buffet dinner for the parents of all the Phis. Both the parents and the chapter agreed that the party was a great success. Brother Grimes was chosen as a member of the Border Conference All-Stars who played the Skyline All-Stars in the Salad Bowl, New Year's Day. The plans for our new house are progressing at a rapid pace. The final payment on our new lot was made in December, and our present house has been sold to the ZBTs. We are moving into temporary quarters for the Spring semester with high hopes of opening our new house in time for rush next Fall.—DENNIS BALINT, *Reporter*.

ARKANSAS ALPHA, University of Arkansas.—Arkansas Alpha completed a very good rush season with the addition of the following Phikeias:

Ernest Lawrance, Little Rock; Sam Smith, Tuckerman; Charles Scott, Little Rock; Jerry Massey, Mountain View; Wayne Beard, Jr., Newport; Jimmy Williams, Little Rock; Teddy Souter, Spring Hill, La.; Preston Carpenter, Muskogee, Okla.; Bill Wittich, Joplin, Mo.; Randy Robertson, Little Rock; Jim Haden, Springdale; Lewis Sharp, Tuckerman; Richard Dickson, Little Rock, and Orville Hall, Fayetteville. The annual She Delta Theta half-formal party was very successful with all the Phis and Phikeias and their dates enjoying themselves. Shirley Glenn, ΔΔΔ, was chosen the outstanding pledge of She Delta Theta. An open house was held after each home football game for the parents and guests of the Phis and Phikeias, and over 200 guests were entertained at Homecoming. The Phi float won second place in the parade. In sports: Norman Smith is co-captain of the Razorback basketball team; Wayland Roberts made I.N.S.



PHIS AND PHIS-TO-BE OF ALBERTA ALPHA

LEFT: Victorious intramural football squad poses with trophy. They are, FRONT ROW: Bob Blackett, Ed Garrett, Stu Fisher, Mike Farrell, Blair Mason. SECOND ROW: Joe Stanford, Jim Millard, Norm Macintosh, Walter Buck, Bill Code, Harvey Allen. RIGHT: New Phikeias at Alberta Alpha pose for informal picture.



CANADIAN FLIERS

Five Phis from Canadian chapters met at Claresholm, Alberta, during Summer training. They are: Dunc Shaw, British Columbia; Terry Williams, Manitoba; Don Davis, Phikeia Chuck Tiffin, and Jim Carroll, all of Alberta.

All-Southwest football team at guard; Phikeia Preston Carpenter made A.P. All-Southwest team at back. Phikeia Ted Souter was outstanding at end for the conference champs. All three saw action in the Cotton Bowl, January 1. Intramurals: Phi won third place in football, losing to Σ AE in semi-finals. Jack Evans made All-Intramural for his fourth consecutive year. Bill Hays, Aub Martin and Randy Robertson were given Honorable Mention. Gordon Gates and Davis

Duty received bids to OAK, and Graham Sudbury was named in *Who's Who* in the Yearbook. Neal Robinson has been initiated into Θ T, and Bill Hays has been initiated into A K Ψ , professional business fraternity. The annual Christmas Pig Dinner was held December 4.—ALBERT H. MILLER, *Reporter*.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, University of British Columbia.—Under the able leadership of Lorne Mon-

taine, with the assistance of Mike Bell, British Columbia Alpha pledged a wonderful group of fellows this Fall. This pledge class, the best that has ever appeared on the U.B.C. campus, includes: Stew Alsgard, Ron Buchanan, Jim Baxter, Burke Corbet, Denis Clarke, Rhys Eaton, Mike Falkins, Al Ferguson, Verne Housez, Tom Kendall, Al Laird, Skip McCarthy, Bob McGraw, Rae Ross, Sandy Ross, Stu Philpott, Pete Sharpe, Dave Stowe, Frank Tarling, George Woollett and Ian Stewart. In sports the chapter is well represented. Not only are many members playing for varsity in football, basketball, rugby and hockey but our teams have been doing very well in intramurals. We won the soccer cup and the volleyball cup. On the social front, the chapter has been enjoying many parties. The Triad, in conjunction with B Θ Π and Σ X, was held October 27 and was enjoyed by all. The Bowery, held November 10, was, as usual, one of the best parties of the year. Our thanks to Ian McInnes and Phikeia Stu Philpott for providing intermission entertainment with their flute duet. The chapter enjoyed the visit of Marvin Perry, traveling secretary, who was here from November 25 to 29. We profited from his views and hope he enjoyed himself. The house now has a TV set, which the chapter won in an interfraternity ticket-selling contest for the "Little Grey Cup" football game. With exams only a few days away there is very little activity at 2120 Wesbrook Crescent right now but everyone is looking forward to the post-exam party.—JOHN RICHARDS, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA, University of California.—With the Fall term drawing to a close, California Alpha can look back proudly on a successful year. November activities included our annual "Duck Dinner," entertaining U.C.L.A. brothers during all-University weekend, and a family night sponsored by our Mothers' Club. Our Alumni Duck Dinner, traditionally held on the Thursday before Big Game, was a tremendous success with a large turnout of representatives from classes as far back as 1903. Principal speakers were Lynn "Pappy" Waldorf, head U.C. football coach, and Joe Pitto, '30, and Judge Nebeker, '31. Other entertainment was presented by our pledge class. The following week our Mothers' Club prepared the dinner for the annual family night. Here again we enjoyed a large turnout despite the unusual California rain. All-University weekend found our chapter house filled to capacity with not only

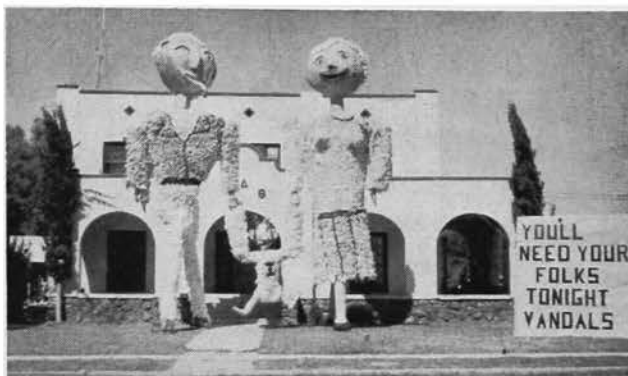


CHRISTMAS IN CALIFORNIA

California Alpha's Christmas party for underprivileged children, with President Jack Risbrough serving as Santa Claus. Many Phi chapters are sponsoring this type of party, bringing fun and needed help to hundreds of children.

brothers from U.C.L.A. but also members of Calpha, the petitioning group from the University of California at Davis. Both groups truly displayed the friendship and spirit for which our Fraternity is known. California Alpha is also proud to announce that our float won first place for originality in the parade preceding the Big Game. The month of December found us in the middle of second midterm examinations. Yet there was still time for our annual Christmas party. This year we teamed with the Thetas to entertain 25 underprivileged children chosen by the Berkeley Y.M.C.A. With the Christmas holidays California Alpha regretfully closed the door on another fine chapter in her 82-year history. Yet plans are already being made for the promising year to come. (P.S. May we take this opportunity to thank our anonymous contributor for his generous donation toward defraying the expenses of our pre-game open houses.) —DICK PAWSON, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA BETA, Stanford University.—Fraternal enthusiasm keynotes the California Beta chapter this year. Fully cognizant of our small numbers we are attempting to overcome our size through group cooperation. Chapter unity in serenades, dances, rushing, scholastics and athletics is quite noticeable. Rushing began January 7 and Rush Chairman Neil Papiano vows he will produce a pledge class that will be the envy of the campus. Neil's experience and personal drive could easily make this vow a reality. Any recommendations of prospective Phis are appreciated. Intramural football champions this year, California Beta has heartily accepted California Alpha's challenge to a football game followed by a beer-drinking contest, the loser buying the beer. Scholastically we have reorganized the study table system in an attempt to regain the scholarship trophy won two years ago. To date it is materializing rapidly. In December we welcomed back Phikeia Dick Bingham, Burlingame, who has just returned from a year's study in Europe. We hope to have him as an active brother soon. As a result of our chapter spirit we have undertaken a campaign to build a new chapter house. The California Beta house, built in 1898, is gradually becoming outmoded. The plumbing and fire accommodations have caused recent investigations by health and fire prevention authorities. Furthermore, within a year or so, the University has planned a modern music building to be constructed adjacent to our present location. It is probable that further expansion



TROPHY WINNER

House decorations at Arizona Alpha won the Sweepstakes Trophy on Mom and Dad's Day.

would force us to move. This is why we have proceeded with our campaign. October 24 a fund-raising committee was formed, headed by Albert Mattei, '17. Other members are Randolph Flood, M.D., '19, Roscoe Maples, '04, George Gamble, '05, Alfred Swinerton, '06, James Armstrong, '08, Evert Young, '26, Daniel Frost, '29, and Gene Tarbell, '32. Jack Shoup, '28, was also an interested spectator at the proceedings. With united effort this program

should move right along.—JOHN F. RAMSAY, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA, U.C.L.A.—All-American Bob Davenport led the number one team in the nation in scoring this Fall. To the Bruins he is the number one man on the number one team. Dick Jones directed the Bruin Band in their most successful year. Barry Billington, Phil Parslow and Bob Thompson were among the leaders of the Frosh foot-



ARKANSAS ALPHA PHIKEIAS

FRONT ROW: Jerry Massey, Randy Robertson, Jim Haden, Bill Wittich, Wayne Beard, Jr., Sam Smith. STANDING: Orville Hall, Jimmy Williams, Lewis Sharp, Charles Scott, Ernest Lawerance, Richard Dickson. BELOW: Arkansas Alpha's Homecoming Float which won second place in Homecoming Parade.



CALIFORNIA BETA ACTIVITIES

LEFT: Part of California Beta's Homecoming Float. RIGHT: Offensive platoon of intramural football champs.

ball team. Members of Gold Key are Tom Brooks, I.F.C. president; Al Lundy, Rene Miller and Dick Doss and Jim Read, co-captains of the varsity tennis team. Varsity letter winners include Tony Rexrode, assistant yell leader, Dick Doss, Dave Drum, Jim Read, Don Bott, Jack Engle, Rene Miller, Bob Davenport, Fred Shean and Bob Griffies. Billington, Thompson, Parslow and Dick Skaer won Freshman letters. Duncan Johnson, Rene Miller and Jack Engle are varsity basketball managers. We won the All-University intramural athletic championship and at present lead the other major houses scholastically. The three top R.O.T.C. awards went to Phis Bill Johnston, Al Lundy and Dale Cunningham. Our Christmas party for parents, given by the Mothers' Club, was the finest yet. Mrs. Dave Dirck, and her assistant did a wonderful job. John Martin will be traveling to New York with the KELPS to help support our basketball team in Madison Square Garden. Other KELPS in the chapter are Al Lundy, Bill Young and Tony Rexrode. Social Chairman Don Hughes says the $\Phi\Delta\Theta\Delta\Gamma$ formal will be "the greatest ever." In the semester to come we will find Jack Daily (440), Don Malloy (100, 220), Phi Parslow (100, 220) and Jack Arnold burning up the track. Baseballers Lou Parsons, Steve Brixey, Don Leidig and Bob Thompson will be cavorting on the old diamond, while Barry Billington and Don Bott will be groaning in the wrestling room. Newly appointed Rush Chairman Tony Rexrode has already started his program and should do a good job. A word of thanks to all the brothers, Dean Nusbaum, chapter adviser, and the Mothers' Club for making 1954 such a wonderful year.—RENE J. MILLER, Reporter.

CALIFORNIA DELTA, University of Southern California.—The chapter welcomed six new brothers into the Bond—Warren Blanchard, Moe Alvarez, Berke George, Peter Kaplanis, Wayne Kurlak and Jack Starks—at the October initiation formal. A mammoth $\Phi\Delta\Theta\Delta\Gamma$ weekend Christmas formal rocked the sedate Del Mar Hotel, and a $\Gamma\Phi\Theta\Delta\Theta$ orphan party completed the pre-Yul-tide social season. (Hedda and Louella, please note: Phis, victorious, escorted four of the five campus lovelies chosen for the Homecoming Queen's court to the Homecoming dance—the Queen was fixed up with a Phi from Stanford U.) The brothers left jaws agape and little children cheering with their Mardi Gras entry in the Homecoming Parade, winning the Best Non-Float Trophy. Spurred on by visions of a keg of beer, to be awarded to the winner, the active chapter brutally thrashed eager Phikeias in the semi-annual pledge-active football titanic, 7-0, on a last minute desperation pass play. We say last minute, because it was agreed to play until the actives won or until Jack (Tripod) Peutet took his football and went home. S.C. Phis were the first campus organization to contribute to the "Walls of Troy" fund, to be used eventually in building a memorial wall around the University. By contributing first, we are assured of having our crest placed on a prominent section of the wall. By way of activities, Don Daves found time to be president of T.A.S., national television fraternity; Dennis Hopper, Junior class Orphan Party chairman, was in charge of hustling swarms of orphans and underprivileged children into S.C. fraternity and sorority houses for Christmas parties the kids would otherwise be without. Ron Brown ended the football season with the third highest Trojan ball-toting average—8.2 yards per carry,

from the fullback slot. Fall semester Phikeias include Jack Allen, Boise, Idaho; Don Bauermiester, John Curci, Pomona; Brian Bittke, Eric Jensen, Beverly Hills; Bob Border, Fresno; Roger Brown, Ed Brumleu, George Davies, Dale Rallison, Wally Ziglar, Los Angeles; Mel Burns, Pasadena; John Cochrane, Inglewood; Jim Decker, Torrance; Greg Grant, Tom Gould, San Marino; Dick Hoagland, Burbank; Pete Penfield, Encino; Ernie Pope, Huntington Park; Karl Pope, Hollywood; Tony Holcomb, North Hollywood; Rick Vanderhoff, Phoenix, Ariz., and Jay Greer, Glendale.—BARRY EVERETT, Reporter.

COLORADO ALPHA, University of Colorado.—As of this writing, Colorado Alpha is beginning another good intramural season. The football team finished second in the playoffs, losing the final game by a single touchdown. The basketball team has incurred only one loss so far in the pre-season exhibitions, while turnouts in the minor sports have been excellent. The Fall social season was highlighted by a semi-formal dance at the Town House in Denver, December 10, as well as the usual run of minor parties. In keeping with the University social code, no parties have been held in the chapter house. Greek Week was held this year for the second time on campus, with all fraternities participating in a very successful affair. A leap night dance was held at the house to highlight the week. With the co-operation of our house board, plans are proceeding to begin construction on the new addition to the house. The university enrollment stands this year at 8000, a jump of 1500 from last year, and prospects are for continued enlargement. After the addition, the house, which at present holds only 38 men, will sleep 60 and have enlarged dining space. Phikeia John Bayuk led the Big Seven conference in rushing this Fall, and promises to be even better next year. Sophomore Jim Cadle is one of the better forwards on the basketball squad.—FRED BOSSELMAN, Reporter.

COLORADO BETA, Colorado College.—The school year began when Dr. Sterg O'Dell, a brother in the Bond from Iowa Beta, took over the post as Dean of the College. Brother O'Dell taught at Harvard and M.I.T. and was president of the Boston Alumni Club. He is doing a very capable job and is a very active Phi. Dick Clothier, as president of the student body and member of Blue Key, is doing a fine job with the student body. Sam Maynes, former president, was elected president of

Blue Key and I.F.C. Tom Pancau is doing a top notch job as Editor of *The Tiger*, weekly paper. We were very pleased to hear that we have again won the Esden Trophy, for the best all-around fraternity on campus, and the Sig Scholarship Trophy. We have won these awards for the second and third consecutive years. Homecoming was a big success and we were awarded third place in the float class. We were very choosy during rush, and achieved our goal, with these outstanding Phikeias: John Morton, president of the Freshman class and of the pledge class, Elgin, Ill.; Jim Coil, Dave Jenkins, Doug Corley, Dale Smith, Bob Hite, Colorado Springs; Dave Loy, Great Bend, Kan.; Keith Argow, Portland, Ore.; John Knight, Toledo, Ohio; John Poerr, Durango; George Gates, Tulsa, Okla. Jim Weaver, St. Louis, Mo., was replugged. Three Phikeias recently signed their names to the Bond: Don Hansen, Colorado Springs; Duane Wolfe, Ord, Neb., and Emilio Manzanarez, Trinidad. In intramural football we wound up in a three-way first place tie. We were successful in that first, we outplayed the Betas; then we outlasted the Independent men to wrap up first place and the football trophy. Intramurally speaking we are in second place, five points behind the Betas. However basketball season is just around the corner and if we show the same enthusiasm as we did in football we will be a cinch for first place. Our fraternity is not only represented in intramurals, but also in Rocky Mountain competition. We have members on every major and minor team here at C.C. One of our major projects at Colorado Beta is to procure funds to build a new house. We are thankful to our alumni for the encouragement they have given us.—JOHN BUZIA, JR., Reporter.

COLORADO GAMMA, Colorado A. & M. College.—Fall quarter has been a busy one for the Phis at Colorado Gamma. We co-operated with the Σ Xs to launch the annual Miami Triad dance, and this year invited Σ Φ Ε to be the guest and complete the Triad theme. The dance was a huge success and was truly one of the highlights of Fall quarter both for the hosts and the guests. Fred Schwartz won the intramural handball championship for Φ Δ Θ and we hope to field a championship basketball team this Winter. The new pledge class with Al Carollo presiding has proven worthy of our expectations. These Phikeias have been directly responsible for the pledging of four of the five men who have pledged since the completion of formal rush



MORE PARADE WINNERS

Two (you have to look closely) of California Delta's 23 entries in their winning non-float entry in the University of Southern California Homecoming Parade.

week. These five new Phikeias are: Jack Bertagnolli, Rock Springs, Wyo.; Bob Caraway, Lexington, Neb.; Darrell Larsen, Shadron, Neb.; Chuck Margrit, Lexington, Neb., and Dick Miernyk, Durango. The Phikeias are now busy planning a dance to take place at the end of the quarter. The active chapter anticipates another wonderful dance and I'm sure we won't be disappointed. John "Bud" Dekleva has proven himself once more on the gridiron by being in the starting lineup in nine out of the ten games played by A. & M. this year. In our final game of the season Bud was again picked among the outstanding players both offensively and defensively.—JIM POTTS, Reporter.

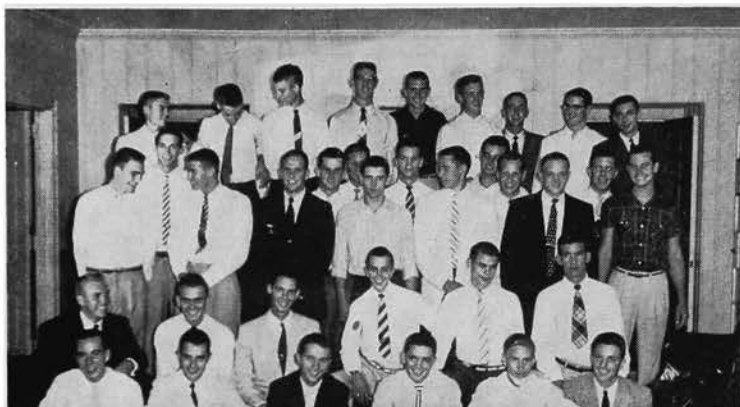
FLORIDA ALPHA University of Florida No letter received.

FLORIDA GAMMA, Florida State University.—Florida Gamma has had a very busy semester. In intramurals, we made a slow start, finishing fifth in basketball; but since then have come back to gain the finals in tennis singles, and the semi-finals in volleyball. A second place was given us for our Homecoming decorations, "TV Is the Thing This Year." Also, during Homecoming Weekend, we entertained many alumni with a buffet dinner Saturday noon and a big dance at the house Saturday night. Sunday, December 12, the Phis and the Α Δ IIs gave their annual Christmas Party for underprivileged children. There were about 53 boys and girls present, and they were royally showered with ice cream, cake, candy

and presents galore were given them by Santa Claus (Bill Plumb). Rick Benson 6'6", and Bob Williams, 6'9", are two standouts on this year's basketball team. Sam Faulkner, David Abner and Al Martens attended the installation of Florida Delta at the University of Miami, December 10 and 11, as guests of the Miami group. Florida Gamma will hold its annual Founders Day Banquet at 7:00 P.M., March 12, at the chapter house.—ART ALLWOOD, Reporter.

GEORGIA ALPHA, University of Georgia.—Wednesday night, December 8, the Phis at Georgia gained the real Christmas spirit by giving a turkey dinner and Santa Claus party for a number of underprivileged children. Fifteen children attended and each was given a complete clothing outfit. Miscellaneous toys ranging from cap pistols to wagons were also given. Christmas carols were sung, a unique act was performed by Santa, and a great time was had by all. A warm feeling was bestowed upon every Georgia Phi during the Christmas holidays by helping those less fortunate than we. We are hopefully awaiting the construction of our new house. The ground breaking ceremony was held September 27. Presiding over the ceremonies were: H. L. Stewart of the General Council and Sam McKenzie, Province President.—R. E. TANNER, JR., Reporter.

GEORGIA BETA, Emory University.—Fall quarter has been a most busy and successful one for Georgia Beta. After taking the interfraternity football championship, we went on



GEORGIA DELTA PHIKEIAS

FRONT ROW: Bill Freeman, Herbert Ellis, Henry Everitt, George Sherlock, Dave Miehler, Tom Hall. SECOND ROW: Mike McAdams, King Sims, Jim Stephenson, Dave Patterson, Billy McDaniel, Will Morgan. THIRD ROW: Joe DeLany, Britt Williams, Malcolm Morrison, Jim Moore, David Herbert, Dick Girdler, Buzzy Kraus. FOURTH ROW: Charlie Powell, Joe Cronk, Jackie McDaniel, John Smith, Jack Patterson, Pete Brandt, Joe Hart. FIFTH ROW: Don Smith, Mike Balliet, Peter Solomon, Paul Vickers, Billy Beckham, Jean Mori, Jimmy McCook, Joe Cooper, Hank Chambliss.

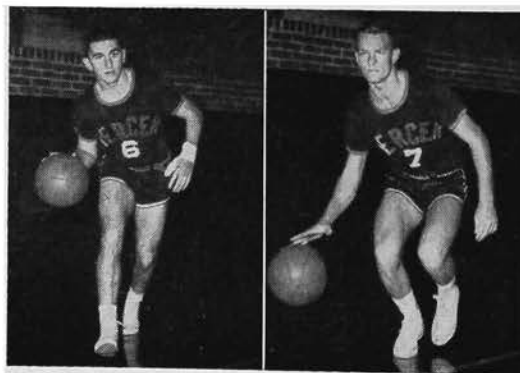
to win the next three events: swimming, cross country and wrestling, to build up a big lead in the race for both the university and the I.F.C. athletic trophies. Support from brothers and pledges alike has been the best in years. Emory's inter-collegiate teams will again be well stocked with Phis. A Christmas party was given at the house recently for the orphans of the Methodist Children's Home in Decatur. The climax of the day, of course, was Santa's arrival with presents of clothes and toys. This function was held jointly with the Adelphians, a club on campus soon to affiliate with our sister sorority A Δ Π. The brothers and pledges again participated in the Empty Stocking Drive by door to door canvassing to collect funds for the underprivileged children of the Atlanta area. A house party was held in November; our formal coming up in February should likewise be a great success. Tom Davis and Charlie Ginden have been elected to O Δ K. Georgia Beta now has four members in this honorary society. Randall Jenkins was tapped in December for Φ B K. Frank Peacock of Florida Alpha has recently affiliated with this chapter.—DAVID GLANCY, Reporter.

GEORGIA GAMMA, Mercer University.—As the Fall quarter draws to a close, Georgia Gamma proudly looks back upon a most successful school term. Phikeia Billy Lee was recently elected vice-president of the Freshman class, joining several other Phis serving in student government capacities. Royce Hobbs is serving as

vice president of the Sophomore class, John Peterson as president of the Junior class, "Red" McDaniel is vice president of the Senior class, while Tommy Mixon is a member of the student athletic committee. Mixon has also been elected captain of the 1953-54 basketball team and is entering his Senior year with chances of breaking the all-time Mercer scoring record. He has led the team in scoring for the past two years, last year averaging 23 points a game while making All-Conference and All-State. Joining him on the varsity squad this year are Royce Hobbs, Toof Boone, "Sonny" Vaughn and Phikeia Danny Hobbs. The highlight of the quarter's activities was the presentation of the new chapter sponsor, Miss "Toot" Wade of

Macon. Benny Waugh, chapter president, presented Miss Wade with a sweetheart pin. Miss Dinah Cutter, also of Macon, was chosen as pledge sponsor and both young ladies were serenaded by the chapter, led by Jim Alford. Initiation was held for two new brothers, Milliard Haskin and "Sonny" Vaughn. Election of officers was held December 2. The newly elected officers are John Peterson, president; Maurice Hilliard, reporter; Ben Whitaker, secretary, and "Red" McDaniel, warden. The chapter will sorely miss Ray Neal and Jimmy Smith who have rendered outstanding service to Georgia Gamma, as they are graduating this quarter.—JOHN B. PETERSON, Reporter.

GEORGIA DELTA, Georgia Institute of Technology.—This Fall has been a very prosperous one for the members of Georgia Delta, and we have high hopes of continuing our prosperity throughout the year. It began with a face-lifting of the house in which we, with the help of our fine Mothers' Club, repainted the walls and put in new carpeting and rugs in the living room and halls upstairs. This was followed by a successful rush season in which a grand total of 42 new Phikeias were added to the chapter. With the help of these new pledges we were able to cop a third place in both the Homecoming decorations and the "Rambling Reck" parade, an event for which the school is famous. It was during this weekend that Anak, a local senior honorary society, selected five men for membership. We were very proud when Billy Mitchell, Ray Willoch, and Virgil Tedder were tapped by this society at the Homecoming dance. By this time, we had begun to show our athletic prowess in both football and volleyball. We ended up in first place in our league



BASKETBALL STARS

Two of Mercer's leading basketball players are Phis Toof Boone, LEFT, and Captain Tommy Mixon, who has led the team in scoring for the past two years.

in football but the team was nosed out in the playoffs by a score of 6-0. The volleyball team is tied for second in the league and the finals are to be played next quarter. The golf team is in first place now, so it may be said that Georgia Delta is enjoying a good year.—VIRGIL TEDDER, *Reporter*.

IDAHO ALPHA, University of Idaho.—Brother Hank Ketcham was instrumental in making Dad's Day at Idaho Alpha a success. The well known cartoonist was glad to lend "Dennis the Menace" as a house decoration and also as a personalized menu. Idaho Alpha's scholarship standing for the second semester of the '53-'54 year has been received by the chapter. For the first time in many years the chapter placed above the all men's average. Of fourteen fraternities listed, Idaho Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was ranked third. The brothers are particularly proud of their last semester's showing and are striving for the most successful year in the chapter's history. Dean Donald David of the Harvard Business School, and an alumnus of the chapter, presented a lecture to the business students of the university early in November. The members were very much pleased to have him as a guest at the chapter house. Brother David was very pleased by the condition of the chapter house and commented on its modern appearance. Plans for the annual Christmas dance, December 11, included the theme "Winter Wonderland," and the decorations were centered around Christmas scenes. The Phikeias visited a local orphanage to spread some holiday cheer in the way of entertainment and gifts. Newly pledged to the Fraternity is Larry McCulloch, an outstanding young man from Wallace, Idaho. Morrie O'Donnell's special account is still open for those alumni interested in donating to the chapter's furniture fund. If alumni of the chapter have not heard from Brother O'Donnell, they may contact him through the chapter. As of yet, final plans have not been made for Founders Day. But a dinner and open house have been tentatively set for the middle of February.—KEN BROWN, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS ALPHA
Northwestern University
See story on next page.

ILLINOIS BETA, University of Chicago.—The brothers of Illinois Beta enjoy themselves at THE social event of the Fall quarter, the Thanksgiving Eve Interfraternity ball. A pre-party was held at the



ANOTHER DENNIS POPS UP

Brother Hank Ketcham's protégé turns up outside of Idaho Alpha chapter house to welcome Dads on Dad's day.

house before the Ball, and it turned out so well that some of the people didn't even show up at the dance. Our able Social Chairman Chuck Cooper, from Montana Alpha, crowned the chapter's own social season with the production of a Hawaiian Luau, complete with leis, punch, rare tropical tidbits (chicken with cocoanut, squashed bananas and whipped cream, etc.), and an abundance of "native" girls in appropriate costume. Illinois Beta celebrated Founders Day by attending the annual banquet given by the Chicago Area Alumni Club. At noon, December 17, the brothers began their annual Quarter's-End Christmas party with a luncheon and the exchange of gifts, predictions and humorous poetry. After a couple of days, it slowed down, to be revived and carried on to new heights on New Year's Eve. After all this frivolity, we settle down to the serious business of formal rushing for the Winter quarter. Although this Reporter feels that the activities are more interesting than the names of unknown brothers . . . Frank Richards, Harris Hartzler, Leslie Foster, Thomas Jersild, David Frieske, Stuart Zimmerman, Elsworth McClennachan, Charles Carlson, James Dunham, Gilbert Dahlberg, Ray Sanders, Tony Lorenzo, Kenneth Hendricks. . . P.S. We hope Brother Tom deLeon will enjoy his sojourn in the U.S. Navy.—TRENT TIEDEMAN, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA, Knox College.—The Knox Phis ushered in

the holiday season, in the midst of final exams, with a rousing Christmas party for underprivileged children of Galesburg. The traditional affair was made complete by Santa himself, played by Bob Burden, handing out presents to the happy youngsters. For the third straight year Illinois Delta-Zeta copped the I.M. ping pong championship—24 matches won, 1 lost—after sweeping I.M. cross country honors. Grapplers Dave Wolfner and Pete Hosutt are currently two of the Siwash wrestlers. Pete was chosen the outstanding Senior of last Fall's football team. He also received All-Conference Honorable Mention along with half-back Carl Hoehn. Sparking the Knox hoopsters to another winning season are returning lettermen Ace Culbertson, Bob Hill and Don Woeltje. Sophomores Joe LaGuess, Dick Ohnen, Bob Hurdle and Jamie Bjorkman are making the regulars work to retain their starting positions. Jack Reiners, out of action all last season because of a serious ankle ailment, is back in the lineup and expecting a good year. In the first basketball game of the year with North Central, four out of the starting five were Phis. Illinois Delta-Zeta Phis have purchased a mammoth trophy to be awarded in the near future for individual scholarship improvement. Ward Knockemus, a Senior chemistry major and fraternity reporter has received the S. C. Johnson Co. \$500 prize scholarship in chemistry for the second consecutive year. Since our last letter has appeared in THE SCROLL, Illinois Delta-Zeta has elected a new president. He is Mack Trapp

Illinois Alpha's Man of the Year

By HOWARD S. WEYBURG, *Reporter*

RATHER than giving the usual chapter report this time we feel it proper to give a pat on the back where one is due, recognizing the contribution one of our chapter has made to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and to Northwestern University. That man is John Clendennin, who came to Illinois Alpha after starting his college career at Swarthmore College. From the start he jumped into the whirl of school activity and study.

The personable Texan hails from El Paso, Texas, where he left behind him an enviable record of scholastic and athletic achievement. Besides being a top officer in the R.O.T.C. he found time to win letters in baseball and track, and do some cheer leading on the side. John had some big footsteps to follow too but perseverance and sharpness seem to be a trait in the Clendennin household. He has an older brother finishing up at Harvard Medical school, a sister who has her Ph.D. in physics and another brother teaching physics in a Texas University.

From the start of his career in our chapter it was evident that John was a "mover." In chapter meetings, in chapter activities, and at his studies there was never a job left only half-done. Under his guidance as IM director, the chapter pulled itself up to finish high in the sweepstakes race. Nor is Johnny a bookworm who buries himself in the tiers of Deering library. His 3.81 three-year average in Political Science belies his outside activities. Last Summer he was married to the former Ann Matthews also from El Paso, and his world revolves around the pert Texas gal who shares in his work and honors.

Johnny has split himself over a wide range of campus activities. He might be found on the drill field as an A.F.R.O.T.C. cadet major, barking out commands in his Texas twang. Last year he was awarded the *Chicago Tribune* award for outstanding scholastic achievement, military proficiency and



JOHN CLENNENNIN

bearing. On that same honors day he received the I-F scholarship for 1953-54 in recognition of his high marks and activities. In addition to being our IM director last year, John found time to be president of the Arnold Air Society, and vice-president of Wildcat Council, NU's new student orientation body. On Sundays, by the way, Johnny has a Sunday school class. He couples these activities with varsity sports, holding down a spot on NU's number two doubles team and playing number 3 singles.

You can see then why we as a chapter feel as we do about the personable Texan. If there ever was a "Mr. Phi Delt" award for outstanding personalities tempered with athletic and scholastic achievement, we'd nominate John Clendennin. Description: Age 21; married; El Paso Texas; nice-looking. Warning: dangerous when armed with tennis racket or text book. He's our man!

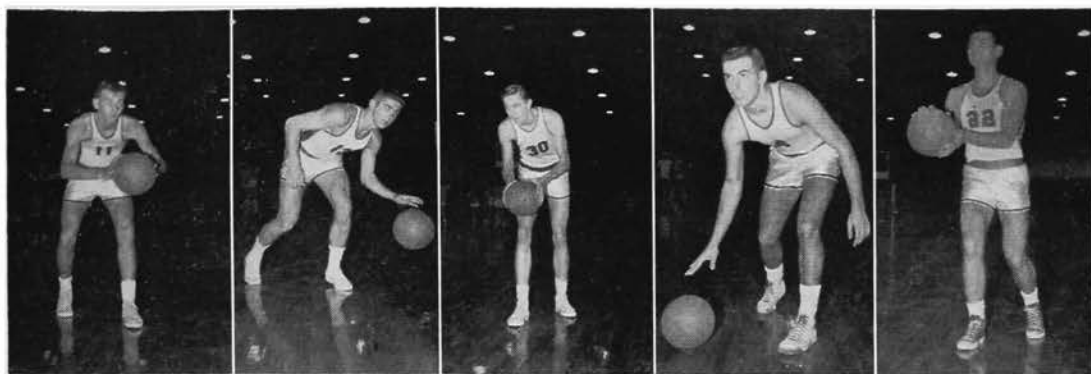
of Macomb, who, during the brief time he has held office, has shown himself to be a very capable leader. Happy New Year!—WARD KNOCK-EMUS, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS ETA
University of Illinois
No letter received.

ILLINOIS THETA, Lake Forest College.—Under the capable direction of Rush Chairman Jerry Hurst, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ again came out on top in the Fall rush program. The new Phikeias are: Ron Banas, Lincolnwood; Ed Beau-doin, Hollywood; Chris Bristow,

Alton; Bernie Edwards, Morton Grove; Dan Gescheidle and Don Peterson, Deerfield; Dave Hoods, Aurora; Jack Kammes, West Chicago; Rich Meginnis and Dave Roeper, Evanston; Chuck Menke, Elgin; Bill Stoops, Wilmette; Don Volpe, Lake Forest, and Jerry Werneske, Downers Grove. Jim Vitt, a Junior, recently returned from a two-year stint with Uncle Sam's troops, has picked up the reins of pledge trainer, introducing many new and constructive ideas. To date, through Jim's efforts, the chapter is quite pleased with the new pledge class. A new \$800 rug greets those

who enter our chapter room, while the chapter negotiates for a new array of furniture. These improvements have progressed from a dream to a reality largely through the adept leadership and promotive ability of our chapter President, Jerry Patterson, a Senior from Rockford, Ill. Jerry, aided by Dave Smith, presented a plan to the chapter which has eliminated all unnecessary delays during meeting procedure. With the opening of the hardcourt season, we see that five of the seven playing regulars are Phis, with the exception of one Phikeia, Dave Hoods, a forward alternating with Ev Cocallas



LAKE FOREST CAGE STARS

Five of the seven playing regulars are Illinois Theta men: Phikeia David Hoods, freshman forward; Gene Waterfall, Junior guard; George Wolz, Junior center; Ev Cocallas, Junior forward; Mischa Rader, Junior forward.

and Mischa Rader. At center we find 6'9" George Wolz, backed up by Phikeia Dave Roeper. Gene Waterfall, a Little All-Phi second team last year, is playing his third year at guard. Jerry Lake, recently appointed associate editor of the college yearbook, is also running a series of sports cartoons in the college newspaper. Jerry Mathis, aided by Phikeia Bill Stoops, is currently managing the Phi-studded varsity basketball squad. A touch of sadness prevailed over the chapter, when Jerry Wilcox, our more than efficient house manager, left school in late November to serve in the armed forces. Dick Volpe was recently chosen on the all-star intramural football team, while Rich Street was elected secretary of the Interfraternity Council.—JERRY LAKE, Reporter.

INDIANA ALPHA, Indiana University.—The intramural football season closed with the Phis taking second place in their respective league. With the advent of Winter sports most of the house athletes are looking forward to repeating as champs of their league and winning the play-off championship instead of taking second in the play-off as was done last year. Jim Etter won a seat in the Student Senate after a closely contested election. Jack Scheng, Freshman pledge, lost in the election of Freshman class president. Jack was the candidate of the Organized Party. Since the last report we have initiated six new brothers into the Bond. They are: William Bond, Nesbitt Lacy, Larry Good, William Rech, William Snapp and Tony Alosio. The new $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ house is nearing completion. The date for moving has been set back a few months because the weather slowed down construction. The pledge class sponsored a Fall dance at the house. The theme was "Midnight Masquer-

ade." We have two representatives on the school swimming team. They are Larry Good and Jim Etter. This is the only sport (Winter) in which Phis compete.—JAMES ETTER, Reporter.

INDIANA BETA, Wabash College.—Social activities have become the bright spot at Indiana Beta for the past months. The pledge dance was held after the traditional Wabash-DePauw football game and judging by the attendance, the dance was a success. Under the able direction of Social Chairman Dave Orr, our annual Christmas formal was held December 11 in the newly built Campus Center. The scholarship picture turned out fairly well for the mid-semester grades. The chapter as a whole accumulated a 1.4 average, which, without a doubt, is above the all-men's average. The house board has inaugurated a tutor plan to help the pledges with subjects that are giving them difficulty. Indiana Beta is well represented on the varsity basketball squad with John Nash on the starting five and Bob Allen and Dave Parry developing into first line reserves. All have seen a lot of action so far this season. Vaino Grayam, for an outstanding job at quarterback, received the Most Valuable Player award from his teammates. Lynn Ault was lauded by the coaching staff for the tremendous job he did as chief statistician for the Wabash team. Two pledges were picked up at mid-semester: Larry Grodzicki, East Chicago; Al Pavlikowski, Brownsville, Pa. Both were outstanding football players the past season. Indiana Beta was well represented on the Little All-State football team this year with Vaino Grayam on the first, Ron Seibert on the second and Phikeia Bill Gabbert on the third team.—RON SEIBERT, Reporter.

INDIANA GAMMA, Butler University.—With the school year well under way Indiana Gamma has pulled far ahead in the intramural sports program. We took a first in football with Brown, Birsfield, and Von Foerster, along with Phikeias Miller, Cory, Delph and Rich, leading the way. In golf McMahan, Norris, LeBien and Phikeia Homes took first place. Swimming was won with Tillet and Phikeias Oliver and Goebel collecting the points. A first in volleyball was also taken by the chapter. Outstanding players were Brown, Tillet, Dickerson, McKamey and Sawyer and Phikeias Delph and Rich. Doles and LeBien placed second in tennis. With such a fine start we were almost sure to win the all sports trophy this year. The Christmas dance was held, December 3, at Meridian Hills Country Club, with the music being provided by Vic Knight's orchestra. An informal dance was held in the house Halloween week end. A recent social event was the Christmas party, held in the house, December 8, sponsored for the chapter by the Mothers' Club. The pledge dance has been planned for February 4. A banquet was held December 15, honoring Mom Schaefer, who is retiring, because of illness, after sixteen years as house mother. Sink has been elected president of Sphinx, Junior men's honorary. Shearer, Whitt, Hauer, McKamey and Cambell were initiated into Utes, Sophomore men's honorary. The chapter won a nice trophy in the Yard-Parks competition which honors the fraternity or sorority house with the best appearance and greatest number of improvements during the past year. The annual "Greased Pole Fight," which pits the Freshmen against the Sophomores to decide whether or not the Frosh will wear their green beanies until Christmas or not,



FAREWELL TO "MOM"

Indiana Gamma bids farewell to "Mom" Schaffer who is retiring as house-mother after sixteen years' service. She is pictured saying goodbye to the chapter. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s Elder Statesman, Hilton U. Brown, Butler '80, P.P.G.C., is seated at her left.

found $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ well represented. Senhauser was captain of the Sophs, and Phikeia Warsler was captain of the Frosh. Phikeia Roberts was the Freshman who got the beanie for the Freshmen.—JACK LAUGHNER, Reporter.

INDIANA DELTA, Franklin College.—Indiana Delta held the annual Christmas formal dance at the Hotel Severin in Indianapolis December 11. Buddy Moreno's orchestra provided the music. Such events as the Thanksgiving dinner and party, the Christmas party, and the pledge dance, rounded out the pre-Christmas vacation period. Indianapolis Alumni group of Indiana Delta will attend a meeting and dinner in January in order to continue close relations with the active chapter. Indiana Delta's basketball and softball teams are in first place in the intramural race. Elmer Stroutman and Jim Orlosky are mainstays on the varsity basketball team. Stroutman is leading the team in scoring with a 15.5 points per game average. Phikeias Frank Hiday, Jim Gabbard, Roger Schroder, Dean Sanderson, Gene White, Bob Skinner, Harry Horn and Brother Dick McElheny are on the varsity squad. Seven of the first eight on the B team are Indiana Delta Phikeias. Herb Pigman is Senior class president; Ted Gibbons, Sophomore class president, and Phikeia Jack Peterson, Freshman class president. John Atwell is treasurer of Student Council. Herb Pigman and Jim Orlosky were the only Greeks from Franklin College selected to the list of *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Alumni in graduate or medical school are Ken Brown, Johns Hopkins; Forrest Daugherty, Indiana University; Frank Kent, University of Rochester. Bill Bridges was elected editor of *The*

Franklin, making three Phis editor in the past four years.—JOHN E. ATWELL, Reporter.

INDIANA EPSILON, Hanover College.—Under the leadership of Kevin Kile, the chapter emerged from nine weeks of hard rush with 28 new preferences. Under the I.F.C.'s present system these men must make a "C" standing in order to be pledged next semester, so we are working harder than ever to help them with their studies. A new device started by the chapter this semester to give help to the preferences is a Big Brother-Little Brother program set up similar to the system used for our pledges. We are very proud of the men that we got and hope to see all 28 of them wearing the Phikeia button soon. The rush program was terminated with our annual Rush banquet held at the house. Special guests for the occasion were Dr. Robert Calvert, Jr., Dean of Men, and Brother Cooper of Hanover. The guest speaker was Col. Henry H. Rogers, Eta Province President and head of the R.O.T.C. program at the University of Kentucky. Intramural basketball is the next goal at which the Indiana Epsilon Phis have leveled their sights. The chapter is shooting for its fourth consecutive intramural crown and the prospects look good for bringing home the bacon again this year. We are also very grateful to the chapter's Mothers' Club, who presented us with a new set of dinnerware this month. This is only one of the many fine gifts given the house by the Mothers' Club, so we wish to say: "Thanks, Moms, for the help and concern that you have offered our chapter in keeping it tops."—JIM MASSMAN, Reporter.

INDIANA ZETA, DePauw University.—Time is at a premium these

days as the Phis participate in a whirl of activity—scholastic, extra-curricular, and social. Two traditionally big weekends were marked with Phi success. In the house decoration contest on Old Gold Day we copped first place. Then, on Dad's Day, we humbled the $\Delta K E s$ 13-6 in our annual "Toilet Bowl" gridiron clash. It marked the third year in a row we have retained the fur-lined trophy. On the social scene, the house dance featured a "Roman Holiday" theme, complete with an authentic fountain. In intramural competition, we came within a single point of the team championship in tennis as we placed first in the number one doubles and had two finalists in singles events. The basketball season is just getting underway, and the prospects point to a successful season. On the activities scene, several of the more "arty" brothers helped put on the annual $\Sigma\Delta X$ review. Jim Mitchell served as the show's musical director and several others helped with the writing, the producing and the acting. When the campus radio station airs a sports event these days it's not unusual to have an all-Phi crew doing the job. Art Kimball, Bill Keller, Dave Feagler, Jerry Ward and Bob F. Smith are all budding Bill Sterns. Recently, the chapter named Dr. R. W. Pence as advisor emeritus. Dr. Pence has served the chapter faithfully in many capacities for many years. Our new advisor is also a man of great experience. He is Dr. Hans Grueninger, head of the school's German department, and in charge of the student foreign exchange program.—MORT BERFIELD, Reporter.

INDIANA THETA, Purdue University.—The chapter started the year successfully with the pledging of eleven top-notch boys: Pete Beardsley, Springfield, Ill.; Dave Cox, Tipton; Dick Hoffman, Snyder, N.Y.; Cliff Kammermeyer, St. Louis, Mo.; Pete Klobucher, Hammond; Chuck Lester, Lafayette; Jay Mueller, Cincinnati, Ohio; Dick Ricker, Richmond; Jim Ries, Homewood, Ill.; All Skinner, Carthage, and Bob Smitson, Tipton. Soon after school began, we started preparation with the Kappas for the annual student production—"Varsity Varieties." November 19, we found ourselves in the Hall of Music with a very successful show under the able direction of Neil Armstrong. Dennis Blind, Ted Dunn, Ned Boyer and Maury Lorenz are representing our chapter on the Boilermaker hardwood. Intramurally, we are progressing very well under the supervision of Dick Schmidt and hope to see the

interfraternity athletic trophy on our mantel for the eighth time in the last nine years. The House Council recently began preparations for the building of a new house. With the aid of our Alumni clubs, our recently organized Dads' Club, and the support of the active chapter, we hope to progress rapidly toward our goal. There is still much work and planning to be done before beginning the actual construction. Picnics, parties, our annual Christmas dance and dinner, and a party for the underprivileged children of the community completed our Fall social life.

—ED TAYLOR, Reporter.

IOWA ALPHA, Iowa Wesleyan College.—Several honors have come to members of Iowa Alpha in the past month. Wendell Hester was selected for the first team for the Iowa All-Conference team and Phikeia Tony Ferrandino was named to the second team. Bob McNeil was named one of the Homecoming Little Wheels and was also chosen for *Who's Who among American Colleges and Universities*. Lowell Doud has been initiated into Blue Key and was a delegate to the Blue Key National Convention in Indianapolis, during Christmas vacation. Our Homecoming float, built under the leadership of Dennis Saltzman, brought us a second place trophy. Crane Caris, social chairman, planned a very successful She Delta Theta party which was held at the house, November 20. Our intramural basketball teams are underway with a first game victory. Our active team is coached by Dick Rudd and the Phikeia team is coached by Phikeia John Bates.—BOB MCNEIL, Reporter.

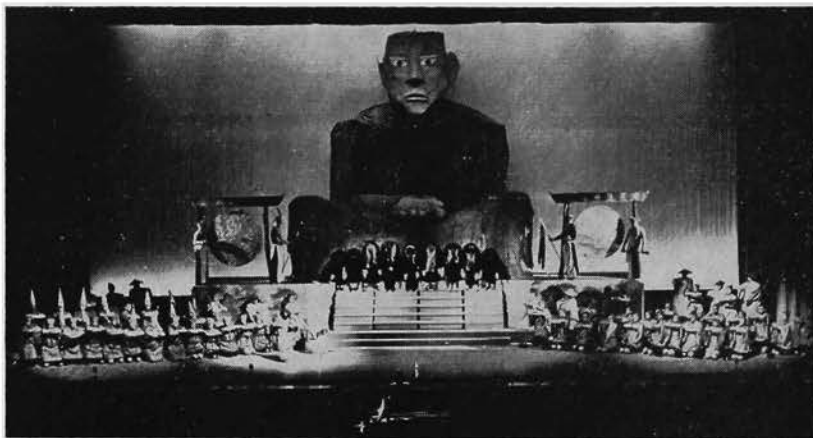
IOWA BETA, State University of Iowa.—The 1954-55 school year is rolling along in fine fashion for Iowa Beta. The football season brought many old Phis back to the house, many of whom we haven't seen for a long time. Parent and alumni banquets marked the observance of the Dads' Day and Homecoming Saturdays. Jim Freeman, Jim Head, and Don Inman represented the Phis on the fine Iowa football team. Intramural football also was a success for us, but it wasn't without its mishaps. In the all-university playoffs Rod White and Loy Brooks were both injured seriously. Rod suffered a dislocated cervical which has resulted in the wearing of a neck brace for six months. Loy Brooks suffered a cut and bruised spleen in the same game and spent a week in the hospital. On the lighter side other brothers have been making a name for themselves. Marshall Holt



Phis Lead Greeks Third Time in Butler Cheer Drive

TOP: A typical scene at the Phi Delt House during the annual Cheer Drive held each December at Butler University. The drive lasts ten days, and during this time all fraternities and sororities on the campus compete with each other to see which organization can gather the most points towards winning the trophy. Points are distributed for each item of clothing, can of food or toy turned in to the drive. These goods are then given to the poor at Christmas time. We at Indiana Gamma think this is a good idea, how about starting a similar program on your campus next year? BELOW: Forrest Von Forester, president and Jack Laughner, reporter look at Dave Whitt, 1954 Cheer Drive Chairman, with hopes of a third straight trophy. The trophies shown are those won in 1952 and 1953 by the chapter.—JACK LAUGHNER, Reporter.

P.S. They added that third trophy.—ED.



LA FING STOK DOMINATES THE SCENE

Purdue Phis, Kappas Stage Unusual Production

By ED TAYLOR, Reporter

ON November 19, Indiana Theta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and the Purdue chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority presented their production, "The Land of Egelloch," in the annual all student Varsity Varieties. The act, one of the five selected from eighteen fraternity-sorority combinations, marked the third consecutive year that the Phis performed in the famous Hall of Music. The act was a Gilbert and Sullivan style musical satirizing college honoraries.

The oriental setting was highlighted by the 24-foot idol of La Fing Stok, and the brightly colored

costumes of the priests, high-brows, mallet-heads and Siamese twins. When the priests decreed that a pledge class would consist of people with "the very flattest cranial projections," the stage was mass bedlam as the people of Egelloch began to pound and form their heads in order to qualify for the honorary. A surprise ending was afforded when the priests capped the new pledge class with the pointed hats of the honorary. The act ended as the lights were dimmed and the smiling idol winked at the audience.

TWO SCENES FROM "THE LAND OF EGELLOCH"



was elected vice-president of the Senior class, Jay Ryan has taken over the editorship of the *Hawkeye Greek*, the official fraternity publication here at Iowa. Phikeia Jim Newsome was elected president of the Pledge Interfraternity Council. Phikeia Jim Mc-

Connell, All-State basketball player last year, has been outstanding on the Freshman basketball squad. On the international side, the chapter is going to be honored with the presence of Jesper Rosenmeier, a Danish exchange student, who is

going to live with us for the next semester. We are looking forward to an interesting and enlightening association. On the social side, the Winter formal was held January 7 and was a large success.—THOMAS L. ADAMS, Reporter.



IOWA GAMMA PHIS AT
WORK AND PLAY

ABOVE: *Phis and dates bunny-hopping at the Miami Triad. RIGHT: Rex Hennefent, chairman of chapter's winning Homecoming decorations.*

IOWA GAMMA, Iowa State College.—The Fall quarter at Iowa Gamma was a solid success in many fields, although in the most important field, "grades," the results are not yet known. We hope to retain our place as an honor chapter again this year. The Fall social calendar was filled with many events. The Miami Triad, held October 10, was the best in recent years. A big Homecoming weekend followed, October 16 and 17, and we added another trophy to our collection. Besides winning first place in house decorations, we welcomed back an unusually large number of alumni. Everyone enjoyed our "open house," meeting old friends and dancing to Ralph Marterie. November 20, the annual Bowery rolled around with gay French costumes and decorations. The Phikeias put on the party and did a fine job. As December came on, we decorated the house and tree for the holiday season at our Christmas party. In sports, it was a banner Fall with Bruce Alexander and Jim Stuelke playing varsity football. Six Phikeias, Al Rickert, John Hartford, Jack Falter, Jerry Donohue, Bill Fogarty, and Gene DeKoster, played for the Frosh. In basketball, Don DeKoster and Stan Frahm were playing regular forwards for the varsity, while Phikeia Lyle Frahm started at guard on the Frosh team. The rest of the chapter participated in our extensive intramural program, rather successfully



too, as we won the Sports Triad and took runner-up in fraternity football. Various other news highlighted

the Fall. Elections were held in November with John Maney being elected to lead the chapter as president. We have a new chapter advisor in Robert Pasley, *Iowa State '33*. With us again for the eighth year is our housemother, Mrs. Gesler. We have been fortunate to have Jesper Rosenmeier, a foreign student from Copenhagen, with us this Fall.—**DAVE LEBURN, Reporter.**

KANSAS ALPHA, Kansas University.—Undoubtedly, our crowning achievement of this year will, in retrospect, prove to be the pledging of the group of 22 men whom you see pictured in *THE SCROLL*. We honestly feel that this was the top group pledged by any chapter on the "Hill." Kansas Alpha has concluded another successful intramural football season, grabbing semifinalist honors in the A division championships and sending the B squad to the quarter-finals. Basketball is just around the corner with the Phis as defending champions in five different divisions. The largest items on the social calendar thus far were the Harvest party and the party staged after Homecoming for the brothers from Nebraska University. In the K.U. varsity football picture were seven Phis, all of whom saw a great deal of action: end Don Martin, guards Don Pfitzenreuter and George Remsberg, center Frank Black, quarterback Dick Sandifer and halfbacks John Handley and Bob Forsyth. The K.U. hardwood contingent is bolstered by six Phi Sophomores. Each of the six was an All-State star in high school and several of them will probably be members of the starting quintet. They include: Gene Elstun,



KANSAS ALPHA PHIKEIAS

TOP ROW: Denny Greiner, Fred Allvine, Red Thomas, Kent Floerke, Jim Elliott, Jim Steerman, Ralph Varnum, Clark Mock. MIDDLE ROW: Al Morris, Jim Remsberg, Marc McLean, Dan Creitz, Dan Schrepel, Ed. Martin, Bob Peterson. BOTTOM ROW: Gene Paris, Frank Becker, Ray Johnson, John Hedrick, Bob Crist, Richard Meek. NOT IN PICTURE: Dick Easton.

Operation "Smiling Face and Bright Eyes"

By DICK SMITH, *Kansas Alpha Reporter*



CHRISTMAS PARTY

Brother Harry Jordan, presents a Christmas gift to one of 20 young boys and girls entertained at an annual Christmas party.

THE most ludicrous sight of the year at the Kansas Alpha house is observed just prior to the Christmas vacation. Young men, aged 18 to 22, of assorted sizes and shapes, mostly uncommonly large, are seen doing the most ridiculous things. They crawl; they bark; they giggle; they pinch; they talk baby talk; they, in short, lapse into the activities of a typical three-year-old.

Absurdity with a purpose, this evening of childishness. It is the annual Christmas Party given by Kansas Alpha for underprivileged children. 1952 marked the first of these gatherings and, in the short space of two years, the party is now regarded by many as the highlight of the year's activities.

Operation "Smiling Face and Bright Eyes" is begun by soliciting the names of approximately twenty children, ranging in age from two to seven, from the charitable organizations in Lawrence. About a week before the party the men of the chapter extend personal invitations to each of the children. An assessment is levied and voluntary contributions are accepted, so that we can accumulate a

fund of from \$150 to \$200. By using various wholesale connections an amazing amount of merchandise can be purchased for this sum.

The big evening begins about 6:30 P.M. when the tykes are brought to the house. A large tree graces the middle living room and under it are stacked literally hundreds of packages. As each child enters, he or she is met by the three men assigned to him and taken over to stare at the tree. After all have arrived, we go into the dining room to watch entertainment.

Tension mounts as the jingle of bells heralds the arrival of none other than "Jolly Old Saint Nick" and his helpers. Santa leads a few favorite Christmas Carols and distributes sacks of candy. Refreshments for all are the next order of business, followed by adjournment to the living room.

Small Investment . . . Big Return

A \$2 investment can certainly provide a great return, particularly if the dividend comes from delighted faces. Eager hands clutch wagons, scooters, trains, doll houses, dolls, house cleaning sets, sweatshirts, gloves and trousers or skirts (the latter three are given to each child). Next, of course, is play period with chapter members romping uninhibitedly with their new young friends.

This brings the evening to an end except for the tour of the campus decorations which is part of the trip home.

To the men in the chapter there is much more to this function than is easily explained. A certain amount of satisfaction is gained when tears, caused by unfamiliar surroundings, are stilled. Often it takes real effort to evoke a smile. Occasionally, one of the older children is a disbeliever and has to be reconverted to the clan of Santa's followers. All of these are very much a part of the festivities. But even more fundamental is that feeling of a real contribution to the Christmas spirit. Happiness is a priceless gift. Kansas Alpha feels that it has found one small key to its purchase.

Harry Jett, Blaine Hollinger, John Parker, Bruce Wenger and Al Hurst. We are also well represented on the Freshman squad by Kent Floerke, Ray Johnson, Jim Elliott and Jim Steerman. Two more chapter members, Tom Ryther and Lew Phillips were initiated into Sachem, OAK, the University's Honor Society for Senior men. Out of over 1,000 men in the Senior class, 22 are members of Sachem and five of these are Phis. Brother Phillips also was the first recipient of a \$750 scholarship from the Frank E. Marcy trust and

Phikeia Ray Johnson was honored with a \$500 award from the Corn Products endowment fund. The pre-vacation period was filled with a full roster of activities: December 11, the Christmas formal; December 12, a guest buffet; December 13, the annual Christmas stag; December 15, the underprivileged children's party given by the chapter.—DICK SMITH, *Reporter*.

KANSAS BETA, Washburn University.—Now that football season has closed, the All-C.I.C. teams have been

picked and Nick Cossman, Washburn co-captain, was chosen as the first team tackle. Phikeia Don Luttrell was named on the second team as a halfback and Roger Bowen, end, was given Honorable Mention. More of the sports picture includes John McIntosh, Bob McKone, Don Cavanaugh and Bill Reichert, who are on the Washburn varsity basketball team. Phikeias Ronnie Tate and Kendal Simpson are members of the Freshman squad. Of further interest are the activities of Tom Warner, Wayne Stratton, Bob Mairs and

Wally Smith, who are on the Washburn debate team. Mairs is president of the debate society. In the student government on campus is Ralph Bowen who was elected Senior class president, Bob McKone and Larry Pitcher, both R.O.T.C. cadets, are members of the Rifle team and recently finished competition for the Hurst Trophy. Since the last issue of THE SCROLL there have been four initiates in Kansas Beta. They are Melvin Kemp, Garden City, and Jack Greenwood, Glen Davis and Gary Watson, all of Topeka. At Homecoming, Kansas Beta won the first place trophy for the best fraternity float and then went on to win the trophy for the best float in the parade. After the Homecoming game the chapter invited some two hundred guests and friends to the house for a buffet dinner. On the social side the Washburn Phis held a French Sewer party early in November for which the house was decorated to resemble a sewer and the Phis and their dates came in French costume. Shortly after this, the annual Tri Phi was held in Topeka at which Phis from Kansas Alpha, Beta and Gamma were in attendance. As has become the custom of Kansas Beta the annual party for underprivileged children was held just prior to Christmas vacation. This year the brothers devoted the evening to the St. Vincent's Children's Home, where Jake Jackman, dressed as Santa Claus, passed out presents to the children. The first part of the school year drew to a close December 17 when the annual Christmas Orchid formal preceded by the stag dinner was held.—WALLACE B. SMITH, Reporter.

KANSAS GAMMA, Kansas State College.—The two months since the last issue of THE SCROLL have been busy ones for us here at Kansas Gamma. Homecoming, intramurals, and other important events have occupied, more than usual, our spare time. Several Phis from Kansas Alpha visited us for the weekend when K-State defeated its bitterest rival, Kansas University. Later in the football season we were doubly pleased in that K-State won its Homecoming game, and the chapter won third in house decorations under the able supervision of Alden Dunkleberger. The Fall social season was capped in November with the annual Miami Triad. The boys are still talking about the third annual Tri-Phi party held in Topeka December 4, at which Kansas Beta was kind enough to host an onslaught of Phis from Kansas Alpha and Gamma. Yuletide spirit prevailed at the usual date and stag Christmas parties pre-



KENTUCKY LEADER

Niel Lowry, Kentucky Epsilon's senior guard, won the leadership award which was presented to him by the Louisville radio-television station. Presentation was made at the annual University of Kentucky football banquet given by the Alumni Association. The award was based on scholarship, character, leadership on the field, and value to the team. Lowry was regular varsity guard whose outstanding play helped Kentucky's wildcats to a successful season.

ceding the vacation. Stan Randall, Ashland, has recently, been pledged. Honoraries since last Spring include: Bob Playter and Bill Ericson, A Z, ag honorary; Al Stuenenberg and Jim Stewart, ΣΓΕ, geology; Phil Robertson, A M, milling; Bob Clark, Steel Ring, engineering; Don Prigmore, Σ T, engineering; and Mike Williamson, Δ Φ Δ, art. Our congratulations to Jerry Sartorius for a fine job in cross country. Several Pikeias are in the Frosh sports spotlight, namely: Darrel Feaker, gymnastics; Paul Parsons and Dave Nuttle, wrestling; Arlan Stackley, track, and M. D. Casey, football. Sax Stone, Cadet Colonel A.F.R.O.T.C., D. D. Lowell and C. Q. Williamson will attend the National A.F.R.O.T.C. convention at North Texas State College in Denton, Tex. Kansas Gamma wishes to express its congratulations and best wishes to Dr. Clem E. Binger on his election to the General Council. It is with regret that we lose this friend and counselor as Province President; however, we know that a Phi of such abilities should not be limited to the boundaries of one Province. Our sincerest thanks for all that he has done for us.—PHIL ROBERTSON, Reporter.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, Centre College.—The Centre Phis once again topped the campus in

pledging, as fourteen men elected to wear the Pikeia button. They are an all-Kentucky group: Teddy Bradshaw, Burgin; Burns Brady, Mayfield; Jim Caudill, Louisville; Mac Clifton, Barboursville; Skippy Connell, Shelbyville; Thomas Ensslin, Stanford; Troy Fairchild, Ashland; Jim Huddleston, Harrodsburg; John Issacs, Lebanon; Bob Manchester, Paducah; Jerry Merritt, Louisa; Jim Russell, Paducah; Ronal Sharp and Donal Sharp, Danville. In intramural sports, the Phis clinched the football championship by defeating the Σ Xs in the final game of the season. Both teams went into the game undefeated. High scorer for the league, as well as for the Phis, was Curt McCall who, playing end, caught eleven touchdown passes for 66 points. Freddie Travis gets the credit for an excellent job of passing. The Phis have also fielded a strong basketball team and look as if they may be on their way to another intramural championship. Centre's basketball season is under way with the Phis placing six men on the varsity, four of them regular starters. The starters are: Jim Johnson, center and captain; Sonny Gum, guard, who is leading the Colonel scoring with an average of 25 points per game; and John Hall and Charley Brown who hold down the forward positions. Also on the squad are John Woods, forward, and Skippy Connell, center. For the second year Santa Claus was represented by Dennie Steineker at our annual Orphans' Christmas party.—THOMAS E. JENNINGS, JR., Reporter.

KENTUCKY EPSILON, University of Kentucky.—Kentucky Epsilon, in the past few months of college activities, has been busy participating in all college functions. After starting the year with an outstanding pledge class, the Phis moved into the first major event, which was Lances Carnival. The Phis were runners up with their skit, which was "Salome and Her Seven Veils." The next important function was Homecoming. The Phis had a display entitled "This One's On You, Vanderbilt," which received much comment by all. On the athletic side of college life, the Phis had an outstanding intramural football team which finished its season high in the upper fraternity division and with a record improved over last year's. Basketball is now in full swing and the Phis still remain in the undefeated ranks. The team shows great enthusiasm and hopes to have a successful season. In other intramural sports the chapter is also participating and is showing an all-round outstanding record. On the social side of college life, the Phis



PHIKEIAS ??

Kentucky Epsilon Phikeias in costume for their prize-winning skit in Lances Carnival. The title? "Salome and Her Seven Veils."

have been entertaining their dates with weekend parties and dances. The Phikeias entertained the Freshman girls with an afternoon tea which over 200 girls attended, making the party a huge success. The Phi Mothers' Club held a rummage sale, which was profitable, and the money they made will be used to purchase new fixtures for the Phis' home. The annual Interfraternity dance was held on the University of Kentucky campus in which 21 fraternities participated. All the Phis attended and a good time was had by all. Kentucky Epsilon had its hopes raised awhile back when plans for construction of a new house were discussed. A committee of Phis and advisors are busy finding a location. Three or four sites are under consideration now. The Phis here at Kentucky Epsilon have great hopes that they will have a new house in which to start off the Fall 1955 season.—GEORGE DALE ROBINSON, Reporter.

LOUISIANA ALPHA, Tulane University.—Louisiana Alpha ended a very successful Rush week by pledging nineteen outstanding men: Don Ranna, Bill Forman, Herb Hughes, Steve Salaun, Sonny Trenchard, New Orleans; Ed Connell, Clarksdale, Miss.; John Abide and John Young, Greenwood, Miss.; Jerry Wells, North Hollywood, Calif.; Bob Kelly, Dubuque, Ia.; Steve Welch, Memphis, Tenn.; Pete Sohngen, Hamilton, Ohio; Alton McVadon, Baton Rouge, La.; Homer Lochridge, Montgomery, Ala.; Frank Crittenden and Earl Ferguson, Selma, Ala.; Bill Newton, Beaumont, Tex.; John Percy, Dallas, Tex., and Cy Parker, Wichita

Falls, Tex. Charlie Felger, Victoria, Tex., pledged after the two week "quiet" period. Lyle Degelos and Gene Dabiezis swept the handball courts clean of all opposition to gain the Panhellenic handball trophy for the Tulane Phis. Dave Jackson, Steve Salaun, Lynn Virden, Bill Eckert and Dick Geer took third place in bowling. The Phis are also well represented in campus publications. Scott Bruns was appointed editor of *The Hullabaloo*, the campus newspaper; Walter Ward is serving as business manager of *The Jamb* yearbook along with Don Collins and Don Lee; Don Collins and Homer Lochridge write the *The Urchin*, humor magazine; and Don Collins served as co-business manager for the *Student Directory*. The Tulane Phis have received their share of campus honors. Don Lee, Bob Wise and Adrian Cairns were tapped to O Δ K; Don Collins was elected president of TUSK, campus spirit organization; Charlie Mitchell was elected varsity cheerleader; Boyd Shaw was elected president of the Junior class of arts and sciences; Dick Geer was elected vice president of the Senior class of arts and sciences; Bob Wise was elected secretary-treasurer of the college of engineering, president of the Arnold Air Society, and Cadet Colonel of the A.F.R.O.T.C. Plans are under way for remodeling the house in cooperation with the local Alumni Club.—ROBERT WISE, Reporter.

LOUISIANA BETA, Louisiana State University.—This past month has been one of the best Louisiana Beta has known. After winning first place in fraternity Homecoming

decorations for three consecutive years, we placed second this year. As our theme, we used "Derail the Rebels." Following this theme, we built a locomotive moving down the rails with smoke flowing from the smokestack. Besides sound effects, we had a giant tiger, representing the school's mascot, "Mike," dynamiting the rails. At the end of the track we had a Sugar Bowl. In charge of the decorations this year was Chuck Standard. Immediately following Homecoming, Gladin "Scotty" Scott, Shreveport, and Jerry Johnston, Natchez, Miss., were initiated. We also pledged three very good men in December. They are: Tommy Kraft, Leesville; Bill Smart, Covington, and Norbert Hector, Covington. After losing the annual pledge-active football game, the pledges presented the chapter and their dates with a Thanksgiving party. This party, which was enjoyed by all, was held at the modernistic home of one of the pledges. The Phikeias also gave us a bang-up Christmas party. The basketball season, which has just begun, should prove very rewarding this year. Among the many alumni who have visited us this past month, Paul Storck, a charter member of our chapter, is the most prominent. We would like to extend an invitation to all alumni and other Phis to come by and see us whenever they might have a chance.—GLADIN SCOTT, Reporter.

MAINE ALPHA, Colby College.—With the first semester well under way brothers and pledges here at Colby have been very active to date in many college affairs. Barkey Boole was elected to captain the Colby mules in the coming football season of 1955. Phis receiving letters in football were: Barkey Boole, captain-elect; Ralph Cuccuro, Jim Higgins, Dick Merriman, and Bill Saladino. Basketball season has opened with Colby winning their first two games. Bob Bruns, picking up where he left off last season, has been the leading scorer in both games played so far. Charlie Morrissey was commended highly by the Colby faculty at the end of his reign as editor of the *Colby Echo*, campus newspaper. Charlie, along with Arlie Porath and Bob Templeton has now donned the blades for the hockey squad. Pete Oram recently received the highest award presented to an A.F.R.O.T.C. cadet. Pete is a Lieutenant Colonel in the Corps of Cadets. He was commended on his high scholastic average and outstanding moral leadership. In December the Phis held an alumni dinner for the local alumni. This dinner was

well received and many of the local alumni were present. So successful was this undertaking that another dinner is planned for next semester. In the interfraternity athletic field the Phis finished fourth. The team was coached by Tom Newman. The basketball team is currently tied for first place, coached ably by Ken Gray.—JOHN FARLEY, *Reporter*.

MANITOBA ALPHA, University of Manitoba.—The first two weeks of November were busy ones for Manitoba Alpha. Marvin Perry arrived from Headquarters for a brief visit, and hard on his heels came Newton Fuller, Province President from Minneapolis. It was our privilege to have him present at our annual Mr. Phi Night Awards dinner held November 10, at which time some seventy Phis, active and alumni, gathered under the chairmanship of John Gordon. This year the Mr. Phi trophy was awarded to Bill Ireland, the Scholarship Trophy to Ralph Addison, and the Sportsmanship Award to Ivan Mencik, whose marriage was an event of early November. At an initiation ceremony held December 4, eleven new brothers were received into the brotherhood of Manitoba Alpha. As this is written, an ominous stillness hangs over the chapter as first term examinations are being written. However, plans are going ahead for a second rush program in the new year, and as always, information on prospective rushees will be welcomed from the alumni. A tea is being planned by the Mothers' Club to be held January 23 at the home of Roy Parkhill. All Phis and their families are invited.—W. E. IRELAND, *Reporter*.

MARYLAND ALPHA
University of Maryland
No letter received.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.—Intramural football and the "two yard" party highlighted the late Fall activities of Massachusetts Gamma. Coaches Pete Peterson and Barry Lucas successfully piloted the football team to the intramural league title as they romped over their opponents by sizable margins. The play-off of each league champion for the overall victor is currently in progress. Outstanding was the passing of Freshman Walt Ackerlund and the line play of Senior Pete Pratt. Doug Wixson, social chairman, was responsible for the highly successful "two yard" party in which the brothers and Phikeias gave their dates two square yards of material to make an



TIGER TNT

Louisiana Beta Homecoming decorations which took second place show the university mascot, Mike, dynamiting the Rebel Train on the way to the Sugar Bowl.



Givan directing the squad to what looks like a promising season. House improvements in the past month have been a new shower installation, a new kitchen sink, and compensation for the damage incurred on the house due to the early Fall's series of hurricanes.—RICHARD MC-CANOMON, *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN ALPHA, University of Michigan.—It looks as if we are going to have a hard fight on our hands to retain the Intramural All Sports Trophy that we won last year. The SAEs edged us out of the Football championship by a hard to take score of 7 to 6. The very same boys dealt us an equally hard defeat in volleyball. We are now running about third out of 43 fraternities. After a fine season, our Treasurer Fred Baer was selected by the varsity football team as Most Valuable Player of the year. Fred was invited to play at fullback in the Blue-Gray game on Christmas day. As Christmas approached, we held our annual Christmas children's party. Chick Jung, who handled the party, invited the Thetas from across the street to come over and give us a hand with the kiddies. The party is always as much fun for the Phis as it is for the children. December 4 was the first game of the basketball season. Varsity players in Michigan Alpha are Tom Jorgenson, Jim Barron, Phil Mitchell and Ed Westwood. Barron and Jorgenson, each hitting for nearly twenty points, helped roll up

original costume. A prize was awarded to the girl with the best costume and one to the girl who used the least amount of material. The past month has seen many of the brothers and Phikeias participating in the Winter sports at Tech. Most all of the sports are represented, with Sandy Aitken tending goal on the varsity hockey team, Doug Johnson jumping for the varsity ski team, Will Veeck leading the Frosh swim team as captain, Emil Wright playing pivot on the Frosh basketball team, and Doug Wixson working out with the varsity grapplers. Tom McCullough and Trenton Ellison are hitting bullseyes for the varsity pistol team, Don Dolben is holding down a berth on the Frosh squash team, and Fred White, Bob Sullivan and Captain Tom Hamilton are active on the varsity swim team. Intramural basketball is under way with Coach Boyd



GUYS AND DOLLS

A group of Minnesota Alpha Phis and their dates at the annual Honeymoon Hotel party.

a score of 101 over the University of Pittsburgh. House Manager Bill MacArthur and Steward Tim Reiman were tapped for the R.O.T.C. honorary, Scabbard and Blade. We would like to thank our alumni, for this has been a big year for improvements on the house. Our circular front drive has been paved with asphalt along with the parking lot. A new roof was put on this Summer and a considerable sum of money was appropriated to use for room improvement.—BILL BOHSACK, *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN BETA Michigan State College No letter received.

MINNESOTA ALPHA, University of Minnesota.—November 29, elections were held and the officers for the rest of this school year were elected. Dale Epland was elected president, replacing Bob Bardwell who reigned Summer and Fall quarters. Homecoming activities this year included an all-university Varsity Show which was ably directed by Dale Epland. Following football season Jim Soltau received invitations to both the East-West Shrine game and the North-South game. Chuck Kubes also received an invitation to the North-South game. The chapter is looking forward to the third annual Minnesota Alpha Invitational Basketball Tournament to be held sometime in February. Jerry Gale was elected captain of the varsity swimming team this year. Al Johnson is a returning letterman on the team

also. Socially the Phis have everything pretty well in hand. The annual Honeymoon Hotel party was held December 4 with everyone getting married and then divorced before the evening was over. "Rev." Martz and "Deacon" McWhorter performed the ceremonies. Coming up in the near future is the Snow party which is a full day of frolicking in the snow climaxed by a dance in the evening. During the Christmas vacation four brothers were married: Jerry Gale, Bill Foss, Jim Soltau and Don Arthur. Rushing for Winter quarter is proceeding very well under the direction of Ernie Martz and Al Mogck, rushing chairman.—TOM KLINE, *Reporter*.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, University of Mississippi.—Mississippi Alpha is proud to announce the initiation of Mr. Doyle Morrow, Mr. J. Breck Cabell, Sr., and Mr. Frank Fair, Jr., three outstanding alumni of the University of Mississippi. These men have been continuous supporters of the chapter and have, through the years, proved themselves worthy of membership in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. We are honored to have them as brothers. The intramural touch football team did well, losing one and tying one, to finish second in the league. Perhaps the greatest victory of the Phi varsity was a 13-6 triumph over a group of "Pirates," composed of second-team Phis and pledges. The game was followed by a "Homecoming Dance" at the chapter house, one of several successful parties of the Fall semester. The open houses after the Ole Miss

games on campus were also enjoyed by all. After the victory over Mississippi State the chapter house was overflowing with alumni and talk of Sugar Bowl plans. This year the "Santa Claus" project of the chapter was to give a young underprivileged boy his entire Christmas. Mississippi Alpha extends to all its alumni and friends best wishes for 1955.—HARRY GRIFFITH, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI ALPHA, University of Missouri.—Missouri Alpha—in its absence of social privileges—has turned its interests to more selfless and charitable fields. At the moment we are sponsoring a Korean War orphan named Chang Il Whang. We obtained our orphan through the Foster Parents Plan for War Children Incorporated. The chapter devotes a certain amount of its annual budget for his support. We also sponsored our Annual Christmas party for five little Columbia orphan boys, at which we presented each of them with an entire Winter's wardrobe plus books, games and other toys. Under the able direction of Barton Pitts, the Chapter as usual has thrown its wholehearted support behind the recent Bloodmobile drive. We are also very pleased with the tremendous appreciative response the chapter has received as a result of the presentation of our Joe Barnes memorial trophy to an outstanding local high school student. As usual, Missouri Alpha counts among its brothers several fine athletes. At the moment, Medford Park, Gary Rust and Phikeia Truman Blackman are gaining recognition on the Varsity basketball team. Another Phikeia, Paul Stehr, has been a leading scorer on the University Freshman team. Leven Gray, Missouri's fine hurdler, will again display the fine form that has won him national honors. In the intramural scene, Missouri Alpha holds second place in campus athletics.—BILL WICKERSHAM, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI BETA, Westminster College.—With the year 1955 upon us, Missouri Beta enters into its 75th year as a chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Since 1880, Missouri Beta has been a leader on the Westminster College campus. It has had its lean years and also its strong years, but always keeping its name associated with the honor and dignity of the national Fraternity of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. In its 75 years of continuous existence on the Westminster campus, Missouri Beta has produced many outstanding men in the National Fraternity. Among them are two P.P.G.C.s and others too numerous to mention. At the close of this academic year a large Diamond Jubilee Celebration is being planned.

We of Missouri Beta are very proud of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ as we hope $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is proud of us. It is our hope that our next 75 years will be as successful as the last have been. After starting the season with two upsets, the Missouri Beta swimming team came back strongly to take a third place. The Phi "fin men" were led by Jack Rankin who, as their captain, deserves much of the credit for their fine spirit. Everyone on the team did a very commendable job, the team consisting of Rankin, Goltry, Carr, Ruppert and Phikeias Cannon, Vrooman, and Gross. Jack Rankin has become the proud possessor of a Winkie Dink. The hardwoods are resounding with the sound of basketballs as all the Phi hopefuls are preparing for what should turn out to be an excellent intramural basketball season. Missouri Beta is now laying plans for further enhancing the beauty of their chapter house by making a concrete dance patio for the back yard. Dave Vaughan has further increased the prestige of Missouri Beta on campus by being elected to both $O\Delta K$, and *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. —JOHN V. GORDON, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI GAMMA, Washington University.—Christmas is the time for giving as well as receiving, and we here at Washington try to uphold that tradition by collecting money for the purchase of food for the needy families of the St. Louis area. This year, with Tom Adams heading the program, more than twenty families were provided with gifts which helped to make theirs a merrier Christmas. Over the holiday vacation the Phi basketball squad practiced for the opening of the intramural season, which finds us with a strong team and a good chance of snaring the All-School trophy. Congratulations go to our fine I.M. tennis team in bringing us the league championship, and to the football team for placing third. Speaking of football, our President, Jim Burst, was voted the "Back of the Year" by the supporters of the Washington U. football team. Thanks go to Juden Reed for the fine job he did in preparing the fraternity skit which qualified us for participation in Bearskin Follies, a sorority-fraternity production. This is the first time in six years we have been accepted and much credit must be given to Brother Reed and his staff: Jim Burst, John Porter, Monty Shomaker and Phikeias John Issacson and Larry Swaney, who put in a lot of time in writing and producing the skit. Dale Perkinson, the fraternity's I.F.C. representative, traveled to Philadelphia to represent Washing-



WALTER G. STALEY, JR., *Missouri Alpha*

An Olympic Equestrian

MISSOURI ALPHA is proud to have as one of its members, Walter G. Staley Jr., a member of the 1952 U.S. Olympic Equestrian team. As a team, the United States finished third in the three-day event, and Wally placed seventeenth in individual competition. Only one other U.S. teammate finished higher in the standings.

Wally comes from a family of great horsemen and both he and his brother have been chosen members of the team to represent the United States in the Pan American Games. Wally is also hoping to make the American Olympic team again in 1956.

Aside from his riding, Wally spends much of his time at the local Presbyterian Youth Center, where he is a popular member and officer. The rest of his time is devoted to his fraternity life, which includes the office of Chaplain, and to his study of geology.—BILL WICKERSHAM, *Reporter*.

ton U. at the national I.F.C. convention, last December. School honors to Bill Abbott who was named as a Junior to the engineering honorary, T.B.II. Here's hoping you all had a Merry Christmas and that the New Year will bring nothing but happiness and success to all the members and friends of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.—RICHARD DAMMKOEHLER, *Reporter*.

MONTANA ALPHA, Montana State University.—For the first time Montana Alpha won the Homecoming float decoration. With Weingart as ramrod and working in conjunction with Corbin Hall, Freshman women's dormitory, the House of Phi after three disheartening years of coming in second best, came through victorious. The float was a ship called the U. S. S. *Montana*, measuring about thirty-eight feet long, thirteen feet high, and con-

sisting of some twenty-two thousand paper napkins. The house touch football team was also successful in bringing back the "Gold Monster," Interfraternity trophy, to its rightful resting place—we feel. Our annual Hawaiian party was once again top function of the Autumn quarter through the devoted efforts of Bowlin and his committee. Food consisted of four roasted pigs, fruit, and different kinds of fish. Early arrivals seemingly playing the part of vultures completely devoured the four pigs. A joyful time was had by all. We have seven more Phikeias than the twenty listed in November. They are: Leland Bummer, Clifford Hagfeldt, Scobey; Bill Williamson, Box Elder; John Pinter, Whitefish Bay, Wis.; John Donohue, Milwaukee, Wis.; Ray Berezay, Cut Bank and Dick Gregory, Alberton. New signers of the Bond are: Clayton Schultz,



U.S.S. Montana

Montana Alpha and Corbin Hall Freshman women teamed up to produce this Homecoming Float which took first place for the Phis for the first time.

Dillon, Pete Leveque, Vallejo, Calif. and Jim Stone, Billings. Actives ending their football career for the University of Montana are: Bill Gue, Great Falls, George Samuelson, Glendive; Don Little, Helena, and Keith Peterson, Seattle, Wash.—FRANK NICKEL, Reporter.

NEBRASKA ALPHA, Nebraska University.—As we look back on the Christmas season, one of the outstanding social events of the year was the annual Phi Christmas formal which was held in the Lincoln Hotel. Over sixty-five couples attended the gala event including actives, pledges and Alumni. Bill Devries, president of the I.F.C. and also president of Nebraska Alpha, recently returned from the National I.F.C. Convention in Philadelphia where he picked up information which will be very beneficial to every member of our chapter. Turning to the sports picture we see two promising Sophomores, Doug "Hoot" Gibson of Falls City, and Bill Wells of West Baden, Ind., who are among the first ten on the University of Nebraska's basketball team. In swimming we have Gordon Peterson, a sprinter, and Dick Hlidek, a breastroker, both three-year lettermen, who will be fighting for top honors for the university in their opening meet at Grinnell University in Iowa. The Phi rifle team consisting of Al Gothard, captain; Jim Donelan, Charley Hunley and "Tony" Sloano won the Rifle trophy again. This makes the third consecutive year we have won it. Fred Larkin is our newly elected rush chairman and any information concerning prospective Phis should be sent to him. New initiates into the Bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ are: Terry Healey, Gothenburg; Dick Skold, Jack Leikam, Dick Beechner, Lincoln and Bill Wells, West Baden, Ind.—HERBERT MEISSNER, Reporter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA, Dartmouth College.—November 3, New Hampshire Alpha initiated 24 new brothers into its membership. The initiation banquet was held afterward at the Country Inn where guests included Al Demaree, Faculty Adviser; Paul Urion, '38, Corporation president; Jim Campion, '28, Ward Amidon, Corporation treasurer; Ed Knowles, Province President, and Ed Hunter, '01, the Grand Old Man of New Hampshire Alpha. The banquet also served as a kick-off for the annual Alumni Dues Campaign which reached 24% participation last year, and is expected to surmount that this year. Intramural basketball and hockey seasons are in full swing with bright prospects in both. The Phis are able to field two basketball teams of equal strength, and hope to earn a spot in the play-offs. The pucksters, rounding into shape from practice on the Phi hockey rink behind the house, are also aiming for high honors. The house has been well represented in varsity athletics too. In the Fall, Sophomore Don Burkhardt ran on the varsity cross country team, while at the present time Bob Creasy, another Sophomore, is playing line on the varsity hockey team. On the varsity track team we have Freshman pole vault record-holder Lou Metzger, Rick Webb in the weight, and Bill Trager putting the shot. Plans are already being made for our Winter Carnival in February. Rick Hollyer, social chairman, has secured the Spring Street Stompers, who just held a concert in Carnegie Hall entitled "Jazz Goes to College." With Winter's early arrival in Hanover, the Phis have been spending many enjoyable weekends on the ski slopes in New Hampshire, Vermont and Canada. All the brothers turned out to build our hockey rink behind the house which has been the

center of afternoon activity on fraternity row.—BOB HADLEY, Reporter.

NEW MEXICO ALPHA, University of New Mexico.—Greetings again from the Land of Enchantment! The interest of several of the brothers seems to have turned to love. Recently married are John Teeter, Dean Kern and Clark Stroud. Brother Stroud is a recent graduate of N.M.A. Jim Harper has told of his wedding to be in February, and Dave Faw plans to be married this coming June. Two members of N.M.A. have been chosen for *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; they are Felix Briones and Herb Brunell. Ron Druckel, our alumni secretary, will have the Phi Newsletter of N.M.A. out in January. We are proud of the work he has done with the alumni job and wish to thank him heartily for it. Ken Hansen is on the varsity basketball squad with the hope for a good season. The men on the west side of the house have been entertained lately with Swede Carlson's slide projector. He uses the side of the $\Pi B \Phi$ house for his screen. Now that football is over, Carlson, Drake, Pendleton and Phikeia Apodaca can get back in the swing of things. These men made a very good showing during the season. The new rug in our living room, a gift from the pledge class, has really brightened up the house. By the time THE SCROLL has gone to press, Pete Schram will have been replaced as president of N.M.A. but just this word to say "Thanks, Pete," you've done a good job and have brought N.M.A. a long way.—HERBERT H. BRUNELL, JR., Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA, Cornell University.—There has been nothing but progress in our fair chapter this Fall term. The most outstanding accomplishment was in the field of academics. We gained 31 places in the fraternity roster and are now above the Cornell all-men's average. For those interested, we are also 27 places ahead of our rivals, the Betas. The war whoop of the chapter this year has been "Beat the Betas." They squeaked into first place for the all-sports trophy last year while we placed fourth. So far this year it has been neck and neck. Another outstanding asset gained this year has been our pledge class. The Phikeias, whose football team reached the finals, were treated as royalty during the weekend of December 12, as we culminated our highly successful Fall term social program with the Pledge formal. The members went all out in decorating the house, the theme be-



DARTMOUTH TEAMS

LEFT: *New Hampshire Alpha's intramural basketball squad. STANDING: Bob Hadley, Nils Larson, Fred Starling, Dick Burch, Brandy Schnorf. KNEELING: Jim Lothrop, Jud Snyder, Don Burkhardt. RIGHT: Chapter hockey team. STANDING: Don White, Nils Larson, Don Campbell, Rick Webb, Phil Coyle. KNEELING: Cy Field, Phil Kleinschmidt, Jock Romaley, John Roberts.*

ing centered around a two to five Cave Man party and showing the Phikeias what it means to be a Phi. The Phikeias are: William Hobbs, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Michael Horner and James Friday, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Frederick Horner and William Longstreet, St. Louis, Mo.; Jerome Kraus, Birmingham, Mich.; Ralph Gattozzi, Cleveland, Ohio; Maury Hill, Jr., Clayton, Mo.; Thomas Maxfield, Maplewood, Ohio; Richard Rose, West Allenhurst, N.J.; John Roomer, Rochester; John Schroeder and Ronald Schroeder, Evanston, Ill.; Richard Skipsey, Mexico City; Todd Springer, Verona, N.J.; William Trimble, Collingswood, N.J.; John Wysard, Babylon; John R. Williams, Toledo, Ohio; Evert Asjes, Kansas City, Mo.; Donald Cheney, Mamaroneck, James Conlan, Boston, Mass.; Norman Crout, Columbus, Ohio; Garrison Davidson, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.—HAROLD W. BOOTH, Reporter.

NEW YORK BETA, Union College.—New York Beta was most fortunate in last Fall's rushing. We have pledged twenty of the best men in the Freshman class this year. The new Phikeias are: Dick Richards, Tony Coccozzo, Tony Berry, Dick Rosecrans and Jerry Riggi, Schenectady; Karl Van Keuren, Millbrook; Mike Sullivan, Fulton; Jim Bray, Central Bridge; Bob Utz, Greenport; Frank Micarelli, Corona; Bob Carlson, Ossining; Eric Ziller, Greensboro; Jim Nappo, Kenmore; Karl Meyers, Kingston; Charles Fraser, Garden City; Jerry Faeth, Teaneck, N.J.; Jerry DePass, Irvington, N.J.; Tom McCarthy, Binghamton; Drew Lawson, Wynnewood, Pa., and Robin Gundry, our foreign student from Sussex, Great Britain.

Once again $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is leading in Union's student and class governments. Lee Michalski is treasurer of the Senior class, Al Barsamian, president of the Junior class and Jerry DePass, president of the Freshman class, which marks the fourth consecutive year that a New York Beta Phikeia has held the position. On Student Council, besides Barsamian and DePass, we have Steve Hansen, Buck Bower, Ted Engkvist, Tom McCarthy and Mike Sullivan. In football this Fall, Union had its first winning season since 1949. With Phis John McMahon, Byng Huntington and Joe Guerra forming the nucleus of the line and hard running George Wodarak and Ed Crotty in the backfield and Lou Martucci ready at end, the opposition could hardly be confident. We're well represented in varsity basketball, too, with Juniors Ed Crotty and Buck Bower in the forward and center spots respectively. In the intramural contests, our football team was only defeated by one opponent and we're ready for basketball with our championship team of last year returning almost intact. Our house itself has seen many improvements of late including a newly refinished dining room floor and a new coat of paint on the house's exterior. One of the most important improvements is our scholarship, which has taken an increasingly sound trend upward.—THOMAS J. MILES, Reporter.

NEW YORK EPSILON, Syracuse University.—The Phis of New York Epsilon have started this Fall semester with an excellent rushing season, under the direction of Ted Van-Syckel, which netted us 23 good men. Just after rushing was over we initiated our Spring pledge class, who are:

Bill Abballe, Amsterdam; Gary Be-craft, Utica; Fred Lebbard, Greenwich, Conn.; Benny Sanchez, Santure, Puerto Rico; Gus Taft, Syracuse; Jim Wilson, Silver Creek; Bruce Ward, Syracuse, and Paul Watkins, Auburn. Our social calendar has been filled with many excellent parties and dances thanks to our Social Chairman Ken Brown. Colgate weekend, our Homecoming weekend, was our biggest social event. Friday evening we had an Alumni dinner to which came Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, who was the main speaker at the University Brotherhood Service later on that evening. Saturday we had a "sour hour" before the game and a buffet dinner and beer party after the game. To these functions we welcomed many alumni and Colgate Phis. Our Christmas formal was held just before vacation. In intramurals we have won the university football trophy and are well on our way towards winning the all-around Intramural sports trophy for the third straight year. Dick Milham, our intramural manager, has been holding practice for the teams in Winter sports so as to get them in shape for the coming meets. On this year's varsity basketball team are Juniors George Newi and Clyde Murrock, while Lenny Kissel is captain of the swimming team. Recently we had a visit from Lodi Vasholz, traveling secretary. He was able to look at the chapter objectively and give us many excellent suggestions to make it even better than it is.—DICK SUTTER, Reporter.

NEW YORK ZETA, Colgate University.—Climaxing Hell Week, held previous to the Thanksgiving recess, initiation of new brothers took place December 1 and 2. A cocktail party

N. C. Alpha Swimmers Gain National Recognition

By SHERWOOD H. SMITH, JR., *N.C. Alpha Reporter*

SIX outstanding brothers of North Carolina Beta made up the swimming team which finished fourth in the National AAU meet last summer. This meet was held at Indianapolis, Ind., on August 4, 5, 6, and 7. The team, which was made up



GREAT CHAPTER SWIM TEAM

LEFT TO RIGHT. Warren Heemann, Charlie Krepp, Larry Shannon, Phil Drake, Ralph Casey (coach), Pete Higgins, Buddy Baarcke.

entirely of brothers from this chapter, swam under the name of the Chapel Hill, N.C., Swim Club.

The brothers who composed this team are: Warren Heemann, Larry Shannon, Pete Higgins, Charlie Krepp, Buddy Baarcke, and Phil Drake. Krepp and Drake are only Sophomores. Last year they set Freshman records in the 200-yard backstroke and the 150-yard individual medley events, respectively.

Heeman and Shannon are co-captains of the North Carolina swimming team this year, and in addition Heemann is president of the chapter. Baarcke, who is now in the Army, is the holder of the national record in the 100-yard dolphin-kick breaststroke. Higgins was stricken with polio two years ago. He has made a magnificent recovery and is expected to be the top distance man on the team this fall.

This team finished fourth, after barely missing a tie for third place by the slim margin of one point. It won the medley relay with a near record breaking time of four minutes and forty-five seconds. It also won the free-style relay with a time of nine minutes and forty-five seconds. Yale, North Carolina State, and the Mexican Swim Club finished in first, second, and third places, respectively.

and initiation banquet followed the ceremonies attended by the brothers, new initiates, fratres in urbe, and fratres in facultate. The speaker was Charles G. Hetherington, Colgate '16, from Auburn, N.Y. The new initiates are: Bill Barraclough, Chester, Pa.; Jim Davis, Olean; Ray Dempsey, Great Neck; Pete Detels, Plandome; Tex Gifford, Los Altos, Calif.; Nels Gough, Chatham, N.J.; John Hilkert, Rutledge, Pa.; John LeFevre, Eden; Doane Lydecker, Chappaqua; Frank Solana, White Plains; Dave Thomas, Rochester; Art Trukenbrodt, Mineola; Jack Nichols, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Dick Savage, Irvington, N.J.; Howard Buckley, Charlie Reis, Harry Vreeland, Ridgewood, N.J. During the two weeks between Thanksgiving and Christmas vacations, the brothers of New York Zeta concentrated on the main social event of this period—the faculty Christmas party—given by the brothers for the administration and faculty of Colgate University. This event was revived for the first time since World War II during the Fall semester of 1952. The brothers entertained one hundred guests on that occasion. Last year the attendance

catapulted over the 350 mark, and the Christmas party is now regarded by hosts and guests alike as one of the top events on the school calendar. Held Friday, December 10, the party featured a student dance band; complete decoration of the chapter house plus a tree; punch, coffee, and assorted canapes; and a concert by the Colgate "13" singing group. On the basketball scene, Co-Captain Frank Patterson and Jack Nichols have earned starting berths, with Jim Davis slated to see early action. Since the beginning of the semester the chapter has slipped to sixth place in Intramural competition. A strong basketball team (2-0) and promising volleyball team indicate a resurgence with support from handball and badminton.—NEAL PRICE, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, Duke University.—With the football season completed with a 7-1-2 record, orange blossoms were in the air and the brothers, both football players and fans, anxiously awaited New Year's Day which brought the Duke-Nebraska clash in the Orange Bowl. Incidentally, this season Bob Pascal

tied two Atlantic Coast Conference individual scoring records. Pascal finished the season with a total of nine touchdowns, having scored three of them against North Carolina on Thanksgiving Day. He also made the first team in the All-A.C.C. poll. Johnny Palmer, center, gained a position on the third team. Jim Nelson broke two A.C.C. records by kicking 21 out of 25 extra points that he attempted. He established new records for both the total number and percentage of good kicks per season. With intramural basketball season here, the Phis are hoping to again win the championship as we did last year. Since the last edition of THE SCROLL, North Carolina Alpha has taken into its midst 29 excellent pledges. We are proud to welcome the following Phikeias: Buck Couch, Bill Cozart, Rick Morgan, Durham; Bill McCracken, Henderson; Bill Taft, Greenville; Jim Culp, Washington, D.C.; Bob Brodhead, Kittanning, Pa.; Bill Hock, Cannonsburg, Pa.; John Phillips, Hazelton, Pa.; Herb Chittum, Jack Ratcliffe, Huntington, W.Va.; John Kersey, Bluefield, W.Va.; Jim Donley, Louis-

ville, Ky.; Phil Dupler, Frankfort, Ind.; Jack Kern, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Bertie Keyser, Lynchburg, Va.; Don Merkelbach, Glen Ridge, N.J.; Pat Patton, Carrollton, Ga.; Sid Reese, Bill Smith, Ben Holt, Atlanta, Ga.; Joe Spence, Cambridge, Md.; Bob Thuss, Birmingham, Ala.; Dick Ulrich, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Pete Inman, Coral Gables, Fla.; Dave Yarrington, Moravia, N.Y.; Joe Gavlak, Cleveland, Ohio, and Bill Recinella, Steubenville, Ohio.—BILL BIGGERS, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA, University of North Carolina.—The chapter climaxed a most successful rush season with pledging of these Phikeias: John Lewallen, Coral Gables, Fla.; Bob Allison, Sylva; Pete Hogaboom, Wendy Eaves, Washington, D.C.; Gordon Darnell, Murphy; Bill Zickgraf, Franklin; John Medlin, Benson; George Holt, Miami, Fla.; Larry McMullen, Lumberton; P. W. West, Sanford; Galen Hobbs, Chapel Hill; Baxter Culler, Martinsville, Va., and Mark Cherry, Mount Olive. North Carolina Beta President, Warren Heemann, is co-captain of the swimming team with Phi Larry Shannon the other co-captain. Steve Trimble, our preceptor, is commander of the crack N.R.O.T.C. drill team, and he is also co-captain of the lacrosse team. Phikeia George Holt was the leading scorer on the Freshman soccer team, which recently finished its season. Phikeia Larry McMullen was picked on *Collier's* preseason Sophomore All-American team. Phi Ed Sutton scored twice on runs of 20 and 70 yards in North Carolina's 14-7 win over Wake Forest. Under the guidance of our House Manager, Jack Cole, the entire first floor was completely redecorated. In the recent campus elections Phi Jim Martin was elected to the Student Legislature. The chapter is well on its way to equalling its fine record of last year in scholarship and athletics. Last year North Carolina Beta finished second scholastically among twenty-four fraternities. Again this year, as last year, we are well represented in varsity athletics. The brothers of North Carolina Beta are represented on the varsity football, swimming, track, lacrosse, cross country and baseball teams; as well as on the Freshman soccer, swimming and baseball teams. Mrs. Mildred Manley Thompson has specified in her will for a scholarship, consisting of the income from a \$15,000 trust fund, to be awarded by a committee made up of the president of North Carolina Beta, one member of the University scholarship committee, and Dr. Byrd Merrill of New York City. Her son, William



DREAM GIRL

Miss Betty Bowen, student at Queens College, Dream Girl of North Carolina Gamma.

Manley Thompson, was the first Phi killed in World War II and this scholarship is in commemoration of his service to his chapter and to his country.—SHERWOOD H. SMITH, Jr., Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, Davidson College.—About the best Phi news from Davidson College is that the chapter here took first place in the interfraternity wrestling, beating the Σ A Es by a narrow margin, to forge ahead in the yearly interfraternity cup race. Recently Phi athletes took a third in the swimming competition. Phikeia Bill Warlick took the 130-weight first place in the wrestling, and Don Stewart led the swimming. Charlie Cousar, Phi president last year, was selected

for *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*. Frank Mitchener and Austin Strand were tapped into O Δ K in November. Mitchener is one of Davidson's leading track stars, running the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes. Strand has done considerable work with the Y.M.C.A. Scout post here. The Fraternity elected the dream girl for this year. She is Miss Betty Bowen from Tallahassee, Fla., a student at Queens College in Charlotte. Miss Bowen is a member of A Δ Π and has been wearing Brother Cousar's pin for more than a year. John Reed was initiated in November into A E Δ, the pre-medical fraternity here, and Harley Smith was chosen a Distinguished Military Student by the college president and the R.O.T.C. department. Φ Δ Θ's athletic group is in the process of gearing themselves for a tough basketball season in hopes of bringing home, for the third time in a row, Davidson's much-coveted Interfraternity athletics cup.—AUSTIN C. STRAND, Reporter.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, University of North Dakota.—Nine straight years!!! The plaques in the picture (next page) represent nine years of touchball supremacy for North Dakota Alpha. The nine players holding these plaques have never lost a touchball game in their four years of college. North Dakota Alpha is very proud of its touchball supremacy and feels confident in saying that no undergraduate chapter of Φ Δ Θ can equal this brilliant record. Equally proud possessions of North Dakota Alpha are the six trophies on the mantel which represent six first place victories since 1946 in the Flickertail Follies, the annual campus variety show. This show has been featured in many national pub-



NORTH CAROLINA BETA PHIKEIAS

STANDING: Percy West, Wendy Eaves, Gordon Darnell, Bob Allison, Bill Zickgraf, Larry McMullen, John Lewallen, Pete Hogaboom. SEATED: Baxter Culler, Johnny Medlin, Galen Hobbs, George Holt, Mark Cherry.



NINE YEARS OF SUPREMACY

The plaques in the picture represent nine years of touchball supremacy for North Dakota Alpha. Holding the trophies are: TOP ROW: Carl Taubert, Jim Carney, John Redmond, Ted Maragos, Odin Dahl, BOTTOM ROW: Gene Boyle, Dick Kidd, Neill Rendahl, Al Williamson. These nine men have never played in a losing touchball game in their four years of college.

lications including *Life* and is considered one of the top amateur shows in the country. Incidentally, the picture in the background is that of D. Bruce McDonald, holder of Bond #1 at North Dakota Alpha.—JACK BAUKOL, Reporter.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, Dalhousie University.—As the end of the term approached, and with Christmas examinations facing the members, a strange silence settled over the chapter house. At the end of such a successful season, at Nova Scotia Alpha, in all fields, this silence was all the more unusual. We carried out the schedule of improvements mentioned in the last issue of *THE SCROLL*, and the completion of our basement rumpus room and the new den has greatly increased our facilities. These added attractions have been appreciated especially by our ping pong and card playing enthusiasts. Early in the term we had the great pleasure of entertaining the Traveling Secretary, Lodi Vasholz, during a four day visit. Although he probably will not remember us as having the most lavish chapter house in the Fraternity, Lodi was fortunate enough to be able to take part in several events that may impress us upon him for some time. Entertainment and Rushing Chairman Mal Young has maintained peak production in his department during the Fall term and it has certainly paid off in the quality and

number of Phikeias. This year our chapter has profited by a western element in the person of Dick Vogel, who has come east from British

Reynolds Price, Duke Phi, Named Rhodes Scholar

Reynolds Price, Duke '55, will study at Oxford University next year as a Rhodes Scholar, having been selected for the honor from a field of twelve candidates at a southeastern regional meeting in Atlanta in December. He becomes one of 32 winners in the United States.

Brother Price has been active in many fields as an undergraduate at Duke. Editor of *Archive*, he was also treasurer of the Junior class, member of the Freshman Advisory Council, Campus Chest executive board, Y.M.C.A. Cabinet, and Recorder of Men's Judicial Board.

Rhodes Scholars are selected on the basis of literary and scholastic ability, outstanding personal qualities, moral character, leadership ability, and physical vigor.—WILLIAM BIGGERS, Reporter.

Columbia Alpha for an education. Phis, as usual, are active in all spheres of student activity on the campus, being well represented in the Dalhousie Glee and Dramatic Society, the executive of the Dalhousie Amateur Athletic Club, the Council of Students, the staff of *The Pharos* and *The Gazette*, and so on. Probably our biggest contribution this year was to football. As the Dalhousie Tigers marched toward the Purdy Cup, emblematic of the N.S.S.C.F.L. championship, Phis were dominant in all departments. During the year the top three Tiger scorers were David Bryson, Garry Watson and Bob Goss. Bob "Gupper" Goss scored the winning touchdown in the big game as we defeated St. Francis Xavier, 10-0, to take home the Purdy Cup. Post game celebrations that night saw our chapter house packed to capacity as we played the part of hosts to the team and fans. The popularity of our parties has been much enhanced by the "live" music supplied by Les Bryan and orchestra. The Christmas dinner, held at the chapter house for alumni, actives and Phikeias before vacation, was initiated several years ago and once again proved an overwhelming success. The brothers are looking forward to the Winter season with hockey and basketball where again Phis are in the limelight. Plans have been completed for our banquet and formal to be held in the Lord Nelson Hotel, February 25, and it is hoped that brothers will gather from near and far for the big weekend.—GEORGE SLIPP, Reporter.

OHIO BETA, Ohio Wesleyan University.—Ohio Beta is again in the midst of an outstanding year. Leon Richey and Stuart Postle, a member of the faculty, were recently tapped by O Δ K. Phikeia Al Johnson has the lead in the forthcoming production of *Oklahoma* and Phikeia Jim Allemeier is a member of the cast for the Freshman play. Chapter elections were held November 21 with Dave Basinger being elected president. Initiation was held December 5, when John Norka signed the Bond. The intramural football team gained a play-off berth before losing out for the league championship. Attention is now directed to the basketball, bowling and wrestling teams. The annual Christmas dinner for orphans was held December 13. Sorority parties, date nights, and the Winter formal have been the high lights of the social calendar. Following the football season, varsity awards were presented to Jack Short, John Harding, Jerry Ritter, Phikeia Dick Bump and Dick McPherson for manager. Phikeias Roger Cook and

Dave Shaffer were awarded numerals. Kip Cloud won his varsity letter and Phikeia Dick Hagenlocker his numerals in cross country. Dick Semple and Phikeia Hagenlocker are currently working out with the indoor track squad. On the Freshman basketball squad is Phikeia Phil Shaffer.—R. LEE DAVIS, Reporter.

OHIO GAMMA, Ohio University.—The "big rush" will soon be on and Ohio Gamma is doing everything possible to be ready and waiting. By the "big rush," I mean the deferred rushing of the 1200 men in the Freshman class at Ohio University. Hank Roeingk, rush chairman, has everyone on their toes and we all feel that this will be one of our most successful rush campaigns. Recent additions to our current pledge class include: Robert Sawyers, Cleveland; Sandy Metzger, Chillicothe; Don McBride, Columbianna; Walter Garonski, Garfield Heights; Pete Koenig, Grover City, Pa.; Milton Pontious, Toledo; Kenneth Chiara, Shaker Heights, and Lauren Bainbridge, Berea. Scholarship Chairman Frank Nixon suggested that we keep the dust from collecting on our books over Christmas vacation. Our annual Christmas party was followed by a party for the Children's Home. Santa had presents for all the kids. January 8 was the date of Ohio Gamma's Winter formal entitled "The Champagne Ball." Social Chairman Dino Bello has an elaborate schedule of coke parties and exchange dinners arranged for the new year. Tom Balding and Hank Roeingk were chosen for J-Club, an honorary composed of outstanding Junior men. Balding has been elected president of the organization. Bill Repasky has been accepted by the Cincinnati Medical School after only three years of undergraduate study. Bill has a 3.8 accumulative average. On the gridiron, Ohio Gamma's fighting nine finished second in their league with a 6 win, 1 loss record. Coach Roger Fennemans' tennis team won the campus championship while the swimming team had to settle for a tie with SX for the title. Roger Thomas and Phikeias Don McBride and Walt Garonski won letters with the Bobcat football team. All three are Sophomores. Richard Miller and Harry Weinbrecht are members of the O.U. cage squad. Miller is one of the four returning lettermen.—GILBERT M. CAMP, Jr., Reporter.

OHIO EPSILON, University of Akron.—Since the last report from Ohio Epsilon, things have really swung into high gear. Eighteen



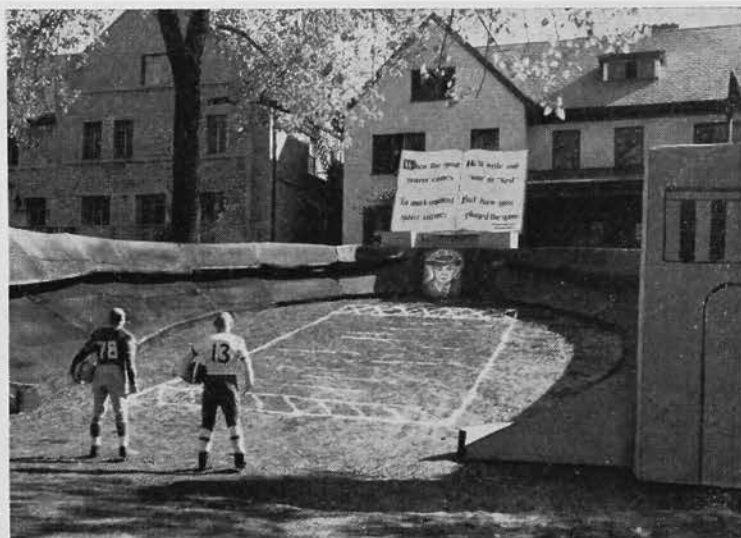
OHIO GAMMA GOLFER

Phi Dick Guthrie, first Ohio University athlete to win four varsity letters in the same sport, according to chapter reporter. He won his letters in golf in 1951, '52, '53 and '54.

staunch men have recently gone active. Four more outstanding Phikeias have been pledged and they are: Bob Haver, Byran Hollinger, Ken Myles and Jim Rollence. New officers for the Spring semester were recently elected. Our new President is Jim Singer—he and his "cabinet" are sure to do a tremendous job, for they are all outstanding leaders in the Fraternity and on campus. In sports, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ again has come through. John Verdon, in football, was chosen as All-Ohio end for 1954. Verdon has also received bids from interested professional teams such as the Green Bay Packers—proof of Big John's prowess. In basketball, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is also represented by two lettermen—Frank Kaylor and Phikeia Jim Weiss. Broadcasting all of the Akron University basketball games over WAKR-FM radio Akron are Jim Kovach and Bob Morrison. In social activities, Ohio Epsilon again excels. The following was the busy schedule for December: the Ohio Lambda installation, December 10-11; a Christmas house party, December 24; the Annual Love Feast—the party to end all parties—December 27; and our Winter formal, December 29. Plans are already being formulated for future joint social functions with our brothers of Ohio Lambda. Ohio Epsilon was on hand both days to give our new Kent brothers a most hearty welcome into our great Fraternity. Our chorus, of Convention fame, sang at the installation Saturday, December 11.—TONY MILO, Reporter.

OHIO ZETA, Ohio State University.—Ohio Zeta finally assembled under one roof once again to open the good year of 1955. The new house is not completely finished and will not be until Spring, but 36 men moved in January 4 to start Winter quarter. The election of new officers was completed recently and Larry Wright is the new president. George Jonson was appointed pledgemaster. On the sports front, Ohio Zeta had two members of the nation's number one team traveling to the Rose Bowl: Elbert Ebinger and Bill Booth. The opening of basketball season found Jim Bagley and Jim Hartley playing varsity ball. Five brothers who were initiated during Fall quarter are: Dave Hebble, Ray Nelson, Jim Simons, Bill Thomas and Doug Wimmer. Our social schedule has, as usual, been producing some very fine entertainment. The Miami Triad was a great success as was our annual faculty Christmas party, held early in December. The professors seem to look forward to this party every year. A new Phikeia, pledged after rush week, is Phil Brewer from Pennsylvania. John Nitschke was appointed the new director of "Block O," Ohio State's flash card section, for his fine work as membership chairman last year.—EVERETT MUSSER, Reporter.

OHIO ETA, Case Institute of Technology.—Ohio Eta has received into its ranks thirteen Phikeias. The group, under the spirited leadership of Pledgemaster Jim Dawson, consists of the following men: David A. Luce, Youngstown; William M. Cowen, Lakewood; Russell M. Stender, Barberton; Matthew P. Crugnale, Mingo Junction; Richard L. Browning and David H. Douglas, Euclid; Ernest T. Harris, Akron; David R. Hopple, Canton; Charles W. Miller, Cleveland; Francis L. Sammt, Parma; Robert M. Wolf, Mansfield; Robert E. Pietsch, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Walter S. Smith, Jr., Lakewood. Lone Sophomore in the class. Social activities have returned in full swing after a post rushing lull. A splash party recently kept the brothers chasing their dates all evening. A Gay Parisian party highlighted recent activities. Costumes ranged from the tame tourist to the daringly dressed long-legged female. Bigger and better parties are in the planning stage and promise roaring times. The Christmas formal was held at Mentor Yacht Club December 17. A cocktail party preceded the dance. Intramural sports thus far indicate a tight race for honors with our teams making a good showing. The basketball team



Ohio State Phis' Homecoming Decorations Honor Granny Rice

THE recognition of one of the finest men Phi Delta Theta ever claimed turned a difficult task into a distinctly pleasurable one. Grantland Rice was a great Phi and a wonderful sportsman! This year, we of Ohio Zeta proudly dedicated our Homecoming decorations to Granny. A massive replica of the Ohio football stadium accentuated the power of Granny's immortal poem:

*When the great scorer comes
to mark against your name:
He'll write not "won" or "lost"
But how you played the game.*

Two lifesize and symbolic figures representing each team were held in the common bond of the strength of these words.

Hundreds of people personally commented on the effect of the presentation of this, one of Grantland Rice's most significant contributions to sportsmanship.

We think that Granny would have liked it too.—LARRY WRIGHT, *Reporter*.

is fighting for honors with a team made up principally of last year's trophy winners. Our finally completed basement rejuvenation is a tremendous credit to the house. A lot of sweat went into this project with very gratifying results.—GARY KUMLER, *Reporter*.

OHIO THETA
University of Cincinnati
No letter received.

OHIO IOTA, Denison University.
—Ohio Iota is enjoying a banner year under the leadership of Bradley Rogers and his cabinet. Not only are the brothers making themselves felt

in intramurals by holding down a third position, but they are shining on campus in many departments. With regard to the intramural race, the picture is looking bright as the A and B teams in basketball are the strongest placed on the courts in the past three years. Also in the athletic department, recognition must go to Dave Nichols, newly elected soccer captain for 1955, and to Phil Semler and Jim Click, who are the mainstays of the Denison basketball team. In affairs on and about the campus, John Macklin recently took first prize in the Samson Talbot Bible Reading Contest, and Charles Knapp received the award as the

outstanding prospect for $\Phi B K$. John Heamon was elected to $O \Delta K$. A trophy was given to the chapter for the donation of 38 pints of the brothers' blood in a Red Cross blood drive directed by Stephen Sizer. Dick Skuce has directed activities at the blind home with the help of Jim Cox and Phikeias Marriott and Blunk. Skuce also directed a Christmas party and dinner for 30 Newark orphans at the chapter house. As has been the outcome in the past, both Santa (Ted Blunk), the 24 ΔI 's who helped, and the brothers were completely satisfied with the results, although they were also completely exhausted. In preparation for the second semester the chapter has newly elected Theodore Blunk as president. Another sign for the future is the leadership shown in the pledge class, such as Phikeia Brit Davis being elected Freshman class social chairman, and Phikeia John McDonald being appointed assistant station manager of the college radio station.—THEODORE A. BLUNK, *Reporter*.

OHIO KAPPA, Bowling Green State University.—The Phis, in co-operation with the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America sponsored the first annual interfraternity Barber Shop Quartet Sing. This being the first event of its kind on the campus, much work was required on the part of the brothers in arranging and promoting the program. Seven fraternities entered quartets in the competition, and were judged by regular SPEBQSA judges, from Bowling Green, Ohio. The K Es walked off with top honors, and were awarded the large rotating trophy. Each member of the winning quartet was awarded a small permanent trophy. Arrangements were made by Ohio Kappa to have the winning quartet appear in a special show on WSPD-TV, Toledo. The proceeds from a collection during the intermission of the contest were donated to the Polio fund. Along the social line, exchange parties, house parties, and exchange dinners have highlighted the semester's activities. Among the house parties, a Waterfront Dive and a TV Character party were two of the more successful ones. Bill Bradshaw, for the second straight year, led the nation's small colleges in punting with an average of 43.9. He also won the team's Most Valuable Player award. Other Phis lettering in football are: Otto Beindorf, Harold Bruck, Carl Ford, Glen Freimark, Marty Keipp, John Ladd, Harold Peek, Phikeia Ken Russell, and Jim Wilson. Kirt Rockel received a man-

ager's award. Letter winners in cross country are Kermit Knowles and Larry Trask. For the second straight year, Ohio Kappa placed second in the Homecoming decorations contest.—MARTY KEIPP, *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, University of Oklahoma.—The latest thing around the campus here in Soonersland is BTR-20. On the University of Oklahoma campus there suddenly appeared four thousand red and white BTR-20 stickers one Sunday morning in early November. The campus was aware, but uninformed as to the true significance of these stickers found everywhere on the campus. The school newspaper came up with suggestions as to the meaning of these signs. One suggestion made was that BTR stood for "bring the ricksha," a campaign against school parking meters. There were only a few persons knowing the true meaning of this sign. Naturally they were the Phis of Oklahoma Alpha. A week later the true significance was out. BTR-20 stood for Big Turtle Race on the 20. The program was well on its way by then. Brothers Selby and Elam ordered twenty-four streamlined racing turtles. The day after they arrived each sorority house on the campus had one for their entry in the Big Turtle Race. We Phis acted as trainers twice a week and even staged a big banquet with run-off candidates for Homecoming queen present from each sorority. As the time drew nigh for the big event excitement ran high as to who would win. The Saturday of Homecoming, the 20, a parade was staged and a crowd gathered at the Turtle Bowl to watch the XΩ turtle win by a nose. The thirty-one inch trophy was presented at half time in Big Red stadium where the Sooners whopped Nebraska 55-0. Truly it was a big success. The forty rushees from all over the state were visibly impressed with ΦΔΘ beside the fact that the members and pledges had a most enjoyable weekend. Two outstanding Phis were honored in December. Doug Matthews was chosen as the outstanding Senator at the University of Oklahoma by the present Senate. Don Wilson was chosen to command the A.F.R.O.T.C. Wing here at the University.—RONALD W. GILCHRIST, Jr., *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA BETA, Oklahoma A. & M. College.—Homecoming was early this year at Aggieland, falling on October 16. But the Phis weren't caught napping by the early date. Scarcely had the crew settled down to the routine of class schedules be-



FALL PHIKEIA CLASS OF OHIO IOTA AT DENISON

fore Alan Lower began planning a float for the Homecoming parade. Brother Lower surrendered the completed plans to the capable hands of Allen Wint, who ably guided the construction to completion. There were 60 jubilant residents at the ΦΔΘ house on Homecoming day when it was announced that the Phi float had won first in men's beauty plus the grand championship award. Already the Phis at A. & M. have set their sights on the grand championship award for 1955. In eight years on campus, Oklahoma Beta has been recognized four times for its outstanding Homecoming achievements: second in beauty in 1949, second in beauty in 1951, first place beauty and grand champion in 1952, and first place beauty and grand champion this year. The Fall costume dance, the Half-Formal was held at the spacious Country House October 30. Initiation was inaugurated the next day, and seven out-

standing initiates enriched the Bond with their signatures. The new brothers are: Bob Church, Fred Keeter, Darrell Hoover, Rolland Fisher, Lynn Meyers, Earl Hall and Frank Chitwood. The Skirt and Sweater dance was November 19. The dance was a new function this year, and proved quite popular. It was inspired with a flair for casualness, and only personal guests were invited. The annual Christmas party hosted by the pledge class was given in the chapter house December 10. Amid wreaths, mistletoe, and a bearded Santa, a holiday spirit was experienced by all.—GENE COWAN, *Reporter*.

ONTARIO ALPHA, University of Toronto.—The four-day period from Friday, November 20, to Monday November 23, will long be remembered by the brothers and especially this year's excellent Freshman class. Our new brothers are: George Bonar, Jim



BOWLING GREEN PHIS SPONSOR SPEBSQSA

Ohio Kappa, in cooperation with the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, sponsored the first annual Interfraternity Barber Shop Quartet Sing. Pictured is President Don Baginski presenting the trophy to the winners: Kappa Sigma.



OF QUEENS AND A TURTLE RACE

The five finalists for Homecoming Queen at the University of Oklahoma are pictured holding the trophy that was presented to the sorority whose turtle won the Phi-sponsored Turtle Race, held on Homecoming Saturday at Oklahoma. The winning sorority was Chi Omega.

Carnwath, Jim Carrie, Ray Chiarella, Dave Currie, Don Epp, Barry Gartner, Jim Gray, Bill Knowles, Peter LeDuc, Ross McPherson, Dan McTavish and Wally Wells. The entire chapter celebrated this event at our annual Initiation dance held at the Royal York Hotel. During the weekend, the house was completely redecorated, the actives and the Phikeias working together in this project. After some discussion, Ontario Alpha complied with the wishes of the Traveling Secretary, Lodi Vasholz, to do away with the out-trip for the Phikeias on Initiation weekend, and the merit of this plan was proved by the amount of work accomplished in the chapter house. During Brother Vasholz's visit last November, he offered several suggestions regarding the more efficient reorganization of the chapter, some of which have been incorporated as by-laws. The entire chapter is contributing to this reorganization and concrete changes will be introduced in January which will help us achieve greater cohesion in Ontario Alpha. Toronto's Blue football team came through a hard-fought season to win the Yates Cup, symbolic of the Canadian Inter-Collegiate Football Championship, from Western U. The Hockey Blues seem to be the team to beat this year, with Bodner playing a fine game at center. One of the more recent affairs for cementing closer fraternity relationships was a Miami Triad dance held at ΣΧ December 11, where the room decorated in an undersea theme by the Phis proved one of the high lights of a terrific evening. The Christmas party, held December 17, climaxed the Fall term for Ontario Alpha.—BRUCE T. CURRIE, *Reporter*.

OREGON ALPHA
University of Oregon
No letter received.

OREGON BETA, Oregon State College.—Our pledge class for the 1954-55 season, we feel, is very strong. With our 26 new Phikeias, the number of men living in the house is now 62. The Phikeias are: Gregg Alderton, Ted Atmore, Brian Bailey, Milton Bally, Dick Beachell, Jerry Bettendorf, Wendell Brooks, Larry Brown, Mike Cambell, Jim Coleman, Bill Dease, Warren Doty, Brian Eggiman, Bob Gill, Burk Girvan, Garry Haynes, Rex Hitchcock, Jack McConnel, Whit Newton, Arnold Pederson, Pete Roberts, Jerry Rollins, Vern Rouse, Gene Stott, Clark Stump and Buddy Wassman. Our Phi football team has again brought the university intramural trophy to our chapter house. During the past five years our football team has won the fraternity championship five times and the all-school championship three times. If we are not careful it will become a tradition. Because of the crowded conditions in our chapter house we have made definite plans through our alumni association, KΣN, to build an additional wing on our present house, which we hope will be completed by next Fall. Also in the new wing will be accommodations for a house-mother. The annual Phi Barn dance, which was held in November, was again a large success. Some 250 bales of hay were used for decorations. After the Homecoming game this year we had our regular get-together with the alumni. Our cook, who, by the way, has been with us for seventeen years, said we had more grads who eat more than ever before. Jim Ruggles, our president, was honored by being initiated into Blue Key, one of the highest honoraries in our institution.—LARRY PAULUS, *Reporter*.

OREGON GAMMA, Willamette University.—December found the

Phis at Willamette U. busily engaged in the hustle and bustle of all forms of college life. Homecoming, November 13, found the Phis again being awarded a first place. This year's award was in the sign contest, while last year the float was number one. The Homecoming day game with College of Idaho featured four Phis in the starting lineup: John Kent, Phil McCallister, Bob Dyer and Dave Anderson. The Fall house dance provided a splendid variety of different atmospheres as the theme was "Stalag 17," with the costumes and decorations closely resembling the academy award winning movie. An extended hand goes to General Chairman, Doug Wall, and his committees, for his and their splendid planning and hustle in making the dance the fine event it was. The intramural football championship was wrested away from the Phis this year in the final playoff game, but basketball and volleyball are now under way and prospects are very good. Varsity basketball at Willamette has a strong representation from ΦΔΘ and the efforts of Pete Reed, Jerry McCallister, Jack Bishop, Ron Fitzgerald and Phikeias Tom Voight and Ron Taylor, will be very important in the success of the season. The all-school play, *She Stoops to Conquer*, finds Bill Hagmeyer, Don Bunse and Ken Renshaw, all playing leading roles. The Phis held their annual Christmas party for underprivileged children, an event that is very highly esteemed by each and every brother. We at Oregon Gamma will be looking forward to seeing all you alumni at the annual Founders Day Banquet which is in the near future.—PHIL MCCALLISTER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA, Lafayette College.—Pennsylvania Alpha completed a very successful rushing program, pledging sixteen Freshmen, one Sophomore and three Juniors. The Phikeias are: Fuller Atkinson, Bethesda, Md.; Powell Beyland, Neptune, N.J.; David Branch, Binghamton, N.Y.; Robert Burcin, Tamaqua; John Burcin, Tamaqua; Ronald Craig, Jenkintown; Robert Graham, Middletown; Robert Gray, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Wayne Hainley, Schuylkill Haven; James Hourihan, Elizabeth, N.J.; Richard Jones, Milan; Jerry Kamm, Dunellen, N.J.; Donald Kitson, Bronx, N.Y.; William Kurtz, South Amboy, N.J.; Fred Nagle, Baltimore, Md.; John Onuscheck, Clarksville; Robert Pinto, Rariton, N.J.; Michael Reilly, West Chester; Eldred Smith, Rahway, N.J., and David Zeyher, Norristown. Our intramural football team lost to the



THE OLD AND THE NEW

LEFT: *Pennsylvania Alpha's 1954 Phikeias.* RIGHT: *Chapter alumni who returned to visit during Interfraternity Weekend at Lafayette.*

ΔTs in the final game of our league. Thanks to the fine work of Cosmo Sirchio, our social chairman, and Russ Hedden, captain of the varsity football team, we enjoyed a tremendous I.F. weekend. Russ led the Lafayette team to a 46-0 victory over a favored team from Lehigh. Cosmo had the house beautifully decorated for our Pajama party which was a huge success. We were very glad to see such a large number of alumni return to the house for the weekend. We served nearly 200 people at our banquet following the game. We held our annual Christmas party for the underprivileged children of Easton in December. Six of the brothers are in the college choir whose annual Christmas Vespers were again broadcast over a national network, and a portion of the choir was televised. We are also proud to announce that Fred Doll, a Senior mechanical engineer, has been accepted into T.B.II.—**WILLARD R. SNYDER, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, Gettysburg College.—Pennsylvania Beta finished the intramural football season undefeated with a well-earned victory over arch rival, ΦΚΨ, thus winning the intramural championship and the football trophy. We are now undefeated in volleyball also and are looking forward to retaining the intramural basketball trophy. October 15, the chapter held its first open house in several years and, even though Hurricane Hazel was here, it was a big night at ΦΔΘ. The house was filled to capacity and everyone had an enjoyable evening. The pledge dance was held November 20 and it also turned out to be a tremendous success. The pledge class officers are as follows: President, Charles Landis, and Social Chairman, Jack Hetrick. Everyone eagerly anticipated the Christmas house parties December 10 and 11,

which are always the biggest affair of the semester. Again, as we have done in past years, we entertained 25 children from the Hoffman Orphanage December 14. Pennsylvania Beta is riding high as of now and we hope to finish this year in the same fashion. We cordially welcome our alumni and friends of the fraternity to visit the chapter at any time.—**JOHN R. STONER, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, Washington and Jefferson.—The intramural race has been very competitive thus far this year, but the Phis have been right up in the thick of things by winning the swimming cup and by taking a third in water basketball and a fourth in volleyball. With basketball and bowling seasons just beginning, we expect to better our position by winning the trophy in each of these events. Both teams are loaded with veterans including Gene Foutz and Jack Jenkins in bowling, and Gene Rongous, Jack Patterson and Paul Rathgeb in basketball. The W. & J. varsity basketball team is lead by Neil "Workhorse" Oblom while in Ron

Holmstrom, Mr. Stan Daley, our new coach, finds a classy guard. The brothers are endeavoring to sponsor an Austrian Foreign Exchange Student to live and participate in the curriculum social life here at W. & J. In return for this, one of our brothers, Chuck Richards, hopes to go to Austria to expand his knowledge of their culture. Last year, Pennsylvania Gamma entertained four regional Phi chapters including Penn State, Pitt, Allegheny and West Virginia University for the first annual ΦΔΘ basketball tournament. This year plans are being made to enlarge the tournament to include all the Pennsylvania chapters and West Virginia University. A traveling trophy is to be presented to the winner, courtesy of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club. Bob Martin, last year's alumni club prexy, passed the gavel to the newly elected President, William Meanor, at a business meeting during Homecoming weekend. Bill's important project is to make every Pennsylvania Gamma alumnus an active member of the club. Congratulations to Pat Howard who was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the Senior class.—**PAUL E. RATHGEB, Jr., Reporter.**



PENNSYLVANIA BETA'S
CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL
TEAM

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, Allegheny College.—The highlight of the past few months has been rushing. All came to a climbing climax during the week of November 15, as rushing moved into a formal week of handshaking, parties and serious talk on the fraternity. After a week of house entertainment and a steak dinner at Angelotties' Supper Club in Erie, rush week hit its climax on Saturday, when Pennsylvania Delta took sixteen pledges. They are: Walter Anderson, Ben Benson, Dick Crane, Curt Graham, Jim Green, Dal Matthews, Dale Midlam, Bob Neville, Dick Overmoyer, Roy Potter,

MOTHERS' WEEKEND

Pennsylvania Delta's newly formed Mothers' Club met at the house for a two-day session of work and play. The mothers are shown in action, making draperies and curtains for the house. (Two guys at right must see other needed improvements on ceiling.—Ed.)



Edward Sergi, Tom St. Clair, Bob Utberg, Bob Young, Jim Zaccardi and Chuck Zieg. Every member of the chapter deserves a hand for a job well done. To Ted Arther and his rush committee, we say thanks for a wonderful job of guiding us in our rush program. On the weekend of November 6 and 7, the newly formed Mothers' Club met for two days of work and recreation. The mothers came in on Saturday and pitched right in to the task of making drapes and curtains to decorate the windows of the library, balcony and main floor lounge. A very much appreciated job was done to beautify the house for future parties and rush week. Saturday night the mothers got together, after dinner, for an evening of card playing. Sunday featured a dinner served in the house. Jack Graf, in charge of the weekend, was kept quite busy but still managed a very productive and enjoyable time. Another added feature of the house besides the drapes and curtains, are two new full length couches and chair. The red couches and chair were purchased by the chapter through the help of alumnus Brother Graf. Pennsylvania Delta has been host five different times at Sunday dinners for the Freshman women of Allegheny. Their presence at dinner has been most enjoyable. Chuck Daugherty has spent much time planning these events, writing invitations and tying name cards to the small favors each girl received—quite a job to take care of dinner arrangements for approxi-

mately 135 girls. Jim Sexton took care of the preparation of the meals. The piano playing of Art Blank and the trumpet playing of Tom Dolan entertained the girls 'til time for them to return to the "hill." Winter sports at Allegheny find one brother and three Phikeias in active competition. On the basketball team is Phikeia Dal Matthews. Swimming is the sport of Alex Hill and Phikeias Jim Zaccardi and Ed Sergi. Wrestling, a newly acquired sport here at Allegheny and still on only intramural status, is being supported by Clyde Metzger, Chuck Daugherty and Joe DeVittorio. In the week before Christmas vacation, Pennsylvania Delta had a full weekend of activity. Friday, December 10, was the Christmas formal; Saturday, we held a party for the children of the Bethesda Home and that night an open house. Sunday was the chapter's annual "Ginch" dinner. Bill Foley, social chairman, has done a splendid job.—MAX SHOFSTAHL, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, Dickinson College.—Since our last report, we've been quite busy here at Pennsylvania Epsilon. November 6, the college held its annual Homecoming weekend. Many returning Phis congregated at the house for a banquet and general social get-together. We were most happy to see Dean Hoffman here at this time. During this affair we had a meeting with our trustees to discuss the renovation of our kitchen, which is a most worthy project. On the next

weekend we held our Pledge formal in honor of our nine Phikeias. The theme of this dance, under the direction of John Yoder, was "Phikeias Mines." Among the decorations on the dance floor were nine large gems of various colors suspended from the ceiling with the name of one of our Phikeias on each jewel. In the center of the floor was a huge three-sided gem with a light inside illuminating the letters $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ which were on the sides of the jewel. This all made for an impressive dance which pledges appreciated greatly. We all looked forward to our party with ZTA for the underprivileged children of Carlisle. We hope we made their Christmas a happier one again this year. We also held our annual Christmas dance and our Christmas party, complete with a pledge skit, gifts and very original poems. In order to maintain our good scholastic average and to help the Phikeias, we are setting up a system whereby each pledge is receiving aid in his poorer subjects from brothers who are majoring in those subjects. We believe that we can keep Pennsylvania Epsilon on top scholastically by this system.—LEW WILKINSON, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA, University of Pennsylvania.—Standing virtually alone in its support of the University Administration's now effective plan to change formal rushing from the fall to the Spring term, this chapter has demonstrated again its enthusiastic and recognized leader-

ship in campus affairs. As an example to the other fraternities on campus this chapter held an informal rushing period for upperclassmen and pledge eleven new Phikeias. We are proud to present Phikeias Robert Eichelberger, New Cumberland; Howard Charles, Downingtown; Robert Bosak, Hazleton; James Siegel, Drexel Hill; Robert Barber, Bethlehem; Vincent Burcher, Berlin, N.J.; Fran Mulroy, Camden, N.J.; Harold Parker, East Hartford, Conn.; William Kelly, Washington, D.C.; Edward Vickers, Syracuse, N.Y., and Hank Riegle, Newark, N.J. The wholehearted support that we receive from our Alumni Board accounts for much of our forward movement. To Charles Neff, president, Charles Beyers, William Jackson, Richard Lewis, James Schultz, E. Burke Wilford, Frank Denning and Donald Colasano go to the chapter's thanks. A new scholastic system was instituted which received their endorsement. They are pleased with the efficiency of the treasury and commissary, which were reorganized last term. The new system of accounts under Jack Lawson, treasurer, and the committee system of commissary under Jim Cavanaugh, operating steward and Don Jaeger, financial steward, are model systems. This chapter would welcome any requests for information or advice.—PHILIP T. TOBINN, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA, Lehigh University.—The Phis have been very active on campus during the Fall semester. At present, we have members holding offices on arcadia, the Student Council, Interfraternity Council, Business Society, Metallurgical Society, Interfaith Council, AΦΩ and Chapel Choir. Other Phis are members of Arcadia 16-man committee, Senior class cabinet, Junior class cabinet, *Epitome* (year book) staff, ΦHΣ, Persian Rifles, Scabbard and Blade and various other campus activities. Just recently Norm Kaelber was initiated into OΔK and elected to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Bill Bird and Phikeia Dale Hartshorne have been the top men on Lehigh's undefeated rifle team. Howard Kessler of Maplewood, N.J., was pledged, December 4. Plans were drawn up for physical improvement of the house, which fifteen brothers and pledges worked at during the early part of Christmas vacation. The living room walls were painted, floors and woodwork refinished, new rugs purchased for the living room, music room, and stairway, furniture reupholstered, the bar remodeled and various other small jobs done around the house.

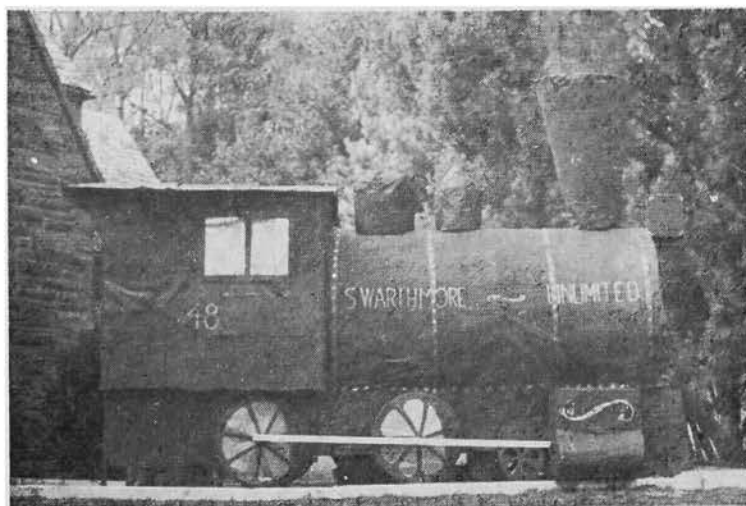
November 20, although the Lehigh football team went down in defeat at the hands of Lafayette, we enjoyed another successful Homecoming weekend. After the game, 35 alumni returned to the house for a cocktail party, which was followed by a buffet supper.—LARRY REYNAL, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, Pennsylvania State University.—The weekend of October 15, 16, and 17, Pennsylvania Theta celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its founding on the Penn State campus. Over one-third of the 600 members initiated into ΦΔΘ through this chapter returned for the celebration. Some events included in the weekend schedule were a banquet, a chapter meeting which included the final phase of the Initiation Ceremony with Bond No. 607, and a corporation meeting. To express their appreciation for the wonderful time they had renewing old friendships, the alumni, through the corporation, have purchased for the chapter a deep-freeze for the kitchen, ash trays for the first floor, and are investigating the possibilities for remodeling the kitchen. Our thanks go to all those who make this possible, in particular to Fred Huston and "Pete" Stuart who did most of the "head-ache" work for the celebration. Since the last report on activities, Joe Barnett has been selected for general chairman of Spring week while Dick Seng and Phikeia Bob Allison have been selected for head manager and first manager of cross country, respectively. In sports, Pennsylvania Theta has just completed an undefeated intramural football season to win the trophy for that sport. So far, in basketball, we have not lost a contest, and our chances look good for going all the way. In varsity sports, post-season games, Don Baily was one of two men selected to fill the quarterback slot for the East in the East-West game.—W. RICHARD SENG, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, University of Pittsburgh.—Once again the football season has closed at the University of Pittsburgh and once again the Phis have captured the city championship in touch football. The team defeated the Newman Club to gain the intramural championship at the University and they soundly trounced the champs from Carnegie Tech by a score of 4-0, December 8. This is the second year in a row that the Phis have won the city championship and we believe that congratulations are in order for the following members of the team:

Jim Trebac, Tom Myers, Milt Emery, Art Vogel, Mel Hammerstrom, Doc Shanafelt, Vic Zack, Tom Kahl, Pete Glagola, Paul Ross and Tom Bigley. One member of the football team, Milt Emery, also had the highest individual score in the current intramural bowling league but the ΦΔΘ team was defeated in the playoffs for the championship. Emery was also honored with membership in OΔK. We believe the basketball team will continue the winning ways of the football team and are confidently looking forward to a successful basketball season. On the social side of the register, the Miami Triad dance was held December 4 at Baldoc Hills Country Club and Miss Nancy Zentgraf was pinned as the chapter sweetheart at this dance. The chapter is pleased to announce that once again the annual Christmas party for orphans was held in the chapter house December 16. The chapter was recently honored by a visit from Jim Eysell, currently known by the alias "Ensign" Eysell, who was home on leave of absence from the U.S. Navy.—GLENN R. HEISKELL, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, Swarthmore College.—Since the last report went out to THE SCROLL, Pennsylvania Kappa has been very busy, especially in the line of rushing. Bids went out December 10, and the chapter has already held its open smoker, a part of the rushing procedures designed to acquaint prospective pledges with the advantages of fraternities. We have had many and varied rush parties, planned by Hand and Smith. These included a Dessert party, a Sisters' party, the annual Monte Carlo party, November 13, and a Spaghetti supper on the following night. All the parties have been quite successful, and we are hoping for a large class of Phikeias. Early in October, the chapter was pleased to welcome Lodi Vasholz, traveling secretary, who gave us much encouragement as well as many useful suggestions on how to make our chapter life more meaningful. The chapter has had an interesting year in other fields also. There is an annual contest between the fraternities at Swarthmore to see who can turn out the best decoration or display on Homecoming day. The Phis, determined to cop the prize, all pitched in under the direction of Larry Handley, and, October 9, a giant locomotive was to be seen on the ΦΔΘ front lawn. Complete with smoke and sound effects, the locomotive, which was "rolling over" the handcar manned by Susquehanna (the football opponent of the day) players, easily took



PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA'S PRIZE-WINNER

Locomotive built by Swarthmore Phis as part of their decoration project for Homecoming. It won first prize in the annual "Old Shoe" decoration contest.

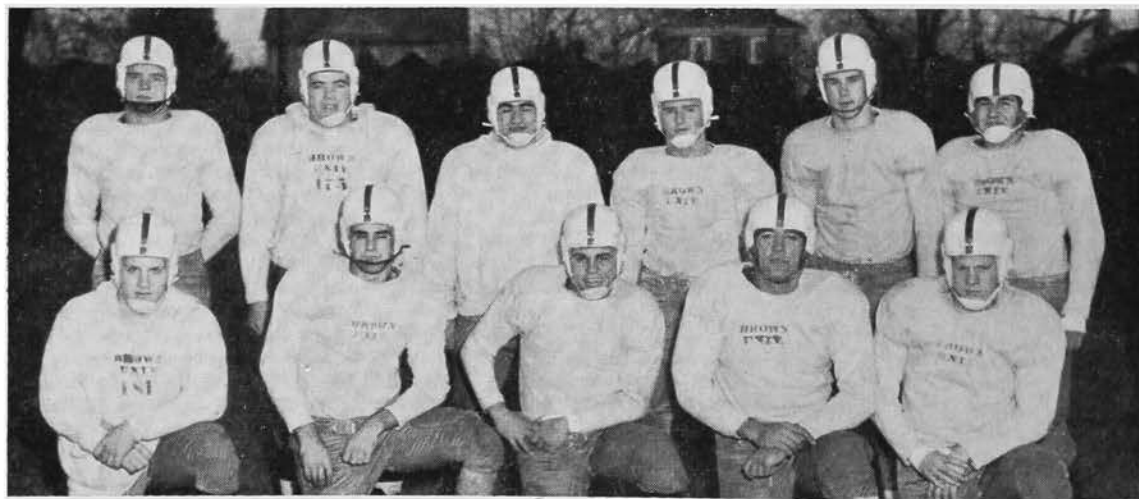
the "Old Shoe Trophy." It is hoped that in the next SCROLL we will be able to report a large group of new Phikeias. So far, it may be said that the Phis of Swarthmore are enjoying a great year.—EUGENE E. HEATON, Jr., Reporter.

QUEBEC ALPHA, McGill University.—Boyd McKean, Roy Hango, John Johnson, Ross Dibble, Murdie Armstrong and Dave Smith were initiated Friday, December 2, and they and our two Phikeias Bob Warner and Rick Major put on quite a show at our annual "Pledge Party" as they did a take off of the Senior brothers. Don Cope, our I.F.C. representative, is organizing the I.F.C.

hockey league this year, while the rest of the brothers are out to retain the trophy which has been in our possession for the past two years. The Blue and White group don't believe their chances are any worse even though Herb English, Pete Constable, Ron Robertson, Murdie Armstrong, Ross Dibble and Bob Findlay are playing for the McGill Redmen hockey team. Some say the Redmen is a farm team for the Phis' Big Blue Machine. Mike Crombie, an able worker on the campus, is this year an executive in the Redbird ski club, member of the Scarlet Key Society and the I.F.C. Combined Charities Chairman. He is a good bet for the next president of

the chapter, especially with the "Gooffyhammer" Foundation behind him. This term our social activities have been the best in many years as Jack Doyle, our social chairman, has done a tremendous job. From hard times parties to Dixieland sessions he has led the way to bigger and better parties.—R. B. FINDLAY, Reporter.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, Brown University.—Now, having gone far into our first semester, a backward glance reveals a good start in the college year. Scholarship, a factor getting increased chapter attention, showed an increase on midsemester grades. We are pleased to report that 100% of our chapter gave to the Brown Charities Drive. On the sports scene, Phis again are making news with Pete Kohut and Vin Jazwinski both selected for the All-Star Ivy football team. The brothers were happy to be able to welcome Les Peavy, now in his last stages of recovery, back to the house recently. In basketball, Bobby Popp is on the starting five and Bill Wadsworth is giving support. The grapplers started the wrestling season in fine style with a 19 to 4 triumph over Wesleyan, December 4. Usually six of the eight starters are Phis including Captain Jim Harrell, John Baird, Joe Muse, Buzz Samsel, Joe Kinter and Don Seifert. In intramurals the basketball team, trying to match their fine record from last year, took their first two games. Roy McKechnie, as Sefton, starred in the Sock and Buskin production of *Stalag 17*. A German beer party, planned by Don Keane, highlighted



PHIS ON BROWN VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW: Jim Smith, Dom Balogh, Richard Fusco, Dick Borjeson, Joe Kinter. BACK ROW: Vin Jazwinski, John O'Brien, Jim Coukos, Pete Kohut, Pete Bartuska, Jim Cerasoli. Absent from picture: Les Peavy, Jim Berrier, Bill San Soucie, Nick Kovalchick, Howie Borjeson.

recent social affairs. Soft candlelight, a friendly fire, the feel of sawdust underfoot, and fiddle and accordion music set the scene for a tremendous time. Our annual Christmas party for underprivileged children was held and our own Christmas formal followed shortly after. Joe Muse and Bill Wasicko, pledgemaster and historian, have initiated a new point system for pledges which takes into consideration fraternity and community service, scores on weekly written pledge exams, and scoutmaster duties. Two open houses, planned by Rushing Chairman Carl Koch, have been conducted under the new rushing program with favorable results. Pledging takes place in February.—ROBERT A. ECKER, Reporter.

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA University of South Dakota No letter received.

TENNESSEE ALPHA, Vanderbilt.—The Vandy Phis are out in front of the rest of the campus by winning both football and rush week again. A highly successful rush season produced the 22 best men in the Freshman class. We are certainly pleased to report that we pledged: Steve Wood, Dick Anderson, Bob Calton, Carlin Rolfe, Bill Thackston, Rob Lightfoot, Sommers Randolph, Nashville; Norman Thomas, Hal Currey, Noel Hunt, Chattanooga; Everett Roberts, Howell Clements, Palmer; Cecil Conlee, Memphis; Cliff Garrard, Jackson; Tommy Adams, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Bob Pierce, Decatur, Ill.; Tommy Moore, Monroeville, Ala.; Bob Northcutt, Texarkana, Ark.; George Putnam, Abbeville, La.; Garner Robinson, Summer-



TERRY DORNBUSH, *Vanderbilt '55*
Informal picture of first Priest Award winner seated in front of Tennessee Alpha house.

set, Ky.; Jim Westbrook, Tupelo, Miss.; Larry Wilson, Rosedale, Miss. The big Phi juggernaut really tore up Currey field. We rolled up 163 points in league play to our opposition's 0. In the finals we beat ΣΑΕs 19 to 13 to cop the championship for the second straight year. Due to the able coaching of "Goose Lips" Teas and the fine playing of Tommy Cate, Ridley Wills, Chris Cliros, Charles McDaniel, Claude Jarman, Harrington Witherspoon and Doug Trapp, we completed our finest football season. We also took second in swimming, losing by only 1 point. This puts us well in the lead for the

I-M trophy, which we won last year.
—JIM PATTON, Reporter.

TENNESSEE BETA, The University of the South.—Three new men have been pledged. They are: Anderson Carmichael, London Bridge, Va.; Louis Hermes, New York, N.Y., and Heyward Roberts, Sewanee. October 17, following a concert given by the Chattanooga Symphony, the pledge class gave their annual pledge tea. A record crowd attended the very successful function. Under the leadership of Clyde Fasick, party chairman, the Homecoming parties were outstanding. Many alumni attended, making the weekend a memorable one. During the University dance Dick Corbin was tapped for Blue Key, while Clyde Fasick, Ed McHenry and Jim Green were initiated into the Arnold Air Society. Ed McHenry, recent recipient of a letter in cross country as number five man on the undefeated team, was elected president of the Sewanee Military Academy Alumni Association. Ed is also co-captain of the Sewanee rifle team. Clyde Fasick was appointed leader of the A.F.R.O.T.C. Elite Flight; and Frank Bozeman, who has just been promoted to the rank of major in the R.O.T.C., was elected to *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Tommy Thaggard has been named one of the top point scorers on Sewanee's debating team. Purple Masque has chosen Louis Hermes and Andrew Carmichael as staff members. Carmichael is also a member of the business staff of the *Sewanee Purple*. Oney Raines and John Seals represented the Phis this Fall on the University varsity football team. For the first time in four



CHAPTER GRIDDERS

LEFT: Tennessee Beta's intramural football team. KNEELING: Greene, Wartel, Garland, Butler, Talley. STANDING: Prichard, Darnall, Capt. Corbin, Steeves, Mattison. RIGHT: Pres. Pete Garland shakes hand of Phikeias' Pres. Joe Bradley after a successful Pledge Tea.



FRATERNAL HANDSHAKE

years the Phi football team fell from first to second place in the intramural race. However, half of the all-star first team was elected from the Phi team. Those elected were Dick Corbin, Jay Butler and Jim Greens.—JAMES G. CREVELING, Jr., *Reporter*.

TEXAS BETA, University of Texas.—Formally initiated into the chapter Sunday, October 31, were Ronald William Gribble, Dallas; Howard Herschel Lyle, Tyler; Earl M. Mathews, Taylor, and Gifford O. Touchstone, Dallas. Two new pledges were added to the present pledge class. They are James A. Baker, Houston, and George Myers, Longview. Intramurals have been progressing right along with Freshman John Trimble winning the intramural golf tournament. John is considered one of the top prospects for the Freshman golf team. The Phis are looking forward to a successful basketball season after finishing the football season with a mediocre record. On the social side, the excellent planning of Clark Nowlin, social chairman, resulted in a wonderful annual Christmas party. Alumni and faculty are both invited to this gala affair. Our one-year-old house was decorated for the Yuletide spirit. The Phi formal will be held during the first week in March. The November Barn dance has been the highlight on the social calendar so far this year. It was its usual rocking success.—DAVID N. HORN, *Reporter*.

TEXAS GAMMA, Southwestern University.—Phis and their dates journeyed to Austin Saturday, December 11, for the annual Christmas party which the chapter gives for the children of the Austin Children's Home. The home was decorated Friday and Saturday with cedar and trimmings, with children and decorators working together. Saturday evening, after a time of general revelry and bare-back riding, the children and guests were entertained by a program consisting of Christmas Carols and Elves, appropriately dressed, and climaxed by the appearance of Santa Claus, who distributed gifts for all the children. The chapter and all present enjoyed the occasion immensely, and Texas Gamma firmly recommends such a type of Christmas Party to all the chapters. Through the years, we have found our party to bring a far greater degree of pleasure in its fellowship, and in the spirit of giving. The end of the Fall brought another trophy to the Phi House of Texas Gamma as our intramural football team swept through an undefeated season.

Powered by All-Intramural Jim Cardwell, Jerry Fuchs, and Jack Albright, and Phikeia Winston Lester, the Phis showed a well balanced, finely coordinated attack, supported by fine line play, both defensively and offensively. Coach Charlie Anderson's basketball team swings into action soon with promises of another fine year in that sport.—WILLIAM H. GLAZE, *Reporter*.

TEXAS DELTA, Southern Methodist University.—After starting the intramural season with the sixth straight football championship, the Phis at S.M.U. won the swimming trophy with 29-28 victories over both the Φ Ts and Σ A Es. Campus elections afforded the Phis the most outstanding record ever accomplished at S.M.U.: three class president, one vice president, and the president of the student body. Ivan Irwin was elected as the Student Body president with Senior President Pat Thomas, Jr., Vice President Dick Davis; Sophomore President Charles Logan, and Freshman President Charles Ebby. The Fall dinner-dance was a great success, with the Phikeias presenting a skit to entertain the brothers and their dates. All enjoyed having some of the alumni join us in the festivities. The annual Mothers' Club Christmas party was once again a great party. The brothers were presented with Christmas presents by their little brothers, and as a result, there were many blushing dates. There are seven new brothers as a result of Fall initiation: Jordan Burkhart, Joe Browning, Ross Love, Matthew Murphy, Glen Priddy, Jack Thompson and Charles Warren. Thanks to one of the Phis, S.M.U. now has a new fight song, and a very good one. Charles Webb, who accompanies for Fred Waring in the Summer, composed the new song with the aid of Mr. Waring. Two of the brothers played outstandingly in S.M.U.'s loss to Notre Dame. John Roach's passing and the end play of Ed Bernet held the "Fighting Irish" to a 26 to 14 season finale.—PAT THOMAS, *Reporter*.

TEXAS EPSILON
Texas Technological College
No letter received.

UTAH ALPHA
University of Utah
No letter received.

VERMONT ALPHA, University of Vermont.—Vermont Alpha is proud to extend congratulations to two of its outstanding brothers. Ken Wadley, has been named as one of the four assistant directors of the annual Kake

Walk Winter Carnival, and Jim Danigelis, has been accepted by Medical School while still in his Junior year. Dan Milloy, has taken over for Jim as the Junior I.F.C. representative. Plaudits also go to Bob Parker, who, besides being accepted by Medical College, did a fine job organizing our rush week. The results of his work are 25 fine new Phikeias. They are: Art Adamo, Pete Andreson, Ben Antonellis, Jack Buck, Ed Cantine, Ed Dailey, Paul Epranian, Bill Gordon, Dick Haus, Bob Holenstein, Mike Jennings, Martin Johnson, John Kaiser, Pete Lindsay, Gene Meder, Dave Michael, Jim Murphy, Ron Peaker, Bill Pope, John Russ, Jim Shellington, Don Sherman, Hank Tate, Herb Thompson and Fred True. Murphy, Holenstein, Pope, Buck and Lindsay were elected as the new pledge officers. Parker also engineered an excellent floor finishing job both in the upstairs hall and in the dining room. (All this and he raises tadpoles, too!) During November, one of the best social events of the year took place as the Phis packed in about 200 people for a Saturday afternoon jazz concert. Social Chairman Bob Gorman handled the planning of the affair in his usual capable manner, and Joe Teta saw to it that a red-hot combo was available for cool sounds from three to six P.M. Also on the social side, the Christmas formal was held December 10, with the annual party for orphans the following afternoon. Chuck Szendrei's "Winter Wonderland" theme was appreciated by all. Scholarship Chairman Jack Stetson has set up a list of averages from highest to lowest over the mantel in the living room. It is hoped that this will serve as an incentive to keep up the good work. Vermont Alpha ranked as an honor chapter in scholarship last year.—BOB CRAWFORD, *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA BETA, University of Virginia.—Since October, the chapter has pledged two second-year men: William Leachman and David Chaney. They have already proven to be vital assets to the Fraternity. All out rushing of first year men started in December and is progressing successfully. The chapter held the annual Christmas party plus a small party during the afternoon for underprivileged children in the community which included small gifts, ice cream and cake, and the like. Tackle Carlton Schelhorn received honorable mention All-A.C.C. plus Charlottesville's Keller and George Blocking trophy. Ray Quillen was voted as second team All-State end. Schelhorn, Strempek, Quillen and Modlin, all

Wisconsin Beta Gives Trophy in Lawrence-Ripon Rivalry

By ALAN EHRHARDT, Reporter

THE first annual battle for the "Old Paint Bucket" highlighted the Lawrence College Homecoming game between the oldest Wisconsin college rivals when Lawrence played host to Ripon in October.

The trophy, a silver-plated paint bucket with a blue and red base—one color for each school—was presented by Wisconsin Beta at the Homecoming Convocation. The presidents of the Lawrence and Ripon student bodies accepted the trophy from Wisconsin Beta's president, Jerome "Stretch" Hart.

The Phis originated and developed the trophy at the suggestion of Alumni Adviser Al Zupek, intending that it be contested for in much the same spirit as the Little Brown Jug and the Old Oaken Bucket of Big Ten fame. It is intended to symbolize the traditional rivalry of the two schools as it has been displayed on the gridiron. It is thus meant to eliminate those "extra-curricular outbursts" of painting parties which have proved so costly in the past by diverting attention to the scene of final action, the game.

At each year's football game, this trophy will be at stake. Besides having the privilege of keeping the bucket for one year, the winning team will have its name and score engraved on the plaque attached to the trophy. With Brother John Gundlach leading the way, Lawrence became first winner of the Paint Bucket this year.

THE PAINT BUCKET



"... meant to eliminate those extra-curricular painting parties."



Seniors, were honored as such at the annual football banquet. Harrier Bob Greer closed out his last season successfully as captain of the cross country team. Jim Bates, Virginia's number one diver, has recently been elected captain of Virginia's 1954-55 swimming team. He has been slated by the coach for national ranking and potential All-American material. Out of the 28 intramural contenders the chapter now ranks third with a powerful basketball team on the horizon. With Fall sports over we have many able brothers who can now participate in the intramural contests. The chapter recognized the fine job turned in by their brother ball players and several of them made donations for a party in their honor at the close of the season. Henry Strempek and Carlton Schelhorn are both members of the

TILKA honorary society along with being battalion commanders in the Army R.O.T.C. Strempek also holds the job of Secretary of the V-Club. We are well represented in practically every University activity.—
ROBERT K. HOPKINS, Reporter.

VIRGINIA GAMMA
Randolph-Macon College
No letter received.

VIRGINIA DELTA
University of Richmond
No letter received.

VIRGINIA ZETA
Washington and Lee University
No letter received.

WASHINGTON ALPHA
University of Washington
No letter received.

WASHINGTON BETA, Whitman College.—The brothers of Washington Beta have settled down to a constructive year of scholarship, activities and athletics. We were honored with the election of two Phis as class presidents this Fall: Bill Goettel, Senior class; Phikeia Gary LaRosa, Freshman class. Phikeia Jerry Nelson won the Freshman class vice-presidency. In football, the chapter team won its seventh consecutive championship, rolling up a total of 184 points to our opponents 16 in five games. With one loss so far in volleyball, Washington Beta appears to finish high. In varsity athletics the brothers have done and are doing extremely well. Halfback Earl Walker has made All-Conference, All-Little Northwest and third team Little All-Coast. Tackle Vern Conrad made second team All-Conference and



WHITMAN PHIS BEAT BETAS

TOP: Del Klicker starts around end as Don Robinson (foreground), Jack Leander, Dick Sutherland, and Bob Becker go down field to block in the Washington Beta 30-6 victory over the Betas. BELOW: The Washington Beta Blackface Band provided traditional entertainment during halftime.

Little All-Northwest honorable mention. Phikeia Bob Schembs and George Sullivan have placed on the conference honorable mention roster. Conrad was elected co-captain for the Whitman football squad next year. All-Conference forward Don Robinson is again sparking the Missionarie hoop squad. Hard driving, hard checking, Del Klicker is providing the necessary balance at his guard spot. Our social calendar has been full thus far with the highlights being the Homecoming banquet and our annual Christmas party for underprivileged children. At the present time a Miami Triad dance is being pushed by Herb Collier and if successful, will be the first of this type on this campus.—RON COOK, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, Washington State College.—With the semester soon drawing to a close, the brothers of Washington Gamma are once again undertaking numerous activities. Again participating in intramural athletics, and leading the school program at the present time, the Phis have placed second in both A and B leagues in volleyball, first in the cross country race, are presently leading in bowling, and thus far have three undefeated teams in

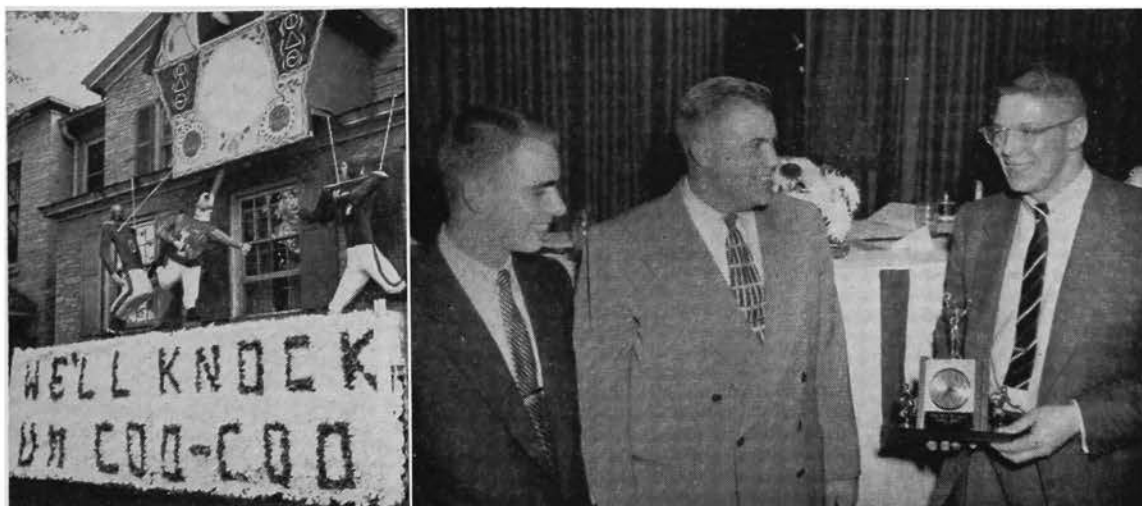
the basketball leagues. Recently initiated, and now new Phis, are: Philip Anderson, Walla Walla; Robert Grady, Eureka, Calif.; Ron Jacobson, Mullen, Idaho; Tony Kiggins, Vancouver; Larry Tipton, Lou Bredar, Tacoma; Bill Kasch, Everett; Edward Hannus, Sumner. President Bob Morgan has recently been tapped for Crimson Circle, a Senior men's honorary. The annual Pledge dance "Silver Bells" was held December 11, and was acclaimed to be one of the finest on campus in years. In the realm of varsity athletics, Al Perry is presently starting for the basketball team, Del McGhee, P.C.C. 167-lb. wrestling champ, is beginning to work out in anticipation of the forthcoming wrestling season, and Bard Glenne, a Norwegian exchange student, is eagerly awaiting some snow for the skiing season. Bard is a transfer from Seattle University, for whom he competed in the Nationals last year. A chili feed with the next door $\Delta\Gamma$ s has been held, and this year the chapter went Christmas caroling with the girls of $\Pi\beta\Phi$.—ELDEN ABBOTT, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON DELTA, College of Puget Sound.—Highlighting the social functions at Washington Delta during the Fall semester was the

annual pledge dance. Entitled "Nursery Rhyme Time," the affair received wide attention on campus. Phikeias Tom Sharon and Dale Wirsing co-chaired the dance held in conjunction with Chi Omega sorority. Washington Delta came to the aid of underprivileged children in the Tacoma area during the Christmas holidays. These children were given a Christmas dinner and party under the joint sponsorship of the chapter and its Mothers' Club. Ken Kinzel played Santa Claus to distribute the gifts. Topping the scholarship list of the fraternities on campus, Phi Deltas took the scholarship cup for the twentieth time in the past 23 years. New pledges to Washington Delta are Ed Elliot, Don Findlay, Paul Llewellyn, Ronald Lundquist, Roger Ross, Tom Sharon, Gerald Swift, Charles Wilk, and Dale Wirsing, all of Tacoma; Carroll Schick, Camas; and Les Snyder, Arlington.—TERRENCE W. SCHICK, *Reporter*.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, West Virginia University.—December found the chapter concentrating on community service. Phis rang bells for the Salvation Army's Christmas Cheer Fund and held a dinner and Christmas party for underprivileged children. Tentative plans were underway to be of service to the Easton Convalescent Home. In keeping with the Christmas spirit, West Virginia Alpha serenaded 17 campus organizations during the month. In a mixed choral group, directed by Brother Jack Ward, Phi Deltas joined with Delta Gammas to sing Fred Waring's arrangement of "Twas the Night Before Christmas," in the "Y" Christmas Pageant. The Sorority-Fraternity mixed chorus idea is unique on campus and was warmly received. Sportswise, Phi Deltas placed second in the volleyball league, as A and B basketball teams worked out in preparation for the coming season. Social events of the month included four Christmas parties. The Mothers' Club entertained the chapter on the 5th, followed the next weekend by the annual Christmas Party and Pledge Show for dates. On December 16 $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and $\Delta\Gamma\Delta$ conducted their traditional mock serenade and open house and the usual vacation eve affair the following night sent the chapter homeward bound for a much needed rest.—ROY B. SHROUT, JR., *Reporter*.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, University of Wisconsin.—Returning from Christmas vacations, the Phis are faced with final exams, but can look back on more pleasant memories of the semester. Initiation was of first importance for six new Phis. The



HONORS TO LAWRENCE PHIS

LEFT: The chapter's ingenious "Coo-Coo" Clock which won Homecoming Decorations first prize. RIGHT: Newly elected football co-captains for 1955, Halfback John Gundlach and Guard Bob Meyer congratulate All-Conference Tackle Jim Overby, who was named "Most Valuable" by his mates for the past season.

new initiates are: John Smith and Jim Angevine, Madison; Mike Essex, Bowling Green, Ohio; Ray Zanolini, Highwood, Ill.; Roger Hasse, Monroe, and Tore Larsen, Oslo, Norway. In athletics, Jim Murphy won second place in the side horse event as a member of the collegiate All-Star team in a gymnastics meet with the A.A.U. all-stars. The meet was held at the Navy Pier in Chicago. Jim, a Junior, is a consistent point winner for the University gymnastics team. The social calendar was highlighted by the annual pledge party which brought Paris to the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ house. Topping the year's social events was the Christmas formal, which was held at the Park Hotel. As the Phis settle down with their books we can look back on a successful semester.—DICK JOHNSON, Reporter.

WISCONSIN BETA, Lawrence College.—At the annual Lawrence College Fall Sports Award Dinner, held December 1, Wisconsin Beta brought home a big share of the awards. First team All-Conference tackle, "Big Jim" Overby, was named "Most Valuable" on the 1954 squad, thus ending a spectacular performance on the Lawrence gridiron team. Juniors John Gundlach and Bob Meyer were elected co-captains of next year's varsity squad. Other Phi letter winners were John Clay, Mert Trumbower and Tom Steger. Honors also went to Jim Smith who was elected captain of next year's cross country team. Lawrence's future basketball team may well be an all-Phi team. As the season opened, eight Phikeias showed up for the Freshman team. Due to a virus infection, Lawrence's

star center, "Stretch" Hart will not be with the varsity squad for a while. However, Jim Overby is keeping up the Phis reputation in the center spot. Besides sports, the Phis have also captured honors in the scholastic field. Recently two brothers, Alan Ehrhardt and Dwight Peterson were elected to $\Phi\beta\kappa$. This season's Homecoming was especially significant for the Phis. The responsibility of directing this year's Homecoming activities was in the hands of Ken Matheson, who with his co-chairman did a very commendable job. Besides taking first place for house decorations, the Phis made history by presenting a traveling trophy to the student bodies of Lawrence and their traditional rival, Ripon. The trophy, represented by a silver-coated paint

bucket, symbolizes the hearty rivalry which exists between the two schools and carries the hope that the rivalry will be continued in a healthy competitive spirit. Shortly after Homecoming, Phikeia Frank Hoehn was initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The most recent Phi activity took place December 6, when the annual Big Brother-Little Brother banquet was held at Hammans in Little Chute.—ALAN A. EHRHARDT, Reporter.

WYOMING ALPHA, University of Wyoming.—Starting the year with a bang, Wyoming Alpha won the annual Homecoming Sing and copped the first place trophy for the most humorous float in the Homecoming parade. Our annual Fall pledge dance (Continued on page 247)



ANOTHER FIRST IN FLOATS

"Martian over Utah" is the theme of this flying saucer float that won Wyoming Alpha first place in the most humorous division in the Homecoming celebration.

★ PHI ALUMNI CLUBS ARE ACTIVE ★

Baltimore

THE BALTIMORE Alumni Club held an oyster roast, January 14, at the University Club, 801 N. Charles St. The purpose of the gathering, which began at 8:00 P.M., was to stimulate the gratifying fellowship already so evident, to welcome new members who had not previously participated in Phi activities, and to prepare for the Founders Day dinner-dance to be held, also at the University Club, March 12, beginning at 6:30 P.M. This in and around the city who desire information are invited to contact Wm. T. Littleton, social chairman either on HA6-2882 or PL2-1054.—F. MARSHALL WELLER, Secretary.

Buffalo

THE CALENDAR of activities for the Buffalo Alumni Club promises to give all of us in this area an opportunity to reunite in the Bond. Our schedule of events is as follows: social party the first week in February; annual Founders Day banquet on or about March 15; family outing in August, and, finally, a dance in the Fall. All of the Phis, young and old, will find these gatherings entertaining and most enjoyable, and on this note we want to extend to all of you a most cordial invitation to attend. If you are new to the Buffalo area, please refer to the directory in the back of THE SCROLL for the telephone number of one of our members.—DEAN E. WOLCOTT, Reporter.

Central Kentucky

THE CENTRAL Kentucky Alumni Club, since its organization in early September, has made great progress with its program. The club's annual meeting was held the first week in December at a local hotel. At the meeting, sectional representatives were appointed for this area to help in carrying on the Phi Alumni Club activities. Already the club has started a drive to encourage others to join and to start an alumni fund raising program. The club is also planning on inviting members of Kentucky Alpha-Delta and Kentucky Epsilon to its next meeting which will be a Founders Day banquet.

The highlight of the evening was a presentation of the Golden Legion Award to Henry Soaper, Sewanee '92. The award was presented to Brother Soaper by George Swinebroad, Kentucky '18, noted horse auctioneer. The Alumni Club also

heard a brief talk by Col. Henry H. Rogers, Eta Province President, who talked on the General Convention held last Fall.

The attendance was doubled over that of the previous meeting, which is an encouraging sign, adding to the successful program of the newly formed club. Future plans are being made for an inspiring new year in '55 for the Alumni Club.—GEORGE DALE ROBINSON, Reporter.

Central New York

THE ANNUAL COME-BACK dinner of the Central New York Alumni Association of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and women of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, was held at the chapter house in Syracuse, Friday evening, November 12. Over one hundred alumni and their wives were present. Some fourteen chapters of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ are represented in this Association. Rev. Ralph Sockman, D.D., of New York City, was a guest of honor as he came back to Syracuse University for the seventh year to be the speaker at the Student Fellowship gathering in Hendricks Chapel.

At the business meeting following the dinner, reports were given of the activities of the active chapter by the President, Robert W. Secor, and the work of the Board of Directors by the Secretary, Harry B. Reddick. Several of the returning alumni spoke of the good fellowship enjoyed by the men of classes from 1897 to the present. The alumni and the women of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ render valuable assistance

to the active chapter and ever seek to strengthen the Bond which grows more effective as the years pass.

A letter of sympathy and flowers were sent to the bereaved family of our late Barrett Herrick, who had for many years been greatly interested in the chapters of Central New York.—HARRY B. REDDICK, Alumni Secretary.

Chicago

DUE to the hard work of Bill Osborne as chairman, the annual golf outing was held September 25 at St. Andrews Country Club. The event was once again a success with a very good turnout of Chicago Area Phis. John Gibbs won the low gross prize, with Walter Swanson and Bob Whitelaw winning the low net prizes. Dick Arens had the longest drive of 275 yards, winning the driving contest. A jolly good time was had by all at the 19th hole and the dinner after was delicious. The annual Christmas Party was held on December 28 at the Blue Note. A good representation of Phis with their wives and dates enjoyed cocktails, dinner and dancing. This was a departure from the annual stag Christmas parties held in the past and was especially enjoyed by the wives. The enthusiasm shown by the wives for having more mixed affairs indicates the future trend.

The meeting place for Friday afternoon luncheon is being changed, effective January 7, 1955, from the Blue Note to the Shamrock Restaurant, 28 N. LaSalle St. We will have a private PHI DELT ROOM which will accommodate a good sized group. The food and atmosphere will be excellent so let's have a good turnout every Friday at 12 noon. Founders Day will be celebrated on March 17 with a club dinner at Burke Restaurant, 224 S. Michigan Ave. This is on the main floor of the Railway Exchange Building, and the same location we had last year. Major General Paul R. Hawley, Director American College of Surgeons, and Reporter of the General Council of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, will be the main speaker. Howard Robinson, Chairman of the Board of Directors, will be Master of Ceremonies. Cocktails will be served from 5:00 to 7:00 and dinner will follow right after.

All Phi chapters in the area are invited to compete in the Second Annual Songfest. Lake Forest College chapter will be after their second win. The first chapter to win the Songfest three times, will keep the



GOLDEN LEGIONNAIRE

Henry Soaper, Sewanee '92, receives his Golden Legion certificate from George Swinebroad, Kentucky '18, at a recent meeting of the Central Kentucky Alumni Club.

trophy permanently. A mailing will be made to Chicago Area Phis giving details of the Founders Day Banquet. If you are omitted from this mailing get in touch with Todd Collins, 137 N. Scoville or call him at STate 2-0633.—ROBERT O. BORMANN, Secretary.

Fort Worth

ΦΔΘ is ONE of 'eight fraternities invited to install a chapter at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, Tex. The week of December 6, 1954, was set aside by the University as rush week and the local alumni, at this writing, are hard at work attending rush parties and attempting to select some sixteen good potential Phikeias. The new members of the ΦΔΘ colony at T.C.U. were honored by the Fort Worth Alumni Club at a dinner meeting in the Hilton Hotel, Monday, December 13.—WALTER E. JONLAN, Secretary.

Galveston

THE Galveston Club held its fall meeting on Thursday, November 18, at the Galco Country Club, La-Marque, Tex. A good turnout of members attended and the principal items on the agenda were election of officers and programming of activities for 1955.

The group elected Holland Howell, Cincinnati '35, as its President. The writer was elected Vice-President and Reporter, and Bill Gehring was elected Secretary-Treasurer. It was also decided that four social events would be planned for 1955. These are: Founders Day (March); Miami Triad Party (May); a barbecue and garden party (August); and a Fall smoker. Chairmen were appointed for each of these events.—DONALD G. SCHROETER, Reporter.

Houston

THE HOUSTON, Tex., Alumni Club had its Reorganization and Founders Day banquet in May, 1954, with 50 Phis out for the first time in six years. Golden Legion awards were presented to the following: H. L. Thompson, Minnesota '12 (initiated '02); J. N. Ryman, Southwestern '06; Pleasant F. Graves, Southwestern '05; Ike B. McFarland, Texas '04; A. D. Langham, Southwestern '04; and, in absentia, to H. T. Keller, Sewanee '01; and H. W. Benjamin, Sewanee '94. New officers were elected. They are: Reuben W. Boyett, president; Wm. B. Head, vice-president; James B. Thompson, secretary-treasurer, and Don R. Toland, social chairman.

During the Summer, the Phis took



HISTORIC OCCASION

From father to son—a Golden Legion Certificate

Being a member of ΦΔΘ for 50 years seemed like a most remarkable achievement to the members of Indiana Gamma chapter at Butler University as they assembled at their chapter house on the afternoon of October 10 to celebrate such an occasion.

Mark H. Brown, Butler '07, had been initiated 50 years ago, and was eligible to receive his Golden Legion Certificate. Noteworthy as this might be, its importance was over-shadowed by the presence of the candidate's father, Brother Hilton U. Brown, Butler '80, a Golden Legionnaire for more than thirty years.

Assembled on this occasion with the actives and pledges of Indiana Gamma, were many friends and relatives of the Brown family, including Brother and Mrs. Paul Brown from Seattle, Wash. The members of the ΦΔΘ Mothers' Club attended, and Mrs. William D. Cale, the president, assisted by Mrs. Bessie Shaffer, housemother, took charge of serving refreshments at a reception following the ceremony. Many alumni were present, and there were dignitaries from the University who attended.

This was truly a history-making event, for never before in the history of ΦΔΘ had there been such an occasion where the father of a Golden Legion candidate was present to participate in the ceremony.

The beautiful ceremony was performed by Glenn F. Findley, Butler '19, close friend of the Brown family. At the close of the ceremony, the Certificate was presented to Brother Hilton U. Brown who in turn presented it to the Golden Legion candidate, his son, Mark. It was an inspiring and impressive occasion, and it is doubtful if the youngest one present will ever live to behold a similar ceremony. Brother Hilton U. Brown is approaching his 96th year, and during all those years he has been a member of ΦΔΘ, his loyalty and devotion have never been surpassed.

part in the annual Interfraternity Golf tournament at the Houston Country Club. The golf was rained out, but the representatives of the national fraternities enjoyed a fried chicken dinner and fellowship.

August 20, a rush party was held at the Houston Yacht Club, with fifteen undergraduate Phis from Texas, Southwestern and S. M. U. attending. They were assisted by the local alumni Phis and swimming, a fish dinner and singing were enjoyed by all. From the report in THE SCROLL, eleven men were pledged

from Houston at the three schools!

We are striving to build up our membership, and now have 120 Phis out of 325 in this area expressing interest in ΦΔΘ.

Our next meeting will be the Founders Day banquet on Founders Day.—J. B. THOMPSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

Los Angeles

AFTER A ROUSING VOTE of commendation to Don C. Phinney, because of the strides in interest, popularity

Los Angeles, Hollywood Alumni Sponsor Rush Party

By GEORGE K. SHAFFER, Reporter

HOLLYWOOD and Los Angeles Alumni Clubs copied the Eisenhower Congressional breakfast routine, and conducted a large scale rushees' luncheon to back up the rushing and pledging efforts of California Gamma at U.C.L.A. and California Delta at University of Southern California at noon, September 10, at the Hollywood Athletic Club.

The combined attendance of rush-ees, members of the active chapters and alumni from the two clubs in greater Los Angeles totaled a few more than 100, and quite a number of the 28 invited freshmen from the two institutions left the premises a bit starry-eyed.

Paul Zander, U.S.C. rush chairman, and Al Lundy, chairman for California Gamma, gave the occasion an extravagant word of praise and appreciation for achieving its purpose in impressing the guests.

Besides a fine luncheon, dispensed by an agreeable force in a room brightened up for the occasion, the prospective Phikeias, members and grads got a lively earful of tunes from Brother Jack Martin, saxophonist and featured vocalist with Lawrence Welk's orchestra; and Brother Scotty Hunter, pianist, composer, and monologist, who is currently headlining in night clubs about the Los Angeles area.

Speakers were just numerous enough and talked long enough to point the attention of all present to the shining heights of college life a la $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Frank W. Swann, Jr., served as master of ceremonies.

In between punch line references to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s possession of illustrious names in politics, movies, the list of football all-Americans, professional life, business prominence, the clergy and the gold braid of national service, Swann introduced many Phi leaders.

Province President Francis D. ("Pete") Lyon, just back from the Mackinac Island General Convention,

let his hearers catch a glimpse of the expanded and interesting world of ready-made friendships that beckons those of the azure and argent after they get out of college. Pete drew keen interest from the youthful honor guests when he was introduced as the motion picture executive responsible for the *Bob Mathias Story* and the film about Crazy Legs Hirsch.

Wilbur Johns, athletic director at U.C.L.A., reminisced a bit about his undergrad days at the institution he still represents, and somehow, the impression took form that U.C.L.A. was a vast $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chapter house, peopled by great men who knew the password.

While this mood was tingling the spirits of all present—even the oldest—J. Tom Wessen, president of one of the area's principal Buick agencies; Montclair McCabe, real estate executive; and Tom Harmon, television and radio announcer, imparted a little extra polish to the impression.

Brother Harmon glued the younger element to a rapt attentiveness with some crisp references to an athletic past that is just beginning to take on the hue of history. Harmon's choice, which had been just made known, to be the announcer of the nation's football games-of-the-day for Columbia Broadcasting TV this autumn, was publicly told at the luncheon occasion.

In absence of Superior Judge Victor Hansen, who was unable to attend the luncheon and speak, because of a recently broken ankle, Brother Russ Hansen, his son, stood and extended greetings. Other greetings were given the group on behalf of Tom Lewis, movie producer, tied up in business connected with films of his wife, Loretta Young; Van Heflin, absent in Hawaii with a film troupe; and Superior Judges Frederick F. Houser, Kurtz Kauffman, and Henry M. Willis, who couldn't get away from court

Dates were set for the annual Founders Day banquet, and for a special luncheon in honor of "Doc" Marshall John Cloyes, Kansas '03, long a fixture at all $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ doings in Southern California, and a valiant prop in all emergencies. Besides these affairs, it was decided to hold a Spring Stag during May at the Oakmont Country Club, and to go on with the highly successful 1954 features of weekly door prizes and "on the spot" talks.

Founders Day banquet exercises will be held, thanks partly to the cooperative assistance of Baron Long, Purdue '07, March 18, at the Los Angeles Biltmore Hotel, of which this good Phi, so internationally famed as mine host, is the general manager.

The special luncheons days for Phis of selected states and localities continue to be observed by the Los Angeles Club, with groups from Deep South chapters, from Oregon, from Indiana, from the state of Washington, from Pennsylvania and from Nebraska and Iowa.

The "on the spot" feature, taking place almost every week, has included a 10 to 15 minute talk by one of the brothers, on the topic of himself, his employment, his hobbies, his early days in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, or anything else biographical that holds interest. It has been one of the popular practices of the Los Angeles Alumni Club meetings, having now been followed for about eighteen months.

Several activities in the Los Angeles area have drawn the joint support of both the Los Angeles Club and the Hollywood Alumni Club, whose new president is Dave Arnold. Among these joint interests have been exploratory efforts looking toward a rallying of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in the Long Beach, Calif. area, with a view to organizing an additional club there; the common sponsorship of next March's Founders Day affair, and a combined attention to liaison with the two active chapters of the Los Angeles area, California Gamma at U.C.L.A., and California Delta at the University of Southern California.—GEORGE K. SHAFFER, Reporter.

Miami

NEW OFFICERS have been elected to lead the Miami, Fla., Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ during the next year. They are: President, Frank S. Wright, former member of the General Council; Vice-President, Dr. Marvin G. Flannery; Treasurer, Henry E. B. Kurtz; Secretary, William J. Booker. Directors are: F. Boice Miller, L. G. (Jerry) Wright, Robert E. Kurtz,

and accomplishment shown by the Los Angeles Alumni Club under his presidency during the closing year, members of this club chose a new slate of officers, headed by William L. Rohlfis as president, at the University Club of Los Angeles at a luncheon, November 5, 1954.

Officers who were chosen for 1955,

with installation taking place November 12, are, other than Rohlfis: Vice President, Eric F. Allison; Treasurer, Elmer Callen; Secretary, Charles S. Blood; Reporter, George K. Shaffer; Executive Board: Don Phinney, Dave Arnold, Louis G. Tellner, Maynard Givens, Donald E. Muir.

William J. Hartnett and Charles A. Kimbrell.

During the past few months our regularly scheduled meetings were superseded by a series of weekly meetings at which we worked with both General Headquarters and the Phi Delta local fraternity at the University of Miami—now Florida Delta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. We are now resuming our regular meetings as shown in THE SCROLL directory.—WILLIAM J. BOOKER, *Secretary*.

New York City

It was with real pleasure that four of our members visited the undergraduate chapters of Pennsylvania Alpha and Pennsylvania Eta at Lafayette College and Lehigh University, respectively, for dinner and chapter meetings the evening of December 13. The four Phis who made the trip this time were Clem Paxson, Ollie Lec, Tommy Thompson, and Bill Kanaga.

The Club always looks forward to its contact with these two chapters each spring and fall through the visits made by members. We wish again to thank the chapters for their hospitality and the kindnesses extended. The four brothers indicated in their reports that they were much impressed by the able manner in which the meetings were conducted.—WILLIAM S. KANAGA, *Reporter*.

Pittsburgh

DECEMBER 3, members of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club and their wives gathered at Buffalo Inn, South Park, for a hot buffet supper followed by an evening of dancing. The music was specially tape recorded, and included $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ songs and current popular hit tunes. (See cut next page.)

There were about eighty people present. A quick check indicated that a repeat performance in the Spring would be in order.—R. W. RICHARDSON, *Secretary*.

Phoenix

WE ARE JUST concluding one of the most successful years in the history of the Phoenix Alumni Club, thanks to the efforts of President Barto Davis, Arizona '27. Under his leadership, the club has taken on two very important projects in addition to the progress that has been made in stimulating interest in the local alumni activities. First, we are working closely with the Alumni Club at Tucson with regard to helping finance a much needed new house for the active chapter at Tucson. Bonds have been printed and 21



Kansas City Club Projects

Each year the Greater Kansas City Alumni Club of Phi Delta Theta uses the proceeds of our annual money making function, the Harvest Party, to purchase a piece of equipment for a deserving charitable organization in our city. We feel that this contribution on behalf of our alumni club is a great contribution to the fraternal system as a whole.

Examples of past contributions are pictured above. Top: Past President Jack Senter and Veep Burr Sifers presenting John Thornberry, president of the Boys' Club of Kansas City, a plaque to be attached to the drinking fountain in the background. This fountain was donated to the Boys' Club from the proceeds of the 1952 annual Harvest Party. Below: Past President Eugene Mangelsdorf of Greater Kansas City Alumni Club observing a cerebral palsy victim using the trainear machine donated by the club from the proceeds of the 1953 annual Harvest Party.

Our club is pleased to congratulate John Glorioso on being named a director of the Boys' Club of Kansas City. John, while a member of Missouri Alpha, was one of the finest athletes ever to attend the University of Missouri. He becomes the first director who previously, as a youngster, had belonged to the Boys' Club. He joins brothers Clint Kanaga, Jr., Dwight Brantley, Ray Evans, Burr Sifers, and Kenneth Lineberry, as directors of this club.



SCENE AT PITTSBURGH ALUMNI CLUB DANCE

members of the Phoenix Alumni Club have volunteered to spearhead the bond selling drive in the Phoenix area. Walt Roche, Dick Johnson and Dean Moody, all Arizona Alumni, deserve a lot of credit for getting the project started.

The second project is the establishment of an active chapter at Arizona State College, Tempe, Ariz. The hard work of Brother E. V. Graham is beginning to bear fruit and the brothers are quite optimistic.

Phoenix Phis also banded together earlier this year for a rousing dinner dance, the first $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ social event of this type here in many years. Attendance approached the objective of 50 couples and it was agreed by those present that a similar event should be planned annually.

Just before the opening of school, the club once again sponsored a rush party for Phoenix boys intending to go to colleges throughout the country. The turnout of rushees was good and we were assisted by actives from Arizona Alpha, where most of the rushees were planning on enrolling.

Two other strictly business meetings have been held, primarily for the purpose of discussing plans for the new house at Tucson and the newly proposed chapter at Arizona State. One more meeting is being planned for the business year and that is the annual Founders Day banquet, which has been scheduled for Monday, February 14. Since our annual tourist season will be in full swing at that time, we would like to avail ourselves of this opportunity to invite any visiting Phi to attend the Founders Day meeting.—NELSON KING, *Secretary*.

Ross County, Ohio

THE ROSS COUNTY, Ohio, Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ held its semi-annual social gathering and dinner at the

Fox Farm Inn near Chillicothe, Tuesday evening, October 26. Twenty-nine members and invited guests were present for cocktails and the excellent steak and fried chicken dinners. Dr. J. O. Wiltshire, *Emory '48*, a recent newcomer and practitioner in Chillicothe, was present as a new member of the club.

Spirited group singing of Phi songs was indulged in by the assembled brothers following the dinner and prior to the short business session presided over by President Herman DuBois.

Visiting guests and the new member were introduced, following which Marlin Poindexter gave a report of the March 25 meeting. As Keeper of the Buffalo Chips, Brother Poindexter was presented with a framed picture, in color, of a herd of buffalo, remindful of his college days in Kansas.

Brother Barnhart gave a brief report on the present status of Ohio Alpha, while Brothers Balding and Collins, respectively, reported on the progress being made toward additions to the chapter houses at Ohio Gamma and Ohio Zeta. Brother John Wissler was designated to exert his energies in trying to get local Ohio Zeta alumni to contribute more generously to the building fund.

Treasurer Charles Ware reported

Toronto Phis Meet

WHILE NOT, as yet, an official Alumni Club, Phi in the Toronto area have been holding regular meetings. To all who are interested: A monthly luncheon gathering is held on the first Wednesday of every month at Simpson Men's Grill from September until June. The time is 12:15 and all alumni are welcome.—R. W. SIMPSON, *Alumni Secretary, Ontario Alpha*.

a balance of approximately \$10 in the club treasury, and asked that those present make voluntary contributions to increase this amount, as the hat was passed.

Allen Thatcher, proprietor of the Fox Farm Inn, presented to Marlin Poindexter, for the club, a pair of very old wooden skates, to be placed on display in the Ross County Historical Museum, of which Brother Poindexter is a director.

March 15, 1955, was designated as the date for the next semi-annual meeting of the club.—ERNEST AUGUSTUS, *Reporter*.

St. Louis

THE ST. LOUIS Alumni Club has been quite active in many ways since the new officers took over after Founders Day banquet in 1954. As was previously scheduled, regular Friday luncheons were held at the Forest Park Hotel with emphasis being placed on the first Friday luncheon at which we generally have a guest speaker. The group averages between ten and twenty on regular Friday luncheons and from 28 to 45 on first Friday luncheons when the guest speaker is with us. This has been very encouraging and, as a result, the officers have planned and, with mild success, have presented a number of additional social functions which will, we hope, create a new interest in the Alumni Club activities and help our club to be more helpful to the local active chapters.

Late in the Spring we gave a cocktail party for the purpose of raising money to be used in house improvements in the Missouri Gamma chapter house. Although no regular activities were planned for the Summer months, several of the alumni were helpful with the rushing program of local chapters.

Last Fall we had our first Harvest party which was an outstanding success from the standpoint of new faces seen and the good time had by all. It has, we feel sure, become an annual affair and already many people are looking forward to next year's Fall Harvest party. At this reading, we will have enjoyed again a very successful December Stag which is always held with a luncheon at the Belvedere Joe's restaurant in St. Louis County. The usual attendance prizes and old-fashioned get-togethers are features of this party. Plans are already underway for Founders banquet again coming up in a month or so and we feel that the St. Louis Alumni Club has made its greatest progress in the last two years and look forward to greater things.—W. B. GERSTUNG, *Reporter*.

Tulsa

AFTER COMPLETING a successful Summer rush program, the Tulsa Alumni Club went on to plan for the annual Christmas Mixer, held December 23 at Ben Kirkpatrick's residence. The annual mixer always presents an excellent opportunity for the alumni and actives to join together during the holidays.

Plans are already underway for the Tulsa Alumni Association's annual Founders Day dance and banquet. Paul R. Yard has accepted the responsibility of being chairman for the annual affair. The alumni association is fortunate in that Joe T. Dickerson, president of Shell Pipe Line Corp., Houston, Tex., has already accepted an invitation to be the principal speaker at the banquet. Phis from all over the state are invited, with both Oklahoma Alpha and Oklahoma Beta chapters presenting progress reports of their respective chapters. As has been the custom, the actives and the alumni will gather for a dance the night preceding the banquet. The two dates will be March 12, the dance from 10 'til 1, and March 13, the banquet 1 P.M. We wish to extend a cordial invitation to all Phis in the area and any alumni from far away who might be near Tulsa that weekend. —JACK F. COZIER, Secretary.

Vancouver

THE Vancouver Alumni Club has just completed another successful year with the annual Christmas party for children which was held at the Fraternity house. Brother Kendall Begert is to be congratulated on his superb performance in the role of Santa Claus. During the course of the afternoon, more than fifty little girls and legacies sat on his lap to receive toys of all shapes and sizes.

Thirty-five alumni brothers were present at the last regular luncheon of 1954 which was held, as usual, at the Alcazar Hotel. It was hoped that there would be a first hand report on the Grey Cup game (Canadian professional football final) from Brother Fred Dietrich, one of the directors of the B.C. Lions (Pro football club). Unfortunately, however, Brother Dietrich could not be present as he was still recuperating from his long weekend in Toronto. At this meeting, plans were drawn up for the unveiling at the Fraternity house of the Memorial Plaque dedicated to those brothers of British Columbia Alpha who lost their lives in the last war. Votes of thanks were extended to Brother George Robson and his committee who were responsible for acquiring the beautiful plaque. It is

Phis at the N.I.C.



AT LEAST 24 Phis (15 undergrads and 9 alumni) attended sessions of the National Interfraternity Conference at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel in Philadelphia, December 3 and 4. Sixteen are pictured above: FRONT ROW: George S. Ward, P.P.G.C., Member of the N.I.C. Executive Committee; Howard L. (Pete) Stuart, Member-at-Large of the General Council; Judge William Bayes, P.P.G.C.; Hay Biggers, Editor of THE SCROLL; Bob Miller, Administrative Secretary. SECOND ROW: Dale Perkinson, Missouri Gamma; Dave Fenton, Pennsylvania Eta; Thomas Brooks, California Gamma; James Monahan, Ohio Epsilon; Richard Gaenzle, Pennsylvania Beta; Ron Decker, Pennsylvania Kappa. THIRD ROW: Bill Devries, Nebraska Alpha; John Rice, Maryland Alpha; Cort Lecklider, Michigan Beta; Lauren L. Suter, Pennsylvania Kappa; Mark Engdahl, Illinois Alpha. Missing from the picture are Donald DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner; Henry Middendorf, Williams '28; F. G. Fassett, Jr., Colby '23; David Dulles and Ralph Rosser, Pennsylvania Kappa; Norman Kaehler, Pennsylvania Eta; Dale Wyngarden, Florida Gamma, and James A. Morrison, Cornell '30.

hoped that the unveiling can take place on the same date as the Mothers' annual tea so that parents and friends of the brothers in whose memory it is being dedicated can be present.

During the coming year, regular luncheons will be held on the first Wednesday of each month at the Alcazar Hotel as has been the case in the past. We heartily welcome brothers from all parts of Canada and the U.S. to attend if they are passing through Vancouver. —JOHN L. ROBERTS, Secretary.

Undergraduate Chapter Reports

WYOMING ALPHA

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was most successful and again one of the outstanding social functions on campus. This year finds several of the brothers very prominent in college activities. Bill Tighe, Tom Love and Don Cluxton were elected to *Who's Who*. Outstanding in military activities are Army Cadet Majors Bob and Bill Tighe, who command the Army R.O.T.C.'s two battalions and Air Force Cadet Major Mac Jenkins, commanding officer of the 53rd A.F.R.O.T.C. group. Army dis-

tinguished military students include Bob Tighe, Bill Tighe, Don Cluxton, Ron O'Connell and Tom Love. Mac Jenkins was made an Air Force D.M.S. Besides these, there are eight other Phis who are officers in advanced R.O.T.C. Bill Tighe is also president of the Interfraternity Council. Heading the *WYO*, university yearbook, are Phis Tom Love, editor; Dick Glover, business manager, and Claude Mapes, assistant editor. The chapter also boasts three cheerleaders who are Bayard Wilson, DeVon Hurd and Jim Cooper. New Phis initiated Fall quarter are: Diggs Lewis, Bud Racicky, Don Chaplin and Dave Hallowell. Pikeias this year include Lew Christensen, Lee Coffman, Dick Day, Tom Gutz, Nathan Reynolds, Jerry Nash, Bayard Wilson, Casper; Bud Scott, Clyde Magill, Bill Walker, Jim Montgomery, Cheyenne; Marshall Atwell, Laramie; Fred Hanson, Osage; Mike Lightner, Victor Zueck, Wayne Semos, Rock Springs; Anton Munari, Diamondville; Jim Nyquist, Sheridan; Jere Reading, Kemmerer; Rance Dunmire, Powell; Bud Kaiser, Shoshone; Jack Rafferty, Stansbury; Herb Manig, Bob Jingling, Chicago, Ill.; Jack Leasure, California, and Ole Hoffmann, Mjolby, Sweden. —CLAUDE P. MAPES, Reporter.

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DWIGHT L. ROGERS, *Mercer '10*, Democratic Congressman from Florida's 6th District, died of a heart attack, December 1, 1954, after speaking at a Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Brother Rogers had represented Broward and Palm Beach Counties in Congress since he was elected from that district in 1944.

On the last day the Senate convened, August 20, it passed a bill of Brother Rogers recommending that salaries not be paid to eleven U.N. members who refused to testify before the Internal Security subcommittee of the Senate as to their membership in Communist and subversive organizations. He was a member of the House Interstate Commerce Committee.

A native of Georgia, Brother Rogers began his law career in Ocilla, Ga., moving to Ft. Lauderdale, his home city, in 1925, where he continued his law practice. He represented Broward County in the State legislature from 1930-38, serving as speaker pro tempore in 1933.

Brother Rogers had taught Bible classes since 1911. Always interested in the Scriptures, he had made a name for himself, with his knowledge of the Bible, on several radio and other Bible quiz contests. While in Washington, D.C., he attended Foundry Methodist Church and lived at the Sheraton Park Hotel. He was a member of Sphinx and of Kiwanis and a loyal and active Phi. Among the survivors are three sons: Dwight, Jr., *Florida '38*, Ft. Lauderdale; Doyle, *Florida '50*, and Paul, *Florida '42*, West Palm Beach. See THE SCROLL of January, 1954 (p. 181), for a story of the Rogers family.

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EUGENE EDWARD (Gene) PENNINGTON, *DePauw '38*, whose name is known to all those singing brothers of ΦΔΘ, both for his own compositions, including "Always This Song Haunts Me" and his arrangements of loved Phi songs, died in Fairview Hospital, LaPorte, Ind., November 20, 1954. He had been in ill health for two years.

Brother Pennington, a native of Indiana, received his degree in music from DePauw University in 1939 and in 1947 earned his M.A. For four years following his graduation, he served as music supervisor for the Greencastle, Ind., schools, then entered the armed forces.

After his term in service he went to LaPorte in 1945, where he served as supervisor of public school music. He was instrumental in building the LaPorte high school band, orchestra and a cappella choir to first division ratings. Brother Pennington was also active in community music circles, serving as director of the LaPorte Community Concert association, founder and director of the LaPorte Messiah chorus, and formerly was director of the First Christian Church choir. He was a member of the First Christian Church and of the Kiwanis Club.

Brother Pennington gave generously of his services



DWIGHT LAING ROGERS, *Mercer '10*

and his musical ability to the Fraternity he loved. Among his best-known and loved Phi songs are "Drums of Phi Delta Theta," "Always This Song Haunts Me," and his arrangements of "Phi Delt Bungalow," "Smoke Rings," and "A Toast to Phi Delta Theta." These and others are sung by Phi wherever they congregate. He cooperated with Paul Beam, executive secretary, in arrangements for Brother Beam's well-known songs, and in readying the centennial song books.

A memorial fund for the education of his six-year-old son has been set up by Brother Cy R. Parker, and donations may be made to him at P.O. Box 395, LaPorte, Ind.

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WILLIAM LINN WESTERMANN, *Nebraska '94*, former professor of history at Columbia University, died at his home in Scarsdale, N.Y., October 5, 1954. Since retiring from the faculty of Columbia University, which he had served since 1923, he had been a visiting professor of ancient history at the University of Alexandria, Egypt.

Brother Westermann was a world authority on papyrus writings and on the economy of ancient Egypt, Rome, Greece and Palestine. He held his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Nebraska, where he was a member of ΦΒΚ, a Ph.D. from the University of Berlin and an honorary LL.D. from Nebraska.

Following World War I, Brother Westermann served as adviser to President Wilson on Greek and Turkish affairs at the Paris peace conference, and on Greek territorial and Armenian boundary commissions. He was a trustee of the American Academy

in Rome, for two years heading its school of classical studies, and in 1944 was president of the American Historical Association.

Prior to teaching at Columbia, Brother Westermann taught Latin and history at the Universities of Nebraska, Missouri, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Cornell. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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BISHOP HOYT MCWHORTER DOBBS, *Southern-Vanderbilt* '99, retired Bishop of the Methodist Church, died in a Shreveport, La., sanitarium, December 9, 1954. Bishop Dobbs, whose life of outstanding service was recently pictured in *THE SCROLL* (September, 1954, p. 43), was known throughout the South and in South America for his generous services to his fellow man. He had served as Bishop of Brazil, of Alabama and Florida, of Louisiana and Arkansas and of Louisiana and Mississippi. He retired about ten years ago, after having served his church as a bishop since 1922.

Formerly a member of the Methodist General Board of Christian Education, Brother Dobbs served for several years as chairman of the Board of Trustees of Centenary College.

Brother Dobbs received his M.A. degree from Southern University in 1899 and two years later was ordained a minister in the Methodist Church. Continuing his education, he received his divinity degree from Vanderbilt in 1904, was made Doctor of Divinity at Emory University in 1913, and was given another doctorate of divinity from Southern in 1914. He was made Doctor of Laws at Birmingham-Southern in 1922 and in 1928 the Doctor of Letters from Southern was conferred upon him.

During his years as a minister, from 1916-1920, he was dean of the school of Theology of Southern Methodist University. He was a 33rd degree Mason,



BISHOP HOYT MCWHORTER DOBBS
Southern-Vanderbilt '99

a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and an active and loyal Phi, a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Among the survivors is a son, Hoyt Dobbs, Jr., *Vanderbilt* '29, Springfield, Mo.

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JOHN THOMAS WATSON, *Washington and Lee* '11, Republican candidate for governor of Florida, died suddenly during his campaign, at Tampa, Fla., October 24, 1954. A stormy petrel of politics in Florida, he quit the Democratic party after lifelong membership in 1948 with the avowed aim of a two-party system for Florida.

A man of courage and integrity, Brother Watson was elected attorney general on the Democratic ticket in 1940 and served until 1948, when he unsuccessfully ran for the governorship. He had been a candidate for that office in 1932—also unsuccessfully. The current campaign was his first under the Republican banner.

Brother Watson, a native of Virginia, entered the tobacco industry as a young man and in that capacity came to Tampa in 1906. He was superintendent of a cigar factory at that time. In 1909 he entered Washington and Lee Law School, and following his graduation, returned to Tampa to take up the practice of law. He was a member of the Elks, Knights of Pythias, the Shrine, the Masons, $\Phi\Delta\Phi$, and was active as an elder and deacon for several years in the Hyde Park Presbyterian Church. Among survivors is a son, Lt. Col. Patrick B. Watson; *Florida* '38, with the U.S. Army in Japan.

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THOMAS L. NEAL, *Franklin* '07, one of Indiana Delta's most loyal and distinguished sons, died at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., November 28, 1954.

At the time of his death, Brother Neal was vice president and finance chairman of Fidelity Associates Underwriters. For many years he was welfare director for Marion County and previous to that managed the Indianapolis Industrial Center.

Following his graduation from Franklin, Brother Neal engaged in insurance business at Lebanon and other Indiana cities and in North and South Carolina and Virginia. He was elected to the State Senate from Lebanon at the age of 28, the youngest man to hold such an office at that time.

A member of the First Presbyterian Church of Indianapolis, Brother Neal was active in the state's lodge circles, having served as Indiana Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias in 1920. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite and Shrine.

As a Freshman in 1904, Brother Neal founded *The Franklin*, student newspaper of Franklin College and at the 1954 annual alumni commencement dinner he presented a copy of the first issue to Brother William A. Bridges, *Franklin* '56, the 1954-1955 editor. (See story in September, 1954, *SCROLL*.)

Brothers Merle Abbett and Eden Thurston, classmates of the deceased, served as pallbearers and other representatives of the Franklin chapter and the Indianapolis Alumni Club attended the funeral services in Indianapolis.—R. E. BLACKWELL, *Alumni Secretary*.

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DR. ARNOLD ERNEST ZURAWSKI, *Iowa Wesleyan* '16, died June 9, 1954, at his home in Burlington, Ia., following a heart attack. He was born August, 21, 1890, in LeMars, Ia. His degree in dental surgery was received from Northwestern University. For a time he practiced in the Chicago area, then moved to Burlington where he had since resided. Well known and popular in the community, he had held various commission chairmanships and positions of trust. Enlisting in World War I as a private, he was discharged with the rank of captain after combat service in France.

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KENNETH WALTER ROBINSON, *Dartmouth* '29, died March 4, 1954, in the Veterans Hospital, Kingsbridge, New York City.

He was born in New York City June 1, 1907 and prepared for college at Horace Mann School for boys.

After graduation Brother Robinson did graduate work at Cornell and received his A.M. in 1931. He then did free lance writing and play producing in New York. During World War I he served in the Army Signal Corps.

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THE REV. DR. WILSON G. COLE, *Allegheny* '09, pastor emeritus of the University Methodist Church at Syracuse, N.Y., died at his home in Syracuse, September 8, 1954. Pastor of the church for fourteen years, he retired in 1950 but was named pastor emeritus in recognition of his services.

Listed in *Who's Who in America* as a clergyman and educator, he is also mentioned as author of many religious pieces.

Prior to coming to Syracuse, Brother Cole had served several pastorates: the Oakland Methodist Episcopal and Wesley Foundation where he supervised work for about 1300 Methodist students at the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie School of Technology; the Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church of Denver, Colo., and the Janes Church in Brooklyn, N.Y.

In 1929, his alma mater conferred upon him the doctor of divinity degree and he received his degree in sacred theology from the Boston University School of Theology in 1928 and an A.M. degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1925. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club, the Current Events Club, the Social Literary Club, a 32d degree Mason, and a member of $\Phi \Delta \Kappa$, $\Pi \Delta \Lambda$ and $\Theta \chi \beta$.

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WALLACE B. PARDOE, *Vermont* '19, independent oilman of Tulsa, Okla., died in a hospital there September 29, 1954. Before moving to Tulsa three years ago, he had been in the oil business at Grand Rapids, Mich., for some ten years. Brother Pardoe had worked for the Sinclair and Shell Oil Companies prior to becoming an independent oil operator in 1931.

Brother Pardoe was a member of Trinity Episcopal Church, the Petroleum Club and the American Petroleum Geologists Association. House manager of his chapter for three years while at Vermont,

Grantland Rice Award Is Established in Football

The Football Writers Association, in August, honored the late GRANTLAND RICE, *Vanderbilt* '01, by awarding to him posthumously the Football Writers' Award and establishing the Grantland Rice Memorial Award.

The Football Writers' Award will be retired permanently and sent to Brother Rice's alma mater, Vanderbilt, for permanent display. The award was made for his lifetime contribution to sports, particularly football.

The Rice Memorial Award will be presented annually to the college player selected by the writers as the outstanding one in the nation.

Brother Pardoe retained his active interest in the fraternity. Among the survivors is a son, Wallace Alan Pardoe, *Missouri* '54.

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WILLIAM RENNELAER MCFEETERS, *Dartmouth* '05, died at St. Albans, Vt., where he had practiced law since 1917, July 2, 1954. After graduating from Harvard Law School in 1908, Brother McFeeters served at St. Paul, Minn., in a sales and law school extension capacity. He practiced law with his father in 1912 for four years in his native city of Enosburg Falls, Vt.

Serving two governors as executive secretary, he was also treasurer of the Republican State Committee, state attorney for Franklin County, chairman of the Vermont Public Service Commission in 1941-42. From 1951 until recently, he had been a member of the State Board of Legislative Draftsmen. He was a vestryman in the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

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SANFORD H. CARRACI, *Miami* '22, died at his home in Rochester, N.Y., November 3, 1954. He had been president of the McFarlin Clothing Co. since January, 1954.

A native of Ohio, Brother Carraci attended Miami University at Oxford, and transferring to Ohio State, received his bachelor of business science there in 1923. He began his business career at Macy's in New York City and in 1927 joined McFarlin staff as a men's clothing buyer. Prior to being named president of the firm he had served as general manager. In 1940 he left McFarlin's to become co-proprietor of the Norton-Carraci Clothing Store in Houston, Tex., but returned in 1948.

He was a 32nd degree Mason, a Rotarian, and a member of the Elks Club, the University Club and Oak Hill County Club. An active Phi, he was a member of the Rochester Alumni Club.

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WALTER ROOT ARMSTRONG, *Kansas* '90, died at his home in Santa Venetia, Calif., October 29, 1954.

Brother Armstrong, who was a native of Kansas, grew up in the newspaper business, serving as printer's devil and reporter, in his father's newspaper plant. Following graduation from Kansas University, however, he became interested in engineering and spent the rest of his life as a civil engineer.

Among the railroads which he served were the Kansas City Southern, for whom he laid the tracks from Kansas City to the Gulf of Mexico; the Kansas City Mexico and Orient Railroad; the Oregon Short Line, a part of the Union Pacific System. For the latter company he located and constructed the railroad north of Pocatello, Ida., to the West Gate of Yellowstone National Park. He afterward was Superintendent of Operation for these lines for several years.

In 1916, Brother Armstrong was called to headquarters of the Union Pacific in Omaha, Neb., where he was Engineer of Maintenance of Way and largely responsible for troop movements across the continent during World War I. In 1925 he was transferred to Los Angeles, Calif., where he operated all lines between Salt Lake City and Los Angeles.

During a stay in Salt Lake City from 1919-25, he was appointed by the Highway Commission to chart routes for Utah Parks tourist travel and also was the governor's special representative to investigate various sites for the location of the Hoover Dam. In 1936 he retired from active duty. He was a member of the Masons and of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

Among the survivors is a son, W. R. Armstrong, Jr., *Utah-Dartmouth* '26, East Ely, Nev. Brother Armstrong was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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LEMON LAWRENCE SMITH, *Dickinson* '04, died at his home in Johnstown, Pa., November 23, 1954. He was 73 years old.

Brother Smith had had a variety of careers in his lifetime. Following graduation from Dickinson College, he practiced law in Indian Territory near Tulsa, Okla. Returning to Johnstown, he formed the Johnstown Millwork and Lumber Company, but left the lumber business in 1935. In 1926 he organized the Bankers Investment Trust of America, Wilmington, and served as president of that banking institution until 1950.

During his early career in the lumber business, Brother Smith was president of the County Lumber Co. at Greensburg. He served as director of the old Johnstown Ledger Publishing Company from 1920 to 1924, as a director of the Pennsylvania Retail Lumber Dealers Association in 1922-23 and as a director of the old Union National Bank, the local Associated Charities and the Roberta Coal Company.

Brother Smith was an accredited representative of the press in 1919 during the peace conference at Versailles, France. In recent years he devoted much time to travel and writing. He maintained a home in Westmont and a suite in the St. Moritz Hotel, N.Y. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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RALPH CLARENCE PUTNAM, *Chicago* '04, died at Copley Memorial Hospital, Aurora, Ill., October 2,

1954. A native of Aurora, he returned there to practice law after attending the University of Wisconsin and the University of Chicago Law School from which he graduated in 1904 as a member of the first graduating class with an L.L.B. *cum laude*. At the time of his death he was counsel for the firm of Putnam, Johnson and Alschuler which he helped to form in 1909.

Brother Putnam, whose legal career extended for more than 50 years, was honored by the Illinois State Bar Association on May 6, 1954, when they conferred upon him the title of senior counsellor in recognition of his service to the bar of Illinois. He was also an active participant in civic and community activities, a member of the Illinois State, American and local Bar Associations, and a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Among the survivors is a son, Ralph C. Putnam, Jr., *Dartmouth* '37, and a brother, Dr. Glen Putnam, *Chicago* '06, both of Aurora.

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The name of ROBERT TOWNSEND COPPLE, *Hanover* '53, has been added to the Roll of Honored Dead. Brother Copple was killed in action in Korea, presumably on April 23, 1951. He was reported missing in action, but in August of 1954, the North Korean Government returned his remains to the U.S. Army and established the fact that he was killed April 23, 1951. He was buried in Indianapolis September 10, 1954.

A native of Indianapolis, Brother Copple attended school there where he was an outstanding musician at Arsenal Technical high school. Joining the Army following graduation, he was a member of the 328th Army Band at Fort Hamilton, N.Y. Following his discharge in 1948, he entered Hanover College, but was called back to duty in 1950.

The Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism in action was awarded posthumously to Brother Copple September 2, 1951, his brother receiving the award in his name.

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WILLIAM KARL THIEME, *Dartmouth* '56, of Landgrove, Vt., was killed instantly in an automobile accident near Lebanon, N.H., March 12, 1954. Brother Thieme, a member of the active chapter at Dartmouth and a member of the football squad, had attended Lincoln School in New York and graduated from the Episcopal High School of Virginia at Alexandria, Va.

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DR. FREDERICK ABRAM HARTUNG, *Allegheny* '99, a practicing physician at Pittsburgh, Pa., for half a century, died in St. Joseph's Hospital in Pittsburgh November 9, 1954. An urologist, Brother Hartung had been on the staff at St. Joseph's for 40 years. He was 77 years old and in 1953 had received his 50-year certificate as a practicing physician. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Brother Hartung was a former member of the Pennsylvania National Guard and served in the Spanish-American War, the Mexican Border Campaign and World War I. A major in command of the 103rd Sanitary Train of the 28th Division he

received a number of citations and the Purple Heart and was a full colonel when he retired.

An outstanding athlete at Allegheny and at Pennsylvania, where he earned his medical degree in 1903, he was a member of M Σ M, Allegheny County Medical Society and the American Medical Association.

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ALBERT LESLIE BARBOUR, *Brown* '92, of Wollaston, Mass., died August 29, after a long and distinguished career in the teaching profession.

He received his Master's degree in 1894 from Brown and began at once as principal and superintendent in Cumberland, R.I. A short time later he moved to Massachusetts where he served as superintendent of schools successively in the combined townships of Sterling, Princeton and Westminster, in South Hadley, Natick, Quincy, and Haverhill until his retirement in 1935.

Brother Barbour was prominent in the Masons, being Past Grand Master of Mt. Moriah Lodge in Cumberland, and Past High Priest of St. Stephen's chapter in Quincy. He was also a trustee of the Pentucket Savings Bank, Haverhill.

Survivors include a daughter, Miss Harriot Barbour who refers to her father's gold sword and shield as one of her most treasured possessions; a son, Fenner, and a sister, Jessie of Fairhaven.

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WILLIAM ANDREW MESERVE, *Dartmouth* '96, died at his home in Creighton, Neb., June 16, 1954. Admitted to the bar in Nebraska in 1895, he practiced in Creighton for over 50 years. He was a member of the Nebraska state senate in 1905-06 and was a member of the Nebraska constitutional convention, 1919-20. Brother Meserve was a member of the Nebraska and American Bar Associations and a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ.

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WILLIAM HENRY ANDERSON, *Southwestern* '86, veteran Los Angeles lawyer and onetime Assistant State Attorney General, died in a Santa Monica, Calif., sanitarium Oct. 12, 1954. He was 87 years old and headed one of the oldest legal firms in California, Anderson and Anderson, founded by his father in 1885. Brother Anderson served in the Attorney General's office in 1895-96 after practicing in San Francisco. He joined his father's firm in 1900. He served as president of the Los Angeles Bar Association in 1934. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ.

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FRED S. HARTMAN, *Purdue* '96, retired general manager of the industrial department of General Electric Company, New York, died at his home in Verona, N.J., recently. He was 81 years old and had retired several years ago. Prior to going with General Electric in 1907, Brother Hartman was associated with the Fort Wayne Electric Co. in Chicago.

He was a member of the machinery and engineers clubs of New York, the New York Electrical League and of the Montclair and Forest Hill Golf clubs. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ.

FRED J. COXE, JR., *North Carolina* '30, was killed Nov. 4, 1954, when his car skidded on a rain drenched pavement and crashed into an abutment of a bridge.

Brother Coxe, son of Fred J. Coxe, P.P.G.C., was a resident of Richmond, Va., where he was head of the wage and hour division for Virginia of the United States Department of Labor with which he had been connected for more than twenty years.

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FOSTER V. SMITH, *DePauw* '99, died at Indianapolis, Ind., where he was associated with The Indiana Trust Company, Sept. 3, 1954. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ.

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JOHN HOFFER HAYES, *Penn State* '22, an insurance auditor, died at his home in New York City, Nov. 28, 1954. He was a veteran of World War I. Among the survivors is a brother, Thomas Hayes, *Lafayette* '23, New York City.

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LOUIS CHARLES GASPARD, *Wisconsin* '99, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, died Oct. 21, 1954. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ.

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CHARLES C. CALVERT, *Washburn* '21, died at Los Angeles, Calif., where he had made his home for the past 30 years, Oct. 9, 1954. A veteran of World War I, he was owner and president of the Summerbell Roof Structures and Summerbell Steel Products Company.

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OTTO H. HINCK, *Columbia* '99, died at his home in Montclair, N.J., Nov. 24, 1954. A native of New York, he was graduated from Columbia University in 1899, and for a number of years was president of his class. In 1901, he founded the export textile brokerage firm of Otto H. Hinck Co., New York.

A 60-year resident of Montclair, Brother Hinck was a member of the Montclair Athletic Club, where he was for many years tennis champion; of the New York Athletic Club; a Mason, and a member of the Arkwright Club of New York, and the Textile Square Club of New York. He was a Golden Legionnaire of Φ Δ Θ.

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DWIGHT E. DANFORTH, *Nebraska* '21, died in Chicago Wesley Memorial Hospital, Oct. 10, 1954. He was an executive in Young People's Shoes, Marshall Field and Co. He joined the United States Navy during World War I while a student at Nebraska. A Mason and Scoutmaster during residence in South Dakota, Brother Danforth, at the time of his death, was a Deacon and Elder in the United Church of Hyde Park in Chicago where he was also a Scout committeeman.

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HARRISON BACON FISHER, *Case* '15, died at his home in Canton, Ohio, Nov. 26, 1954. Until recently he had served as manager of the General Electric Supply Company at Canton. He was a charter member of the Canton Kiwanis Club and was past exalted ruler and past district deputy of the Elks Lodge.

REV. THOMAS STACEY CAPERS, *Mercer-Georgia* '10, died in the Centre County Hospital, Bellefonte, Pa., Nov. 4, 1954. He recently had been serving as pastor of the Milesburg, Port Matilda and Snow Shoe Presbyterian Churches.

A native of Louisiana, Brother Capers received his B.A. from Mercer University and in 1916 was graduated from Princeton Theological Seminary. Following pastorates in Pittsburgh and Maywood, N.J., he went to Hollidaysburg, Pa., in 1921, where he served as minister of the First Presbyterian Church for 30 years.

Among the survivors is a son, Chaplain Keene Hedges Capers, *Washington and Jefferson* '40, a lieutenant in the Navy in the Pacific, and a brother, Dr. R. L. Capers, *Mercer* '16, Bellefonte, Pa.

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CHARLES WILLIAM HOWELL, *Denison* '11, died in a hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 10, 1953. Among the survivors are two brothers, Ross Howell, *Denison* '14, and Ray Howell, *Denison* '14.

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JOSEPH WILLIAM SMITH, *Gettysburg* '04, died at Lykens, Pa., his home, Jan. 25, 1953. A native of Lykens, he returned there to enter the clothing business and was a director of the Miners' Deposit Bank. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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JAMES M. MCPHERSON, *Ohio State* '26, village solicitor of Silverton, Ohio, for thirteen years, died at his home there, Oct. 29, 1954. He was recognized throughout that area as an expert in real estate and probate law.

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ROBERT B. MCCracken, *Washington and Lee* '30, Bellefontaine, Ohio, died in a hospital at Dayton, Ohio, Oct. 1, 1954. He was a director and part owner of the A. J. Miller Company of Bellefontaine, a firm with which he affiliated following his graduation from college. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and of the Bellefontaine Masonic Lodge.

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ALVA M. HAMMOND, *Chicago* '15, died June 19, 1954. He was vice president of the Business Research Corporation of Chicago. Among the survivors is a brother, Walter W. Hammond, *Chicago* '16, Kenosha, Wis.

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ROBERT MASSIE SMETHIE, *Randolph-Macon* '56, died July 4, 1954, in Richmond, Va., of injuries suffered when a gravel truck backed over him two days previously while he was working on a construction job. Brother Smethie, an active member of Randolph-Macon, was a most popular personality on that campus.

HAROLD MOFFAT SWIRE HAUGHTON, *McGill* '07, died in Thetford, England, during August, 1954. A veteran of World War I, Brother Haughton had been in Civil Service in Penang and Gibraltar, but recently had been in retirement in England because of ill health.

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THOMAS H. S. ANDREWS, *Union* '32, died in New York, May 23, 1954.

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News has been received at General Headquarters of the deaths of the following brothers:

RALPH O. HAMACHER, *Westminster* '07, Richmond, Mo., June 21, 1954.

FRANK LEONARD GUNZENHAUSER, *Lehigh* '09, Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 10, 1954.

DR. GARNETT LOGAN JACKSON, *Mississippi-Vanderbilt* '97, Houston, Tex., Mar. 27, 1954.

SELWYN HORACE TURNER, *Auburn* '27, Mobile, Ala., August, 1954.

WILLIAM SCHOFIELD MORRISON, *Michigan State* '89, La Junta, Colo., September, 1954.

DONALD McDONALD, *Case* '99, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, April 15, 1954.

MICHEL HAMILTON SCREWS, *Alabama* '00, Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 8, 1954.

WILLIAM FREDERIC MINNICH, *Centre* '02, Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 10, 1954.

RODNEY WILLIAM STUART, *Knox* '54, Galesburg, Ill., Mar. 23, 1954.

JAMES STRATHERN MCNAIR, *Washington State* '14, Miami, Fla., Feb. 13, 1953.

ROBERT WARD JOHNSON, *Michigan* '04, New York, N.Y., Sept. 12, 1953.

HERMAN CARL FELDT, JR., *Ohio Wesleyan* '48, Erie, Pa., Aug. 24, 1954.

MICHAEL HAMILTON SCREWS, *Alabama* '00, Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 8, 1954.

JOHN CONOVER VANCLEAF, *Amherst* '10, Madison, N.J., Jan. 4, 1954.

COL. JOHN S. HENN, U.S.A. (Ret.), *Cincinnati* '23, Coronado, Calif., June 26, 1954.

ROBERT ROY ANNO, *Idaho* '50, Wallace, Idaho., May 1, 1953.

JAMES KEITH JOHNSON, *Toronto* '41, Toronto, Ont., Can., Jan. 31, 1954.

HERBERT STERLING DAVIDSON, *Colgate* '23, Latham, N.Y., Oct. 23, 1954.

BANTON MOORE, *Sewanee* '00, New York, N.Y., Jan. 4, 1954.

HERMAN CHARLES GROMAN, *Chicago* '05, Hammond, Ind., July 21, 1954.

PUTMAN DAVIS, JR., *North Carolina* '53, Greenwich, Conn., May 15, 1954.

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- PENNSYLVANIA ZETA** (1883), University of Pennsylvania, 3700 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa. *President*, Wayne Ackerman; *Reporter*, Philip T. Tobin; *Advisers*, Donald Colasona, 3700 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Robert McCann, 1527 Oregon Ave., Philadelphia 45, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA ETA** (1876), Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa. *President*, David Fenton; *Reporter*, John Westerman; *Adviser*, Richard Johnson, 35 County Line Rd., Hatboro, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA THETA** (1904), Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pa. *President*, Robert Piper; *Reporter*, Richard Seng; *Adviser*, Henry Yeagley, Jr., 531 West Mitchell, State College, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA IOTA** (1918), University of Pittsburgh, 255 N. Dithridge, Pittsburgh 13, Pa. *President*, Arthur C. Vogel; *Reporter*, Glenn R. Heiskell; *Adviser*, George Herrington, 420 Duquesne Dr., Pittsburgh 16, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA** (1918), Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa. *President*, James Hormel; *Reporter*, Eugene Heaton; *Adviser*, Edward L. Noyes, 490 Riverview Ave., Swarthmore, Pa.
- QUEBEC ALPHA** (1902), McGill University, 3581 University St., Montreal, Que., Can. *President*, George B. Payne; *Reporter*, R. B. Findlay; *Adviser*, George Seely, 201 Notre Dame St. W., Montreal, Que., Can.
- RHODE ISLAND ALPHA** (1889), Brown University, Box 1164, Providence, R.I. *President*, John Leva; *Reporter*, Robert Ecker; *Adviser*, Frank Powers, 22 Grace St., Cranston, R.I.
- SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA** (1906), University of South Dakota, 202 E. Clark, Vermillion, S.D. *President*, Richard Chaussee; *Reporter*, Robert W. Crampton; *Adviser*, Wayne Rausch, 402 E. Main, Vermillion, S.D.
- TENNESSEE ALPHA** (1876), Vanderbilt University, 2019 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn. *President*, Kirk Terry Dornbush; *Reporter*, James H. Patton, III; *Adviser*, Robert C. H. Mathews, Jr., 478 Craighead St., Nashville, Tenn.
- TENNESSEE BETA** (1883), University of the South, Box 227, Sewanee, Tenn. *President*, Peter J. Garland; *Reporter*, James G. Creveling; *Advisers*, Dr. O. N. Torian, Sewanee, Tenn.; Douglas Vaughan, Sewanee, Tenn.
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- TEXAS GAMMA** (1886), Southwestern University, 915 Pine St., Georgetown, Tex. *President*, Frank M. Eddins; *Reporter*, William H. Glaze; *Adviser*, Judge Sam V. Stone, Georgetown, Tex.
- TEXAS DELTA** (1922), Southern Methodist University, 7 Fraternity Row, Dallas 5, Tex. *President*, William C. Abernathy; *Reporter*, Patrick R. Thomas; *Adviser*, Spencer Carver, 3521 Wentwood Dr., Dallas, Tex.
- TEXAS EPSILON** (1953), Texas Technological College, Box 4022, Lubbock, Tex. *President*, Carl Ince; *Reporter*, Charles H. Luling, III; *Advisers*, John Harding, 2610 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.; E. W. Williams, Jr., 4514 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.
- UTAH ALPHA** (1914), University of Utah, 102 University St., Salt Lake City, Utah. *President*, Bart Smith; *Reporter*, Sam Wilson; *Adviser*, Ted Whitney, 132 S. Main, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- VERMONT ALPHA** (1879), University of Vermont, 439 College St., Burlington, Vt. *President*, Frank Maccini; *Reporter*, Robert Crawford; *Adviser*, Truman Webster, Shelburne, Vt.; *Co-Adviser*, Benjamin Schwyer, 32 Kingsland Terr., Burlington, Vt.

VIRGINIA BETA (1873), University of Virginia, 129 Chancellor St., Charlottesville, Va. *President*, Sidney C. Kinkead, Jr.; *Reporter*, Robert K. Hopkins, Jr.; *Advisers*, Maupin M. Pence, Mason Lane, Charlottesville, Va.; Claude C. Carroll, 905 Fendal Terr., Charlottesville, Va.

VIRGINIA GAMMA (1874), Box 347, Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va. *President*, Henry B. Lipscomb, III; *Reporter*, George C. Pittman, Jr.; *Adviser*, Dr. G. C. Simpson, Center St., Ashland, Va.

VIRGINIA DELTA (1875), University of Richmond, Box 57, University, Va. *President*, Hugh A. Lawson; *Reporter*, W. Vaughn Dunnivant; *Advisers*, J. B. Hall, Jr., 3402 Park Ave., Richmond, Va.; Forrest W. Brown, Jr., 5211 Devonshire Rd., Richmond, Va.

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WASHINGTON BETA (1914), Whitman College, 715 Estrella St., Walla Walla, Wash. *President*, Paul Panagakis; *Reporter*, Ron Cook; *Advisers*, Robert R. Reid, 336 Bonasella, Walla Walla, Wash.; Frederick C. Wilson, 418 Boyer, Walla Walla, Wash.

WASHINGTON GAMMA (1918), Washington State College, 600 Campus Ave., Pullman, Wash. *President*, Robert Morgan; *Reporter*, Elden Abbott; *Adviser*, F. L. Titus, R. 1, Pullman, Wash.

WASHINGTON DELTA (1952), College of Puget Sound, 3722 N. 8th Ave., Tacoma, Wash. *President*, John H. Chapman; *Reporter*, Terrence W. Schick; *Adviser*, Ray Gardner, Jr., 6320 Nyanza Park Dr., Tacoma, Wash.

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WISCONSIN ALPHA (1857), University of Wisconsin, 222 Langdon St., Madison, Wis. *President*, James Lawson; *Reporter*, Raymond Lundberg; *Advisers*, Jack R. DeWitt, 5741 Dogwood Pl., Madison, Wis.; Ralph Huitt, South Hall, Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

WISCONSIN BETA (1859), Lawrence College, 711 E. Alton St., Appleton, Wis. *President*, Jerome Hart; *Reporter*, Alan Erhardt; *Advisers*, Al Zupek, 1418 N. Union, Appleton, Wis.; Wm. Thompson, 213 Elm St., Menasha, Wis.

WYOMING ALPHA (1934), University of Wyoming, 1309 Grand Ave., Laramie, Wyo. *President*, Jack O'Neill; *Reporter*, Dan Doherty; *Adviser*, Glen R. Daniels, c/o Athletic Dept., Univ. of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyo.

The Roll of Alumni Clubs

THE items in each entry are entered in this order: Name of the city; the Secretary of the Club with his address; the time and place of the weekly luncheon or other stated meeting.

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ALABAMA

Mobile—Frank Stone, 116 Houston St., Mobile, Ala. Called meetings, Battle House Hotel.

Montgomery—Allen D. Harper, Jr., 3546 Gaylord Ave. Called meetings, Beauvois Country Club.

Opelika—Scott Farley, 2 Fitzpatrick.

ARIZONA

Phoenix—Nelson King, 1330 E. Avalon Dr. Quarterly meetings, 1st Mon. of each quarter.

Tucson—Norbert A. Wagner, 225 W. Congress, Tucson, Ariz., 12 Noon, 1st Tuesday, Y.M.C.A. Bldg.

ARKANSAS

State of Arkansas—Jay W. Hill, 305 Boyle Bldg., Little Rock.

CALIFORNIA

Hollywood—Otto A. Steiert, 5825 Harold Way, Apt. 7, Los Angeles, Calif. First Wednesday of each month, Hollywood Athletic Club, 6525 Sunset Blvd.

Los Angeles—Charles S. Blood, 510 W. 6th St., Los Angeles 14, Calif. 12 Noon, every Friday, University Club, 614 S. Hope St.

East Bay—Vincent Angwin, Secretary, Correspondence to: Dave Schindler, 1108 Central Bank Bldg., Oakland 12. Phone, Templebar 6-4747. Luncheon meetings Thursday noon at Athens Athletic Club, 12th & Clay, Oakland.

Sacramento—C. L. Rudine, 927 10th St. Last Friday, University Club, noon.

San Diego—John Terhorst, 4960 Rose Hedge Dr., La Mesa, Calif.

San Francisco—Thomas O. King, 1801 Taylor. 4th Tuesday, St. Julian Restaurant, 140 Battery St., S.E.

Santa Barbara—Robert W. Hutton, 2931 Lomito Rd. Dinner Meetings once every 6 weeks as called.

COLORADO

Colorado Springs—Robert Crowder, Box 489. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays (October through May) at 6:15 P.M. at the chapter house.

Denver—Joseph E. Cook, Jr., 706 Majestic Bldg., Denver, Colo. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea Room.

Ft. Collins—W. D. Thomas, Dept. of Botany and Plant Pathology, Colorado A. & M. College. 1st Monday, quarterly, noon, Ram Room, Lamb's Cafe.

DELAWARE

Wilmington—Lyle E. King, 9060 DuPont Bldg. Dinner meetings monthly except June, July and August, University Club.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington—Philip B. Yeager, 4201 25th St. N., Arlington, Va. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Army and Navy Club, 17th and Eye St. N.W. Call Everett Flood, Woodyly 6-8400 or Martin Heflin.

FLORIDA

Gainesville—E. M. Edmondson, Jr., 1929 N.W. 16th, M.R. 1. Called meetings, Florida Alpha chapter house.

Manatee County—William D. Watson, Jr., 442 12th St. W., Bradenton, Fla. Garcia's Restaurant.

Miami—William J. Booher, 830 S.E. Miami Ave. Rd. 12 Noon, first Wednesday, Seven Seas Restaurant, 101 S.E. 2nd Ave.

Orlando—Andrew Yaros, 2836 Northwood Blvd. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays, Noon, at Lamar Hotel.

St. Petersburg—Robert A. Runcie, 1061-14th Ave., N. Luncheon each Friday at Hotel Suwannee.

Tampa—James F. Baughman, P.O. Box 2031, Tampa.

GEORGIA

Americus—Hays McMath, Jr., Rylander, McMath Tractor Co., Americus, Ga.

Atlanta—John B. Jackson, Jr., Box 2051, Phone VE-rnon 2216. Last Friday, 12:15 Emile's, 87 Fairlie St. N.E.

Gainesville—Charles L. Hardy, 115 E. Ridgewood Ave. Dinner 7:30 P.M. Dixie Hunt Hotel, first Sunday.

Griffin—Wm. H. Beck, III, 217 S. 11th St. Quarterly meetings, third Friday, Jan., April, July, Oct. 12 Noon. Harry's Diner, also special and Founders Day meetings.

Macon—M. F. Meadors, Professional Bldg. Fourth Monday, 1 and 7 P.M. alternate months, S. & S. Cafeteria, 337 Third St.

IDAHO

Boise—Byron H. Erstad, 915 Warm Springs. Third Wednesday, 12:15 P.M. Valencia.

ILLINOIS

Champaign-Urbana—J. Michael O'Byrne, 1405 Grandview, Champaign. First Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan. and March.
Chicago—(Metropolitan)—Robert O. Bormann, 153 N. Menard, Chicago 44, Ill. Meetings, Friday, 12:00 P.M. Blue Note.
Galesburg—Richard Goff, 512 E. So. St., Knoxville, Ill. Five meetings a year, Sept., Oct., Feb., March 15, June, Phi Delta Theta House. Called meetings and Founders Day.
Peoria—Dr. Phil Chain, 3940 Prospect Rd. (4) Third Friday in June, and Friday in Sept., University Club.
Rockford—John M. Picken, 1107 Rockford Trust Bldg., Rockford, Ill. Called meetings.

INDIANA

Bloomington—Marion Rogers, 1130 E. Atwater, Bloomington, Ind. Quarterly meetings.
Columbus—Robert Stewart, 2132 Franklin St.
Evansville—Robert M. Leich, Box 869, c/o Charles Leich and Co.
Ft. Wayne—John H. McCully, Wayne Pump Co., Ft. Wayne 4, Ind. Tues. Noon, Wayne St. Hobby House.
Franklin—Patrick Cuddy, 151 Walnut St. Called meetings.
Indianapolis—John E. Thurston, 105 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Indianapolis 4, Ind. Hotel Warren, 123 S. Illinois St., Luncheon every Friday noon.
Kokomo—Charles Rose, 532 W. Walnut St.
Montgomery County—Gordon A. Mefford, 402 Porter St., Crawfordsville, Ind. 2nd Wednesday at Indiana Beta chapter house, Crawfordsville, Ind.
St. Joseph Valley—Carl V. Shellhouse, 613 JMS Bldg., South Bend, Ind. First Tuesday, Ramble Inn.
Tipton—C. L. O'Banion, Tipton, Ind.

IOWA

Cedar Rapids—H. Schrader, c/o Gazette Co. 6:30 P.M., Roosevelt Hotel.
Des Moines—W. F. Rauscher, Carlisle, Iowa
Mt. Pleasant—George E. Crane, Hardware Store. First Friday, 6:30 P.M., Harlon Hotel.

KANSAS

Manhattan—J. W. Funk, 1814 Platt, second Tuesday, 7:30 P.M. Phi Delta Theta House.
Topeka—Charles Martin, c/o Topeka Daily Capitol, 8th & Jackson. Jayhawk Hotel, first Friday, 12:15 P.M.
Wichita—Elmer Wulf, 6027 E. Lincoln (17). 12:00 noon, Fri. except first, Mezzanine, Hotel Lassen; 6:00 P.M. dinner first Fri. Droll's English Grill.

KENTUCKY

Bluegrass—Thomas F. Marshall, McClure Bldg., Frankfort, Ky. First Monday each quarter at Stag Distillery Club House.
Central Kentucky—(Lexington), E. W. Humphreys, P.O. Box 519. Dinner meeting 1st Thurs. each month during school year.
Louisville—Richard D. Smith, 430 Club. 4 times each year. Place to be announced.

LOUISIANA

New Orleans—Chas. W. Robinson, 1101 Hibernia Bank Bldg. Every Friday, 12 noon, Arnaud's Restaurant.

MAINE

Waterville—Gordon K. Fuller, 44 Burleigh St. Second Wednesday Evening, Phi Delta Theta House.

MARYLAND

Baltimore—F. Marshall Weller, 4804 Wilmslow Rd., Baltimore 10, Md. Luncheons, 12:15 P.M. on first Friday, University Club, 801 N. Charles St.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston—Philip J. Gray, 96 Bay State Rd. Call Secretary for details.

MICHIGAN

Detroit—Warren T. Macauley, c/o Jno. Hancock Life Ins. Co., 41 E. Congress, Detroit 26. Luncheons every Fri. Harmonie, 267 E. Grand River Ave.
Lansing—Wm. A. Ruble, Central Trust Co. Monday 12:15 P.M. Hotel Olds.

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis—Rutherford F. Burr, Jr., 3040 S. Lyndale Ave. Phone, Regent 7421. Fourth Wednesday, 12:15 P.M.

MISSISSIPPI

Clarksdale—R. E. Bobo, Jr. Meetings two times each year. Founders Day, Fall.
Jackson—Jack McLarty, Kroeze-McLarty Co.
Tupelo—J. M. Thomas, Jr., P.O. Box 416. Called meetings.

MISSOURI

Columbia—Edmund M. Brown, M.F.A. Insurance Co.
Fulton—Harvey S. Clapp, 307 E. Sixth St. Called meetings.
Kansas City—W. N. Brownfield, Columbia Natl. Bank, 921 Walnut. Friday noon, Hotel Continental.
Springfield—Lester L. Cox, 1739 S. Natl. Blvd. Luncheon first Thursday, Hotel Moran, 12 Noon.
St. Joseph—J. A. Nussbaum, Jr., 611-15 Corby Bldg. Friday noon, Robidoux Hotel.
St. Louis—Wm. B. Gerstung, A. G. Edwards & Sons, 409 N. 8th St. Meetings each Friday Noon at Forest Park Hotel, 4910 W. Pine Blvd.

MONTANA

Helena—Michael E. Donovan, 1021 Leslie Ave. Third Thursday, Montana Club Rathskeller.
Missoula—John F. Patterson, Jr., 304 S. 5th E. 12 Noon, Mondays, Palace Hotel.

NEBRASKA

Lincoln—Robert J. Glenn, 2210 Woodcrest Ave.
Omaha—John R. Barton, 1010 First Natl. Bank Bldg. 12:15 Noon, first Monday, Omaha Athletic Club.

NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque—Robert B. Stephenson, 9116 Candelaria Rd. N.E.
Las Cruces—Southern New Mexico—West Texas—Co-Secretary Don Strode, c/o Diamond Gravel Co., Las Cruces, N.M. First Thursday every month, 7:15 P.M. at El Paso.

NEW YORK

Buffalo—Roger Gross, 209-A Kenville Rd., Buffalo 15, N.Y.
New York—Donald C. Hays, 1 Wall St., Chamber of Commerce Bldg., 4th Fl., 65 Liberty St. 1:00 P.M. Friday (except first Friday every month, then 12:30 P.M.).
Rochester—G. E. Schuman, 26 Morningside Park. Monday, 12:15 P.M. Hotel Sheraton, 55 St. Paul St.
Syracuse—Harry B. Reddick, 905 Walnut Ave., Meetings 2nd Monday Noon, Schrafft's Restaurant, 418 S. Warren St.

OHIO

Akron—R. C. Davis, 1002 Berwin St. (10). Luncheons, Friday noon, University Club. Called business meetings.
Athens—Ralph Clark, Congress Apts. #1. Five meetings per year on call of committee.
Canton—Norman E. Jackson, 2411 Ivanhoe N.W. Luncheon, first Tuesday, dinner, second Monday, 6:30 P.M., Hotel Onesto.
Cincinnati—Allan J. Ahrens, 3831 Middleton Ave. Luncheon alternate Saturdays, Hotel Metropole, and 6:30 P.M. first Thursday, October to May, Ohio Theta house.
Cleveland—Marshall Dyer, 2581 Berkshire Rd., Cleveland Hgts. 6, Ohio. University Club, 3813 Euclid Ave., 12:15 P.M. every Friday.
Columbus—Ralph Warne, 23 N. 4th St., Columbus 15, Ohio. Tuesday Noon, University Club, 40 S. Third St.
Dayton—John R. Ward, 531 Hadley Ave., Dayton 9. Meeting second Wednesday, 6:00 P.M., Sept.-June, Pappy's Kitchen Klub, 5200 N. Main St.
Mansfield—Harold A. Bruce, c/o The Ohio Brass Co., 380 N. Main St.

Ross County—Harold W. Cruitt, 190 W. 2nd St., Chillicothe, Ohio. Sept. 15 and March 15, Fox Farm Inn, 6:30 P.M.
Toledo—Kenneth Coffman, 3718 Elmhurst Rd. (13). Tuesday at Noon, Dyer's Chop House.
Youngstown—Joseph W. Blackwell, 18 N. Main St., Hubbard, Ohio.

OKLAHOMA

Bartlesville—Warren L. Felton, 1356 Johnstone Ave. 1st Tues. 12:00 Noon. Y.W.C.A. Dining Room.
Enid—Jack Bowers, Box 1349. 12 Noon, second Tuesday, Oxford Hotel.
Oklahoma City—Grady Harris, Liberty Bank Bldg. 2nd Tues. of each month.
Tulsa—Jack F. Cozier, 2125 E. 22 Pl. 12 Noon, second Tuesday, Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Fourth Tuesday 6:30 Dinner, Danner's Cafeteria, East Room.

OREGON

Eugene—Roger Wiley, c/o Springfield High School, Springfield, Ore. Third Wed. each month, 6:30 P.M., Eugene Hotel, 1472 Kincaid St., Eugene, Ore.
Portland—Don Lane, 3035 S.W. Slope Drive, Portland, Ore. Portland Chamber of Commerce, 5th & Taylor, Thursday at 12 Noon.
Salem—Paul Heath, Rt. 6, Box 567. Third Mon. of Jan., May, Sept., Oct. and Nov.

PENNSYLVANIA

Franklin County—James P. Wolff, 206 E. Second St., Waynesboro, Pa.
Harrisburg—Harold L. Child, 329 Paxtang Ave. Luncheon every Wednesday at 12:15 P.M., Mezzanine Pickwick Room, Harrisburger Hotel.
Johnstown—C. R. Brickles, Jr., 1043 Susquehanna St.
Lehigh Valley—Hugh Sivell, 1516 Dale Lane, Bethlehem, Pa. Meetings annually.
Philadelphia—Dr. H. F. Boerner, Jr., 1930 Chestnut St., Philadelphia 3, Pa. Every Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Adelphia Hotel Grill, Chestnut St.
Pittsburgh—Robert W. Richardson, 1731 Oliver Bldg. Noon, Friday, Child's Restaurant in Park Bldg., Fifth Ave. and Smithfield St.
Scranton—Frank E. Dietrick, 829 Richmond St. Last Friday, 12 Noon, Scranton Club, Mulberry and N. Washington Ave.
York—First Wednesday, 6:00 P.M. Colonial Hotel.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Sioux Falls—Darrell Boyd, 1905 S. Walts.

TENNESSEE

Memphis—Henry Stratton, 108½ Audubon Rd. First Friday, 12:15 P.M. Lowenstein's private room.

TEXAS

Amarillo—Robert Cairns, 103 S. Pierce St., Amarillo. Amarillo Club, 112 W. 7th. Last Mon. of each month.
Beaumont—Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co., Broadway at Mariposa.
Corpus Christi—Edmund P. Williams, 126 Southern. 12:15 second Monday, Plaza Hotel.
Dallas—John G. Taylor, 1605 Davis Bldg. (1). 5:15 P.M. First Tuesday each month, Vick's Restaurant.
Ft. Worth—Walter E. Jordan, 625 Ft. Worth Natl. Bank Bldg. First Wednesday, Noon, Blackstone Hotel.

Galveston—William H. Gehring, 1828 Bayou Shore Dr., Galveston, Tex.

Houston—James B. Thompson, 2006 Esperson Bldg. Called meetings.

Lubbock—E. W. Williams, Jr., 4514 21st St.

Permian Basin—Midland, Tex. Haygood Hendry, Sohio Petroleum Co., Rankin Highway.

Texarkana—Horace B. Williams, 8309 Chadbourne Rd., Dallas, Tex. 12:15 P.M. second Wednesday each month, Coffee Cup.

West Texas-Southern New Mexico—First Thursday every month at 7:15 P.M. Hotel Cortez Mirror Room, Carl M. Olsen, 3722 Frankfort St., El Paso.

UTAH

Salt Lake City—Ed Boggess, 1838 Kennsington. Tuesday, 12:15, University Club, 2nd Tuesday, 136 E.S. Temple.

VIRGINIA

Richmond—B. J. Hulcher, Jr., 1113 E. Main St. 12:45 P.M., fourth Thursday, Hotel Raleigh.

WASHINGTON

Ellensburg—Stan M. Thomas, Rt. 3. March, June, Sept. and Dec.

Seattle—William T. Jacobson, 1111 Dexter Horton Bldg., Seattle 4, Wash. 6:00 P.M., first Thursday at College Club.

Spokane—J. T. Peterson, 611 Old Nat'l. Bank Bldg.

Tacoma—Arnold L. Lenzi, 5028 S. Puget Sound. Second Thursday each month, 6:00 P.M., Top of the Ocean.

Walla Walla—Joseph Bassett, 1213 Bonsella St.

WEST VIRGINIA

Kanawha Valley—J. Robert Nuzum, 1586A Virginia St., E., Charleston, W.Va. First Wednesday, Ruffner Hotel.

WISCONSIN

Fox River Valley—L. C. Roeck, George Banta Publishing Co., Menasha, Wis.

Madison—Hugh McCoy, 400 Washington Bldg.

Milwaukee—Frank Loftus, c/o Res. Mfg. Co., 2915 W. Meinecke Ave. Friday Noon, Hotel Medford.

WYOMING

Laramie—Eugene Flippen, 1503 Rainbow. Second Mon. Noon, Chef Cafe.

HAWAII

Honolulu, T.H. (13) Dr. Grover H. Batten, Suite 369, Young Hotel Bldg. 12 Noon third Wednesday, Lau Yee Chai, Kalakaua and Kuhio Aves., Waikiki.

CANADA

ALBERTA—Calgary—J. L. Holman, 225 Superior Ave. Called meetings, Glencoe Club.

ALBERTA—Edmonton—Robert E. Campbell, 204 Petroleum Bldg. First Tues., Corona Hotel.

BRITISH COLUMBIA—Vancouver—John L. Roberts, 570 Seymour St. 12:15 P.M. First Wednesday, Alcazar Hotel.

MANITOBA—Winnipeg—C. Irving Keith, 612 Avenue Bldg. Second Wednesday, 6:30 P.M. St. Charles Hotel.

NOVA SCOTIA—Halifax—Robert Merchant, 34 Bellevue St. Meetings at chapter house on call of President.

QUEBEC—Montreal—D. S. McGibbon, Crabtree & McLaughlin, 201 Notre Dame St., W. Montreal, Que., Can. Called meetings.

Chapter and Alumni Club Secretaries—Please Note

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Honor Trophies Travel

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THIRTY of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s 116 chapters filed entry blanks in the general trophy competition for 1953-54. It is a pleasure to announce that all three general excellence trophies, as well as the General Headquarters Trophy, will be adorning new mantels this year.

The Harvard Trophy. The Harvard Honor Trophy is presented to the outstanding chapter located in a university with a male undergraduate enrollment of 5,250 or more. Eight chapters submitted their entries before the July 15 deadline and a ninth entry, Kansas Alpha, was received too late to be given the careful scrutiny of the committee and was disqualified.

Florida Alpha walked off with the honors this year becoming the first six time winner in the history of this particular competition. It was a close battle, however, with Iowa Gamma the only other five time winner coming in a close second. It is interesting to note that the Iowa State brothers stole the trophy from Florida in 1943 only to lose it again to Florida in 1944. The Iowans came back strong and won the trophy again in 1945 and then Kansas Alpha entered the picture in 1946. Florida Alpha and Iowa Gamma have always had a close competi-

tion for this trophy with this year's third place winner, Ohio Theta, giving its fair share of trouble and with Kansas Alpha, Nebraska Alpha, and Illinois Eta being perennial money winners.

Fla. Alpha	1071	Colo. Alpha	739
Iowa Gamma	852	Okla. Alpha	701
Ohio Theta	801	Wash. Alpha	647
Mo. Alpha	764	Md. Alpha	623

The Founders Trophy. Eight chapters entered the competition for the Founders Trophy which is awarded to the outstanding chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ located in an institution with a male undergraduate enrollment between 1,500 and 5,250. Last year's winner, Texas Delta, was again a strong contender but finished in fourth place behind a trio of strong chapters. Our "baby chapter" at Texas Tech did an outstanding job in its first year of competition pulling down 946 points for a very commendable third place. Tennessee Alpha, fourteen time winner of the Founders Trophy in the past twenty-five years, came through with a second place for the second year in a row and pushed the winner, Ohio Epsilon, all the way. This is the first time that the Founders Cup has made the trip up to

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HAPPY PHI TROPHY WINNERS

LEFT TO RIGHT: Ned Lange, Washington Beta, with plaque signifying tie in Cleveland Trophy competition; Robert Berto, Florida Gamma, Herrick Scholarship Improvement; Kaye Don Lewis, Florida Alpha, Harvard; Bill Abernathy, Texas Delta, Ward Scholarship; Tony Milo, Ohio Epsilon, Founders; and Ed Williford, Mississippi Alpha, other half of the Cleveland tie.

Akron but the members of that chapter assure us that this will not be the last.

Ohio Epsilon	1297	Mo. Gamma	761
Tenn. Alpha	1173	N.M. Alpha	744
Tex. Epsilon	946	Neb Alpha	708
Tex. Delta	817	N.H. Alpha	579

The Cleveland Trophy. More chapters entered the competition for the Cleveland Trophy this year than have entered in any of the three categories in a good many seasons. This year, thirteen chapters in schools with a male undergraduate enrollment of 1,500 or less, filed entries for the rugged "Bucking Bronc" and the final results showed that less than five hundred points separated all of the entries. Indiana Delta, last year's custodian and three time winner, again came through with colors flying high to win a fourth place ribbon. Pennsylvania Delta at Allegheny has corralled the trophy on two occasions and again showed its strength by coming in third. The biggest surprise of all came, however, when it was learned that for the first time in the history of the Cleveland, Founders and Harvard Trophies, there was a tie for first place. Washington Beta at Whitman College and Mississippi Alpha at Ole Miss have both established creditable records on their respective campuses during the past year and the records of both chapters were so close that the judges called it a dead heat. Rather than "draw and halve" the stallion it was decided to award attractive plaques to each of the chapters so that proof

of their superiority can be displayed in both the states of Washington and Mississippi.

Miss. Alpha	} tie 1017	Ill. Delta-Zeta	859
Wash. Beta		Pa. Beta	835
Pa. Delta	896	N.C. Gamma	823
Ind. Delta	875	Ga. Beta	789

The General Headquarters Trophy. It should be pointed out that all of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s chapters are automatically in competition for this award by virtue of the fact that every chapter has certain reports to file with the General Headquarters. This attractive cup was the gift of Brother Arthur R. Priest, *DePauw '91*, Executive Secretary of the Fraternity from 1923 until 1937.

The Headquarters Trophy has had a reputation for changing hands with a reasonable amount of regularity, and only four chapters have shared in multiple wins. Kansas Alpha leads the parade with four victories in the Headquarters race, the last time having been in 1936. Indiana Beta is the only chapter finishing in the first five a year ago to come through with a top ranking this year, tying for third place with Colorado Alpha and Arkansas Alpha. Ohio Iota, second place chapter, last won the trophy in 1952 and has been a consistently strong finisher.

It is a special pleasure to announce that the General Headquarters Trophy is the first award to cross the international border to the north making a trip to our far-distant chapter at British Columbia. The brothers out in Vancouver were not easily scared by the many miles

Official Minutes of 1954 Meetings of the General Council of Phi Delta Theta

Conrad Hilton Hotel, Chicago, Illinois
January 23, 24, 1954

The meeting was called to order at 10:05 A.M. with President George S. Ward, presiding. Also in attendance were John H. Wilterding, Treasurer of the General Council; Barrett Herrick, Reporter of the General Council; Frank S. Wright and Raymond L. Gardner, Members-at-Large of the General Council; George Banta, Jr., Past President of the General Council; Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary; Robert J. Miller, Assistant Executive Secretary; and Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of THE SCROLL. In attendance at a later session was George Banta, III, President of Iota Province.

1. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Executive Secretary was directed to transmit to the Survey Commission a certified statement of what the evidence discloses as regards the historical factors concerning the constitutional provisions dealing with the amending clause of the Constitution.

2. The General Council gave careful attention to the Insurance Plan submitted by Brother John C. Cosgrove, Finance Commissioner for General Fraternity sponsorship. Upon the conclusion of the discussion it was moved by Wilterding, seconded by Herrick and passed unanimously that this entire proposal be given further study and that Brother Cosgrove be extended a vote of thanks for his diligent efforts.

3. Careful consideration having been given to the possibility of publishing a new *Catalogue* or *Director*

their reports had to travel to land in Oxford and a near perfect 95 points were registered as a result.

B.C. Alpha	95	Iowa Beta	88
Ohio Iota	94	Ohio Kappa	88
Ark. Alpha	92	Pa. Beta	82
Colo. Alpha	92	Pa. Delta	81
Ind. Beta	92	Ind. Alpha	80
Wash. Beta	80		

Ward Scholarship Trophy. This handsome cup, donated by George S. Ward, P.P.G.C., was won for the year, 1952-53 (last complete year for which averages have been computed) by Texas Delta at S.M.U. Indiana Epsilon finished in second place, and Illinois Beta, previous winner, in third.

Herrick Improvement Trophy. Showing the greatest improvement in scholarship during 1952-53 was Florida Gamma at Florida State University and this chapter carried away the big trophy which is the gift of Brother Barrett Herrick. Indiana Epsilon was second and Indiana Zeta, third.

tory, it was moved by Wright, seconded by Wilterding and passed unanimously that Brother William H. Mitchell, President of Beta Province, be authorized to proceed with his preliminary investigations and work as outlined in his memorandum to the President of the General Council on January 19. It was further ordered that Brother Mitchell, Chairman of the Directory Committee, be requested to provide at an early date, an estimate of costs which would not exceed the sum of money presently set aside for that purpose.

4. The resignation of Brother Nile Duppsadt as President of Sigma Province was received and accepted with regret. Upon motion of Wilterding, duly seconded and passed unanimously, the Executive Secretary was directed to spread across the minutes of this meeting a vote of thanks for Brother Duppsadt's efforts during his tenure.

5. In replacement of Brother Duppsadt, the General Council turned to Brother Elden T. Smith, *Ohio Wesleyan '32*, head of the division of Dramatics and Speech of Bowling Green State University, who promptly accepted the invitation to serve. This action was taken upon the unanimous vote of the General Council.

6. In recognition of the fact that some of the fraternity's Province boundaries required some adjustments, the following changes were made upon motion of Wright, seconded by Gardner:

a. The state of Utah was removed from Xi Province and assigned to Omicron North Province under the direction of Brother John M. Grubb, *California '51*.

b. Nu Province was divided into two separate provinces to be known hereafter as Nu North Province and Nu South Province, the former to embrace the states of Arkansas and Oklahoma, the latter consisting of the state of Texas.

7. With the creation of Nu North Province, Brother Clark C. Bledsoe, heretofore assistant President of Nu Province, was given full status as a Province President in charge of the Fraternity's affairs in the newly-created Nu North Province.

At this point in the proceedings, the meeting was recessed for lunch at 12:20 P.M. to be reconvened at 2:00 P.M. Upon re-convening, the president constituted the General Council the Board of Trustees to transact certain legal business which lay before the Fraternity.

8. By unanimous action, the General Council authorized the re-instatement into Washington Beta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ of Ulysses Homer Shull, Bond No. 20.

9. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Trustees unanimously confirmed the action of Utah Alpha in expelling from $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity for conduct unbecoming a Phi and for financial delinquency William Grant Handy, Bond No. 671.

10. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Trustees confirmed the action of New

York Zeta in dismissing from $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity Charles Pryor Pray, Bond No. 187. This action was taken upon Pray's own request and because of his dissatisfaction with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s present membership selection policy.

11. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Trustees confirmed the action of North Carolina Gamma in dismissing from $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity John J. Partridge, Bond No. 99 for incompatibility.

12. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Trustees unanimously confirmed the action of Georgia Beta in dismissing from $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity William G. Crawford, Bond No. 1080 at his own request for inability to meet his financial obligations and participate in the affairs of the Fraternity.

There being no further business to be transacted by the Board of Trustees, the meeting was adjourned at 2:30 P.M. in order that the business of the General Council might be continued.

13. Brother George Banta, III, who was in attendance at this particular session, gave the General Council an up-to-date briefing on chapter conditions in Iota Province. Brother Banta's report was well received and the General Council was unanimous in extending a vote of thanks to the president of Iota Province for his attendance at this session.

14. After hearing the report of Brother Gardner concerning certain conditions at Idaho Alpha as he observed them a few weeks ago, it was moved, seconded and passed unanimously that Idaho Alpha be required to operate henceforth, and until further notice, under the terms of a Constructive Operating Program as drafted by the General Headquarters, such program to be installed jointly by Brother Gardner and Brother Robert J. Miller, Assistant Executive Secretary, at the earliest possible moment.

15. Although no formal resolutions were passed in connection therewith, it should be noted that the General Council devoted a substantial amount of its time at this meeting in a soul-searching discussion of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s knotty membership selection problem in an effort to find some satisfactory formula for its solution at the forthcoming 50th General Convention.

The meeting was then adjourned for dinner to be reconvened at 8:00 P.M.

16. The entire evening was given over to a series of information reports presented by the Executive Secretary to the General Council including the state of the chapters, chapter visitation plans for the ensuing semester, rushing and pledging results among the chapters thus far this school year, the size and extent of Alumni Contributions for the 1953-54 fiscal year, etc., none of which required formal resolutions.

The meeting then adjourned at 11:00 P.M. to be reconvened the following morning at 9:50 A.M.

17. The Executive Secretary presented a new and revised draft of the suggested program for the 1954 General Convention. A considerable amount of time and study were given to the agenda as suggested by Beam, and after certain important changes

had been made, the program was adopted by unanimous action of the General Council upon motion of Wilterding, seconded by Wright. It was further ordered that the Executive Secretary, in his capacity as Convention Manager, proceed with the arrangements as directed.

18. There still being a vacancy existing in the Presidency of Eta Province, Executive Secretary Beam was requested to explore this situation fully and, at the earliest opportunity, make recommendations to the General Council to fill this vacancy.

19. The Executive Secretary reported on the progress which is being made in revamping and modernizing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s chapter hall and initiation equipment in collaboration with the official outfitters. The General Council heard Beam's report with approval and directed that his recommendations be placed in the hands of the Committee on Ritual at the forthcoming Convention.

20. The Executive Secretary reported on developments in connection with the organization of the Lou Gehrig Memorial Award Committee. The General Council heard with pleasure that Brother George M. Trautman, *Ohio State '14*, President, The National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, has agreed to be Chairman of this important committee and that Brother Trautman has already done a substantial amount of organizational work.

There being no further business to transact, the meeting of the General Council was adjourned sine die at 1:00 P.M. on Sunday, January 24, 1954.

GEORGE S. WARD

President, General Council

PAUL C. BEAM

Executive Secretary

**Drake Hotel, Chicago, Illinois
July 24-25, 1954**

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 A.M. with President George S. Ward presiding. Also in attendance were John H. Wilterding, Treasurer of the General Council; Barrett Herrick, Reporter, of the General Council; Frank S. Wright and Raymond L. Gardner, Members-at-Large of the General Council; Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of *THE SCROLL* and *Palladium*; Robert J. Miller, Administrative Secretary; Marvin J. Perry and Lothar A. Vasholz, Assistant Secretaries.

1. The annual audit for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1954 of the funds administered by the General Council was examined item by item and received with enthusiasm.

2. A preliminary operating budget for the 1954-55 fiscal year, as prepared by Executive Secretary Paul C. Beam, was discussed at length and the General Convention expense itemized therein was a point of major concern. It was decided that this General Council would recommend to the 50th General Convention that Title VIII, Section 190 of the Constitution and General Statutes entitled "Delegates Expenses to Convention" be altered so as to strike out the figure \$20.00 in line four and that in place thereof the figure \$40.00 be inserted. Sec-

tion 190 would then read in part: "Each chapter shall pay to the General Fraternity a sum of \$10.00 semi-annually, or whatever amount not to exceed \$40.00 is deemed necessary by the General Council . . . in lieu of or in addition to the above legislation, the Council recommends that the Convention carefully study the payment of delegates' expenses to the Convention with the thought in mind of reducing Convention travel expenses. The proposed operating budget together with the several recommendations will be referred to the new General Council for approval immediately following the 50th General Convention in September.

3. Recognizing the need for a reorganization of the General Headquarters staff in order to meet the increasing demands on the personnel of that office, a new position to be known as Administrative Secretary was created. The General Council was unanimous in appointing Brother Robert J. Miller, Assistant Executive Secretary for the past three years, to fill this position.

4. A copy of the Walter B. Palmer Foundation Endowment Fund audit for the two-year period ended June 30, 1954 was presented to the members of the General Council for their examination. After considerable discussion, it was decided to ask Brother Minnich, Chairman of the Fund, to give his personal impressions of the two House Corporation delinquencies at the next General Council meeting.

5. Administrative Secretary Miller presented a progress report on the "Lou Gehrig Award." The Council members endorsed wholeheartedly the members who have agreed to serve on the award committee. This committee is under the Chairmanship of Brother George M. Trautman, *Ohio State* '14.

6. A report on the results of the annual examination to determine the occupants of the Founders Room in Old North Hall was presented by Assistant Secretaries Vasholz and Perry. Upon thorough examination of the material, the members of the General Council were unanimous in approving the selection of Edward J. Breda and Carl Engelhardt as the recipients of the award.

7. After presenting the request of College Classics to manufacture a tie bearing the official crest of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, Administrative Secretary Miller was directed to meet with members of the firm personally to examine the work and draw up a preliminary contract to submit for approval to the General Council.

8. A chapter visitation report for the 1953-54 school year was presented by the General Headquarters staff showing that a total of 141 visits were conducted. Every chapter was visited on at least one occasion and 23 of the chapters received two or more visitations.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 P.M. to reconvene at 2:15 P.M. All of the persons previously reported were in attendance.

9. Although no resolutions were passed at this time, considerable thought and discussion were given to the Massachusetts Alpha and Massachusetts

Beta cases as well as to Section 26 of the Constitution and General Statutes. Brother Ward reported that for the sake of efficiency and clarity, a parliamentarian in the person of Brother Mort Frayn, *Washington* '27, Speaker of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, had been appointed to assist in conducting the affairs of the 50th General Convention. It was during this discussion that it was moved by Wilterding and seconded by Herrick that the General Council go on record to the General Convention that the provisions of Title VIII, Section 192 of the Constitution and General Statutes shall be rigidly enforced. Section 192 reads as follows:

"Convention Attendance Required. In the event that a delegate from an active chapter to a General Convention fails to remain in constant attendance at its sessions, or withdraws from the Convention before the final session thereof without first having obtained the consent of the Convention, the amount advanced to him under the Provisions of Section 190 shall be charged to the chapter which he was elected to represent and shall become an obligation to the General Fraternity on the part of that chapter. If the amount so assessed is not paid by the chapter within six months from the date of the Convention, the Executive Secretary shall so report to the General Council for such action as may be deemed advisable."

10. A progress report on the publication of a fraternity *Catalogue* was given at this time. During the course of the general discussion, it was moved by Herrick, seconded by Wright and passed unanimously that three thousand copies of the *Catalogue* be printed with one thousand of this number being bound and the balance being held in flat sheets. The General Council was also unanimous in approving the cost of \$3.50 per copy for the finished product. The *Catalogue* will be published some time this Fall.

11. Having heard with regret the resignation of Brother Roland Galvin as president of Delta Province, it was moved by Wilterding, seconded by Herrick that E. N. "Jim" MacWilliams be named president *pro tempore* of the province for the 50th General Convention.

12. Upon hearing that Brother Edward J. Walz, President of Alpha North Province, would be unable to attend the Convention, the General Council instructed Secretary Miller to contact Brother Walz in the hope that a substitute could be located to represent his Province at Mackinac Island.

13. A thorough discussion was given to the Province Presidents' expenses for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1954. It was noted that with a few exceptions the Province Presidents did a very thorough job of visiting their respective chapters and that at the same time the budget allotment was not exceeded.

14. Considerable study was given to the proposed

budget for the 1954 General Convention. It was during this discussion that Brother Beam was named Convention Secretary and Brother Miller was appointed Convention Manager. The members of the General Council noted with some surprise the comparative expenses for the past eight Conventions and it was noted that the increased cost of transportation along with increased hotel expenses makes it mandatory that General Conventions be held in the mid-West area under our present arrangements. It was further suggested that with a more restricted travel allotment to convention delegates, greater geographical distribution of future conventions would be possible.

15. At this point in the proceedings the following Brothers living in the Chicago area were welcomed to the meeting: Joseph M. Kacena, Charles F. Axelson, Emor Abbott, Charles H. Stevenson, Carl Pfau and Murray Herlihy.

Representatives of the Chicago Alumni Club presented the general picture of the fraternity situation as it appears at the University of Chicago. It was pointed out that the college authorities have been rather insistent upon removing from campus all fraternities whose constitutions contain "selective clauses." In addition, problems of the House Corporation were discussed in detail including various avenues of action open to the corporation in the event that the University of Chicago officials should force the withdrawal of Illinois Beta from the campus.

16. The official program for the 50th General Convention was approved as prepared for the General Council by Secretary Beam.

17. At this point, considerable time was devoted to a complete discussion of the recent suspension of Ohio Alpha by the authorities of Miami University. It was moved by Herrick, seconded by Wright, that the General Council acknowledge the suspension of Ohio Alpha by the authorities of Miami University, and recommended to the Committee on Credentials that Ohio Alpha not be seated at the 50th General Convention due to the fact that the chapter is under suspension by Miami University. The above motion having been passed unanimously, it was moved by Wilterding, seconded by Gardner that the General Council instruct Brother Ward to inform President Millett of the foregoing action and impress him with the desire of the General Council to be included in the reorganization program of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Miami University. Upon reviewing a number of encouraging letters which had been written by the Dean of Men at Miami University to the pledges of Ohio Alpha, it was moved by Wright, seconded by Herrick that Secretary Miller convey to Dean Knox the appreciation of the General Council for the fine series of letters to the Ohio Alpha pledge class.

18. The General Council having been presented with reports concerning unauthorized pledge practices at Oregon Alpha and Florida Alpha, it was moved by Wilterding and seconded by Wright that the Administrative Secretary be instructed to write letters to both of the above-named chapters inform-

ing them that the General Council is aware of violations of Title VII, Section 137 of the Constitution and General Statutes during the past year. The General Council further assumes that corrections have been made but that if violations recur, serious disciplinary action will be mandatory. The General Council further asked that a statement from each of the chapters confirming the discontinuance of physical abuse during pledge training be rendered.

19. Upon hearing a report concerning the improved scholarship of Kansas Beta during the past two years, the members of the General Council asked President Ward to write to the chapter, on their behalf, commending the chapter on such fine improvement.

20. Due to the continued state of poor scholarship at South Dakota Alpha and because of the inability of that chapter to take the necessary steps to insure desirable scholastic conditions, it was directed by the General Council that the University of South Dakota be placed on the priority list for an early chapter visitation during the forthcoming year.

21. Because of widespread confusion during the past year on certain terminology dealing with different types of probation, the General Council wishes to interpret "statutory probation" as meaning that a chapter has been given a warning and will be subject to further disciplinary action unless the situation improves; and that "social probation" is interpreted to mean that the chapter is deprived of all of its normal social activities, with the exception of normal rush functions, during the time that the probation is in effect.

22. Realizing that certain chapter situations should be called to the attention of the General Council to promote the welfare of the Fraternity, it was decided that the Province Presidents should be asked to present themselves at Mackinac Island one day in advance of the Convention for the purpose of reporting on the chapters in their territories. Upon the recommendation of a Province President, the delegate from any given chapter will be asked to meet with the General Council sometime during the four day Convention with the purpose in mind of formulating suggestions for improvement.

23. The General Council reviewed the list of chapter delinquencies prepared by the General Headquarters secretarial staff as of July 22, 1954. After granting leniency in certain cases where letters of explanation have been submitted, the General Headquarters staff was directed to proceed with the collection of all delinquencies in keeping with the provisions of Section 103 under Title V.

24. President Ward presented a very enlightening report on the Edgewater Conference and the State of New York case. It was agreed unanimously that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ should continue to support and participate in the activities of the Edgewater Conference.

25. President Ward and Reporter Herrick combined forces to give a complete and thorough report on the recent New York hearings of the Survey Commission at which representatives of Massachusetts Alpha and Massachusetts Beta were in attend-

ance. Having carefully examined the results of this hearing, the General Council meeting adjourned at 11:30 P.M.

The meeting of the General Council reconvened at 9:30 A.M. on Sunday, July 25 with all members in attendance.

26. A recapitulation of alumni contributions for the fiscal year 1953-54 as prepared by Alumni Secretary Blackwell was presented, indicating that 3,856 alumni members of the Fraternity had contributed a total of \$18,939.79 for an average contribution of \$4.91. This report was enthusiastically received and it was recommended that General Council members Gardner and Herrick, together with Alumni Secretary Blackwell, Alumni Commissioner Claycomb, and Finance Commissioner Cosgrove meet with the Alumni Club Delegates at the forthcoming Convention to discuss ways and means of increasing alumni funds, giving consideration to organizing the solicitation of contributions in a regional manner under the direction of a representative appointed by the General Council.

27. During a general discussion of chapter finances, a plan was presented whereby each undergraduate member would contribute to a permanent building fund which would be held in trust by the General Fraternity. This would insure that each chapter would live up to the spirit of a budgeted building fund and the money not in immediate demand could be loaned to other chapters. It was moved by Wright and seconded by Herrick that the General Council heard with interest the above proposal prepared by the General Headquarters secretariat and that the matter should be referred to Brothers Minnich and Cosgrove for development and presentation at the next Convention.

28. It was moved by Wright and seconded by Wilterding that an appropriate resolution of thanks be prepared and delivered to Brother A. B. McFall for his recent gifts to the David D. Banta Memorial Library of a set of Frank P. Crumit recordings as well as for the copyright and color prints of the Fraternity symbols.

29. The final order of business to come before the General Council was a report by the Editor of THE SCROLL and Palladium, Hayward S. Biggers. It was noted that once again the Banta Publishing Company printed the magazines under the cost plus 10% agreement which resulted in a savings of \$1500 to \$2000. It was moved by Herrick and seconded by Gardner that the contract agreement with the Banta Publishing Company be renewed *in toto*. The above action was taken at this time because the September issue of THE SCROLL must be published before the installation of the new General Council.

There being no further business to be transacted by the General Council, the meeting was declared adjourned at 1:00 P.M., after which the General Council constituted itself the Board of Trustees to transact such legal matters as were before the Fraternity at this time.

30. The Board of Trustees voted unanimously that Willard Allen Gossett, Jr., Kansas Beta, Bond No. 647, be expelled from $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for repeated acts

of conduct unbecoming a Phi as proven by evidence admitted to the Board of Trustees.

31. Upon examination of evidence duly submitted, the Board of Trustees voted unanimously that John Philip O'Neil, Oklahoma Alpha, Bond No. 658, be expelled for conduct unbecoming a Phi.

The meeting was declared adjourned *sine die* at 1:30 P.M. on Sunday, July 25, 1954.

GEORGE S. WARD

President, General Council

ROBERT J. MILLER

Administrative Secretary

**Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Michigan
August 30, 1954**

The meeting was called to order at 3:10 P.M. with President George S. Ward presiding. Also in attendance were John H. Wilterding, Treasurer of the General Council; Barrett Herrick, Reporter of the General Council; Frank S. Wright and Raymond L. Gardner, Members-at-Large of the General Council; Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of THE SCROLL and Palladium; and Robert J. Miller, Administrative Secretary of the Fraternity.

1. It was moved by Wilterding, seconded by Herrick and passed unanimously that in keeping with the policy of recent years, \$5,000 be transferred from the General Fund to the Catalogue and History Fund of the Fraternity.

2. The members of the General Council devoted considerable time to the discussion of the use of the name of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in connection with political and business affairs. The conclusion was reached that the General Council does not sanction the use of the name of the Fraternity for political or personal business gain, but it is in no position to reprimand or prohibit such use. The Council wishes to go on record as being sorry to hear of the recent use of the name of the Fraternity for the above purpose.

3. It was moved by Herrick, seconded by Wright and passed unanimously that the request of the National Schoolcrafters to solicit business from the chapters of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ be tabled.

4. Once again it was moved by Herrick, seconded by Wright and passed unanimously that the request of the Permastay Products, Corp. for the Fraternity's use of their facilities be tabled.

5. The official souvenir Convention Program prepared by the General Headquarters Secretariat was presented to the members of the Council for their perusal. This item was examined with a great amount of interest and it was well received by all of the members.

6. After due consideration, it was moved by Gardner, seconded by Wilterding and passed unanimously, that New Mexico Alpha be removed from probationary status due to the chapter's marked improvement over the past year and the encouraging operating plans which have been developed for the coming academic year.

7. The Council studied the material relevant to the operations of Indiana Gamma at Butler during the past year and it was voted unanimously to place the chapter under an improvement program

which, it is hoped, will bring about a more efficient general operation.

8. A review of all chapters which are under general fraternity probation was presented by the Administrative Secretary. It was voted unanimously that the probation should be lifted from South Dakota Alpha and that the probationary status of Michigan Beta and Arizona Alpha should be lifted at the same time that similar probation is removed by the various college administrations.

9. A condensed report submitted by Brother Harold A. Minnich, Chairman of the Walter B. Palmer Foundation Endowment Fund, was received with interest. The General Council expressed its sincere gratitude to the Trustees of the Fund for the manner in which they have pursued the business of the Fund during the past biennium.

10. A report on *THE SCROLL* and *Palladium* was submitted in person by Brother Hayward S. Biggers, Editor, at this time. It was pointed out that the average cost per copy of *THE SCROLL* during the past year has decreased but that the total number of copies has increased considerably. It would be of interest to point out that the actual per copy cost of *THE SCROLL* during 1953-54 was .1412. A motion was duly made and seconded expressing the thanks of the General Council to Editor Biggers for the excellent job he has done.

11. It was moved by Wright, seconded by Wilterding and passed unanimously that wires of best wishes be sent to the following fraternities in Convention assembled: Sigma Nu, Phi Gamma Delta, Beta Theta Pi, Alpha Tau Omega, Lambda Chi Alpha, Zeta Beta Tau.

There being no further business to be transacted by the General Council, the meeting was declared adjourned at 4:55 P.M. after which the General Council constituted itself the Board of Trustees to transact such legal matters as were before the Fraternity at this time.

12. The Board of Trustees voted unanimously to grant special dispensation for the initiation of Henry Merino, Jr. who was affiliated with Silver Key Fraternity at Texas Technological College prior to its installation into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ as Texas Epsilon.

13. The Board of Trustees voted unanimously to grant special dispensation for the initiation of Howard Irwin, an alumnus of Delta Kappa Phi, prior to its installation as Washington Delta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the College of Puget Sound.

The meeting was declared adjourned *sine die* at 5:00 P.M. on Monday, August 30, 1954.

GEORGE S. WARD
President, General Council
ROBERT J. MILLER
Administrative Secretary

**Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Michigan
September 4, 1954**

The meeting was called to order at 3:45 P.M. by the new President of the General Council, Brother John H. Wilterding. In attendance at this meeting were: Brothers Ray L. Gardner, Paul R. Hawley, Clem E. Bining, and H. L. Stuart, all of whom

were elected to the General Council at the Convention which had just been completed. Also attending this meeting were Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary; Robert J. Miller, Administrative Secretary; Ray E. Blackwell, Alumni Secretary; Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of *THE SCROLL* and *Palladium*; and Marvin J. Perry and Lothar A. Vasholz, Assistant Secretaries.

1. By unanimous agreement, President Wilterding named Brother Gardner, Treasurer and Brother Hawley, Reporter of the General Council.

2. The General Council unanimously reappointed Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of *THE SCROLL* and *Palladium*.

3. By unanimous action of the Council, Brother Donald M. DuShane was reappointed Scholarship Commissioner for the next biennium.

4. Upon motion duly made and seconded, Brother Edward D. Claycomb was reappointed Alumni Commissioner of the Fraternity.

5. The Board acted unanimously upon the appointment of John C. Cosgrove as Finance Commissioner of the Fraternity.

6. Upon motion duly made and seconded, Brother John J. Tigert was reappointed Chairman of the Survey Commission and Brothers Levering Tyson, Dave D. Price, and Francis D. Lyon were appointed to serve with him during the coming two years. The fifth member of the Survey Commission will be appointed at a later date.

7. Upon motion duly made and seconded, Brothers Harold A. Minnich, David A. Gaskill, and Fred M. Bosworth were renamed as Trustees of the Walter B. Palmer Foundation Endowment Fund, the former to continue in his capacity as Chairman of the Trustees.

8. Brother William F. Murray was reappointed to the Chairmanship of the Frank J. R. Mitchell Scroll Endowment Fund and named to serve with him were Brothers William O. Rice and Richard S. Cutler.

9. The Council was unanimous in reappointing Brothers Harry M. Gerlach, Burton L. French, A. Robert McHenry, Jr., and Lee S. McDonald as Trustees of the Arthur R. Priest Fund with Brother Gerlach serving in the capacity as Chairman.

10. to 29. Upon motions duly made and seconded, the following brothers were reappointed Province Presidents, subject to the consent of the chapters in each Province as provided in Section 84 under Title LV of the General Statutes:

Edward A. Knowles—Alpha Province South
William H. Mitchell—Beta Province
Sam P. McKenzie—Epsilon Province
Jack E. Shepman—Zeta Province
H. H. Rogers—Eta Province
J. Murphy Thomas, Jr.—Theta Province
George Banta, III—Iota Province
Robert E. Cross—Kappa Province
Newton C. Fuller—Lambda Province
Clark Bledsoe—Nu Province North
Hobby H. McCall—Nu Province South
Robert R. Downing—Xi Province
John M. Grubb—Omicron Province North

Stanley Brown—Omicron Province South
 Robert Behnke—Pi Province North
 Grant Swan—Pi Province South
 Elden T. Smith—Sigma Province
 Francis W. Pearson—Tau Province
 Robert W. Richardson—Upsilon Province

30. At this point, the Council devoted considerable time to laying the preliminary plans for the installation of the new charters which were granted by the 50th General Convention to petitioning groups from Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana; Kent State University, Kent, Ohio; University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida; and the University of California at Davis. It is hoped that the first three petitioning groups named above can be installed prior to the end of the 1954 year and that the installation at Davis, California can follow shortly after the close of the first semester.

31. Brother George S. Ward, immediate past-president of the General Council, was appointed $\Phi \Delta \Theta$'s official representative to the National Interfraternity Conference House of Delegates.

32. Upon motion duly made and seconded, Brother Stuart was commissioned to search for his successor as President of Gamma Province and report to the General Council as soon as a satisfactory man has been found.

33. Similarly, Brother Bininger was asked to review the situation in Mu Province in the hope of being able to report to the General Council in a short time his recommendation for a President of his former Province.

34. It was moved, seconded and passed unanimously that the biennial chapter payment to the Convention should be established at \$30.00 as is provided for in Section 190 under Title VII of the General Statutes as amended at the 50th General Convention.

35. The General Council voted unanimously to renew the primary position schedule Bond covering the Treasurer of the General Council, the Executive Secretary, the Administrative Secretary and book-keeper in the form as presented by the Stuart Investment Company of Lincoln, Nebraska.

36. The Alumni Secretary, Brother Ray E. Blackwell, was called upon at this time to present his plans for the coming year. The functions and duties of this office were discussed in detail and Brother Blackwell's plans received the unanimous approval of the Council.

There being no further business to transact, the General Council constituted itself the Board of

Trustees to dispose of such matters to come before that body.

37. Upon viewing the evidence as presented, the Board of Trustees voted unanimously to grant a special dispensation to the Mississippi Alpha chapter to initiate J. Breck Cabell, Frank L. Fair, Jr., and Doyle K. Morrow into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Fraternity. The above-named men had previously fulfilled their obligation for pledgeship to the chapter.

The meeting of the Board of Trustees was declared adjourned *sine die* at 6:00 P.M. on Saturday, September 4, 1954.

JOHN H. WILTERDING
President, General Council
 ROBERT J. MILLER
Administrative Secretary

Hotel Lembke, Valparaiso, Indiana
 November 27, 1954

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 A.M. on Saturday, November 27, with Brother John H. Wilterding presiding and with all other Council members in attendance. Those present were Ray L. Gardner, Treasurer; Paul R. Hawley, Reporter; and Clem E. Bininger and Howard L. Stuart, Members-at-Large. Also attending were Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of the Fraternity publications; Ray E. Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, and Robert J. Miller, Administrative Secretary.

1. An opening prayer was offered by Brother Bininger in which he asked for God's blessings upon the deliberations of the General Council members during this meeting. Following the opening prayer, all Brothers in attendance were asked to stand for a moment in silent tribute to the late Barrett Herrick, *Washington '15*, who passed away unexpectedly, Oct. 29, 1954.

2. It was moved by Stuart, seconded by Hawley and passed unanimously that the following memorial minute to Brother Herrick be adopted:

BARRETT HERRICK, *Washington Alpha*, Bond #142

With lasting gratitude for his great love and long service for Phi Delta Theta during all the years of his membership, the General Council mourns the passing to the Chapter Grand on Oct. 29, 1954 of one of her most loyal and consecrated members.

President of two provinces; Alumni Commissioner; Centennial Ways and Means Chairman; Member of the General Council, 1946-54 and for years the moving spirit of the New York Alumni Club, Brother Herrick was ever the exemplar of Fraternity spirit and enthusiasm, living always in the true concept of the teachings of the Bond.

* * * IN COELO QUIES EST * * *

3. After considerable discussion was given to the alumni program as presented by Brother Blackwell, it was moved by Gardner, seconded by Bininger and passed unanimously that the General Council instruct the Alumni Secretary to begin immediately to set up those regional directors required for a satisfactory alumni program.

Reinstatements

By Board of Trustees Action

Pennsylvania Theta

William J. B. Murphy, No. 239

Washington Beta

Ulysses H. Shull, No. 20

4. It was moved by Stuart and seconded by Gardner that the topic for discussion on the occasion of the 1955 Founders Day shall be "In the Bond there is strength."

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 A.M. to be re-opened at the **Drake Hotel in Chicago, Ill. on Sunday, November 28, 1954** at 1:00 P.M. At this time, the meeting was again called to order by Brother Wilterding with all other General Council members in attendance as well as Brothers Biggers and Miller.

5. It was moved by Hawley, seconded by Gardner and duly adopted that the name of the President of the General Council be removed from the list of those persons authorized to sign official Fraternity checks. The action made it unnecessary to discuss the bonding of the President but the Council unanimously approved the bonding of the Assistant Treasurer in the amount of \$10,000.

6. The attention of the General Council was called to a partial list of firms which have been offering merchandise for sale to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chapters in violation of Fraternity regulations. The Administrative Secretary was instructed to write the representatives of these firms as well as other organizations which might violate the ruling from time to time, informing them that the General Council does not sanction the use of Fraternity insignia by other than official suppliers and if the firms in question persist in soliciting business from our chapters, legal action will be necessitated.

7. Following a discussion of the Foreign Student Exchange program under the direction of Brother G. H. Grueninger at DePauw University, the General Council passed unanimously a motion to continue the program during the next biennium. A vote of thanks was also extended by the General Council to Dr. Grueninger for the wonderful work he has done in organizing this program.

8. The attention of the General Council was called to the fact that a vacancy remains on the Survey Commission due to the election of Brother Paul R. Hawley to the General Council. After due consideration, the Council decided that a replacement to the Commission was not indicated at the present time inasmuch as the individual Province Presidents may be called upon by the Commission to report on institutions and petitioning groups which are interested in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The above minute was moved by Hawley, seconded by Gardner and passed unanimously.

9. It was moved by Bininger, seconded by Stuart and passed unanimously that the General Council authorize Brother Donald M. DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner, to place scholastically delinquent chapters on probation without the formality of a mail vote. By the same token, the Scholarship Commissioner is authorized to remove chapters from scholastic probation at his discretion.

10. At this point in the meeting, a lengthy discussion was devoted to a consideration of plans for a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Officer's Conference similar to the one conducted in Oxford, Ohio in August of 1953. After duly weighing the merits of this conclave, it was moved by Stuart, seconded by Gardner and

Expulsions

(Requested by chapters for Conduct Unbecoming a Phi, Financial Delinquencies, etc.)

1953

New York Alpha

Edward P. Holland, No. 584, December

Ohio Beta

J. P. McConnaughey, No. 430, December

Missouri Beta

Stanley S. Gordon, No. 442, December

1954

Colorado Gamma

Arthur T. McGinley, No. 323, April 12

Ronald G. Geisert, No. 326, April 12

John P. Chase, Jr., No. 337, April 12

Illinois Beta

Arrem E. King, No. 659, October

Indiana Gamma

Donad L. Hipes, No. 974, March 2

Frank V. Marsella, No. 944, March 2

Kansas Beta

Charles A. Rittenour, No. 723, February

Maryland Alpha

Walter P. Johnson, Jr., No. 134, July 15

New Mexico Alpha

Anthony L. Drapelick, No. 160, January

North Carolina Gamma

John H. Waldrop, Jr., No. 291, October 4

Ohio Zeta

Brian E. McGough, No. 913, April 26

Oklahoma Alpha

David S. Baugh, No. 669, March 22

Scott D. Nickson, No. 667, April

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Stephen C. Vallender, April

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Frank R. Fischetti, No. 650, May

Pennsylvania Zeta

Clifton Maloney, No. 58, January 5

William B. Kolb, No. 540, January 5

Pennsylvania Theta

Clement A. Andrews, No. 176, December

West Virginia Alpha

William E. Kay, No. 251, December

By Board of Trustees Action

North Carolina Gamma

John J. Partridge, No. 99, January 23

Kansas Beta

Willard A. Gossett, Jr., No. 647, July 25

Oklahoma Alpha

John P. O'Neil, No. 658, July 25

Massachusetts Alpha

Richard W. Northrup, No. 95, December

Utah Alpha

William G. Handy, No. 671

passed unanimously that an Officer's Conference again be conducted during the summer of 1955 at Miami University. The details of this program will be considered at the next General Council meeting but it was decided that all General Officers would be invited to attend the Conference.

11. In discussing the duties of the Alumni Commissioner, it was suggested that the holder of that title, Brother Edward Claycomb, be encouraged to share the ideas and general operating program of the Kansas City alumni club with other clubs across the United States and Canada. A general interchange of ideas between the various alumni organizations was adopted as a policy and the details of the program are to be worked out jointly by the Alumni Commissioner and the Alumni Secretary.

12. The Council members discussed at this time several possible locations of the 1956 Convention although no final action was taken. The Council hopes to arrange for a location somewhere in the Rocky Mountain area or Pacific Northwest if such a location is financially and in other ways feasibly possible. This item will be discussed in greater detail at the next General Council meeting.

13. In order that the forthcoming Directory of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ can be completed with all possible speed, it was suggested that January 1 be set as a deadline for the submission of all current mailing addresses. The Council is hopeful that the Directory under the editorship of Brother William Mitchell will go to press early in 1955.

14. The Council members read with interest the recent resolutions adopted by the Board of Trustees at Ohio Wesleyan University and in compliance with Resolution #2, the Executive Secretary is directed to supply information to the Ohio Wesleyan authorities upon request.

15. It was moved by Hawley, seconded by Stuart and adopted unanimously that the General Council recognizes the responsibility and authority of the Knox College Committee, of which Brothers M. R. Lillie and John Burns are members, by placing Illinois Delta-Zeta on statutory probation until such time as the General Council is convinced that the chapter has corrected all of the deficiencies recently made manifest. The General Council further directs that the chapter put into effect the program outlined by the Knox College Committee and that a copy of the monthly report required by the Committee be submitted by the chapter to General Headquarters.

16. The Council discussed in some detail the functions of Theta Nu Epsilon, commonly known as TNE, on various college campuses across the country. Inasmuch as TNE is an "outlaw" organization and because membership in it tends to destroy morale and work against the best interests of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, the General Council wishes to commend the California Delta chapter as well as other chapters which have taken a decisive stand against Theta Nu Epsilon on their respective campuses.

17. In a thorough discussion of the recent probationary action taken against $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the University of Missouri, Brother Clem E. Bining was

directed to represent the General Council in working with the Mu Province President and the Alumni Trustee Committee of Missouri Alpha.

The meeting was recessed at 3:00 P.M. for lunch to reconvene at 4:00 P.M. with all brothers previously reported in attendance.

18. Upon reading the report of L. Dale Faunce, Dean of Students at the State University of Iowa, concerning disciplinary action taken against the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chapter on that campus, it was moved by Hawley, seconded by Bining and duly passed that the General Council suspend action at this time until all of the facts of the case can be obtained.

19. The Administrative Secretary was called upon by the Council to give a progress report on the reorganization plans of the Ohio Alpha chapter. It was reported that a reorganization program has been instigated by Brother John Millett, President of Miami University. A Faculty Advisory Committee composed of Phis on the faculty and under the leadership of Brother James Gordon has been instigated and this group has already begun working in close harmony with various committees representing the undergraduate Phis.

20. Upon reviewing the facts incidental to the case, it was moved by Gardner, seconded by Stuart and duly passed that Maryland Alpha be removed from General Fraternity probation.

21. Upon motion duly made and seconded, Brother Moreland R. Irby was appointed President of Delta Province subject to the consent of the chapters of that Province as provided in Section 84 under Title IV of the General Statutes.

22. Consideration was given to the appointment of a president of Psi Province, but after discussion the matter was held in abeyance.*

At this point in the proceedings, the meeting was recessed at 6:00 P.M. to reconvene at 7:30 P.M. Assistant Secretary Lothar A. Vasholz was in attendance at this portion of the meeting.

23. It was moved by Gardner, seconded by Bining and adopted unanimously that the budget for the 1954-55 fiscal year be approved as corrected.

24. The request of certain Canadian chapters to be granted special dispensation so that pledges could undergo a training period of less than six weeks was heard with interest. After due deliberation, the Council felt that it could not grant special dispensation to the chapters in question although the reasons relating to the request were offered in good faith.

25. President Wilterding presented all the information relative to the Texas Christian University situation where the University authorities have recently granted permission for various fraternities to colonize. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has participated in the program at TCU and additional information will be forthcoming.

The meeting was recessed at 1:00 A.M. on Monday, November 29 to reconvene at 9:45 A.M. on the same day.

* Later on a mail vote the General Council reappointed Albert P. Diehl President of Phi Province.—Ed.

26. The first order of business during the morning session was a complete discussion of the situation at Williams College. Various alumni representatives of Massachusetts Alpha have reported that they intend to take whatever steps are necessary to bring the chapter into agreement with the Constitution and General Statutes in order that the chapter may survive. Although the charter of this chapter remains in suspension, the alumni are hopeful that they will be in a position to request re-instatement prior to the close of the present school year.

27. Correspondence with Brother Charles F. Lamkin, P.P.G.C., relative to the writing of a Fraternity History from 1924-1954 was discussed thoroughly and it was the consensus of the General Council that the Fraternity is in no position at this time to undertake such a project.

There being no further business to be transacted by the General Council, the members thereof constituted themselves the Board of Trustees to transact such legal matters as were before the Fraternity at this time.

28. Upon viewing the evidence as presented, the Board of Trustees voted unanimously to grant a special dispensation to the Washington Delta chapter to initiate Robert J. Hill, an alumnus of Delta Kappa Phi, prior to its installation into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

29. The Board of Trustees, having viewed all of the data relative to the case, voted unanimously to

re-instate William C. Crawford into Georgia Beta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The above action was taken under the terms of Section 179 under Title VII of the General Statutes.

30. The members of the Board of Trustees were unanimous in their action to grant permission to the Colorado Alpha chapter to initiate Thomas G. Dillingham, Sr., who was initiated into Kappa Iota Pi at Valparaiso University on Dec. 8, 1921. Kappa Iota Pi has since been installed as the Indiana Iota chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and Mr. Dillingham has met all of the requirements for initiation.

31. After carefully considering all of the evidence presented, the Board of Trustees voted unanimously to expel from the Fraternity for conduct unbecoming a Phi, Richard W. Northup of Massachusetts Alpha.

32. It was moved by Gardner, seconded by Hawley and passed unanimously that the \$5 allotment of each initiation fee which has heretofore been appropriated to the Contingency Fund be diverted to the Walter B. Palmer Endowment Fund retroactive to July 1, 1954.

Following a word of benediction by Bro. Clem E. Bininger, the meeting of the Board of Trustees was declared adjourned *sine die* at 1:00 P.M. on Monday, Nov. 29, 1954.

JOHN H. WILTERDING, *President*

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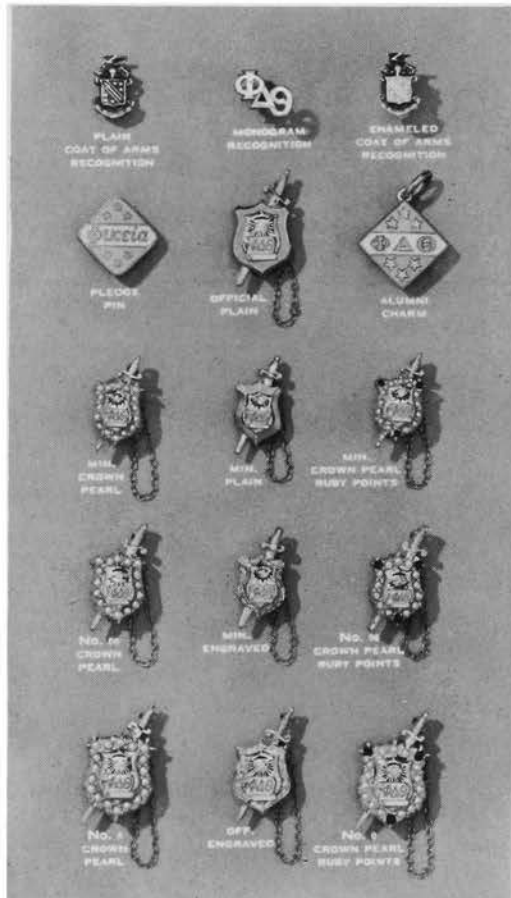
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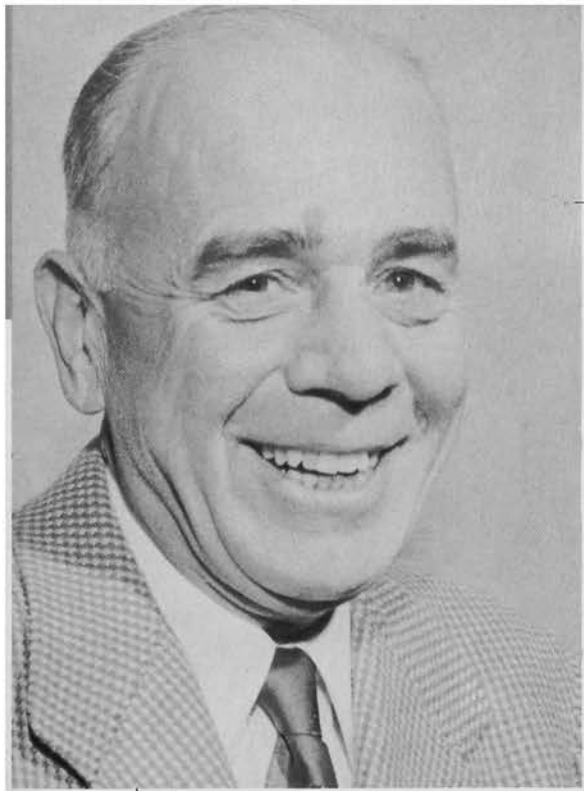
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Five fraternity-minded Phis of Texas Delta, holders of the most important student leadership positions at S.M.U., pause in their reading of *Banta's Greek Exchange* for a picture. Shown are Phikeia Charles Eby (kneeling), and Brothers Charles Logan, Dick Davis, Pat Thomas (standing), and Ivan Irwin, presidents of the freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior classes, and the Student Council, respectively.



BROTHER GARDNER



*Memo to Stockholders
in Phi Delta Theta:*

Let's Help Build Our Dividends!

By RAY GARDNER, *Washington '18*
Treasurer of the General Council



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AT VALPARAISO

President Bill Brown receives charter for Indiana Iota from J. H. Wilterding, President of the General Council. Ray Gardner of the G.C. looks on.



AT KENT STATE

Ohio Lambda is installed as President Cliff Whisler takes charter from Dr. Paul R. Hawley, R.G.C. At left is Alumni Commissioner Ray Blackwell.

Indiana Iota, Ohio Lambda, Florida Delta

117. Indiana Iota Valparaiso University

By JACK KOEPKE, Reporter

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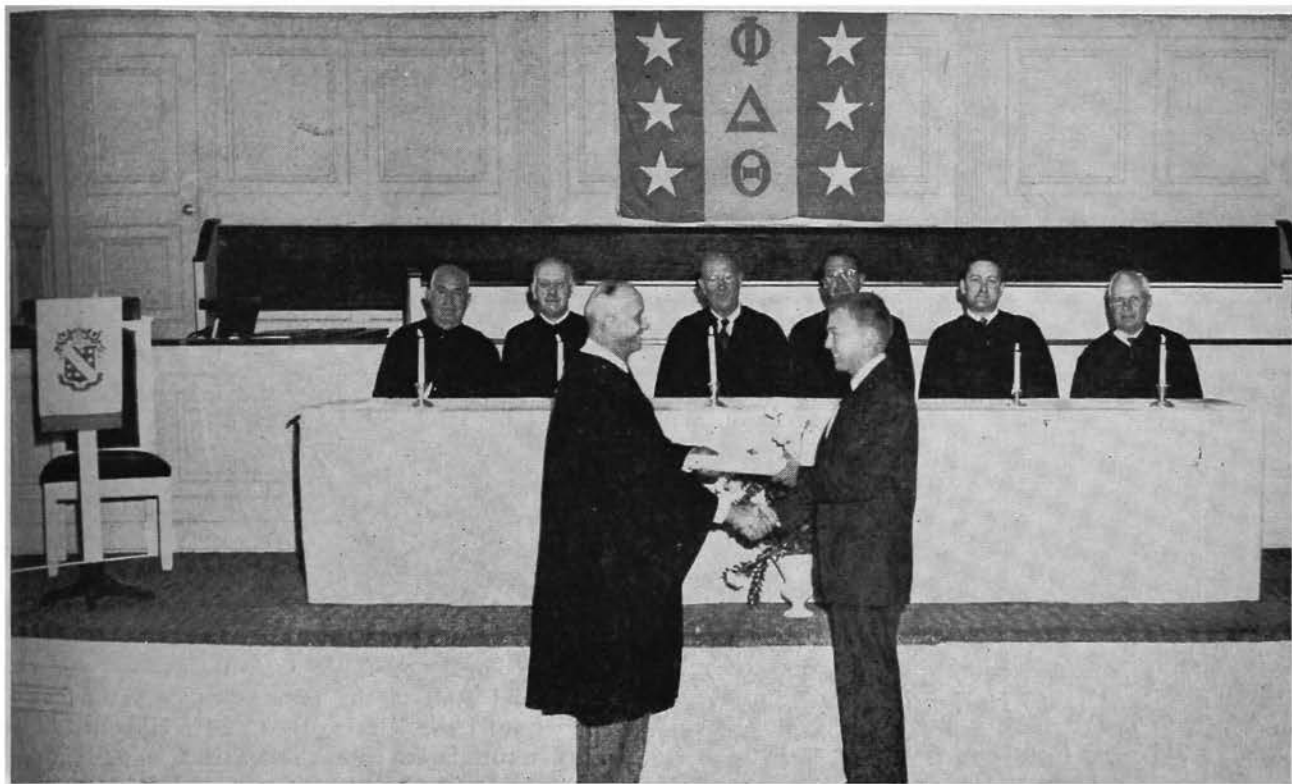
THREE NEW CHAPTERS were added to the Fraternity's roll in late November and early December. Indiana Iota at Valparaiso University was installed the weekend of November 26-27; Ohio Lambda at Kent State and Florida Delta at the University of Miami were installed simultaneously the weekend of December 10-11. Thus three of the four charters granted by the 50th General Convention are now operating in its in Phi Delta Theta.

The fourth new charter granted by the Convention—to Calpha at the University of California at Davis—will be presented the weekend of March 25-26, adding California Epsilon to the roster.

KAPPA IOTA PI, a 35-year-old local fraternity at Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana, became the 117th chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ during initiation and installation ceremonies the weekend of November 26-27. The new charter was one of four granted at the 50th General Convention in September.

Because a General Council meeting was scheduled to be held in connection with the event, all members of the Fraternity's governing body were present as the new chapter—Indiana Iota on the Fraternity's active roll—was brought into existence. Assisting Brothers President J. H. Wilterding, Ray L. Gardner, Dr. Paul R. Hawley, Dr. Clem E. Binger, and H. L. Stuart were Hayward Biggers, editor of Fraternity publications; Robert Miller, Administrative Secretary; Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secre-

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AT UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

Florida Delta chapter becomes a reality as President J. H. Wilterding hands charter to Dave Montgomery. In background the installing team (l to r): Dean Hoffman, P.P.G.C.; Howard L. Stuart of G.C.; Dr. John Tigert, P.P.G.C.; Frank S. Wright, formerly of G.C.; Sam McKenzie, President of Epsilon Province; John Cosgrove, Finance Commissioner.

hapters Added to Phi Delta Theta Roster

118. Ohio Lambda Kent State University

By RICHARD BAUN, Reporter

PHI DELTA THETA has its first Lambda chapter in the history of the Fraternity. As might be expected, it is located in Ohio. The chapter was granted by the 50th General Convention in September.

Ohio Lambda was installed at Kent State University on Dec. 11, 1954, in services at the Congregational Church. The charter was presented to Chapter President Cliff Whisler by Dr. Paul R. Hawley, Reporter of the General Council.

The day before, active members and alumni of Phi Gamma Theta local fraternity were initiated into the brotherhood at the Elks club in Kent. Thirty-six men signed the Bond during the initiation conducted by visiting officers of the Fraternity: Drs. Paul R. Hawley and Clem E. Bininger, representing the General Council;

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119. Florida Delta University of Miami

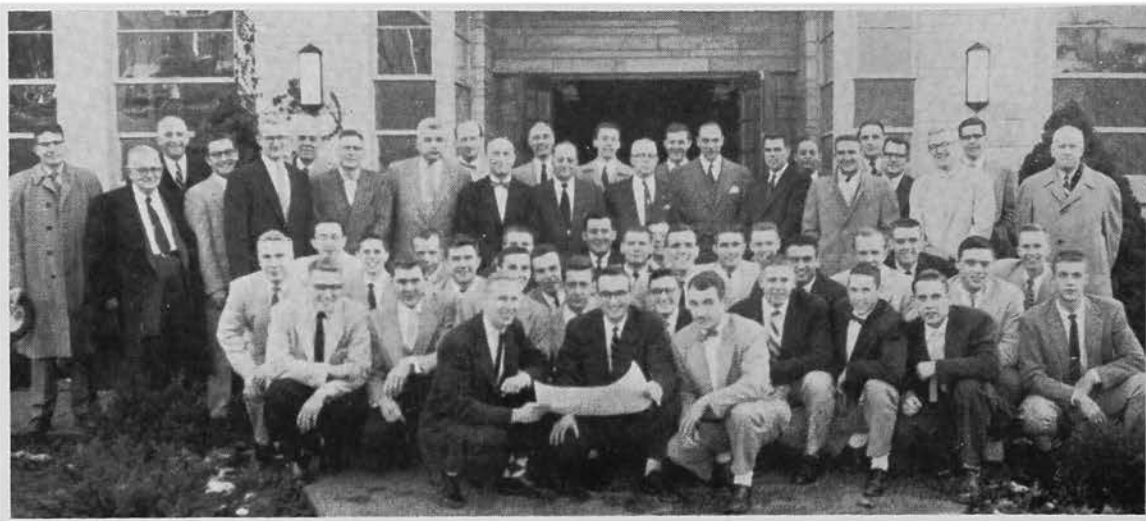
By DEAN HOFFMAN, P.P.G.C.

AFTER four days of indoctrination, initiation and installation, December 8, 9, 10, and 11, the Phi Delta "colony" at the University of Miami at Coral Gables, Florida, became Florida Delta and the 119th chapter of Phi Delta Theta.

The new Phi Delts included 35 undergraduates and 22 alumni, including the president of the Miami Chamber of Commerce, the publisher of the *Miami News* and president of the Miami University Trustees, and a top executive of Pan-American Air Lines.

Notable at the initiation ceremony was the pinning of his son Walter by Dr. Walter Jones, Emory '15, and also Judson Hill, at whose birth Dr. Jones presided. H. H. Woodsmall, Franklin '98, used his own badge to "pin" his nephew, Harry, an undergraduate. As the younger men

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NEW CHAPTER, ALUMNI, AND VISITORS AT INDIANA IOTA INSTALLATION

Indiana Iota

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tary, and Robert Cross, Kappa Province head.

Founder Initiated. Kappa Iota Pi was founded Nov. 10, 1919, as a local fraternity at Valparaiso by J. Clinn Ellyson, who was accorded the honor of signing the new Indiana

Iota Bond Roll at the number one position. For 35 years the Kips worked and maintained unity in correlation with scholarship, friendship, leadership and Christianity to establish themselves as gentlemen in the eyes of the Valparaiso University family. The fraternity bought a house in 1921, and in 1937, burned the mortgage.

At the same time the fraternity established a building fund toward the day when a new house might be constructed on the new East campus of the University. It now contains a reserve of nearly \$12,000. Being ever progressive and striving always to be leaders, the Kips filed a petition with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in 1953. Much work ensued from this endeavor, but it resulted in the favorable action of the recent Convention.

Seventy-two Sign Bond. Initiation of Kips as Phis began early in the morning of November 26 at the chapter house. All officers in attendance participated in the ceremonies, with Brothers Wilterding and Biggers filling the roles of President and Warden, respectively. By late afternoon 42 members of the undergraduate chapter and some twenty alumni had signed the Bond. In the latter stages of each act of the initiation undergraduate officers were brought into active service, and as a result,

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VALPARAISO HIGHLIGHTS

AT LEFT, TOP: Indiana Iota installing team—J. H. Wilterding, Ray Gardner, Dr. C. E. Bininger, H. L. Stuart, all of the General Council; H. S. Biggers, editor of THE SCROLL; Dr. P. R. Hawley, General Council, and Robert Cross, Kappa Province President. CENTER: Scene at the Installation Banquet. BOTTOM: Group of prominent alumni, former members of Kappa Iota Pi, who were initiated.

FIRST LAMBDA CHAPTER INSTALLED

RIGHT, TOP: This team had the honor of installing Fraternity's first Lambda chapter. In background, Dr. Paul R. Hawley, installing officer. Others, left to right: Paul Shafer, Franklin-Case '19; Robert Coe, Ohio '40; Dr. Clem E. Bininger of G.C.; H. S. Biggers, Editor of THE SCROLL; Maurice McGuire, President of Ohio Epsilon chapter at Case; Dr. Elden Smith, President of Sigma Province. CENTER: Scene at luncheon preceding installation ceremony. BOTTOM: The Ohio Epsilon Chorus, directed by Shelby Davis (second row, at right), sang several Phi songs to contribute greatly to installation service.



Ohio Lambda

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Hayward S. Biggers, editor of THE SCROLL; Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, and Dr. Elden Smith, President of Sigma Province. They were assisted by two Phis in residence in Kent: Hugo E. Birkner, Nebraska '10, and Robert Coe, Ohio '40.

Friday evening the Installation Banquet was held in the Kent State Student Union. Cliff Whisler acted as toastmaster for the evening.

Speeches were given by Paul C. Kitchin, faculty adviser to Ohio Lambda; Dr. George A. Bowman, Σ N, President of Kent State University; Dr. Glen T. Nygreen, Σ A E, Dean of Men; and the two representatives of General Council, Brothers Hawley and Bininger.

The banquet was attended by Phis from Ohio Epsilon, Ohio Eta and Ohio Kappa, in addition to alumni from Akron, Kent and Ravenna.

Installation services were held at 1:00 P.M. the following day, with General Hawley serving

as chief installing officer. Others on the installation team included Brothers Bininger, Biggers, Blackwell, Smith, Coe, Paul Shafer, Franklin-

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OHIO LAMBDA CHAPTER IMMEDIATELY AFTER GETTING CHARTER





NOTABLES

LEFT: Administrative Secretary Bob Miller talking to Adam G. (Lep) Adams, Vanderbilt '04, at Florida Delta installation. Brother Adams is one of six brothers, three uncles, one cousin, and six nephews in his family to become members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ during the past thirty years. CENTER: Bill Brown, new president of Indiana Iota chapter, with J. Clinn Ellyson (left), founder of Kappa Iota Pi. Brother Ellyson was accorded the honor of signing the Bond as Number One. RIGHT: H. H. Woodsmall, Sr., Indiana '94, puts the pin on his nephew Harry as part of Florida Delta ceremony. It is the same badge that Brother Woodsmall pinned on his son thirty years ago.

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the chapter was ready on Sunday to conduct its own initiation for several more alumni who were unable to be present on Friday. In all, a total of 72 former Kips were initiated.

In the evening an informal smoker was held at the house and the following noon the under-

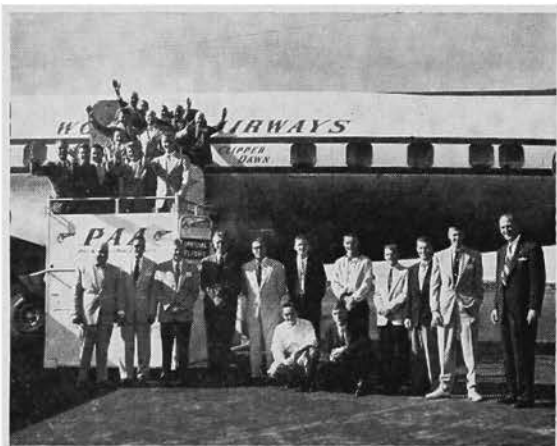
graduates entertained at a luncheon at the University Cafeteria.

Installation of the new chapter took place Saturday afternoon in a lovely setting in one of the University buildings. President John Wilterding presided, assisted by an installing team composed of Brothers Gardner, Bininger, Hawley, Stuart, Biggers, and Cross, and Miller, as Warden. Following an impressive extemporaneous talk by Dr. Hawley, President Wilterding presented the charter to William Brown, president, and Indiana Iota became a reality.

That evening at the Hotel Lembke in Valparaiso a banquet was held for all those participating in the weekend ceremonies plus a number of Phi alumni in the Valparaiso area. James S. Savage, a professor in the School of Law, an old Kip and a new Phi, was the toastmaster. Dr. Walter E. Bauer, Dean of the College of Arts and Science and of the Faculty, gave a hearty welcome to the new chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on behalf of the University.

Speaking for the Fraternity were Treasurer Ray Gardner and President Wilterding and both gave talks that will be remembered by the group for a long, long time. President Bill Brown expressed the sentiments of all the newly initiated men when he stated that "it is an honor and privilege to be associated with all our brothers in the Bond throughout the United States and Canada."

Following the banquet most officers of the Fraternity left at once for Chicago for a two-day General Council meeting. Left behind to assist the chapter in the Sunday initiation were Ray Blackwell and Lothar Vasholz, Assistant Secretary, who had arrived Saturday afternoon in time for the installation ceremony.



PHIS FLY HIGH

Some fifty students and businessmen taking part in installation of Florida Delta gather for chartered flight aboard Pan American World Airways Clipper at Miami International airport. The Ned Dreschers, father and son, standing at extreme right hosted the novel sight-seeing trip over Southern Florida. Brother Drescher is manager of PAA's Latin American Division. This was undoubtedly the first airplane flight to be a part of a chapter installation program.

MIAMI MIXERS

AT RIGHT, TOP: Florida Delta luncheon scene. At head table (l. to r.): President Wilterding, Dr. James Goddard, Vice-President of University; Dr. Tigert, Bob Blue, Ohio State '27; Dr. C. Doren Tharp, Secretary of University; H. L. Stuart, Kaye Don Lewis, President of Florida Alpha chapter; Administrative Secretary Bob Miller. BOTTOM: A happy group at the Florida Delta installation smoker.

Florida Delta

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were initiated they put the badge on some of the older alumni, some of them their own fathers. Bill Vaught, of the class of '52 and Florida Delta's faculty adviser was pinned with the badge of his father, a member of Texas Gamma.

Former member of the General Council, Frank Sumner Wright, "major-domoed" the program with able assistance from Dr. William Deam, Denison '36, a member of the University faculty and chapter adviser, and other members of the Miami Alumni Club which had backed the new chapter project from the start.

Assisting in the four-day ceremony were President J. H. Wilterding and Member-at-Large H. L. Stuart of the General Council; Bob Miller, Administrative Secretary; John C. Cosgrove, Finance Commissioner; Dr. John J. Tigert of Gainesville, P.P.G.C.; Dean Hoffman P.P.G.C., of St. Petersburg, and Sam P. McKenzie, Atlanta, Georgia, President of Epsilon Province.

Brothers Wright and Deam started the pro-



gram with indoctrination sessions at the Wesley Foundation Center on the campus, officers of the Fraternity acting as "faculty" members. Each day a luncheon was held at the Colony. At

FLORIDA DELTA, ALUMNI, AND VISITORS FOLLOWING INSTALLATION



one representatives of campus fraternities were honor guests. The talk was by Brother Hoffman on loyalty of fraternity men to their University, the fraternity system, and their own fraternity. At another luncheon, with faculty representatives as guests, Brother Tigert discussed scholarship.

The initiation ceremonies were conducted in the American Legion hall at afternoon and night sessions. The formal installation's impressiveness was heightened by the beauty of the University Baptist church in which it was conducted. The auditorium was filled with Greek letter men and their friends. President Wilterding was installing officer and his team consisted of Brothers Hoffman, Stuart, Tigert, Wright, McKenzie, and Cosgrove.

The program ended on a high note at a dinner dance on the roof of the Biscayne Terrace Hotel. Brother McKenzie was toastmaster and Brother Wilterding made the principal address. Dr. Marvin Flannery, *South Dakota '26*, presented a scholarship cup for chapter competition.

Officers and members of the Miami Club proved themselves a vigorous, loyal group. One of them, Dr. Parke G. Smith, *Miami '14* was host at his home at an elaborate buffet supper served on the lawn. Another side-feature of the installation was a plane trip over the Florida Keys arranged by officials of the Pan-American Lines.

Officers of the Miami Club which fostered the 119th chapter are Frank Sumner Wright, President; Dr. Marvin G. Flannery, Vice-president; Henry E. B. Kurtz, Treasurer; William J. Booher, Secretary, and F. Boice Miller, L. G. Wright, Robert E. Kurtz, William J. Hartnett and Charles A. Kimbrell, Directors.

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Case '19, and Maurice McGuire, President of Ohio Epsilon chapter. Dr. Bininger spoke briefly and the beautiful ceremony was made even more impressive by the singing of the Ohio Epsilon Chorus under the direction of Shelby Davis, *Akron '50*.

Following the installation services a reception was held at the Student Union. The reception was sponsored by the Ohio Lambda Mothers' Club. In attendance were members of the K.S.U. faculty, parents, and representatives of fraternities and sororities on the Kent campus.

An installation dance was held Saturday evening at the American Legion hall in Ravenna, Ohio. This from many chapters and their dates were the guests of Ohio Lambda.

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Phi Gamma Theta, the local which is now Ohio Lambda of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was founded in the Spring of 1947 by seventeen men who were interested in forming a close, well-knit group of the highest quality and ability. A year later the group was recognized by the Kent Interfraternity Council.

In 1952 Phi Gamma Theta submitted a petition to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and Gen. Paul R. Hawley, representing the Survey Commission made an inspection in August of that year. As a result of his report, the Commission gave approval to both the University and the petitioning group. Shortly thereafter the fraternity purchased its own home at 320 E. College St., and transformed it into one of the best fraternity houses on campus.

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Coming Up in THE SCROLL

Appropriately, the May issue of THE SCROLL will feature a story about "Chick" Evans, *Northwestern '13*, great amateur golfer who has added further lustre to his name through his Scholarship Foundation for caddies. John M. Willem, *Lawrence '31*, wrote the story after several interviews with Chick. There'll be an article on Jim Gardner, *L.S.U. '44*, 30-year-old Mayor of Shreveport, Louisiana, and Scholarship Commissioner Don DuShane will present his report for 1953-54. We show improvement, but there's room for more. Hit those books, you men of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$! Help your chapter top the all-men's average.

The May number will also feature the 1955 Founders Day observances. Chapter Reporters and Alumni Club Secretaries are referred to note on page 344.

Travels of A Diplomatic Courier

**Phi Allen Wood Covered 500,000
Miles Throughout World During
Three Years in Diplomatic Service**

By **BOB ENSMINGER, Centre '43***

THERE IS A young Kentuckian who has probably seen more of the world during the last three years than any other Kentuckian in a lifetime. He is Brother Allen West Wood, *Centre-Kentucky* '45; *Emory* '51, of Lexington, Kentucky, who was for three years a diplomatic courier with the U. S. State Department. Brother Wood's job took him more than 500,000 miles—the equivalent of more than twenty times around the world—and into nearly every country in the world. Most of his travel was by plane.

Courier Wood delivered messages of highly classified nature to capitals and other important cities throughout the world. He has been to such far-flung places as India, Siam, Iceland, Argentina and Morocco. He has been in Moscow many times, and as late as this past spring.

Brother Wood said the U. S. State Depart-



HE GOT AROUND

Brother Allen Wood, whose job as a U. S. diplomatic courier are described in these pages, pictured before the Kremlin, Soviet Union capitol, a fortress with several churches inside the walls (see spires).

ment won't send its diplomatic couriers alone to Russia or other Iron Curtain countries but always sends them in pairs. Allen and his companion courier usually met in Helsinki, Finland, and flew to Moscow by way of the Russian airline, Aeroflot.

During his stays in Moscow the young Phi spent considerable time seeing the sights and observing the Russian people at work and play. He said the Russians are a hard working people with generally low pay for long hours of work—the wants of the Soviet citizens must be sacrificed in order to finance their military might.

Much the same situation existed in other Iron Curtain countries, Allen Wood reported. He found the lowest standard of living in Europe behind the Iron Curtain and the highest standard in the Scandinavian countries. "There were poor clothes, poor food, and few automobiles in Iron Curtain countries," he explained.

The Kentuckian visited the tomb of Lenin and Stalin and saw them lying in "state of preservation" inside the mausoleum building.

* Most of the information in this article about Brother Allen West Wood was taken from a story which appeared in the magazine section of the *Louisville Courier-Journal* on Sunday, Oct. 31, 1954. The author of the article, Brother Bob Ensminger, *Centre* '43, has been publicity director at Centre College in Danville, Kentucky, since 1948 and Centre alumni secretary since 1950.



ALLEN WOOD, Centre-Ky. '45; Emory '51

He has now completed his three-year tour of duty in the Foreign Service of the United States.



BANGKOK

In this city in Thailand, Allen Wood came across some Buddhist student priests. He went all over the world delivering state messages.



BETHLEHEM

Here you see the road Jesus traveled into Bethlehem from Jerusalem, another in Allen Wood's collection of foreign travel photos.



Moscow

Gorky Park: Another photo by Brother Wood depicts part of Moscow's recreational life. "Glory to the Fatherland," says the large sign behind the children skating in the park.



BUDAPEST

Brother Wood is on a hill in Buda. Beyond the Danube River, which splits the Hungarian capital, is Pest and the Parliament Building.

He was amazed at the size of the daily throngs there.

Allen found that among the Russians main entertainments are the ballet, European football (soccer), ice skating, skiing, and basketball. The round-ball sport is enjoying tremendous popularity, he said.

As for Russian food, he found that a favorite dish is borsch, a thick soup with meat, cabbage, and sour cream.

Surprised at the huskiness of Russian women, Allen thought it is caused chiefly by the hard work and athletics engaged in by most of the women there. "Russian men think American women are too puny," he said.

Russian newspapers finally admitted "in small type at the bottom of the page" that Russia did not win the last Olympics, Brother Wood says, but they are so anxious to win the 1956 Olympics that vast athletic training programs are now under way to bring about this goal.

Allen was surprised at the Russian attitude toward drunkenness. He saw public sobering-up stations to help those who drank too much vodka.

While in the Soviet Union, Allen stayed at Russian hotels or with embassy personnel. He has a large collection of color slides* that he took in Moscow. The Soviet Foreign Office has given the American Embassy a note in the Russian language permitting American diplomats to take pictures, provided they are not of a military or communications nature. Allen said that he was always sure that he had a copy of the

* All of the travel photos shown with this article are reproduced from Brother Wood's collection of Kodachromes.



MOSCOW

House of Columns: Important Russians lie in state here after death. Stalin lay here before being moved to the Lenin-Stalin Mausoleum.



TANGIER

Wood is pictured enjoying a soft drink with a native in the international city seaport. He had a friend make this photograph for him.

memo in his pocket before going out to take pictures.

There are only sixty American diplomatic couriers throughout the world, these jobs being among the most sought after in the federal service. Among the qualifications which a diplomatic courier candidate must have are: he must be a college graduate able to pass a written foreign service examination given for couriers, he must be a single male in his twenties who can type and drive, and he must be able to pass a rigid physical examination. The life of a diplomatic courier is not always pleasant. Irregular hours, flying on some "shaky" airlines, and changing foods, climates, and customs can often keep a diplomatic courier's morale from being the best. A courier must enjoy flying, or he will be very unhappy. During his three years in the diplomatic courier corps, Allen Wood says that only two couriers were killed in crashes, which is quite a good record when considering the number of hours spent in planes. Yet with all of its draw-backs, Allen still maintains that the job of diplomatic courier is the best and most educational job a boy graduating from college can have.

Brother Wood came to Centre College in Danville, Kentucky, at a very young age, and it was at Centre that he was pledged and initiated into Phi Delta Theta. He became interested in foreign countries and languages when he studied as a freshman under Dr. J. Proctor Knott, head of the Centre foreign language department and nephew of the late ex-Governor of Kentucky of the same name.

After a time in the Navy, Brother Wood attended the University of Kentucky, Indiana

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VIENNA

Brother Wood snapped the Russian headquarters entrance of Hofburg Castle in the Austrian capital. On the large star, which is red in color, is a picture of Stalin.



ANKARA

In this Turkish city is the new Ataturk Memorial Building containing the entombed body of Kemal Ataturk, creator of modern Turkey.



JAY BARRINGTON, Wash.-Idaho '50
Mr. Television in Kansas City has an
infectious smile.

IN Greater Kansas City the infectious smile of Jay Barrington, Washington-Idaho '50, has made him "Mr. Television" to two million people in a four-state area.

On July 1, 1950, Brother Barrington came to WDAF-TV (Channel 4—100,000 watts) to broadcast baseball games for the old Kansas City "Blues," Yankee farm club in the American Association. That fall he moved into a heavy Big Seven football schedule, and has remained as Sports Director for WDAF-Radio and WDAF-TV, sister stations of the Kansas City *Star* and the "Heart of America," NBC outlets.

BARRINGTON CALLS IT

In 1954 Sportscaster Barrington determined Big 7 representative in NCAA basketball playoffs in draw from hat when Colorado and Kansas ended season in tie. He drew Colorado and Dr. Forrest (Phog) Allen (right) of Kansas congratulates Colorado's Wm. C. (Kayo) Lam on the luck of the draw.



"Mr. TV in KC"

By DR. CLEM E. BININGER, Centre '31

A versatile double-threat man in both radio and TV, Brother Barrington was recently made Program Director for WDAF-TV in addition to his duties as Sports Director. On top of five or six sports programs on radio and TV daily, he is now in charge of all announcers, directors, co-ordinators, production men, and all talent programs that originate from the television station.*

In addition to his sports shows, Barrington handles the commercials on "Ellery Queen," "The Life of Riley," and the "Liars Club." He has just started doing the "TV Teen Town" program on Saturday afternoons, which is an hour show devoted to teen-age activities. On the sports quiz show, "Win, Lose, or Draw," for which Jay is master of ceremonies, a procession of celebrities have included basketball mentors "Phog" Allen, Kansas; Jack Gardner, Utah; "Hank" Iba, Oklahoma A & M; "Bebe" Lee, Colorado; "Bucky" O'Connor, Iowa; "Baron" Rupp, Kentucky; and "Sparky" Stalcup of Missouri. Big League baseball has been represented by "Hank" Bauer, Walker Cooper, and "Dizzy" Dean, while football has featured Coaches Don Faurot, Missouri; "Chuck" Mather, Kansas; "Bud" Wilkinson, Oklahoma, and last but not least, Brother "Stu" Holcombe, Ohio State '32, of Purdue.

One of Barrington's greatest thrills came in 1953 when he interviewed the basketball coach of his alma mater, the University of Washington—Brother "Tippy" Dye, Ohio State '37, former Buckeye football and basketball great.

Jay Barrington early showed his many talents in Roosevelt High of Seattle, Washington, where he led a dance band and was chosen Yell King. After three years in the U. S. Coast Guard, he entered the University of Washington and, as president of his pledge class, made the Pep Club and the Malamutes, a service club. Transferring to the University of Idaho in 1947, he was active in Idaho Alpha and led the nationally famous Idaho Pep Band while working at KUOI, the campus radio station.

Sensing his future in broadcasting, Brother
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* One bit of talent under his charge is Brother Clem E. Bininger, Centre '31, General Council Member, who does a weekly "Religion Views the News" telecast for the Greater Kansas City Council of Churches.



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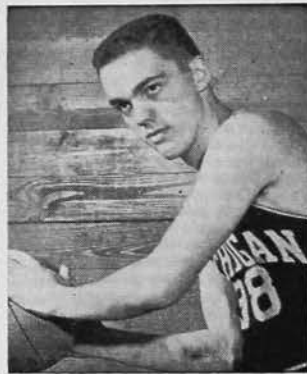
MED PARK
Missouri



DEAN PARSONS
Washington



TEX WHITMAN
Oregon State



TOM JORGENSEN
Michigan

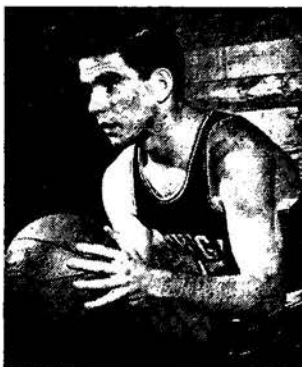
Name 1954-55 All-Phi Basketball Teams

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., *Washburn*, '38, Secretary of All-Phi Board

FOUR of the five members of the 1954-55 All-Phi basketball team are the unanimous choice of the SCROLL's Board of Experts. They are seniors Med Park, Missouri; Dean Parsons, Washington; Dennis Blind, Purdue; and a Michigan junior, Tom Jorgenson. Tex Whitman from Oregon State's Northern Division champions of the Pacific Coast won the final honorary berth in a close contest with two Southwest stars, Ince of Texas Tech, and Barnes of S.M.U.

Dean Parsons, Washington's 6'8" center is an All-Phi repeater from last year. He ranks among the top three scorers in the No. Div. of the P.C.C. with an 18-point average and he has been named to the All North Division team the past two seasons.

The guard selections are Dennis Blind, Pur-



JIM BARRON, *Michigan*
Brilliant All-Phi guard was shelved early in season by serious knee injury.

due senior, and Tom Jorgenson, Michigan junior. Blind is a familiar figure to SCROLL readers as he was named All-Phi as a sophomore, made the second team last year, and was a solid choice this year. He ranks high among Big Ten Conference scorers with a 16-point average per game. Last year he was named Purdue's "Most Valuable Player" in the Chicago Tribune Trophy Award. Late in February the Seventh Annual United Press Little All-American, consisting of those mighty mites no more than 5'10", was named and Dennis Blind was selected

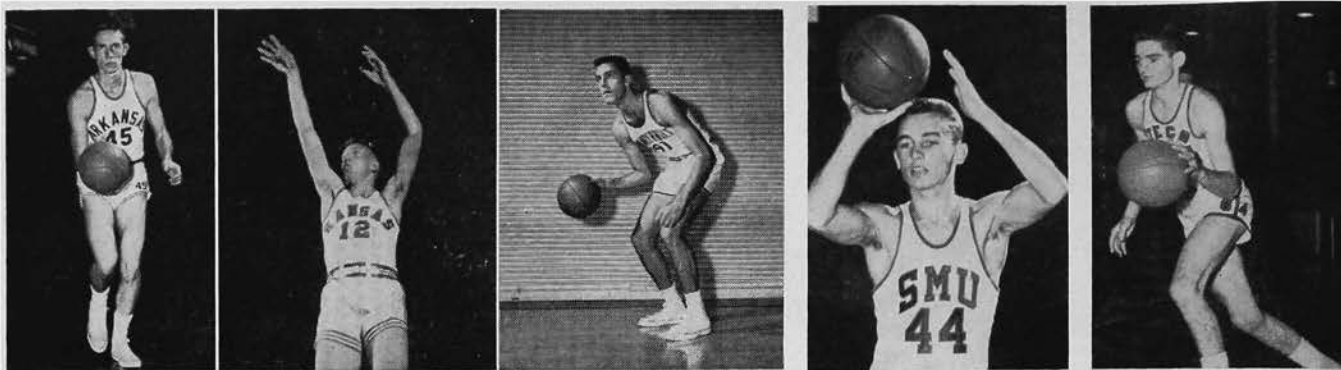
on the first five.

Jorgenson was a regular Michigan forward in the pre-season play. Just before the conference race opened All-Phi guard Jim Barron, the Wolverines' leading scorer, received a severe

THE SCROLL'S ALL-PHI BASKETBALL BOARD OF EXPERTS

The 1954-55 All-Phi basketball teams were selected by the panel of authorities pictured below. They are, left to right: HOWARD HOBSON, Oregon '26, head basketball coach at Yale; WILBUR JOHNS, U.C.L.A. '25, Director of Athletics at U.C.L.A. after many years as head basketball coach; OMAR (BUD) BROWNING, Oklahoma '35, coach of the Phillips 66 Oilers and of the 1948 American Olympic basketball team; DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., *Washburn* '38, SCROLL sports expert and Secretary of the Board; and WILLIAM (TIPPY) DYE, Ohio State '37, head basketball coach at the University of Washington.





1954-55 All-Phi Basketball Teams

VARSITY

Pos.	Name	College	Pts.	Class	Ht.
F	Med Park,	Missouri	25	Sr.	6'3"
F	Tex Whitman,	Oregon State	19	Sr.	6'6"
C	Dean Parsons,*	Washington	25	Sr.	6'8"
G	Dennis Blind,*	Purdue	25	Sr.	5'10"
G	Tom Jorgenson,	Michigan	25	Jr.	6'0"

SECOND TEAM

F	Gene Elstun,	Kansas	15	Soph.	6'3"
F	Norman Smith,	Arkansas	13	Sr.	6'4"
C	Charles Harrison,	Vanderbilt	11	Jr.	6'7"
G	Carl Ince,*	Texas Tech.	14	Sr.	5'10"
G	Art Barnes,	S.M.U.	15	Sr.	6'0"

THIRD TEAM

F	Frank Patterson,	Colgate	9	Sr.	6'1"
F	Phil Wheeler,	Cincinnati	7	Jr.	6'4"
C	Ted Dunn,	Purdue	6	Sr.	6'5"
G	Jack Nichols,	Colgate	7	Soph.	6'4"
G	Tommy Mixon,	Mercer	5	Sr.	6'0"

SPECIAL MENTION

Bill Lange and Bob McDonald, Wyoming; Stan Frahm, Iowa State; Bob Popp, Brown; Jim Barron,* Michigan; John Parker, Kansas.

* All Phi prior to 1955

ALL-PHI SECOND TEAM: Norman Smith, Arkansas; Gene Elstun, Kansas; Charles Harrison, Vanderbilt; Art Barnes, S.M.U.; Carl Ince, Texas Tech.

The second team is paced by a pair of flashy offensive guards from the deep Southwest area. Carl Ince, All-Phi last year and All Border Conference the past two seasons, carries a 17-point average per game. Ince is paired with Art Barnes, S.M.U. captain, who has a 15.7 average per game. Barnes was a third team choice as a sophomore and placed on the second team last season. (See page 288.)

The center is Charles Harrison, 6'7" Vanderbilt junior. He has started every contest the past two years and has a 12-point average. He is the Commodores' leading rebounder.

The forwards are a sophomore-senior combination. Norman Smith, Arkansas co-captain with a 12-point average, and Gene Elstun, sophomore Kansas star, who is the Jayhawkers' leading rebounder and rates a 14.4 average per contest in Big Seven Conference competition.

The third team selections were separated by a very small margin of points. A pair of Colgate performers are senior Frank Patterson, co-captain with a 12.2 average, and sophomore guard Jack Nichols with a 13.2 average. Nichols' peak was a 33-point output against Connecticut. At center is Ted Dunn, 6'5" Purdue senior, who has a 10-point average in Big Ten play.

The final two positions were earned by Phil Wheeler, Cincinnati junior, who had a 15.6 average in the first 15 games and was runner-up in rebounds with 21 per game. The only small college performer to crash the All-Phi lineup is Tommy Mixon, Mercer captain, who averaged 28 points per game. His single game scoring record this season was 47 points. He has been named to the Georgia All-State team the past three seasons.

Several cagers performed well throughout the season but escaped consideration in the balloting. Those who deserve special recognition are Bill Lange and Bob McDonald, Wyoming juniors; Stan Frahm, bespectacled Iowa State senior; Bob Popp, Brown guard, and John Parker, hustling Kansas sophomore guard.

knee injury which shelved him for the season. Jorgenson was shifted to his guard position and continued a torrid scoring pace of 16 points per contest. He scored 26 in the Wolves' upset win over Iowa, Big 10 champs.

Both forwards come from conference championship teams. Unanimous Med Park, Missouri, has a 14.2 scoring average and is runner-up in the Tigers' rebounding department. Park, a rugged 205 pounder had one of his best nights in the Big Seven pre-season tournament finals, hitting 24 points against Kansas State. The other berth was earned by Tex Whitman, 6'6" Oregon State senior, of the Beavers' Northern Division champions. Tex was selected on the All-Phi second team last year.



LITTLE ALL-PHI FIRST TEAM: William Snyder, *Gettysburg*; Don Robinson, *Whitman*; George Wolz, *Lake Forest*; Don Augustin, *North Dakota*; Tommy Mixon, *Mercer*.

Little All-Phi Basketball Team

The 1954-55 Little All-Phi cage team boasts the highest offensive quintet in the fraternity's history. The standout performer is Tommy Mixon, Mercer University captain, with a 28-point scoring average per game. His single game record for the season was 47 points and a spectacular 35-point output against the University of Georgia. Tommy was named to the All Dixie Conference team the past two years as well as the Georgia All State team the past three seasons. He has tallied over 1,700 points to establish a new school four-year scoring record. Mixon is Mercer's first Little All-Phi representative and he is certainly an outstanding one.

The other forward is Don Augustin, North Dakota junior, who has been selected on the All-North Central Conference team the past two seasons. Don is the conference scoring leader with an 18.6 average.

At guards are a pair of high scoring seniors representing, geographically, the East and West. Don Robinson, Whitman co-captain and an All Northwest Conference selection, has a 16.9 scoring average. The other guard is William Snyder, Gettysburg captain, who carries a fancy 20.8 scoring average. In the recent Gettysburg upset win over Navy, 74-72, Snyder hit for an amazing 31 points.

At center is one of several Lake Forest basketball Phis. He is George Wolz, 6'9" junior pivot man, with a 19.6 scoring average. Wolz is a transfer student, having played freshman basketball at Iowa University.

The second team is paced by Bob Bruns, Colby junior with a 16-point average. His best game was 26 points against Brandeis and he scored the spectacular goal that defeated the University of Massachusetts. Bruns is the co-holder of the Colby Field House one-game scoring record of 33 points, established last year. The other forward is Pete Reed, Willam-

1954-55 Little All-Phi Basketball Teams

VARSITY

Pos.	Name	College	Class	Ht.
F	Tommy Mixon, Mercer (28 av.)		Sr.	6'0"
F	Don Augustin, No. Dak. (18.6 av.)		Jr.	6'2"
C	George Wolz, Lake Forest (19.6 av.)		Jr.	6'9"
G	Don Robinson, Whitman (16.9 av.)		Jr.	6'3"
G	William Snyder, Gettysburg (20.8 av.)		Sr.	6'2"

SECOND TEAM

F	Bob Bruns, Colby	Jr.	6'2"
F	Pete Reed,* Willamette	Jr.	6'4"
C	Rick Benson, Florida State	Jr.	6'7"
G	Elmer Strautman, Franklin	Soph.	6'0"
G	Ish Bennett, Davidson	Sr.	6'1"

THIRD TEAM

F	Dick Ohnen, Knox	Soph.	6'0"
F	Mischa Rader, Lake Forest	Jr.	6'4"
C	Neil Oblom, W. & J.	Sr.	6'4"
G	Phi Semler, Denison	Soph.	6'3"
G	Coleman Gum, Centre	Jr.	6'2"

SPECIAL MENTION

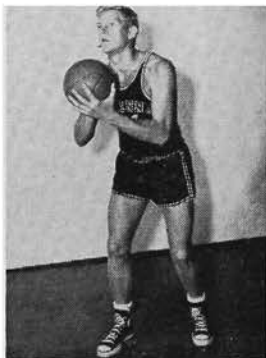
Dick Culbertson (Capt.) and Don Woeltje, *Knox*; Jim Johnson (Capt.) *Centre*; Jim Orlosky,* *Franklin*; John Steadman, *Case*; Don Cavanaugh, *Washburn*; Jerome Hart, *Lawrence*; John Nash, *Wabash*; Gene Waterfall, *Lake Forest*; Eddie Bergquist, *Montana*; Bob Riley and Bill Gullion, *Wash. (St. Louis)*; Jim Leap, *Hanover*; Jerry McCallister, *Whitman*; Ronald Holmstrom, *W. & J.*

* Little All-Phi prior to 1955

ette's leading scorer with a 16-point average this season and a Little All-Phi choice last year. In the face of such terrific offensive performers he was forced to the second team this year.

Rick Benson, 6'7" Florida State senior, the team's second ranking scorer, is at center. The guards are a senior-sophomore combination of Elmer Strautman, Franklin, who led his team in scoring with 317 points for a 15.1 average plus a conference championship, and Ish Bennett, a four-year regular from Davidson.

The offensive trend carries down to the third team which consists of Neil Oblom, Wash-



THIRD TEAM ALL-PHI STARS: Frank Patterson, *Colgate*, and Phil Wheeler, *Cincinnati*.

ington & Jefferson's leading scorer, at center. The guards are Coleman Gum of Centre College who carries a 14-point average, and sophomore Phil Semler, Denison's leading point-maker. At forwards are two representatives from the Phi Delt filled squads of Knox and Lake Forest. They're Dick Ohnen, Knox junior with a 10 point average, and Mischa Radar, 6'4" 220 lb. Lake Forest performer via De Paul, with a 13-point scoring average.

The competition this season was so terrific that Jim Orlosky, Franklin's Little All-Phi choice last season; Jim Johnson, Centre captain with a 11.5 average; John Nash, flashy Wabash guard; Don Cavanaugh, Washburn's late season sensation with an 11.8 average; Gene Waterfall, diminutive Lake Forest guard who hit fourteen free throws against Illinois Wesleyan, and Whitman's playmaker, Jerry McCallister with a 10 point average, were assigned to special mention after splendid performances throughout the season.

Wrapping It Up

To meet the deadline and make it possible for the basketball story to appear in this issue of THE SCROLL, Dr. Davis must get ballots to members of the All-Phi Board in advance of most All-Star team selections.

Information is still incomplete, but several

Eighth Annual All-Sports HONOR ROLL of Phi Delta Theta

It will soon be time for THE SCROLL to reveal the Eighth Annual All-Sports Honor Roll of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, honoring those members participating in baseball, track, swimming, wrestling, tennis, golf, crew, etc. To continue this wide athletic coverage of our Fraternity, it is necessary for all chapter reporters, all members and alumni, to send information during the next three months to DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., 603 Kansas Ave., Topeka, Kansas.

post-season honors accorded Phi players have been wired in by Brother Davis up to the point of press time.

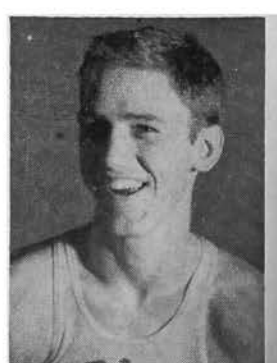
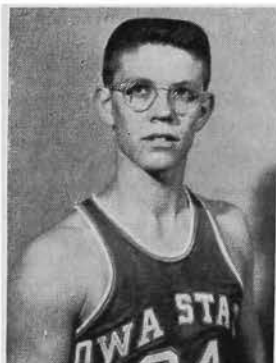
In *Collier's* nation-wide basketball roundup, Dean Parsons of Washington, two-time All-Phi center, is named at the same position on the NCAA honor team for District 8. In *Look's* roundup, Med Park, Missouri, was named on the All-Star team for District 5. Park hit for 27 points in the Mizzou finale, a win over Kansas and was named to play in the East-West game.

Two members of THE SCROLL's All-Phi Basketball Board of Experts were members of *Collier's* All-American Selection Committee. They are Howard Hobson, Yale coach, who is chairman of the committee, and W. H. (Tippy) Dye, Washington mentor, representative of District 8.

Art Barnes, S.M.U., is the only senior named on the first All-Southwest Conference team. His running mate on the second All-Phi five, Norman Smith of Arkansas, was selected on the second honorary team chosen by this Conference.

Two Phi "mighty mites" won recognition from the United Press when they were named to the "Small" All-America teams, reserved for men no more than 5 feet 10 inches tall. They are Denny Blind, of Purdue and Carl Ince of Texas Tech who were placed at center on the first and second teams, respectively.

MORE ALL-PHI STARS: Stan Frahm, *Iowa State*; Bill Lange and Bob McDonald, both of *Wyoming*; Pete Reed, *Willamette*, and Rick Benson, *Florida State*, both members of *Little All-Phi* second team.



FRANCIS E. WALTER of Pennsylvania

Triple Threat "Wheel" of Congress

By PHILIP B. YEAGER, *Arizona '39*

A great Speaker of the House of Representatives once pointed out that being a good Congressman is far from easy:

"Like the lawyer, farmer, carpenter, teacher or any other job," declared the late "Champ" Clark of Missouri, "a Congressman needs experience to be effective. He, like the others, has to start at the bottom and spell up."

This is something which, while not readily apparent to the public, becomes immediately apparent to anyone who spends as much as two days in the Congress of the United States.

Brickbats have been bouncing off the brawny shoulders of Congress ever since John Adams and Frederick Muhlenberg convened the first Senate and House, respectively, in 1789. It has become such a national pastime—berating Congress—that we often lose sight of the enormous effort demanded of those who have to wrestle with a job at once complex, delicate and frustrating.

Learning to handle this job well takes time, quite a bit of it.

Which brings us around to Brother Francis E. Walter, *Lafayette '16*, of Easton, Pennsylvania, who is beginning his 23rd year in the House of Representatives.

Of the 435 members of the House only 20 have served in Congress longer than Brother Walter. Few, if any, are more influential in the present Congress. Few have learned their trade as well.

In spite of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946, which recognized the manifold pressures on the modern Congressman and therefore sharply limited his duties, Francis Walter holds three posts in the current House—any one of which would stamp him as a "wheel" of the national political scene.

To begin with Brother Walter, who is a Democrat and represents Pennsylvania's 15th District, has now taken over the chairmanship of the controversial and strategically important House Un-American Activities committee. Congressmen themselves consider this ticklish job as one of the most important in Washington. Handled poorly, it can result in untold damage. Handled well, it can be of infinite value to the nation.



FRANCIS E. WALTER, *Lafayette '16*

"... a fellow who likes to keep the record straight."

Next, Brother Walter presides over one of the most influential subcommittees in Congress. This is the subcommittee on Immigration of the House Judiciary committee. This so-called "blue ribbon" subcommittee not only has a major role in setting national immigration policy, it also handles most of the security legislation with which the House deals. All such legislation as may deal with security matters must clear Walter's group before it ever gets to the House floor.

Third, Brother Walter is chairman of the Democratic Committee on House personnel. This is not an official committee of the House but is a political unit—and a powerful one—dealing with patronage. When the Democrats control the House, as they now do, patronage becomes an important part of their political life.

Finally, it looks as though Brother Walter will also take over as chairman of the Joint Senate-House Committee on immigration which acts primarily as an advisory group on immigration matters.

Walter was born at Easton, Pennsylvania, in 1894. His undergraduate days were spent at Lafayette College, in the same city, where he became a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He took his law degree from George Washington University.

He was elected to Congress in the 1932 elections which saw the beginning of the New Deal—and has been there ever since! This unbroken service is a tribute to the regard with which Walter is held by his constituents. Pennsylvanians are not noted for complacency about their delegates to Congress; they frequently change them. Walter has been in Congress longer than any other member of the Keystone State delegation.

While Brother Walter knows his way around the Capitol as well as any of the 531 men and women who make up our national legislature, he doesn't always do things the easy way. He won't duck a fight or always search for the smooth path. And he is not too concerned about whom he tangles with.

Just recently, for example, Walter got into a scrap with Emmanuel Celler, the versatile and experienced New York Congressman who is chairman of the House Judiciary committee. Celler, it was reliably reported, was endeavoring to take over the Immigration subcommittee chairmanship himself, a spot Walter had held in the past. But Celler's lofty position notwithstanding, Walter marshalled his political guns on the committee and salvoed with such force that Celler retreated in some disarray. Walter, as noted, kept the job. (For the record, it might be noted that Walter and Celler have markedly differing views on national immigration policy.)

In another bout just a few weeks ago, Walter took on no less a personage than the greatly respected scientist, J. Robert Oppenheimer, head of Princeton's Institute of Advanced Studies and sometimes referred to as the "father" of the atom bomb.

This particular go-round resulted from Dr. Oppenheimer's remarks about U. S. immigration policy when he appeared on Ed Murrow's televised "See It Now" program.

Walter, who co-authored the current Federal immigration law along with the late Senator Pat McCarran of Nevada, undertook to set Oppenheimer straight on what he felt was considerable misconstruction of the law. There is no record as to how Dr. Oppenheimer received the correction, but Brother Walter felt he might have cleared up some public misunderstanding resulting from the telecast—and that's what he was after.

He's a fellow who likes to keep the record straight.

"Mr. TV in KC"

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Barrington entered the Northwestern University School of Drama and Speech in Evanston, Illinois, from which he was graduated with honor in 1950, having done the first program on WRNU, the campus station. He was voted the "Outstanding Student Announcer" in 1949-50.

Coming to Kansas City upon graduation he quickly became "Mr. TV in KC" with a series of basketball games for Kansas University's Olympic basketball team, including the NCAA and Olympic playoffs. In 1953 he was picked by NBC-TV to do the network sportscasting on the Kansas-Kansas State football game.

The 1954 basketball season ended with Kansas and Colorado in a tie for the Big Seven championship and Brother Barrington was chosen to draw the winner (see cut) to represent the conference in the regional NCAA playoffs.

He travels about 16,000 miles a year on assignments and speaking, but he still finds time to be active in the KC Alumni Club.

Married in 1947 to the former Jean Turnure, a Theta from the University of Washington, Jay is the proud father of one Phi legacy, Jay P. Barrington, Jr. (Jaybo), age four, and one Theta legacy, Janis, age six months.

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University, and Emory University School of Law in Atlanta, Georgia. In the Institute of Politics at Indiana University he studied under Dr. Roy V. Peel, who has since been director of the U. S. Bureau of Census and is presently head of the political science department at the University of Utah. Brother Wood received his B.A. degree from Indiana and his law degree from Emory University where he was able to study international law. Upon graduation from Emory in June of 1951, he was appointed a diplomatic courier in the Foreign Service of the United States of America.

Brother Wood has always been interested and active in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He was president of Kentucky Epsilon at the University of Kentucky in 1949 and was also selected by that chapter as its most outstanding member the same year.

Brother Wood was born in Navasota, Texas, and has also lived in Cisco, Texas, and Lancaster, Kentucky. He has now completed his three-year tour of duty in the diplomatic corps and has accepted a position in the Atlanta, Georgia, office of the brokerage firm of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane.



THEY LED OFF THE SALUTE TO $\Phi\Delta\Theta$

Three of the four prominent network officials—all Phis—who participated in ABC salute to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on Saturday night Dancing Party, January 22: (L TO R) JOHN H. MITCHELL, Miami '31, Vice-President in charge of ABC's TV network; ROBERT E. KINTNER, Swarthmore '31, President of ABC; and GENE ACCAS, Syracuse '45, Director of Advertising and Promotion.

ABC "Dancing Party" Salutes Fraternity

By GENE ACCAS, Syracuse '45

FIVE famous orchestras presented a two-hour salute to Phi Delta Theta and many of its prominent members in a coast-to-coast broadcast over the ABC Radio Network on "Dancing Party" Saturday, January 22.

The two-hour program featured two orchestras under the baton of Glenn Osser—a foxtrot orchestra and a romantic type band; Ralph Hermann's orchestra; the Latin-American rhythms of Don Riccardo, his marimba and orchestra; and Bob Marvel and his band in the foxtrot field. Vocalists Peggy Anne Ellis and Tommy Furtado rounded out the musical artists.

Following the opening introductions, host Art Fleming described the founding of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity by six students at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, on Dec. 26, 1848. He went on to explain that the Fraternity now has 119 chapters in the United States and Canada with a membership of nearly 80,000.

The first of a series of salutes to alumni members of the Frater-

nity led off with four prominent American Broadcasting Company officials, Robert E. Kintner, Swarthmore '31, President; John H. Mitchell, Miami '31, Vice-President in charge of the Television Network; Gene Accas, Syracuse '45, Director of Advertising, Promotion and Publicity; and Harold Day, Colgate '28, of the television sales force.

The next individual salute was to three famous alumni who made their mark in sports, Tom Harmon, Michigan '41, All-American football star now a radio and TV commentator; Alvin Dark, L.S.U. '45, captain of the New York Giants; and Al Wistert, Michigan '43, pro football player.

Phi Delts in the stage and screen field, Jeffrey Hunter, Northwestern '49; Zachary Scott, Texas '35, and Van Heflin, Oklahoma '32, received special salutes followed by orchids to fellow Phis Louis Bromfield, Columbia '20, author of many best sellers, Frank Lloyd Wright, Wisconsin '89, (Continued on page 302)



VOCALISTS

Lovely Peggy Anne Ellis and handsome Tommy Furtado, featured singers on ABC's regular Saturday Night "Dancing Party", aided musical tribute to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Famed Phi Botanist Enters Chapter Grand

Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey, 96, Believed To
Be Oldest Member of Fraternity, Dies

ONE of the great men of Phi Delta Theta entered the Chapter Grand on Dec. 26, 1954.

He was Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey, *Michigan State '82*, internationally renowned botanist, horticulturist and agricultural educator, who died in his sleep at his home in Ithaca, New York.

At the time of his death, Brother Bailey, at 96, was believed to be the oldest member of the Fraternity. He was in his 76th or 77th year as a Phi, only a few years short of the record held by Brother Hilton Brown, *Butler '80*, who has just turned 96.

Dr. Bailey's activities, some of which continued after he was 90, included writing more than fifty books, editing many more, traveling more than 250,000 miles to collect more than 275,000 plants, classifying thousands of plants, heading many societies, including the American Association for the Advancement of Science, writing poetry and lecturing.

Lively and strong-minded, Dr. Bailey thought nothing at 91 of making a trip to the West Indies to search for palms. He did that in April, 1949. A huge birthday party planned for him by Cornell University—he was dean emeritus of its College of Agriculture—had to be postponed because he was wandering through the jungles.

Dr. Bailey told the International Congress of Plant Sciences at its meeting in New York in 1926 that man's conquest of the plant kingdom was in its infancy; that in the extension of knowledge of plants and the ability to use them lay one of the great hopes of the human race.

One of his greatest achievements was collecting in China, South America, New Zealand, the West Indies and elsewhere more than 200,000 plants for the Bailey Hortorium, which, with one of the world's largest collections of plant lore as well as of plants, he presented to Cornell in 1935. Two other achievements were editing the four-volume *Cyclopedia of American Agriculture* and similar work on the six-volume *Standard Cyclopedia of Horticulture*.

Born on Mar. 15, 1858, in South Haven, Michigan, he was the son of a man of the same name and Mrs. Sarah Harrisan Bailey. Dr. Bailey was reared in Michigan on land cleared of forests by his father. The family farmed the tract, made its own soap and candles, tanned its leather, wove its cloth and fought off bears.



DR. LIBERTY H. BAILEY, *Michigan State '82*
1858-1954

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In Dr. Bailey's book, *The Nature Study Idea*, he related that as a boy he collected stones and plants, hatched snake eggs in his mother's oven and made notes on the weather. In his teens he planned his life, including 25 years of study, 25 for practicing a vocation and the remainder for doing what he most enjoyed. He stuck fairly close to that plan. In later years he did much to improve rural life by scientific means.

He did some newspaper work as a youth, then entered Michigan Agricultural College where he was pledged to the Michigan Beta chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ that had been established there in 1873. The catalog does not give the exact date of his initiation, but he signed the Bond as No. 48 on the chapter roll and it is known that he served as his chapter's delegate to the Fraternity's 15th General Convention in Wooster, Ohio, in May, 1878. Graduating in 1882, he thereafter received an M.S. from his Alma Mater and doctorates from the Universities of Wisconsin and Puerto Rico, Alfred University and Vermont University.

Assistant to Dr. Asa Gray, Harvard botanist, in the early 1880s, Dr. Bailey was later Professor of Horticulture and Landscape Garden-

ing at Michigan Agricultural College for three years until he became Professor of Horticulture at Cornell in 1888. In 1903 he became dean of the College of Agriculture at Cornell, resigning in 1913.

At Michigan in 1885 he had organized the first college department of horticulture and landscape gardening in the country. Most of his books were technical, but some, like *The State and the Farmer*, published in 1908, the year he became chairman of President Theodore Roosevelt's Country Life Commission, were intended to improve rural conditions. He declined an offer in 1911 of the State Commissionership of

Agriculture and the next year deflated a boom to have him become Progressive candidate for Governor.

Until the end, he frequently was showered with honors. He believed one should accept conditions as they were, not let money be the primary consideration, but keep as a chief aim the artistic expression of life. His ideas were expressed in *The Holy Earth, Wind and Weather, What Is Democracy?* and other books.

A widower, he leaves a daughter, Miss Ethel Zoe Bailey of Ithaca, with whom he lived and who traveled with him on many of his expeditions.

Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey . . . Devoted Phi

By GEORGE BANTA, JR., P.P.G.C., Wabash '14

The death of Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey, *Michigan State '82*, removes from the scene one of the world's most famous botanists and a man who has been a devoted Phi since his initiation by the old Michigan Agricultural College chapter many years ago.

I was privileged to meet him and hear him speak at the exercises held in connection with the revival of Michigan Beta which were held in Lansing, Sept. 19, 1931. Before leaving home I told my father where I was going and for what reason, and in a reminiscent mood, he told me a story about the old Michigan Beta chapter which I will repeat here. Incidentally, that chapter contained a number who became distinguished in later years, among them members of the Baker family, including Ray Stannard Baker, the writer, and Hugh Potter Baker, the college president.

According to father's story, it seems that in the 1870s, before the formation of the General Council and the establishment of a permanent national government which occurred in 1880, the Fraternity had difficulty in securing enough funds to carry on its business. This condition existed even though its machinery was simple and its needs modest. At the Convention of 1878, held in Wooster, Ohio, it was proposed that a head tax of \$1.00 per year be levied on all undergraduates, to be collected by the chapter treasurers and forwarded to the "Grand" Treasurer. Father said that the delegate to that Convention from Michigan Beta opposed the proposition very vigorously and spoke eloquently and effectively against it.

When Dr. Bailey spoke at the revival dinner,

having heard me tell this story earlier in the program, he admitted he was the delegate to whom father referred and he said that he remembered the occasion very clearly. He intimated that \$1.00 per year to Michigan Beta undergraduates in 1878 was a very serious matter and that he felt it was his duty to oppose the measure.

I remember also a story that Dr. Bailey told at this dinner which made a great impression on me and I have quoted it many times since. Dr. Bailey taught at Cornell for many years and lived in retirement in Ithaca after he gave up teaching. A friend of his, a European scientist whom he had met abroad at an international meeting, stopped in Ithaca to visit Dr. Bailey before embarking on a tour of inspection of some of the leading colleges and universities in the United States. Dr. Bailey helped him to prepare his itinerary and gave him letters to various scholars and educators across the country who might be helpful to him.

After completing the tour, the eminent European educator returned to Ithaca before leaving for home and again paid a visit to his Cornell friend. Dr. Bailey asked him if he would be willing to give him his impressions of American higher education, based upon the inspection trip he had just completed.

The foreign scientist replied, "Do you really want me to?" Upon being assured, he said, "I think you are turning out an extraordinary number of uneducated experts!"

In the death of Brother Bailey, the world has lost one of its greatest botanists and $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ one of its most distinguished alumni.



Φ Δ Θ HOUSE AT DARTMOUTH

Oldest and largest house at Dartmouth was built in 1901 when it was first home on what is now Fraternity Row. Basic structure is being retained and an extensive remodeling program is underway.

N.H. Alpha Remodeling Plan Underway

By BOB HADLEY, Dartmouth '55, Chapter Reporter

THIS MARCH the New Hampshire Alpha Remodeling Program is two and one half years old. We now have 24 per cent of our alumni actively participating in a dues program, and during the last two summers we completed the first two steps of the remodeling plan.

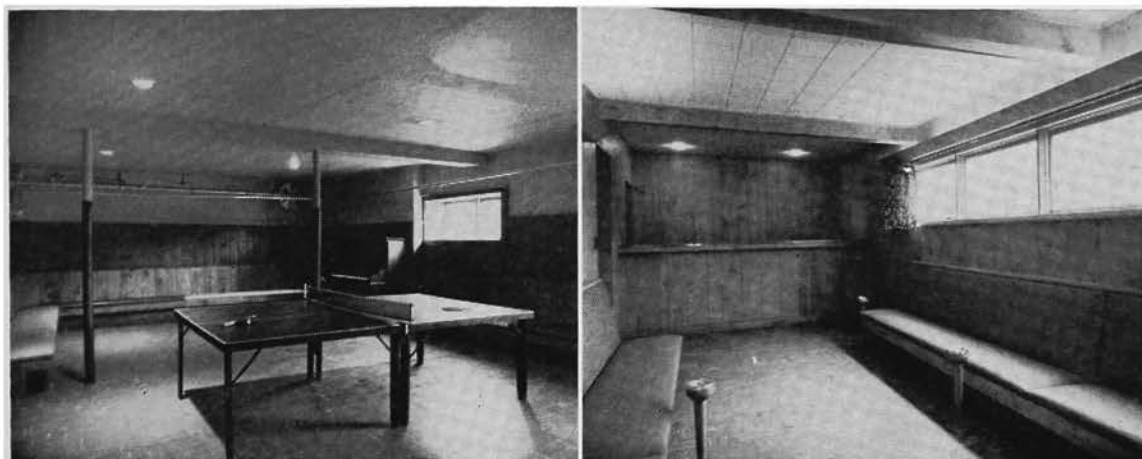
The need for this renovation exists because of the ravages of age. Phi Delta Theta has the oldest as well as the largest house on the Dartmouth campus. It was built in 1901 by Edgar H. Hunter, a Phi, who was graduated that same year. At that time it was the only house on what is now Fraternity Row. From that day until very recently the house stood as it was originally built with only minor changes. Even though times changed and increased demands arose, no improvements were made. In 1939 a building plan was set up to remedy this situation, but had to be abandoned when World War II stopped all construction.

Then in 1952 a committee was formed to study the problem. Because of the desirability of retaining the commodious features of the pres-

ent solid structure, the idea of a new building was replaced by a remodeling program. This program was divided into successive steps in order to provide for the most essential needs first, and to ease the financial burden.

From the beginning it was clear that alumni support would be imperative. Contact with this group was gained and maintained by means of three news letters a year. The first step taken was the creation of a Building Fund sustained by contributions from loyal Phis in answer to pleas from the chapter. In November, 1953 this procedure was replaced by a more substantial alumni dues plan. Dues were set at \$5 annually, and a complete filing system was arranged to administer the program. Results have been exceptional, and almost a quarter of the alumni are now actively participating in this plan.

The rebuilding program has been equally successful. In the summer of 1953 the first phase of improvements was completed. This included the repainting of the exterior of the house; the complete replacement of worn out plumbing with new copper pipe; new showers



1953 PHASE

LEFT: View of enlarged basement game and party room. RIGHT: The social room which was finished at same time to complete first phase of program.

and toilets installed in second and third floor bathrooms. In the basement three rooms were converted into one large game and party room, and the area under the back porch was enclosed to provide for a new social room. These improvements tripled the capacity of the entertainment area in the basement. In addition, new heating, lighting, draperies, and pine panelling were furnished throughout these quarters.

This past summer the second step of our rebuilding program was completed but came, unfortunately, as the result of a tragedy. It is the Bill Thieme Memorial Library, dedicated to an outstanding Phi whose tragic death in an automobile accident shocked the campus last winter. His parents, friends, and the chapter,

desirous of placing a lasting tribute to him in the house, donated the library. The walls were covered with mahogany panelling and fabric. Bookcases and cabinets were constructed. Acoustic board was applied to the ceiling, and indirect lighting added. Concealed fin-type radiation was installed, and finally the room was furnished with new drapery, furniture, and a wall-to-wall carpet.

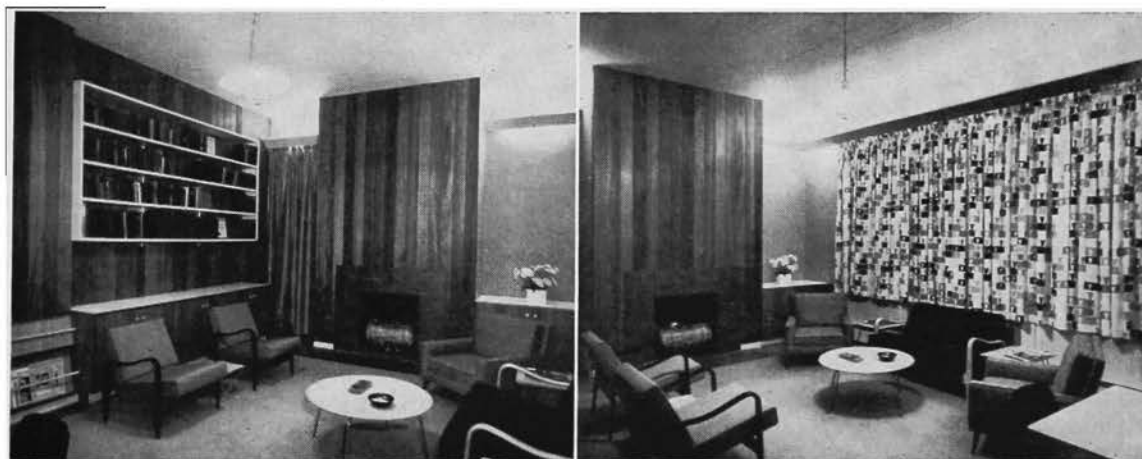
Our next step is a plan to redecorate the first floor in the same style as the Memorial Library. Additional changes are being contemplated for the upstairs.

Up to this point the undergraduate chapter, by tightening its own budget, has been able to match almost half of the alumni contribu-

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1954 PHASE

Two views of the Bill Thieme Memorial Library, beautifully panelled and furnished, a tribute to a young Phi who met untimely death in auto accident.





"HOOVER ALPHA" OF $\Phi \Delta \Theta$

Eight executives of the company which manufactures the well known Hoover vacuum cleaner, all Phis, are pictured above. Seated, left to right: H. W. HOOVER, JR., Rollins '41; H. EARL HOOVER, Michigan '12; JAMES C. HOOVER, Rollins '43. Standing: HERBERT W. YOOS, Akron '39; CLIFFORD L. ANTHONY, Case '38; THOMAS L. KELLY, Colgate '37; JAMES LOVE, West Virginia '32, and H. E. BUKER, Miami '50.

Phis Hold the Reins at Hoover

By HAYWARD S. BIGGERS, Lawrence '31

IT probably won't happen, but if the Phis at one prominent manufacturing concern ever decide to hold a meeting, they could just about muster a quorum. That's the rather unusual circumstance at North Canton, Ohio, where the main factory and offices of The Hoover Company, world's largest manufacturer of vacuum cleaners and other electrical appliances, are located.

Eight Phi are associated in responsible positions with the company—two of them in top executive posts. Young (he's only 36) and energetic Herbert W. Hoover, Jr., Rollins '41, heads the firm as president, and H. Earl Hoover, Michigan '12, is board chairman. Others include James C. Hoover, Rollins '43, head of marketing research; Clifford L. Anthony, Case '38, works manager; Thomas L. Kelly, Colgate '37, divisional sales manager;

James Love, West Virginia '32, advertising account executive; H. E. "Bud" Buker, Miami '50, assistant to the director of merchandising; and Herbert W. Yoos, Akron '39, editor of the employee newspaper.

H. W. Hoover, Jr., is the eldest son of the late H. W. Hoover, an outstanding civic leader and internationally known businessman, who was the mainspring behind the company's growth. A household word in the electric appliance field now, the company started as a small tannery and leather shop established in the pioneering days of Ohio by W. H. Hoover, grandfather of the present president.

Hoover made its first electric suction sweeper, as it was then called, in 1908, but by 1920 the vacuum cleaner business had supplanted leather goods manufacture entirely.

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Phis in Congress



SENATE

Colorado: Eugene D. Millikin, *Colorado* '13.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Pennsylvania: Francis E. Walter, *Lafayette* '16; Robert J. Corbett, *Allegheny* '27; James G. Fulton, *Penn State* '24.

North Carolina: F. Ertel Carlyle, *North Carolina* '20; Harold Cooley, *North Carolina* '18.

Illinois: Robert Chipfield, *Knox* '22; William L. Springer, *DePauw* '31.

New Jersey: William Widnall, *Brown* '26.

Washington: Hal Holmes, *Whitman* '23.

Kentucky: Frank L. Chelf, *Centre* '30.

Missouri: Richard Bolling, *Sewanee* '37.

Texas: Clark W. Thompson, *Oregon* '18.

Wyoming: E. Keith Thomson, *Wyoming* '39.

Florida: Paul G. Rogers, *Florida* '42.



E. KEITH THOMSON, *Wyoming* '39
Wyoming's lone Representative.

Thomson, Rogers Enter Congress

TWO of the new members of Congress are Phis. They are E. Keith Thomson, *Wyoming* '39, a 37-year-old Republican lawyer, who is Wyoming's lone Representative in the House, and Paul G. Rogers, *Florida* '42, a Democrat, who succeeds his father, the late Dwight Rogers, *Mercer* '10, as Representative from Florida's 6th Congressional District.

Both new Congressmen are loyal Phis. Brother Thomson, a war veteran and civic leader in Cheyenne, was president of Wyoming Alpha in 1939. He writes: "Our Fraternity has always meant a great deal to me, and I have made many interesting, valuable, and life-long friends, not only in Wyoming, but throughout my military career and since, in every part of the nation."

Brother Rogers is a member of a great Phi family (see SCROLL, Jan. 1954, pp. 181-2), and has two brothers who, like himself, followed their distinguished father into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. The brothers are Dwight Rogers, Jr., *Florida* '38, and Doyle Rogers, *Florida* '50. Paul, a lawyer and war veteran, prominent in civic activities in his home town of West Palm Beach, won his seat in the House in a special election January 11.



PAUL G. ROGERS, *Florida* '42
Successor to his Phi father.

E. Keith Thomson

Entering politics after a highly honored military career in World War II, Brother Thomson assisted in organizing the Young Republicans of Wyoming and served as their national committeeman. He was a delegate to the Republican Convention in 1952, where he supported

Mr. Eisenhower for the presidency. He previously served two terms in the Wyoming Legislature.

The new Phi Congressman was born in Newcastle, Wyoming; attended public school in Beulah, Wyoming, after which he entered the state university, where he was active in both chapter and campus affairs despite the fact that he was required to furnish all his own support. Brother Thomson was called to active duty as a second lieutenant in the Infantry during his senior year at law school. In the course of his duty he won the Bronze Star Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Italian Cross of Valor, and the Purple Heart.

Discharged from the service in February, 1946, he entered law practice in Cheyenne. He has been an officer in the Lions Club, vice-commander of the American Legion, and a member of the Board of Directors of the Red Cross. In 1947 Thomson won the distinguished service award given annually by the Cheyenne Junior Chamber of Commerce.

He is married to the former Thyra Godfrey of Cheyenne, and they have three children, Bill, 10; Bruce, 7; and Keith, 2.

Paul G. Rogers

Born in Ocilla, Georgia, Paul Rogers moved with his family to Fort Lauderdale, Florida, when he was four years old. He attended Fort Lauderdale public schools and the University of Florida, where he was president of Florida Alpha, president of the honor society, Blue Key, and winner of the national debate championship of Tau Kappa Alpha forensic fraternity.

Following graduation from the University, Brother Rogers served for four years in the Field Artillery in Europe. He earned two battle stars, the Bronze Star Medal, and was separated from the service with the rank of major. After studying law at George Washington University, he later received his law degree from the University of Florida. Moving to West Palm Beach in 1948, Rogers joined the law firm of Burns, Middleton, Rogers & Farrell.

He was active in public life in his new home and was selected as "Outstanding Man-of-the-Year" in 1953 by the West Palm Beach Junior Chamber of Commerce. He has served as a member of the Palm Beach Resources Development Board and on the Board of Governors of the Florida bar, junior section. He is unmarried.

Phis Hold the Reins at Hoover

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Herb, as he is familiarly called—like his father before him—by many employees, worked in the firm's sales organization after getting out of college, served as a lieutenant in the Army during the war, and held various executive posts before becoming president in January, 1954.

A graduate engineer, H. Earl Hoover's interest lay naturally in research and engineering work, and he was instrumental in developing those activities for the young company and has been prominently associated with them throughout his career. For many years he headed the engineering, patent and advertising departments as vice-president, and has also been active on a broader scale in such organizations as the Industrial Research Institute and in agricultural research.

James, the younger brother of Herb, has also been associated with the company since college days. He now heads its marketing research organization.

Brother Love is a vice-president of the Leo Burnett Advertising Agency in Chicago and has charge of the Hoover account.

Starting with a job as a salesman for Hoover in Denver, Colorado, Tom Kelly has worked his

way up through the sales organization to head of the company's south-central division. Included in it are the home state of Ohio, all of ten and parts of two other states.

Cliff Anthony has charge of production under a vice-president at the main plant. He's been with the company since 1943, was previously sales manager at their large commercial die casting division and executive assistant in charge of coordinating important defense contract work.

"Bud" Buker started with Hoover in sales and market research and then was assistant to the manager of the sales educational department which is responsible for training salesmen. Hoover, incidentally, was for years one of the leading exponents of the door-to-door salesman. Bud now is in the office of the director of merchandising where he is connected with Hoover's national dealer program.

Brother Yoos edits Hoover's employee newspaper, one of the oldest in the field of employee publications, dating back to World War I. It goes to employees at their Cambridge, Ohio, electric iron division and Plainfield, New Jersey, motor division as well as North Canton people.

★ A CORNER WITH PHI AUTHORS ★

★ Indicates Recent Addition to David D. Banta Memorial Library. Phi Authors Are Urged to Contribute Copies.

★ *Very Much Alive* (The Story of a Paraplegic) by TERRY McADAM, Washburn '46. Houghton Mifflin Company.

It would be in order to write a word or so about the author of this book before beginning the review. Terry McAdam, assistant to the president of Washburn University at Topeka, Kansas, came through World War II without injury, only to meet, in an automobile accident in Ohio in 1951, probably the most devastating injury that could happen to any one—complete paralysis from the waist down, or paraplegia as it is called.

This is his story—and a powerful one it is. A comparatively short book, it could be read in a few hours—but is much too potent a package to be skimmed that lightly. It pulls no punches but carries a message of hope and courage for others when, at the end, Brother McAdam can say in all sincerity, "Yes, I can say without doubt that I am happy."

This is a fascinating book, excellently written, which most people would find interesting to read. Once again an unusually useful participant in the college scene, Brother McAdam's book traces his career from the day he woke up in a hospital in Ohio, far from home, paralyzed, through his session in the Veterans Hospital to his return home, to his job, to living as nearly normal a life as possible. He must have been a fine person to begin with, for his friends, his family, and his devoted wife, all went far beyond ordinary limits to help his recovery.

There are many personalities that come enjoyably alive through the pages of his description of the ward in the Veterans Hospital. There is a thought-provoking chapter called "Random Thoughts at Night." There is an underlying concern for what cuts in veterans funds might mean in terms of the best of care now available to paraplegics. There is an appeal for understanding and a concern for scientific work in the field of spinal injury. While much money is and has been available for investigation into prevention and cure of infantile paralysis—which is not in the same category as paraplegia—almost none is raised for the study of spinal injury, now rated as incurable. All that is available is rehabilitation, and not too much of that, short of the veterans hospitals, teaching men to become again useful members of society, though



TERRY McADAM, Washburn '46

crippled. Another fact is that without the newly existent miracle drugs, paraplegics would survive for a very short time because of the constant danger of infections.

But Brother McAdam, who has faced all this in despair and in hope, writes of it frankly and helpfully. After reading his book it is easy to understand how he was named "Phi of the Year" by the Topeka Alumni Club at the Founders Day banquet in 1953.

★ *So You're Through College* by H. C. BROWN, California '25. La Dow Co., Beverly Hills, Calif.

Brother Brown's primary purpose in writing this little 126 page booklet is to stimulate the thinking of the college senior or graduate who has not yet determined upon a definite career. He encourages the reader to take stock of himself, and then to apply this knowledge in deciding upon a profession or some branch of industry such as selling, purchasing, accounting, or the like. He weighs the advantages and disadvantages inherent in various occupations so that the reader can size them up for himself, with his own personality in mind.

But he goes beyond this, and the man who has already chosen his career will be well re-

warded to read such chapters as "How To Talk To The Boss," "How To Talk To Men," and "How To Get Ideas," to mention only a few.

The book is obviously written from first hand experience and observation, and is not a scholarly work based on research. The style is down to earth, and the book exceedingly easy to read. The *Oakland Tribune* said that it is a "folksy discussion of how to get and give satisfaction in various types of occupation." And Jack Woodford, writer and novelist, in the Foreword says that Brother Brown "has told the hopeful graduate how to make his dreams come true. He has done it in such a sprightly, fascinating manner, that after one reading, the graduate feels that there can be no such word as FAILURE in the English language.

"It should be a MUST for any college graduate standing at the crossroads."

The booklet can be ordered through your bookstore, or upon receipt of \$1.00 (plus 3% sales tax in California) the La Dow Publishing Co., 9200 W. Olympic Boulevard, Beverly Hills, California, will mail it, postage prepaid, anywhere in the United States or Canada.

★ *The Letters of Daniel Defoe* by GEORGE HARRIS HEALEY, *West Virginia* '31. Oxford University Press.

This work brings together, for the first time, all that can now be discovered of the letters, reports, and memoranda written by Defoe. The collection amounts to 235 communications, to which are added the sixteen known letters addressed to Defoe. Of Defoe's surviving letters, the great majority are addressed to Robert Harley, Secretary of State and Lord Treasurer under Queen Anne; the others are addressed to a wide variety of correspondents, noblemen, statesmen, publishers, business associates, small tradesmen, fellow Dissenters, and other acquaintances. The letters range from 1703 to 1730 and are especially numerous for 1706 and 1707, the period of the Union of England and Scotland. All the original manuscripts known to survive have been examined and transcribed for this edition.

The author of *Robinson Crusoe* was born in 1660 as Daniel Foe, and died in 1731, but details are not known. The report of his death "of a lethargy" described him only as "a gentle-

man famed for his writing," Professor Healey notes.

One reason that Defoe sought anonymity, he explains, is that for much of his life he served the Government as a secret agent, traveling throughout Britain and reporting on the political climate.

Defoe traveled incognito as a merchant, as a ship builder or as a fugitive debtor, Professor Healey says. In this period Defoe was a sort of lobbyist at the Scottish Parliament, promoting the legislative union of England and Scotland, the most remarkable event in Queen Anne's reign.

Another reason for Defoe's obscurity, Brother Healey adds, is that fashionable writers of his time ignored or denounced his works, although these were immensely popular with the middle classes.

As a Dissenter, Defoe could not enter a university, and as the son of a butcher, he could never be a "gentleman," in spite of every effort (such as buying a coat of arms) to rise above his class.

It is no coincidence, Professor Healey says, that Defoe's characters are lonely and isolated. There is no evidence that he ever had a close friend, and nearly all of the 235 Defoe communications in Healey's book are to government or business associates.

★ *Dirt and Doughfeet* by HOWARD M. RANDALL, *Illinois* '47. Exposition Press, New York. \$3

In January 1945, Brother Randall, a second lieutenant in the United States Army, was shipped overseas for combat duty as a rifle-platoon leader in an infantry division in the E.T.O. Separated as a first lieutenant from the Army in 1946 with the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman's Badge, Presidential Unit Citation, Bronze Star and Silver Star, Randall returned to civilian life.

The record of what happened in the interim is to be found in *Dirt and Doughfeet*. Based on his own battle experiences in Luxembourg and Germany in the later phases of the war, it reveals starkly, and without contrived melodrama, the hardships, terror, and tragic futility of war as seen through the eyes of a combat officer.

In this chronicle of a young officer and his

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Did You Know That . . .

Benjamin Harrison, *Miami* 1852, was President of the Indianapolis Alumni Club of Φ Δ Θ after he had been President of the United States?

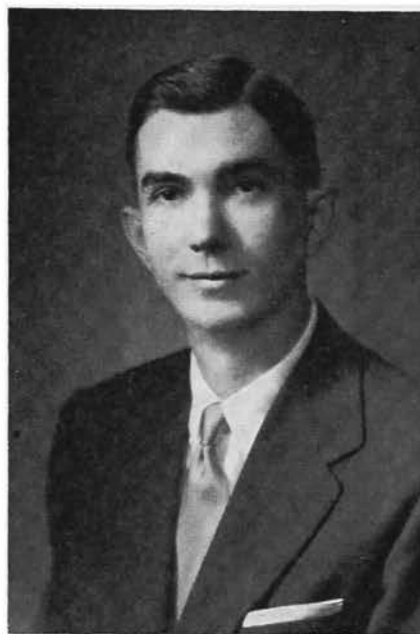
Irby Named President of Delta Province

MORELAND R. IRBY, *Richmond '43*, has been appointed president of Delta Province (Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina) by the General Council, succeeding Roland Galvin. His home is in Richmond, Virginia, where since 1950 he has been active in the sales and appraisal department of Pollard and Bagby, Realtors.

As a student at Richmond, Moreland majored in physics, receiving a B.S. degree. He continued his work in this field at the University of Virginia, earning an M.S. degree in 1946. While studying at the University he served as graduate instructor in physics and did war-time research on A-bomb, fire control, and guided missiles. From 1946 to 1950 he was employed as a physicist by Experiment, Inc., in Richmond.

Brother Irby has been active in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ since the day of his initiation, October 1, 1940. He held office in Virginia Delta chapter as historian, secretary, reporter, and president, and represented the chapter as official delegate to the 1942 Convention in Chicago. He also attended the Conventions of 1948 and 1950 as delegate of the Richmond Alumni Club, in which he has been active since graduation. He served as secretary of the Club from 1952 to 1954.

On an extended tour of the west in the summer of 1953 Irby visited Phi chapter homes



MORELAND IRBY, *Richmond '43*
President of Delta Province

at the Universities of South Dakota, Utah, California, Southern California, California at Los Angeles, New Mexico, Nebraska, and Colorado.

Brother Irby is an active member of Centenary Methodist Church and is a past president of the Sills Bible Class. He has been married since 1952 to the former Lila Louise Howard of Des Moines, Iowa.

men, the reader discovers what it is to be in actual battle; he observes fear-stricken patrols as they probe at an equally frightened enemy at dusk or dark; the chaos of leadership when the wrong decision is translated into GI corpses, but decisions, nevertheless, that must be made; the raw courage of "dogfaces" carrying out assignments they do not always comprehend; and acts of bravery above and beyond the call of duty.

There are, as is vividly shown here, no sounds to match the cacophony of battle: the whine of mortar and shell, the thud of a bullet in human flesh, the screams of unendurable pain, the roar of the engines of enemy tanks, and the most agonizing "noise" of all—that of dead silence.

Here in *Dirt and Doughfeet* is the grim picture of war, and especially revealing is the author's account of Buchenwald, where he learned first-hand the meaning of gas chambers, mass extermination, and ovens for humans.

Howard M. Randall was born at Fort Stotsen-

burg, Philippine Islands, where his father, a regular Army Major, was stationed. That was his first contact with the Army. When he was three months old his family relocated in the United States and his father retired from the service. His next contact with the Army came at the University of Illinois, where he was a member of the R.O.T.C.

Randall is an Assistant Supervisor of Training, Industrial Relations Division, Whiting Refinery, Standard Oil Company, in Whiting, Indiana. He, his wife and two children, a son and a daughter, make their home in Highland, Indiana.

★ *The Shaping of Our Alphabet* by FRANCIS T. DENMAN, *Denison '17*. Alfred A. Knopf.

From the designs of Nicolas Jenson to those of Bruce Rogers and his contemporaries, this book traces the evolution of type faces as a response to the increasingly important role of the art of printing in man's daily affairs. Brother Denman shows us that as the social and

intellectual climate has varied over the past four centuries, the resulting changes of taste in architecture, painting, interior decoration, and other arts have been accompanied by parallel changes of taste in the field of typography. Although the author's main concern is with the shape of the printed letter as it has been viewed by readers since the days of Gutenberg, he does not overlook the influence of earlier periods. The contributions of the Phoenicians, Greeks, and Romans, and the modifications in our alphabet introduced by medieval scholars are given appropriate treatment.

In order to provide a better understanding of the proper typographic function of each of the major traditional type faces, Denman recreates for the reader the spirit of the time in which it was developed. Thus we can follow the careers and achievements of such giants of the past in the art of typography as Garamond, Granjon, Caslon, Baskerville, and William Morris, and those of Goudy and Rogers in our own day.

Each chapter of the book is set in a type face representative of the period under consideration, and the discussion is copiously illustrated throughout with typographic specimens and examples of contemporary taste in other fields of design.

Frank Denman's interest in the twin arts of printing and type design dates back to his youth, when he was a small-town boy in Ohio, and it was first systematically developed at the Carnegie Institute of Technology. During the decade of the 1920's, Mr. Denman was advertising manager for the Mergenthaler Linotype Company, and for many years thereafter he was associated with the advertising business as writer and copy chief. Today, operating as an advertising consultant, he tries to spend as much time as possible at his Hillsdale, N.Y., farm pursuing his numerous hobbies. In addition to the printing arts, his interests range over the fields of agriculture, geology, anthropology, and penology, but typography claims his main attention. Brother Denman is the author of numerous articles on advertising, printing, and typographic problems.

★ *The Story of the Mexican War* by ROBERT SELPH HENRY, *Vanderbilt '10*. Bobbs-Merrill Co.

No American would wish to see undone the results of the Mexican War of 1846-1848. And yet for a hundred years the prevailing attitude of Americans toward that war has been distinctly apologetic. Such a feeling, says Robert S. Henry, *Vanderbilt '10*, in *The Story of the Mexican War*, is not warranted by the facts. The United States, he demonstrates, did not

force war upon a helpless and unwilling Mexico, and acted throughout with quite as much honor and restraint as are commonly found in international dealings.

A second point demonstrated is that President Polk was in no wise the mediocre figure painted by contemporary partisanship. Under his leadership, great decisions were reached, and the United States became, for the first time, a truly continental power.

The demonstration of these two points is laid out in the text with a convincing completeness to which no summary can do justice.

And the whole book, from beginning to end, is proof of another point—that the Mexican War, in both its political and military aspects, was a lively and interesting as well as an important segment of our history. The material for the story is found in newspapers—including those which sprang up in the wake of the

N.H. Alpha Remodels

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tions. However, because of the restrictions this places on the chapter's campus activities, the future redecoration plans will rest more heavily on the alumni dues program. All in all, with continued support from our alumni, which has made these accomplishments possible, the future looks bright for new Hampshire Alpha's big white house at 5 Webster Avenue.

ABC "Dancing Party"

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world famous architect, and Edward K. Thompson, *North Dakota '27*, managing editor of *Life* Magazine.

The Memory Medley portion of the program was dedicated to two Phi immortals, Lou Gehrig, *Columbia '25*, of baseball fame, and Grantland Rice, *Vanderbilt '01*, the Dean of sports writers before his recent death.

Another highlight of the musical hour was the playing of favorite tunes of various chapters of ΦΔΘ. Included in this were the University of North Carolina, Colgate, Swarthmore, Ohio State, and Stanford chapters.

The whole wonderful hour was written by Ed Ettinger and directed by Warren Somerville with technical supervision by Joe Durante.

Prior to the program notice was sent to all chapters from GHQ in Oxford informing them of the special hour-long salute on this ABC Saturday night radio fixture.

armies—journals and diaries, memoirs, correspondence, government documents and reports, special studies and histories. Brother Henry's exceptional gift for military analysis and narrative has transmuted all this into a vigorous, entertaining and clearly told story of one of America's most colorful, as well as important, conflicts.

We fought the Mexican War in our typical fashion—starting from scratch with total lack of preparation, without so much as a plan and without any understanding of the military requirements—until we learned by experience. The war was successful because of the quality of the individual United States soldier—volun-

teer as well as regular—and the superiority of American artillery.

Henry has the ability not only to get perspective on the whole conflict but also to bring out the vital points in the many individual engagements that made up the war. This is an eminently readable book, another solid achievement by the author of *The Story of the Confederacy* and *The Story of Reconstruction*.

Dr. Douglas S. Freeman called *The Story of the Confederacy* "the book with which to begin the study of the period; to which to return when everything else has been read." *The Story of the Mexican War* deserves the same description.



With Phis in the World of Sports

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., *Washburn '38*

U. S. college basketball coaches have selected an All-Time All-American basketball squad. **Forest De Bernardi** (Westminster) was named on the third team. Other Phis among the 72 players named in the balloting were **Ken Sailors** (Wyoming); **Gerald Tucker** (Oklahoma); **Ernie Vandeweghe** (Colgate); **Tippy Dye** (Ohio State); **Lauren Gale** (Oregon); **Fuzzy Vandiver** (Franklin). . . . Fourteen basketball players now in the armed forces has been chosen to represent the U. S. at the Pan-American games in Mexico City in mid-March. **Pete Silas** (Ga. Tech) who was an All-S.E.C. selection and who played a part of last year with the Phillips Oilers has been selected for the squad, as has **Bob LeBuhn** (Northwestern).

Phi grid players selected in the pro football draft included **Dick Goist** (Cincinnati) and **Don Henderson** (Utah) by Detroit; **Jim Burst** (Wash.-St. Louis) by the Chicago Cardinals; **Fred Baer** (Michigan) by Green Bay; **Terry Fails** (Vanderbilt) by Philadelphia. . . .; **Ed Bernet** (S.M.U.) by Pittsburgh; **Charles Horton** (Vanderbilt) & **Don Bailey** (Penn State) by Washington. Bailey, considered an alternate quarterback for the Shrine East-West contest lead the Eastern team to victory and overshadowed several All-Americans, earning the Sports Writers Trophy as the game's "Outstanding Player."

The 1954 NCAA football statistics reveal that **Ray Quillen** (Virginia) an All-Phi third team end, booted the nation's longest punt in 1954, covering 79 yards. . . . **Jimmy Lear** (Minnesota), ex-Rebel quarterback, starred for the Bolling Air Force Team in the Poinsettia Bowl on December 19. . . . **Tommy Grimes** (Arizona) back played with the Skyline Conference All-Stars in the Salad Bowl game. . . .

Dallas Ward (Oregon State), a member of the All-Phi Football Board and Colorado grid mentor, has been named to the three man coaching staff of the West team for the Shrine East-West classic.

Larry Good and **James Etter** (Indiana) swimmers participated in the National Aquatics Meet in Florida during the Christmas vacation. . . . Early in February the nine-man United States Walker Cup Golf team was selected. It included three Phi golfers, **Jim Jackson** (Wash.-St. Louis), **Richard Yost** (Oregon State) and **Dale Morey** (L.S.U.). . . . **Frank Potts** (Oklahoma), Colorado track mentor, has been named co-coach of the U. S. Pan-American men's track and field team. . . . **Alvin Dark** (L.S.U.), captain of the New York Giants, defeated Al Lopez, manager of the Cleveland Indians, on the 22nd hole of their championship match in the 15th National Baseball Players golf tournament; Dark also won the title in 1951. . . . **Ev Faunce** (Minnesota), 28-year-old former All-Phi back, has been chosen head football coach at Utah State.

Leonide Baarcke (North Carolina), All-Phi swimmer, is on the 17-man squad which will represent the U.S. in the Pan-American games. . . . **Maurice Lorenz** (Purdue), junior basketball star, was awarded the Ward Lambert Scholarship Trophy symbolic of the highest academic index among varsity cagers. . . . **Earl Poucher** (Florida), NCAA pole vault champion, set a new Phi Delt pole vault mark in the NYAC indoor meet when he cleared 14 feet, 10 inches. Poucher was slightly under this mark when he made 14 feet, 6 inches to take third place in the National AAU Indoor Track Meet. . . . In the same competition **Gil Borjeson** (Brown), wearing the colors of the New York Athletic Club, took fourth in the 35 lb. weight.



THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE



Dr. Charles E. Martin (U.C.L.A. '14) Professor of International Law and Political Science and Director of the Institute of International Affairs at the University of Washington, is on sabbatical leave from his University during this academic year. A grant-in-aid from the Rockefeller Foundation made it possible for Dr. Martin to visit Japan for several months in order to inquire into Japan's emerging world position since the Occupation and since the effectiveness of the Japan Peace Treaty, with special reference to Japan's security problem and her relationship to the United Nations.

Following his Japanese sojourn, Brother Martin plans to visit the countries of East and Southeast Asia from Formosa to India, where he will again spend several months. This portion of his journey will be devoted to a study of the stake of the United States in these important countries, most of which have recently come into a condition of independence.

A brief visit will be made to a few of the countries of the Middle East in order to observe American activities, both public and private, which implement American policy in that area.

Dr. Martin's special interest in Europe is the subject of European integration, both from the political and the military standpoints, together with the policy of the United States as regards European defense.

Visiting the areas covered by most of the defense pacts to which the United States is a party, Dr. Martin plans to study the effect of these pacts

on the regions and countries to which they apply. He has made several journeys abroad as a representative of universities and foundations, and during 1948-49 was Chairman of the United States Cultural and Social Science Mission to Japan.

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John McCallum (Washington '41) is the author of a book entitled *This Was Football*, which has been accepted into the Football Hall of Fame at Rutgers University. Present when Director George Little of the National Football Foundation and the Hall of Fame examined the book, in addition to McCallum and his father, was **Dr. Wilbur Bohm** (Idaho '19), former head trainer at Washington State College and later trainer for the Washington Redskins, Cincinnati Reds and St. Louis Cardinals.

Note to Brother McCallum: How about a copy of *This Was Football* for review in THE SCROLL?

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R. Mort Frayn (Washington '27), Speaker of the House, Washington State Legislature, and veteran Seattle printer, was the recipient of the third annual Benjamin Franklin Achievement Award of the 1955 Printing Week Committee of Los Angeles County. The award was made at the sixth annual Graphic Arts banquet at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles, January 20.

Brother Frayn, who presided at several sessions of the recent $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Convention, received the award for being the "individual having most successfully carried out the traditions and precepts of Americanism as laid out by printing's patron saint, Benjamin Franklin."

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Instead of going to Arizona for his health or a vacation, **Dr. Russell S. Boles** (Pennsylvania '12) goes there to work for the public's health. For Dr. Boles, professor of Clinical Medicine at Penn's medical school, is special consultant to the National Cancer Institute of the U. S. Public Health Service in its study of why Navajo Indians in Arizona and New Mexico rarely develop cancer.

Out there last summer, Dr. Boles worked with two teams who live with the tribesmen on their reservation and are directed by the Arizona Commissioner of Health, originator of the project. When the commissioner's findings pointed toward diet as a factor in the Navajos' immunity, Dr. Boles, several times president of the American Gastro-Enterological Association, was asked to help. He expects to return there this summer.

Dr. Boles seems built to fit the old saying—the more you do, the more you can do. He is associate professor of medicine at Penn's Graduate School of Medicine and senior medical chief at Philadelphia General Hospital, where he has been on the staff since he was graduated in 1912 from Penn's medical school.



DR. CHARLES E. MARTIN, U.C.L.A. '14
Conducts on-scene study of international situation.

Around his Penn Valley home he doubles as musician and dog fancier. He helps his wife, an American Kennel Club judge, raise German shepherd dogs. They have a married daughter and son, and six grandchildren.—The *Philadelphia Inquirer Magazine* for January 23

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Marcus C. Craft (Knox '18) was elected president of the Agricultural Ammonia Institute at the organization's fourth annual meeting, held in New Orleans, December 6-8. A charter member of the Institute and one of its first directors, Brother Craft is vice-president of the Midwest Fertilizer Co. of Springfield, Ill., which maintains five ammonia plants.

An ardent Phi, Brother Craft established in 1951 an Illinois Delta scholarship fund in the amount of \$10,000, the interest from which is used each year to provide financial assistance. Preference is given to freshmen to be used in their sophomore year. He writes that he was moved to provide this scholarship as the result of a college experience, in which a Phi sophomore—one of the "greatest football players ever to attend Knox"—was declared ineligible for playing professional football on Sundays. Says Craft, "If he had had a scholarship maybe this would not have happened."

Brother Craft has a Phi son, Major J. Frederick Craft (Knox '41), now with the Air Force, and a Phi nephew, Charles C. Marks (Knox '40).

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Herbert M. Harwood (Chicago '08), retired one-time newspaper publisher living in Los Angeles, was elected secretary of the Iowa Association of Southern California in January. This organization had charge of the 55th annual Iowa Picnic, held February 26 in Lincoln Park, Los Angeles, one of the largest events of its kind in the United States.

At the picnic Brother Harwood presented facts taken from a survey which he had made analyzing Iowa newspaper progress. One of these facts stands out very interestingly. . . . The State of Iowa has more daily newspapers than Russia, the winning score being 44 to 39!

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It has been discovered that the name of one of the most distinguished Phis to be listed in *Who's*



MARCUS C. CRAFT, Knox '18
Top honors in his field to a fine Phi

Who in America was omitted when the list was published in the November, 1954, issue of *THE SCROLL*.

He is Dr. Thomas Jefferson Jackson See (Missouri '89), internationally famed astronomer and geometer who is now living in Vallejo, Calif. More than a full column in *Who's Who* is required to cite the highlights of Brother See's career and his many contributions to the science and literature of his fields.

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Floor leader of the Georgia House of Representatives is Denmark Groover (Georgia '43). He is only 32 years of age, and was first elected to the Legislature in 1952. His demonstrated ability during his "freshman" term of 1953-54 plus his influential support of Marvin Griffin for the governorship led to his selection as the administration's floor leader in the new House.

Brother Groover was in Georgia Alpha as a student at the University when America was thrown into World War II. He enlisted in the Marine Corps and became a fighter pilot in the Marine air arm. He fought the Japs at Guadalcanal and Bismarck Sea, serving in the famous "Black Sheep Squadron" commanded by the renowned Gregory (Pappy) Boyington.

After the war Groover returned to school to complete his education and win his law degree. He also married the former Katheryn Terry and they now have two children, Denmark III, 8, and Terry, 3.

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Edward C. Jenkins (Swarthmore '27), president of American Youth Hostels, Inc., spent a month recently in southern Europe studying the educational

Vermont Alpha Honors Tom Cheney '91

On Dec. 31, 1954, the members of Vermont Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ presented a plaque to one of their outstanding alumni, Tom Cheney '91. The plaque is a token of the sincere appreciation of the chapter for the many years of tireless service and devotion Brother Cheney has given to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.



E. C. JENKINS, Swarthmore '27
*With Mrs. Jenkins before boarding trans-Atlantic
 plane for investigative trip.*

and recreational facilities available there to Americans. He flew to Lisbon on February 1, via TWA. Brother Jenkins' schedule took him to Rome, Madrid, Nice, Paris, and London before returning to the U.S. on March 4. In Rome he discussed the utilization of Italian hostels by American and world youth and the need for more adequate facilities with Ambassador Claire Booth Luce.

Until recently Jenkins had been manager of The Inn at Buck Hill Falls, Pa., since 1932. On March 9 he took over the management of the Skyline Inn in Mt. Pocono, Pa., for Pocono Lodges, Inc.

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Two Phis were appointed as members of the Kansas Board of Regents for four-year terms recently by Gov. Edward F. Arn. They are McDill (Huck) Boyd (Kansas State '29) and Ray Evans (Kansas '44).

Brother Boyd is editor of the Phillipsburg (Kan.) *Review* and owner and publisher of several western Kansas newspapers. He is treasurer of the Kansas Press Association, a past president of the Kansas Day Club, and a past director of the State Chamber of Commerce.

Brother Evans is well known to SCROLL readers as an All-American football player, basketball star, and honor student at the University of Kansas. He is a vice-president and Kansas correspondent for the Traders National Bank in Kansas City, and is a former president of the K. U. Alumni Association.

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T. Wade Harrison (Florida '27) has resigned as general counsel for the Home Loan Bank Board to become general counsel for the United States Sav-

ings & Loan League, with headquarters in the expanded Washington office of the league. The move was effective January 15.

Brother Harrison is considered one of the Nation's outstanding authorities on laws and regulations affecting savings and loan associations, housing and finance. During his 21 years with the Home Loan Bank Board the basic programs such as the Federal Home Loan Bank System, the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp., and the Federal Savings and Loan system, were established and rose to their present prestige and importance in the national economy.

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Bert Struby (Mercer '38) was named editor of the Macon (Ga.) *Telegraph* on December 28. In addition to his new post as editor, Struby will continue as executive editor of the news departments of both the *Telegraph* and the *News*. Brother Struby, whose name has appeared in the columns of THE SCROLL on several occasions, has been with the *Telegraph* since his graduation from college except for a tour of duty with the Navy in World War II.

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Eugene R. Seifert (W & J '24) has been appointed sales manager of New York State Natural Gas Corporation, a Pittsburgh-based firm which wholesales gas to 21 major gas distributing companies in Pennsylvania, New York, and Ohio.

In addition to his new duties, Brother Seifert will continue to supervise tax negotiations for the firm in New York State and will also handle special negotiations involving the purchase of new properties.

He is a member of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.



EUGENE R. SEIFERT, W & J '24
Promotion announced.

Mark Catlin (Wisconsin '31), a veteran of six sessions of the Wisconsin Legislature, was elected Speaker of the Assembly on January 12 when the legislative body opened its 72nd regular session. Catlin has served several times as the administration's floor leader and is known as one of the State's most influential law-makers.

Brother Catlin, former Wisconsin football star, is a member of a solid Phi family. His father is Mark Catlin, Sr. (Chicago '06), football and Olympic great, and his two brothers, John and Tom, are both members of Wisconsin Alpha, classes of '30 and '39, respectively.

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Elba L. Branigin, Jr. (Franklin '30) is currently serving as president of the Franklin College Alumni Association and F. Patrick Cuddy (Franklin '33) is vice-president. In addition to Branigin and Cuddy, seven other Indiana Delta alumni are members of the Alumni Council. They are: Dr. William Province '32; Farwell C. Rhodes, Jr., '42; John M. Hougland '38; Emerson Boyd '36; Leroy T. Cooke '15; Edwin L. Deming '09; and Robert Hougham '42.

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J. Gilbert Mohr (Penn State '36) has joined the staff of Process Development Co., Inc., of Genoa, Ohio, in the capacity of general manager. He was formerly quality control manager of the Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Co.

Process Development was formed in 1953 to augment the operations of Permaglas, Inc., also of Genoa, and manufactures glass fiber products for air filters, paper strengthening, and fiber-glass reinforced plastics.



J. GILBERT MOHR, Penn State '36
To Process Development, Inc.



HARRY J. SHAFFER, Akron '24
Insurance expert

Harry J. Shaffer (Akron '24) has been elected Agency vice-president of the Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Company in Washington, D.C., effective Jan. 1, 1955. Brother Shaffer has a broad background of experience in life insurance field covering more than 28 years which makes him especially well qualified for his new post.

While attending the University of Akron, Shaffer worked his way through college by doing work for the Retail Credit Co. and about a year later began his life insurance career in his home town of Akron. After three years of top flight personal production for the Union Central Life Insurance Co., he was appointed to the position of district manager and immediately began to build a successful agency organization.

In 1936, Brother Shaffer was brought into the home office of the Union Central and appointed assistant superintendent of agencies. He remained in this position until 1945, when he resigned to become Agency vice-president for both the Paul Revere Life Insurance Company and the Massachusetts Protective Association. In this post he continued to demonstrate his outstanding ability in agency management and in May, 1950, he accepted an appointment with the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company as second vice-president and manager of agencies.

Brother Shaffer's excellent reputation as an agency executive is well known throughout the life insurance industry. He has been active in many insurance organizations, and especially so in the Life Insurance Agency Management Association, where he has held several important committee chairmanships. In addition to these organizations and Phi Delta Theta, he is a member of the University Club and various Masonic bodies.—GEORGE L. WRIGHT, Cincinnati '37



DISTINGUISHED GUEST

VINCENT BORLESKE, *Whitman '10*, with
President Dwight Eisenhower

Vincent (Nig) Borleske (*Whitman '10*) served as host to President Eisenhower during his visit to the Northwest last fall for the dedication of the McNary Dam. They are shown above entering the Marcus Whitman Hotel in Walla Walla, Wash., where Ike stayed and which is managed by Borleske.

Brother Borleske is well known throughout the Northwest, both as a great figure in athletics during his playing and coaching days at Whitman and as an outstanding Phi. He was Whitman's football and basketball coach from 1915 to 1947, and was mayor of Walla Walla from 1947 to 1954.—RON COOK, *Washington Beta Reporter*.

Of the three outstanding male citizens of Oxford, Ohio, for 1954, announced in the *Oxford Press* of Dec. 30, 1954, two were members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Dr. John D. Millett (*DePauw '33*), president of Miami University, was designated "Citizen of the Year" by the selection committee. Robert Bourne (*Miami '29*) was one of the two other men given honorable mention. Brother Bourne was named to the Oxford Hall of Fame in 1953.

Dr. Millett's selection as the outstanding man was based upon his many contributions to the civic betterment of Oxford. The committee labeled him as "Oxford's No. 1 citizen in the eyes of the rest of the nation in 1954." Bourne has been active in PTA work, Kiwanis Club, church activities, Teen canteen work, and was a recognized leader in the promotion of a new school building for the community.

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Dr. James Alexander Lyon (*Ohio '04*) recently returned to Washington after spending several weeks in Europe where he visited Portugal, Spain, France, Italy, and Ireland. In October he attended the third International Congress of Diseases of the Chest sponsored by the American College of Chest Physicians at Barcelona. During the session he presented a paper on the "Evaluation of Certain Cardiac Arrhythmias" and was invited to serve on the panel discussion of cardiovascular diseases.

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Francis W. Bartlett, Jr. (*California '22*), executive vice-president of the Gart-Bartlett Grain Co. in Kansas City is busy with numerous civic and municipal activities. He is chairman of the Hall Memorial Library, trustee of the Children's Mercy Hospital, director of St. Luke's hospital, and a director of the First National Bank.

★ SHORT SHOTS FROM THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE ★

Arthur W. Kimbell (*Illinois '13*) is president, general manager and director of United-Carr Fastener Corporation, Boston. He has held that position since 1942. The company traces its start to a little snap fastener and its products have expanded until they are used in automobiles, aircraft, electronics, furniture, refrigerators, footwear, apparel of many kinds—to name only some of the uses. . . . Ed Claycomb (*Illinois '15*), Alumni Commissioner of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, has been appointed Associate General Agent of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Kansas City. . . . Greg C. Merrill (*California '28*) is affiliated with the California Texas Oil Co. in New York City. For a number of years, following graduation he was in U. S. Foreign Service, working in consulates in Bucharest (1932) Yokohama (1933-37), Manila (1938), and Antwerp (1939-40)

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Elmer Pfefferkorn (*Lawrence '54*) recently won the handball championship at Oxford University in England where he is a Rhodes Scholar. Elms

was singles and doubles champion at Lawrence last season. . . . George N. Bishop (*Hanover '29*) has been elected a member of the Alumni Executive Committee of Hanover College. . . . Thomas D. Young '39 is president of the Hanover Alumni Association. . . . Following a testimonial dinner in his honor at Madison February 10, Frank Lloyd Wright (*Wisconsin '80*) announced that he will stay in Wisconsin after all. The famed architect had said last November that he would leave his home state when presented with an \$18,000 back-tax bill as a result of the state Supreme Court's decision that Taliesin did not qualify as a tax exempt school. . . . Edward A. Dickson (*U.C.L.A. '01*), chairman of the University of California Board of Regents, recently gave the University \$30,000 to establish fellowships in graduate journalism. He has also been initiated into BTΣ, business administration honorary at U.C.L.A.

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L. E. Aumiller (*Ohio '18*) of Columbus has been

named loan officer in the mortgage lending department of the Ohio State Federal Savings and Loan Association. . . . **Charles F. Grey, Jr.** (California '43) is assistant dean and instructor at McGregor College of Law in Sacramento, Calif. He is also partner in a law firm. . . . **Gael D. Swing** (Franklin '54) has been appointed Admissions and Placement Counselor in the office of admissions of Franklin College. He will assist the Director of Admissions, **Randall Tucker** (Franklin '53) in prospective student counseling and also be concerned with placement of graduates and former students. . . . The January 29 issue of *Oregon Voter* lauds the work of **Harry Dorman** (Washington '16), Director of the State's Department of Finance and Administration, "in reducing expenditures in practically all departments. . . ." Dorman is an appointee of former Gov. **Doug McKay** (Oregon State '17).

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The Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts recently presented to its Secretary and Director, **Joseph T. Fraser, Jr.** (Pennsylvania '22) its highest award—the Academy Gold Medal of Honor—"for eminent services to the Academy." The award was a surprise to Brother Fraser who became the third non-artist of 32 recipients since the award's establishment in 1893. . . . **Robert L. Marshall** (Ohio '52) has been promoted to associate professor of instrumental music at Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, Neb. The school fielded an 80-piece marching band last fall. . . . **Joseph L. Ryons** (Nebraska '21) is the newly elected president of the Bond Club of Los Angeles. . . . The Smithsonian Institution has appointed **Dr. J. F. Gates Clarke** (Washington State '27) Curator of Insects, U. S. National Museum. Brother Clarke [see *SCROLL*, January, 1955, p. 171] has been with the Department of Agriculture since 1936 as a specialist on Lepidoptera.

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Ralph R. Hartley (Wisconsin '10) has been elected president of the Paine Lumber Co., Ltd., of Oshkosh, Wis. The firm manufactures several varieties of flush doors for interior, exterior, and institutional use. . . . **Dr. Henry H. Tift** (Georgia Tech '38) is the newly elected president of the Kiwanis Club of Macon, Ga. . . . **Dr. Rufus C. Harris** (Mercer '17), president of Tulane University, was reappointed chairman and federal reserve agent of the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta on December 28. . . . **H. W. Schweinsberg** (West Virginia '39), production superintendent of the Du Pont plant at Belle, W. Va., recently told the Charleston (W. Va.) Kiwanis Club that the coal industry is sadly lacking in research facilities. "Research creates jobs and research in the coal industry is the only guarantee of a future in this dynamic age," he said.

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Harbaugh Miller (Pittsburgh '23), former province president and alumni commissioner for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, is the newly elected president of the Allegheny County Bar Association. He has also been a trustee of the University of Pittsburgh since 1945. . . . **John C. Lewis** (Mercer '15), veteran Georgia legislator, has

Note of Clarification

In the Palladium section of the January *SCROLL* there appeared a minute of the Board of Trustees (Page 272, item 31) to the effect that **Richard W. Northrup**, Mass. Alpha, had been expelled, "for conduct unbecoming a Phi." Lest there be any misinterpretation of the facts, it should be pointed out that no immoral or illegal act on Mr. Northrup's part was involved.

Mr. Northrup had "resigned" from $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ —which, as most Phis know, can be done only at the request of his chapter. Since Massachusetts Alpha was and is under suspension and therefore powerless to request such resignation, and since Mr. Northrup was desirous of having his $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ membership terminated, the action taken was the method used by the Board of Trustees under the Statutes of the Fraternity in acceding to his wishes.

been chosen by new Governor Griffin to be personnel director of the Georgia State Highway Department. . . . **E. J. Ireland** (Oregon '37), former state legislator, has been named secretary of the Oregon State Board of Control. . . . **Roger C. Easton** (Pennsylvania '52) is with the Proctor and Gamble Co. in Cincinnati as staff assistant in the marketing of one of the company's shortening products. . . . **Robert D. Horne** (Georgia '40) has been installed as the new president of the Cordele (Ga.) Kiwanis Club. Bob is one of four Phi brothers and he also has two Phis serving on his club board of directors: **Bill Legwen** (Georgia '29) and **Guy Cobb, Jr.** (Mercer '43).

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Tom Lewis (Union '26), TV producer, and his beautiful wife **Loretta Young** of movies and TV fame, recently purchased a de luxe 30-unit apartment structure nearing completion in West Los Angeles. . . . **Edward H. Haggarty** (Wisconsin '16) is president of J. J. Haggarty Stores, Inc., women's specialty shops in the Los Angeles area. . . . **Earl Jardine, Jr.** (California '21) is over-all volunteer chairman of the 1955 Red Cross fund-raising campaign in Los Angeles. . . . **C. Burke Elbrick** (Williams '29) is located in Washington, D.C., where he is serving as Deputy Director of European Affairs in the Department of State. . . . **Herbert W. Richardson** (West Virginia '33) is Judge of the Kanawha County Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court in Charleston, W. Va. . . . **Willard Pierce** (Kansas '22) was named salesman of the year by the K.C. division of Birmingham & Prosser, paper merchants. As a reward he was sent on a trip to visit paper mills in Wisconsin, with which the company does business. When in Menasha, Pierce dropped in at the Collegiate Press where *THE SCROLL* is printed for a chat with **J. H. Wilterding**, P.G.C.

Tribute to Spec Keene

The story which follows appeared in Marlowe Branagan's column "Tower Lights" in the Oregon Journal for Dec. 26, 1954. It was sent to THE SCROLL by C. W. Walls (Oregon '12) of Portland.—Ed.

One of the finest guys in the world of sports, Roy (Spec) Keene (Oregon State '20), spent Christmas day in a hospital and he will spend New Year's day in the same locale.

Here's an affable, hard working and honest fellow who does prove that the job of athletic director at a Pacific Coast conference school isn't all peaches and cream.

We have heard it said that a man who gets himself a job as an athletic director has it made, to coin a phrase. There are those who think it is the next best thing to sweeping out a national mint with the privilege of taking up all the loose change one can sweep.

Oregon State's Spec Keene proves it otherwise.

His is the big, big job of making a limited budget go a long way in paying the cost of operation. His is the bigger job of trying to satisfy alumni who don't like a coach and trying to assuage the demands of coaches who don't like the alumni.

He has to plan travel jaunts for coaches, players and athletic personnel. He has to listen to the jeers of the unimpressed and sit by and listen to the cheers of perennial sophomores.

An athletic director has no time he can call his own. His home is a spot to which he guides his weary footsteps in infrequent fashion. An airline limousine seat, a hotel room or a sleeping car berth greet him as often as do members of his personal family.

Spec was recently chosen as president of the Pacific Coast conference athletic directors. That is just another job hoisted off on him.

It all adds up to a job which taxes the patience and tact and courtesy—indeed, the very heart—of a man. Spec Keene tried—has tried—for many years to keep up a pace which is the same as burning a candle at both ends.

His thousands of friends and added thousands of casual acquaintances in this state and across our fair land join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

And, they blend their voices in the hope that he'll slow down just a bit when he does return to work. Spec Keene will discover, at 60, he can't run as fast or as far or as often as he could when he was 30.

★ BRIEF ITEMS ABOUT PHIS ★ WITH THE COLORS

2nd Lt. Tom Randall (Oklahoma '53) took part in "Operation Santa Claus" as a member of the 7th Infantry Division Artillery, which attempted to help the war ravaged people of Korea. The project was built on contributions by men of the Division, but many wrote home asking for donations of supplies and clothing. . . . PFC James A. Baker (S.M.U. '53) is a member of the 1st Armored Division at Fort Hood, Tex. Known as "Old Ironsides," this was the first armored division organized in the U.S., and won fame for its World War II fighting in Africa and Italy. . . . 2nd Lt. William C. Foss (Minnesota '54) arrived in Crailsheim, Germany, on February 1 and is with the 184th Medical Company. . . . Pvt. Edward H. Nicholson (Davidson '54) reached Taegu, Korea, in January, and is now serving as a clerk-typist in the quartermaster section of Headquarters, Korean Communications Zone.

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2nd Lt. Keith G. Farnam (Oregon '54) is with the 2nd Infantry Division at Fort Lewis, Wash. . . . Capt. James B. Harward (Florida '46) arrived recently in Korea and is now a member of the Korean Military Advisory Group. American military personnel assigned to the advisory unit, a group of more than 2000 highly trained officer and enlisted specialists, counsel the Republic of Korea army on all phases of military training and operations. . . . 2nd Lt. Howard D. Runda (Purdue '54) is with the 95th Field Artillery Battery stationed in Schwaebisch Gmuend, Germany. This unit is called the "Honest John" battery after the special rocket which it operates. . . . Theodore Schneider (Wisconsin '53) has been promoted to corporal in France where he is a member of the U.S. Army Communications Zone's 7832nd Army Unit at Captieux Ordnance Depot.

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2nd Lt. Keith F. Kurzka (Lake Forest '53) participated during February in "Exercise Hail Storm," a maneuver testing combat efficiency under winter conditions at Camp Hale, Colo. . . . Pvt. James M. Garcia (Maryland '55) landed in Sandhofen, Germany, February 1, where he is a member of the 7th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion. He is a connoisseur. . . . Cpl. Robert W. Bugg, Jr. (Auburn '55) is with the 1st Infantry Division in Germany. He is a squad leader in Company C of the 26th Regiment. . . . 2nd Lts. Philip J. Murphy (Vermont '54), Guy A. Huguelet (Kentucky '54), Dale L. Tal-

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Did You Know That . . .

Ralph A. Kennedy, *Amherst '04*, a veteran of nearly fifty years of golfing, has played on 3165 courses all over the world?



PHIS WITH THE COLORS

LEFT: Outstanding Soldier "Oscar" won by KENNETH KEATING, Vermont '54, while taking his boat training for the Army Reserves at Camp Drum. The award was given on a competitive basis, Ken winning on the same type of record that made him an outstanding Phi at Vermont Alpha. CENTER: This picture comes from PVT. THOMAS F. BRYANT, Texas Tech '54, who looked for brother Phis at first opportunity when he arrived at Ft. Bliss, Texas. He found CPL. GERALD R. STRYKER, Kansas State '57, and naturally they're pals. But we don't know which is which in the picture. RIGHT: 1ST LT. GEORGE M. TURNER, Georgia '50, who participated in recent simulated atomic warfare maneuver at Ft. Benning, Ga. It was known as "Exercise Follow Me."

bert (Florida '54), and Ted Harrison (Texas Tech '54) all graduated recently from the Infantry School's basic officers course at Fort Benning, Ga. The course is designed for officers who have not previously served with troops. . . . Paul F. Anderson (Nebraska '53) graduated January 25 from the American Institute for Foreign Trade at Thunderbird Field, Phoenix, Ariz. He specialized in South America in preparation for a career in American business or government in that area.

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Ex-GI Wins Trip to Europe

In 1954, while on an expense paid excursion to the Far East, courtesy of the U. S. Army, Jim Van Sant (Westminster '52) won an expense paid trip to Europe, courtesy of the *Saturday Review*. Readers of the *Review* will undoubtedly recall that magazine's 1954 Photo Contest and the Grand Prize winner that appeared on its January 1 cover. The picture,

taken by Van Sant while on a trip to a Buddhist Temple near Pusan, was judged by a board of four of the country's most outstanding photography experts to be the best entry out of 10,000, based on composition, imagination, and atmosphere combined with technical excellence. Brother Van Sant plans to leave in June, accompanied by his mother.—JACK H. RANKIN.

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At a recent meeting the Torch Club of Columbus, Ohio, examined the question, "Should Congressional Investigations Be Limited?" Leader of the discussion was John A. Eckler (Ohio Wesleyan '35), an attorney who once served as administrative assistant to Senator John Bricker. A former president of the Ohio Wesleyan student body and member of ΦBK as an undergraduate, Brother Eckler commanded a subchaser in the South Pacific during World War II. He is a member of the Torch Club as is John Edwin Brown, P.P.C.C. (Ohio Wesleyan '84) who sent this item to THE SCROLL.

PHIS WITH THE COLORS

LEFT: JOHN S. POWELL, Florida '53, receives his 1st lieutenant's bars, after being promoted in Korea, from Lt. Col. Saul Gitlin. CENTER: 2ND LT. JAMES C. KAUTZ, Cincinnati '53, greets his parents on their arrival in Honolulu for a visit with him during his stay at Schofield Barracks. RIGHT: 1ST LT. J. L. MOHAN, Illinois '52, is greeted at Tokyo Army Hospital in Japan by Cardinal Francis J. Spellman, archbishop of New York.





... AND SOON ... FAREWELL

This is the time of year when Phi chapters throughout the land begin to think of the manpower loss that will come through graduation in a few short weeks. Typical is this outstanding group of seniors which will leave Washington Alpha in June. They're all pretty serious. Perhaps they were reminded of this fact when the picture was taken at their last Phi Winter formal recently.

★ REPORTS from the UNDERGRADUATE FRONT ★

ALABAMA ALPHA, University of Alabama.—Our Spring semester is highlighted by the annual Honky Tonk party. It is the year's biggest rush party and an event which is looked forward to by all. This year it will be held about April 30. We have changed our rush program a little with the hopes of increasing the effectiveness of each and every party. Having divided the state into three sections, we will rush each section separately this time. This should allow us to concentrate more on each and every boy and get to know all rushees better. The chapter was elated over the high scholastic average of our pledge class last semester. Over half of this group had a B average or better. This was just reward for the entire chapter as well as the pledges who worked for harmony and good understanding in order to produce improvement in all the phases of fraternity life.—J. MOLTON SMITH, Reporter.

ALABAMA BETA, Alabama Polytechnic Institute.—Alabama Beta moves into the quarter with high hopes in intramural fields. The basketball, bowling and ping pong teams continue to be undefeated. At the end of Winter rush, these outstanding men joined the ranks of Alabama Beta's Phikeias: Dan Prout, Eutaw; Frank Foy, Alexander City, and Austin Rasco, Miami, Fla. The chapter welcomed a new brother into the Bond January 19. He is

Dan Gay, Lucedale, Miss. We are looking forward to our Founders Day banquet speaker for this year who is Frank S. Wright, past member-at-large of the General Council. We are hoping to have a large turnout of the Montgomery Alumni Club with us at the banquet. Plans have been definitely formulated for a fund raising campaign for our new house. The Alumni Board heading this new house project will meet the afternoon of our Founders Day banquet. The brothers and their dates enjoyed the Valentine Party, February 11—music by A. P. Parker and his combo. We honored our house mother, Mrs. William Bradford, with a surprise birthday party, February 1. The Auburn Phis made a very good showing scholastically Fall quarter. Of the 22 fraternities on campus, we were one of the seven above the all-men's average. The chapter has enjoyed the visits of several brothers and alumni stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.—ROBERT E. PEAK, Reporter.

ALBERTA ALPHA, University of Alberta.—The last quarter has seen eager participation in the various fields of collegiate endeavor as far as Alberta Alpha is concerned. In the field of sports, Macintosh and Cyril Ing are the leading scorers and playmakers in intervarsity basketball and hockey respectively. Macintosh has a 22 point average per game while Ing has netted the most goals and assists to lead our hockey team

to victory over our Western Canadian rivals. Not only have we been able to provide individual stars but $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is well represented on any intervarsity team by a number of sturdy team players. The intramural program has not been lacking in support either, with Alberta Alpha one of the biggest contenders in both participation and competition. Peacocke, this chapter's all round man, will project another of his obvious talents in the near future in his stage role as the leading man in *Playboy of the Western World*, a play to be put on by the University Drama Society. Further, Peacocke is president of the Gold Key honor society, has been approached by the Edmonton Drama League to introduce a drama adjudicator from the English theatre. Other distinguished personages approached for similar tasks were the Premier of Alberta, E. C. Manning and Lieutenant Governor Bowen—very select company. The latter part of this past term's social schedule, which included a well-organized pledge party by Phikeia George Robertson, has been interspersed with some honest down-to-earth work—a wonderful team effort by pledges and brothers alike, ramrodded by Jim Millard, our "minister without portfolio." The main projects include the dining room and chapter room with each of the chapter members completely redecorating his room. We hope that our efforts contributed substantially to the success

of our highly touted 25th Anniversary on the campus, celebrated in conjunction with Founders Day March 4, 5 and 6, 1955.—BLAIR MASON, *Reporter*.

ARIZONA ALPHA, University of Arizona.—Arizona Alpha's President, Tommy Grimes, was voted the most eligible bachelor on campus and received his award at the Mortar Board formal. The whole school turned out to honor him. Tommy also played a very fine game for the Border Conference All-Star team in the Salad Bowl football game which was held in Phoenix. A very successful Christmas party was held for all the children of our alumni. Phikeia Casey Jones dressed up as Santa Claus and presented each of the kiddies with a gift. Refreshments were also served. Rush started in February and if things keep on going as they have been, it will be a very successful one. We have the plans for our new house and we plan to show them off during rush this semester. We all hope that this will be temporary and that the house will be constructed some time next year. John Perkins, who was a Phikeia here in 1952, is back with us after two years in the Navy. We are all glad to see him back. Thanks to Ed Birmingham's able leadership, we won first place in the annual Men's Varsity Night. The theme was Phi Delt Flicks, a take-off on old time movies.—LAWRENCE IDE, *Reporter*.

ARKANSAS ALPHA, University of Arkansas.—Arkansas Alpha completed a very successful rushing program for the Spring semester. The new Phikeias are: Dave Waller, Memphis, Tenn.; Raymond Cardwell, Little Rock; Fred Reiselt, Camden; Lewis Sharp, Tuckerman; Wayne Beard, Newport; Ted Souter, Spring Hill, La.; and Preston Carpenter, Muskogee, Okla. The Phis have been very active on campus during the past few months. Recently elected officers in campus organizations are as follows: Graham Sudbury, president of Blue Key and Gordon Gates, vice president of O Δ K. Several other Phis were initiated into Pershing Rifles and Scabbard and Blade. The chapter is pleased to announce the initiation of eight men from the Fall pledge class. These men are: Charles Scott, Little Rock; Jim Williams, Little Rock; Ernest Lawrence, Little Rock; Sam Smith, Tuckerman; Randy Robertson, Little Rock; Jerry Massey, Mountain View; Jim Hayden, Springdale; and Orville Hall, Fayetteville. Chapter elections were held January 10 for the Spring semester, with Jack Evans being elected president. Intramural sports thus far indi-

cate a tight race for honors with our teams making a very good showing. The basketball team is making an excellent showing for our chances at the Intramural Sweepstakes Trophy. Arkansas Alpha's annual Spring formal, known as the Buccaneers' Ball, was held March 19 with the usual atmosphere of a Deep South festivity.—FRANK GROHOSKI, *Reporter*.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, University of British Columbia.—1955 arrived on schedule at a party at the chapter house. The guest of honor, little 1955, has proven to be a lively sort and has brought many events with him to British Columbia Alpha. The Greek Letter Society's "Mardi Gras" was a fabulous success this year thanks to the work of Tom Cook and Don Jabour, who were on the committee, and to Jim McNicol and George Seymour, who escorted the Queen candidates. Our thanks to Jack Ridley for the cocktail party beforehand. Keith "Tweedy" Liddle was the outstanding choice for the Prince of Mardi Gras. The Bohemian, held at the house February 5, was as great a success as the one held at the beginning of the year. The Hunsinger award for the best costume was shared by Jack Shippobotham, Lorne Montaine, Bhagat Basi and Keith Liddle. January 23 the chapter welcomed twenty new brothers into the Bond. During Spring rushing we garnered five new Phikeias: Ron Stewart, Mike Warren, Jim Oliver, Larry Kronstrom and Dave Barron. The chapter is keeping up its excellent record in intramural sports. We have four teams entered in basketball and our rugger team has not lost a game. Several brothers have attained international recognition as cheerleaders for their inspired efforts at the "Powder Bowl." "Knit one, purl two, Gamma Phi Beta, yoo hoo!", the yell made famous by these innovators is currently number one on the list of contemporary sounds. Don Jabour and Al Ezzy entertained at half-time by Charlestoning to the music of Sandy Ross' Campus Coolsters (playing hot). Plans are crystallizing to extend the chapter house and every one at 2120 Westbrook Crescent is hoping that the addition will materialize.—JOHN RICHARDS, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA, University of California.—Under the leadership of Larry Taber, our newly elected Spring semester president, and Tom Coakley, rushing chairman, California Alpha pledged four new men to supplement the Fall class of 23 which was the largest of the 52 fraternities on campus. New pledges are: Steve

Glagolda, Pennsylvania; Ray Lewis, Pasadena; Larry Aliveri, Oakland, and Dick Randall, Oakland. California Alpha is also happy to announce that the grades for the past semester were high. Although no official rating has yet been released, seventeen of the Fall pledges made the C average required for initiation. The Miami Triad was held January 8 at the famous Claremont Hotel and was a great success. At this time we at California Alpha are looking forward to a full social schedule for the Spring semester, to include two sorority exchanges, Spring formal, costume dance and a day at Adobe Creek. We are also laying plans for installation of a new chapter at Davis this Spring. JOHN PERROTT, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA BETA, Stanford University.—California Beta once again scooped the campus by adding to the rolls the nineteen best Freshmen in these parts. We proudly present: Jim Brown, Rudy Figueroa, Allen Shaw, Los Angeles; Tony Bonniwell, Dean Thomas, Hollywood; Milt Bonzell, Dale Doty, George Fox, San Francisco; Bob Schmidt, Chris Plain, San Mateo; Chuck Cobb, Fresno; Keith Fraser, Livermore; Jay Jackson, Hayward; John Jordan, Fullerton; Jay Kroeter, Oswego, Ore.; Bob Oxarart, Sherman Oaks; Bob Vander Wall, Mentone, and Sonny Whitten, Arlington, Va. Athletics finds California Beta in a prominent spot. In basketball the intramural team is tied for first place. Phikeias Jay Jackson and Dean Thomas are on the first string Frosh team. Phil Ritzau and Dick Green are on the rugby squad. Chapter prexy Tom Dandurand and Phikeia Rudy Figueroa are on the first string baseball team. Allen Shaw is playing first string Frosh baseball and George Fox is doing a great job as catcher. Bob Reed, running the distances, completes a colorful track career this season. Also on the cinders will be Jim Saras, sprinting, and Paul Wiggan with the cannon ball, along with Phikeias Chuck Cobb on the hurdles and John Jordan in the sprints. Stanford Phis are known for their parties and this year our weekly "blasts" have been the best ever. The Miami Triad at the Old Hearst Ranch was the big formal party of the quarter. The Founders Day banquet was held jointly with California Alpha on the Peninsula this year and we had a large turnout of alumni. Building is going on at a furious pace at Stanford. By next year new dormitories housing over 1,000 men will have been completed. One of these is a replacement for Encina Hall—Wilbur Hall and will house all entering

Freshman men. The Phis, in step with the building boom, are making plans for a new house, too. The University just picked a 34 member Stanford Hall of Fame—seven of them are Phis, including four footballers, one basketballer, one swimmer and one tennis player. The California Beta Alumni Directory will be mailed soon. Recent visitors were Mort Van Ostrand, '42, and Norm Standlee, '41, We're always glad to see the "old boys" come around.—STEVE COOK, Reporter.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA, U.C.L.A.
—Strengthened by the addition of sixteen new brothers, the jolly crew of Phis sails on into the new semester. Looking forward to wearing the Sword and Shield and the Initiation formal are: Ted Butler, Don Malloy, Jim Roth, Lou Parsons, John Coombs, Don Dewey, Bill Marston, Dick Skaer, Bob Thompson, J.R. McKabe, Don Watkins, Barry Billington, Pete Du Bois, Steve Brixey, Jim Brannon and Don Ferguson. The efforts of Pledgemaster Dick Doss and Scholarship Chairman Fred Shean were instrumental in pulling this large group through pledging. Work Week has ended and a shining, bright and clean chapter house greets the new rushees. Encouraged by the success of the previous semester, we have high hopes of securing another fine pledge class under the leadership of Rush Chairman Tony Rexrode. With the beginning of a new semester, the Phis' quest for a third straight All-Fraternity Intramural Championship continues. At present we are just off the pace, and Athletic Chairman Duncan Johnson says, "We'll be tough from here on in." Regular basketball practices have been held, and the club looks good. Almost the entire baseball squad, which won league and took a second place in the playoffs last year, is back. The strong right arm of moundsman Jack Arnold may be the key to a softball championship. The Pacific Coast Conference wrestling season started in February and Don Bott and Barry Billington are ready to mix-it-up. Jack Arnold and Dick Skaer continue to cavort on the hardwoods, while tennis Co-Captains Dick Doss and Jim Read sharpen their game awaiting the first match. Social Chairman Floyd Sternberg is tired of quiet coat and tie parties and plans a program highlighting theme parties. The brothers will get out the old letterman sweater, Levis and motorcycle boots to bring back old times with a High School party. An Hawaiian Luau and a Gay Twenties party are also on tap. Three formals head the social activities of the



PARTY DECORATIONS

Scene in California Gamma living room during recent costume party. SEATED—Phikeia Chuck Dahlgren and date.

Spring semester. The traditional Initiation formal honoring the new brothers at the Miramar Hotel will be followed by the biggest Miami Triad ever. Then, in May, the old dads of the Phi house can be seen in their white dinner jackets at the annual $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ formal.—ROBERT WALL, Reporter.

CALIFORNIA DELTA
University of Southern California
No letter received.

COLORADO ALPHA, University of Colorado.—Official grade averages have not been released, but it appears that Colorado Alpha has maintained its scholarship well above the all-men's average. Led by our scholarship whip, Thomas Gunner, a number of Phis attained high honors in the academic circles. As the new semester progresses, the chapter is devoting much of its time and energy to raising funds for the new wing on the chapter house. Highlights of the social season will be the annual pledge-sponsored Gangster party in March and, of course, the Miami Triad in April. Also in the planning stage is a revival of the turtle race which always was a great success in the past. Sixteen men were initiated into Colorado Alpha at the end of Fall semester: Robert Kropf, Mark Mullin, Boulder; Thomas Cooley, Fred Vickers, Ronald Miller, Gerald Lanterman, Denver; Mansel Worden, Loveland; Reuben Ball, Upper Montclair, N.J.; Theodore Bessell, Manhasset, N.Y.; Laurence Smith, East Cleveland, Ohio; John Crouch, Tipton, Ind.; James Yore, Lake Forest, Ill.; Ronald Barton, Des Plaines, Ill.; George Ficke, Crete,

Ill.; Oscar Pieper, Menlo Park, Calif., and Laurence Ohl, Pacific Palisades, Calif.—FRED BOSSELMAN, Reporter.

COLORADO BETA, Colorado College.—Colorado Beta climaxed a busy first semester when all but two Phikeias made the initiation scholastic requirement. The overall pledge grade average was above three point on a four point system, the active chapter added their part and the school scholastic cup shall remain at Colorado Beta for one more semester. Ray Myers, Riverside, Calif., and Frank Donaldson, Hauppauge, L.I., N.Y., were recently added to the pledge roster. The annual Winter Carnival between semesters was held at Aspen, Colo. John Vilmont reigned as Snow King and fun was had by all. Jim Jacobs was named editor of *The Tiger*, school paper. Ted Lott was named assistant editor and Phikeia Keith Argow will hold the post of advertising manager for the new year. Sam Maynes, Richard Clothier and Phil Good were three of fourteen charter members of Blue Key, national men's honorary fraternity. Good was the school's delegate to this year's national convention at Indianapolis. On the intramural front Colorado Beta is one point out of first place. Our basketball team, as of this writing, is undefeated and well on the way to another championship. Colorado Beta is well represented in Colorado College varsity sport. Duane Wolff, Dave Crotty and Emilio Manzanares are on the basketball team. Don Hansen is doing an excellent job at center for the C. C. hockey team, which is currently holding top spot in the Western Hockey League, and which has nearly attained a berth in the N.C.A.A. Hockey Tourney. Karl Holz and Bob Mann are members of the varsity ski team. New officers were elected for the coming semester including John Buzia, president.—PHIL GOOD, Reporter.

COLORADO GAMMA, Colorado A. and M. College.—The new brothers who were initiated this quarter performed a community service in keeping with the new approach to Help Week by shining shoes in the Student Union, the proceeds being donated to the March of Dimes. These Phikeias also co-operated with the Interfraternity Council by shining shoes in the downtown area for the same cause. The new initiates are: Bob Caraway, Lexington, Neb.; Bob Carufel, Bismarck, N.D.; Jack Bertagnolli, Rock Springs, Wyo.; Chuck Margritz, Lexington, Neb., and Dick Miernyk, Durango. Colorado Gamma has five new Phikeias this quarter: Bob Law and Bill

Cox, Colorado Springs; Fred Reichardt, Greeley; Bill Williams, Wheatridge, and Ed Lowrey, Denver, who was associated with us in 1949 before entering the Navy. In December we cooperated with KΑΘ in a Christmas party for the orphans and underprivileged children of the town. The party, judging by the reaction of both the children and the sponsors, was a huge success. Our annual Winter outing was held recently and the entire chapter traveled to Hidden Valley Winter sports area in Rocky Mountain National Park after an early breakfast at the house. We enjoyed a day of skiing and then proceeded to a mountain lodge where we finished the evening with dinner and dancing before returning to the campus.—JIM POTTS, *Reporter*.

FLORIDA ALPHA
University of Florida
No letter received.

FLORIDA GAMMA, Florida State University.—The brothers of Florida Gamma and Florida State University are very proud of Ernie Stock of Detroit, Mich., who was selected as a member of the 1954 All American swimming team. Ernie is also a prime candidate for the 1956 American Olympic team. Hal Schaus will again be Number One man on the University tennis team for the second straight year. In intramurals Florida Gamma started second semester in a tie for the Balfour over-all trophy, which we are attempting to win for the third straight year. Our touch football team is also tied for first place in attempting their third straight championship. Social activities hold probably the outstanding spot in our Spring schedule and are of great interest to most alumni, who enjoy coming back for the big social weekends. Some of the larger affairs are: Sandspur; Interfraternity Council weekend, featuring Duke Ellington; ΦΔΘ weekend, April 16, at which our Phi Sweetheart will be presented; and Circus weekend, at which time Gale Porter will be a star performer. A new patio has been built adjacent to the porch of our house and should prove an outstanding attraction for starlight dances this Spring. This patio was made possible by donations from Phi alumni, to whom our utmost thanks are extended. Florida Gamma is also attempting to further strengthen alumni relations by inviting a different alumnus and wife to dinner each Sunday.—ART ALLWOOD, *Reporter*.

FLORIDA DELTA, University of Miami.—Our installation weekend be-



PHI DELT-DEEGEE COMBINE
U.C.L.A. Phis and Delta Gammas work together on
1954 Homecoming Float.

gan with the arrival of Brothers Wilterding, P.G.C., Hoffman, Cosgrove, Stuart and Miller, Thursday evening, December 9. After various periods of indoctrination, interspersed with a good deal of fun, we were finally initiated Friday night. This was followed, Saturday afternoon, with the formal presentation of our charter by President Wilterding to Dave Montgomery, and, that evening, with our installation banquet and dance at the fabulous Biscayne Terrace Hotel. Phikeias initiated at the banquet include: John Boozer, Marion Ala.; John Leach, Springfield, Mass.; Richard Dowling, Portland, Me.; Skip Coolidge, Quincy, Mass.; Carroll Bridgeforth, Winchester, Va.; Bob Crump, Olathe, Kan.; John Derst, Savannah, Ga.; Phil Shaver, Henry, Ill.; Ernie Swift and Jack Gregory, Grosse Pointe, Mich.; Lew Theisen, Ft. Lauderdale, and Bill Farrell, Bill Haas, Ken Jackson, Herb Schaak, Bob Murphy and Bill Thomas, Miami. We wish to take this opportunity to express our deep debt of gratitude to ΦΔΘ, and especially to all those Phis, in addition to those mentioned above, including the brothers from Florida Alpha and Florida Gamma, Brother MacKenzie, Province President, Brother Tigert and Brother Wright and the Miami Alumni Club members, who came to officiate at these ceremonies. Formal rushing began February 4. Our new status as ΦΔΘ should do a great deal in attracting the highest caliber of man to our chapter. It is indeed an honor and a pleasure to write this, our first report to THE SCROLL, and greet all of you as Brothers in the Bond.—BRUCE D. KOLB, *Reporter*.

GEORGIA ALPHA, University of Georgia.—Georgia Alpha began the Winter quarter with a truly good Phi spirit and an attitude of cooperation in all phases of fraternity life. In athletics the "Phi Five" is leading the intramural league with five straight victories, including a 35-32 win over our arch-rivals ΣΑΕ. It looks as if our badminton team will also lead the campus again as it did last quarter. With this renewed spirit we are closing the gap in the race for the Governor's Trophy for over-all intramurals which we won last year. Under the guidance of Charlie Walker, rush chairman, we have already pledged six new Phikeias during wildcat rushing this quarter. They are: Tom Kimball, Fitzgerald; John McCune and Nick Cabero, Hawkinsville; Bill Hardy, Savannah; Walton Davis, Albany, and Leroy Forehand, Cordle. We have recently initiated seven new brothers into the Bond of ΦΔΘ. They are: Tom Beutell, Bill Kemp, Linton West, Jr., Atlanta; Bob Baker and Waddell Pate, Augusta; Ed Winter, Palmetto, Fla. The actives of Georgia Alpha would like to take this opportunity to thank our fine alumni who have enabled us to begin construction on our new house sometime during the Spring. We would also like to express special appreciation to Sid Smith, Sr., Gainesville, Chairman of the Georgia Alpha Educational Committee and Owen Roberts and Albert Jones, Athens, chapter adviser and financial adviser, respectively. The new officers include Warren Wood as president. We hope soon to give a good idea of the new house construction.—NORMAN FLETCHER, *Reporter*.



GEORGIA GAMMA PHIKEIAS

FIRST ROW: Jack Lawton, Steve Hansford, Jim Hilliard. SECOND ROW: Bill Lee, Mac Smith, Cloyd Hall, Bob Steed, Jere Greer. THIRD ROW: Bill Smith, Sheffield Smith, Hugh Parker, Danny Hobbs, Terry Brown, Tommy Patton. FOURTH ROW: Fred Burdette, Roger Shadburn, Benny Woodall, Ronnie Williams, Dan Fretwell.

GEORGIA BETA, Emory University.—February 13 was initiation day, and Georgia Beta now has eighteen new brothers. They are: Jim Askew, Alexander City, Ala.; Buck Baker, Atlanta; Ben Cheek, Toccoa; Bob DuPont, Decatur; Bill Ensign, Rossville; Bill Geroni, Greenville, S.C.; Bud Jenkins, LaGrange; Dave Knapp, Atlanta; Richard Lee, Montgomery, Ala.; Bob Letsinger, Alcoa, Tenn.; Scott McCarty, Dalton; Clarence Petty, Selma, Ala.; Warren Quillian, Coral Gables, Fla.; Charles Rumble, Macon; Clyde Smith, Brunswick; Franz Stewart, Coral Gables, Fla.; Tom Thompson, Eatonton, and Harvey Wilson, Atlanta. Phis Cliff Cottingham, Georgia, and Bill Rexford, Michigan, have recently affiliated with this chapter. Phikeias Tom Bryant, Demopolis, Ala.; Jack Cook, Tennessee; Bob Taylor, Marietta, and Al Wilkinson, Dawson, pledged during Winter quarter. Mary Hobby Mills has been elected our new sponsor. She was presented at our Winter formal, which, as usual, climaxed the year's biggest weekend. Beth Minter, a history major from Selma, Ala., has recently received the Rhodes Scholarship. Brother Minter leaves for Oxford next September. The Miami Triad will be held March 25. It was initiated last year and is to be an annual event. The interior of the house has been greatly improved by recent redecoration. Georgia Beta again actively participated in the annual Founders Day celebration sponsored by the Atlanta Alumni Club. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is still leading in the race for the University and the I.F.C.

athletic trophies. We went undefeated in all sports events from September until the middle of February when a close basketball game broke our string of victories.—**DAVID GLANCY, Reporter.**

GEORGIA GAMMA, Mercer University.—The chapter is alive with activity now that Spring has once more rolled around. Bill Burgamy is chairman of the float building committee for Bear Day. Carswell Turner and Jimmy Alford report good progress on the Campus Sing, to be held April 7. Phikeia Sheffield Smith is handling the art work, which will feature various sections of the United States. Dean Johnson and Ben Whitaker have begun work for the annual house party at Saint Simon's Island June 5-12. The chapter attended the Vineville Baptist Church morning service, had dinner and helped with a religious census in January. January 27, Bobby Pinkston, Parrott; Jack Lawton and Terry Brown, Macon; Tommy Patton, Charleroi, Pa., and Bob Steed, Bowden, were initiated in a very im-

pressive ceremony, thanks to the hard work of Burgamy. In campus activities, Bobby Brown is now vice president of the I.F.C.; Phikeia "Punch" McClain won an overwhelming victory in the annual "Ugly Man" contest, and Fran Riviere has been selected to captain Mercer's rifle team. Out for varsity baseball, tennis, or track are: Baggs, Mixon, Pinkston, O'Neal, Nash, C. Smith, Belmont and Phikeias Lee and Hobbs. We are leading our league in intramural basketball and looking forward to another successful softball season. We have retired one softball trophy and the only leg on the second. This year has been a very successful and happy one for Georgia Gamma.—**MAURICE H. HILLIARD, JR., Reporter.**

GEORGIA DELTA, Georgia Institute of Technology.—The Cotton Bowl game brought two notes of happiness to the members of Georgia Delta. One was the fact that we won the game and the other was the award as the "most outstanding back of the game" given to George Humphreys, a member of our chapter. George was also named the most outstanding back of the year on the Tech squad, and we are rightfully proud of him. The volleyball team swept through the playoffs, without losing a single game, to come up with the championship. We also stand an excellent chance of winning the basketball championship and have already won the league in bowling, all of which puts us in good stead for winning the IFC trophy this year. Our Mothers' Club is going to present us with some new badly needed dining room chairs. Socially, the chapter has also been active this quarter. In addition to the party given by the pledges we had a very successful Bowery Ball and we are looking forward to the 1000th initiate party. The 1000th initiate of our chapter, who was initiated February 13, is John Adamson, from Trion, Ga. He was accompanied by 27 pledge brothers. The other initiates are: Sonny Rackley, Albany; Ed Beard, Paul Vickers, John Smith, King Sims, Joe Cooper, Atlanta; Tom Harris, Cordele; Billy McDaniel, David Patterson, Griffin; Billy Freeman, Jack McDaniel, Will Morgan, LaGrange; Henry Everitt, Madison; George Sherlock, Monroe; Buddy Guest, Montezuma; Charlie Powel, Moultrie; Tom Hall, Milledgeville; Buzzy Krauss, Jim Moore, St. Simon's Island; Mike Balliet, Birmingham, Ala.; Jack Paterson, Clearwater, Fla.; Mike McAdams, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Jean Mori, David Meier, Jackson, Miss.; Don Smith, Jacksonville, Fla.; Clarence Bauknight, Wallahalla, S.C.—**VIRGIL TEDDER, Reporter.**

Rhodes Scholar

Georgia Beta at Emory University is proud to announce that one of its members, Beth Minter, a history major from Selma, Ala., has been awarded a Rhodes Scholarship. He will leave for Oxford in September.

IDAHO ALPHA, University of Idaho.—Idaho Alpha, in the two months since the last issue of THE SCROLL has been progressing right up the steps to success. At this moment we are waiting anxiously for the official word from the University officials concerning our grade point average for the first semester. After remodeling our chapter house this past Summer we are finding that we are financially building ourselves in to good shape again. This could not be accomplished unless we were receiving fine help from the alumni. We received a beautiful trophy in January for giving 100% in the campus blood drive. Finding ourselves falling ten points behind in the intramurals, before the basketball season started, we have brought ourselves into the number one spot by capturing the basketball and bowling championships. Jim Faulkner and Dave Cripe, through their outstanding work with the military program here at school, have recently been pledged and initiated into Scabbard and Blade. While we are writing about Idaho Alpha men that have been outstanding in school, let us not forget President John Mix and Steve Emerine, who were elected to ΣΔΧ, national men's journalism honorary. This month we lost an outstanding member through graduation. Joseph Ames McDonald graduated and received his commission with the United States Army. He is going to serve with the Armored Corps at Fort Knox, Ky. Our sincere wishes for the future are with Brother McDonald. Pledging at the beginning of the new semester brought us Curtis Bondurant, Wallace, Idaho. Curtis is attending the University of Idaho on a scholarship, and we are expecting great things from him in the future. After the recent election of officers, a fire-side dance was held in the chapter house in honor of the retiring President, Harvey Hoff. It was by and through his guidance that we were able to remodel our house, and bring ourselves scholastically and socially to the top. Harve, our deepest thanks go to you for all that you have done for us in the past year. Preparations for the Founders Day remembrance are being completed at the present. **MARCUS B. HITCHCOCK, JR., Reporter.**

ILLINOIS ALPHA, Northwestern University.—Old Man Winter hasn't managed to freeze out Phi activities during January and February despite sub zero temperatures. During these months warm reports of improved scholarship, a jump to first in the I.M. sweepstake race and two red-hot social events brought some cheer to the blustery Evanston campus. Scholarship climbed from the depths

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REWARD

George Humphreys of Georgia Delta as he was kissed by Claudia Hall, Universal-International starlet, after receiving "the most outstanding back of the year" trophy by vote of his Georgia Tech team-mates.

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of mediocrity to something on the respectable side as Fall quarter standings found us seventh out of twenty-seven in regard to members on scholastic probation. This improvement was due largely to the efforts of Dick (Quiet Hours!) Footh, able scholarship chairman. Plaid shirts and levis were the order of the day as Phis and their dates Virginia reeled and cavorted to the strains of some "mighty twangy" folk music at the "Playbarn" west of the campus. This square dance was our informal for the quarter and despite the cold snap, couples piled into old-fashioned sleighs and headed for the frozen hinterlands. Considerable color was added to this event by the return of Marion Smith, Phi alum, and several of his "cotton pickin'" pals from Nashville, Tenn. Turning to the I.M. picture for this period we find the Big Blue team taking three decisive victories in cage contests. Led by Dave Leppert, Jack Nicolet, Fenn Putman and Eddy Broeker in the three games we surged to a tie for first in our league. Valuable points were acquired in the Winter swim meet and in bowling to give us a 35 point lead over the Betas who dropped to second. Putman, Bergsland and Phikeia Doug Cunningham provided the necessary punch in the alleys while the return of vet Bruce Collion turned the tide our way in swimming. Again on the social side "Devils Dreams," annual pledge party, depicted typical pledge slant on active chapter. Fiery scenery and a truckload of props added spice and sparkle to this really polished characterization of pledge-active relations. Phikeias Jay Hook, Bob Goodwin, Doug Cunningham and Skip Waitley took the principal speaking parts. On the romantic side, Seniors Barry Burdick and Dave Leppert followed

Cupid's cue and were pinned not too long before Valentine's day. Also by way of announcement, the Chicago Alumni Association will hold a Founders Day banquet in Chicago, March 28. Those interested may contact Larry Nelson, 1924 Morse Avenue, Chicago, Ill., for further information in regard to where the banquet will actually be held. From this report it can be seen that things are moving at a brisk pace at Illinois Alpha and that this year has been a proud and pleasant one thus far. Looking to the future our members are spearheading plans for an Iota Province convention to be held in this area sometime this Spring. This confab will take up pertinent plans for joint rush and pledge policies and other thorns of fraternity life.—**HOWARD WEYBURG, Reporter.** (See cut on page 318.)

ILLINOIS BETA, University of Chicago.—Two rushing smokers on dates set by Interfraternity Council were the beginning of our Winter quarter undergraduate rushing. These are being followed up with informal parties and visits with prospective pledges. Men pledging the Fraternity this quarter are: Robert M. Hanson and James Roberts, Billings, Mont.; John H. Rolker, Jr., Buffalo, N.Y.; Richard Irving Allin, Chicago, and William S. Bacon, Rochester, N.Y. The members and pledges have been sharing in an extensive interior house-painting project on Saturdays under the wary eye of our sometimes sleepy but nevertheless stalwart House Manager, Jim Dunham. The last of these sessions was barely finished in time for an informal dance held at the house with the Quadranglers, one of the University's girls' clubs. One of the brothers, Past President Harris



GUYS AND DOLLS AT NORTHWESTERN

Phikeias Pidcock, Hook, Owen, and Jewel with dates enjoy cokes during intermission at Illinois Alpha square dance.

Hartzler, was honored recently with election to $\Phi B K$. He received a Master of Science degree in organic chemistry with special honors at the December convocation.—CHARLES COOPER, Reporter.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA

Knox College
No letter received.

ILLINOIS ETA, University of Illinois.—Illinois Eta Phis have completed another successful first semester both athletically and socially. For the first time in chapter history we held an overnight dance, the Winter "She Delta Theta" formal. All Phi dates were "pledged" at a Friday night banquet and formally "initiated" into the chapter in a ceremony preceding the dance Saturday night. Everything combined to make it the top campus fraternity dance of the Christmas season. On the intramural sports front the chapter has again arrested the point lead at the half-way mark, sending itself well on the way toward its eleventh University championship in seventeen years. Phikeia Carl Noble, Jr., gained a trophy and valuable points by winning the singles tennis competition. Carl also coupled with Don Peterson to place second in doubles. The Phi volleyball team sliced through all opponents without losing a single set to capture the all-fraternity crown and add sizeably to the semester effort. Illinois Eta also had big point getters in its finalist water polo team and exceptionally capable indoor track squad. With a helping hand from Lady Luck and the all out effort of everyone, the I-M trophy should again return to "309"

in June. News comes from the Illinois University medical branch in Chicago that Dick Wham was elected president of his first year class. Dick was Big Ten outdoor high jump champion in 1953, a good student and fine brother.—NORM RACINE, Reporter.

ILLINOIS THETA, Lake Forest College.—Illinois Theta activities were again shifted into high gear as we opened the second semester. Second semester rushing is being supervised by one of our new initiates, Jerry Werneske. Bill Eckert was chosen to direct the Phi-Delt-Gamma Phi act in the annual Variety Show, while Jerry Lake assumes the position as co-ordinator for the entire production. Ev Cocallas, Gene Waterfall and Dick Volpe were the Phis named to the All-Star Intramural football team while Joe Schmitt won a first team berth on the I.M. basketball All-Stars. Dick Street and Dick Eickhoff were the only two Phis to leave us at the end of the first semester, while Jack Wolf joined us again after a one year absence because of illness. Don Swanson, chapter treasurer, has succeeded Dick Eickhoff as captain of the kitchen crew in the campus dining hall. Dave Halliday was recently chosen to head the planning of a Spring formal sponsored by IIA X, a local honorary music fraternity. Second semester elections found Lee Miller in the president's chair with Don Swanson and Jim Vitt as treasurer and secretary.—JERRY LAKE, Reporter.

INDIANA ALPHA, Indiana University.—Since the last news letter,

three vacations have occurred. However, much has happened during the time the Phis have been active. Our chapter basketball team is still undefeated and looks like a sure bet to take the University championship. But athletics is not the only thing that the Phis are noted for. Before the opening of the formal dance, we played host to our pin-women, sweethearts, and dates for a pre-dance dinner. Robert Martin was a candidate for the Student Senate and is now awaiting the decision of the race. Now that the second semester has started, the Phis are awaiting the moment to enter the new house. Construction has progressed so rapidly that it looks as if we will move in during March. Our bicycle team, which took fourth place in the "Little Five Hundred," has begun to work out for this year's race in early May. Plans are also being made for the Miami Triad.—JAMES ETTER, Reporter.

INDIANA BETA, Wabash College.—Indiana Beta began the new semester with a very clean and rearranged house as a result of a good Help Week. The chapter was most economical in the spending of finances for supplies while the actives and pledges still were able to do a good job with materials available. We continued our crusade for better grades and finished with a 1.6 chapter average and approximately third out of eight fraternities. John Deardourff, newly elected president of the chapter, is the current president of LAVA, the League to Adjust the Voting Age in Indiana. Hurt, Ellis and Pippenger continue to lead the way on the Speakers Bureau and the Debate Squad. Pippenger had been speaking to various organizations around the state about his summer in Venezuela. Nash, a stalwart performer of the basketball team, is currently averaging in the double figures and turning in some fine floor games, and seems destined for All-Phi mention. Ed Hargitt was recently named Senior manager of football for the coming year. Indiana Beta is setting a precedent this year with an all out concentration for rush this Spring. There are several rush parties planned with some in the wind for Summer at one of the lakes in the state. Orr, Allen, Hurt, Lyman, Lodovisi and Grayam are working diligently on the program. The chapter, with Bob Dyer leading the song fest practices, is looking forward to a good showing at State Day. Seibert was recently made chairman of Fraternity Service Day here at Wabash with the proceeds going to the Polio Fund.—RON SEIBERT, Reporter.

INDIANA GAMMA, Butler University.—The election of new chapter officers for the Spring semester was held January 12 and Indiana Gamma is now preparing its rush program for second semester pledges. Brothers not returning to school include Bill Brown, Bob Kruger, Paul Croyle, Griff Johnson and Bill Chadd. Looking back on the Fall semester we can safely judge it to have been successful. The chapter won the Yard-Parks Trophy for improvements and appearance of the house and grounds. At Christmas time, with Dave Whitt as chairman, we won the third straight trophy in the annual Cheer Drive sponsored by Goodwill Industries for the purpose of aiding the poor. In intramurals we have taken first in football, golf, swimming and volleyball, and second in tennis and bowling. Basketball is not yet over but we now are tied for first place and are almost certain to maintain this position. On the social side we had a formal Christmas dance at Meridian Hills Country Club, a Halloween dance in the house and several exchange dinners. We are now looking forward to the annual Pledge dance; it will be a costume dance using the Old West as its theme. The Spring formal has been scheduled for May 6 and will be held at Hillcrest Country Club. Other social events will include several exchange dinners during which we will utilize our outdoor barbecue. During the change of semester new asphalt tile was placed in the chapter room, the dorm and all of the rooms on the second floor. Other welcome additions to the house include ten new dressers for the second floor rooms and forty new chairs for the dining room; both were gifts of the house foundation. An extensive rush program is being planned for the Spring season in order to insure a bumper crop of Phikeias for the Fall semester. The chapter would appreciate help from any Phi who knows of possible rush prospects entering Butler next Fall.—**JACK LAUGHNER, Reporter.**

INDIANA DELTA, Franklin College.—Leading Indiana Delta the second semester is newly-elected President, James Orlosky. He and Elmer Strautman are leading the varsity basketball team, which is in second place in the conference, with Phikeia Gene White seeing a good deal of action. Serenades have been held for the pin-girls of Jim Kight and Larry Clark. Phikeia Gene White is the pledge class' candidate for Panhellenic King. Bill Bridges and John Atwell were tapped for Blue Key, at the annual Kee-Ko-Nut dance held February 7. John Smith, Morristown, and Buddy Becker, Vero Beach, Fla.,

were pledged for the second semester.—**JOHN E. ATWELL, Reporter.**

INDIANA EPSILON, Hanover College.—Phi athletes ended the semester with a first place in the much coveted Hanover basketball league and fine possibilities of completing the season in the lead and again taking the trophy. The scholastic record showed very much improvement. Clarence Lloyd has led the scholastic committee to the highest record in four semesters. Indiana Epsilon took it upon its shoulders to again help sponsor a foreign student who is from Korea. Kim, as he is called, lives in the house and shares the living and social privileges. Brother E. M. Tate, Dean of Men, commended the Phis on this foreign student policy. Tom Cartmel, song leader, has been busy preparing the chapter for the Greek Week Sing as well as the annual Founders Day banquet. After winning the Founders Day sing for two years the trophy will be difficult to retain. Two brothers were initiated since the last edition of *THE SCROLL*: James White, Owensboro, Ky., and Donald Merriman, Whiteford, Md. Indiana Epsilon has taken into its midst fourteen fine pledges. We are proud to welcome the following Phikeias: Dave Abbott, Milton, Ky.; Dick Bohlander, Connersville; Gene Dobson, Scottsburg; Neil Handley, Liberty; Jack Potter, Union City; Pete Ramsey, New Brunswick, N.J.; Jack Rothenbush, Cincinnati, Ohio; Donald Scroggins, Spiceland; Ira Smith, Warren; Stan Weber, Hanover; Gene Wise, Union City; Bob Stoops, Indianapolis, and Curtis Wilson, Scottsburg. Under the leadership of Bud Bunton, pledge trainer, the Phikeias are looking towards a spirited training ahead.—**BRANT P. LOPER, Reporter.**

INDIANA ZETA, DePauw University.—Having come through the first semester in good shape scholastically, the chapter looks to a busy Spring. Fourteen of the seventeen pledges compiled grades acceptable for initiation, and the entire chapter should rank in the top third of the fraternities in scholarship. The chapter now stands at 48:44 in the house, a two-man annex, and two married students. One of the married students, Bill Bastian, is expected to rank as number one on the varsity tennis squad this season. In other activities, two brothers, Jim Mitchell and Wes Tower, are producing and directing the upcoming opera workshop presentation of *Carmen*. In forensics, Bob A. Smith and Dan Lewis are members of the varsity debate squad and have acquitted themselves quite well in recent competition. The entire chap-

ter is anticipating the annual Miami Triad dance April 16, and cordially invite alumni to attend as their guests. A noted alumnus, Dr. John Millett '33, president of Miami at Oxford, Ohio, is to speak at chapel here and a luncheon at the chapter house is planned in his honor. State Day is scheduled for March 26, and a meeting with Indianapolis alumni will precede the general meeting. Probably the most vital chapter function this Spring centers around rush. In recent years, Spring pledging has become quite prevalent and an extensive program is conducted. We are always happy to have recommendations from alumni as to prospective Phikeias and will welcome any cooperation in this matter. Alumni Day is set for June 4 and a full day of activities is scheduled. We are hoping for a large turnout and will be sending out the details soon. Those of you in the Terre Haute area might tune in the TV station there on Saturday or Sunday and listen to Jerry Ward and Dave Feagler, who are doing part-time announcing there.—**MORT BERFIELD, Reporter.**

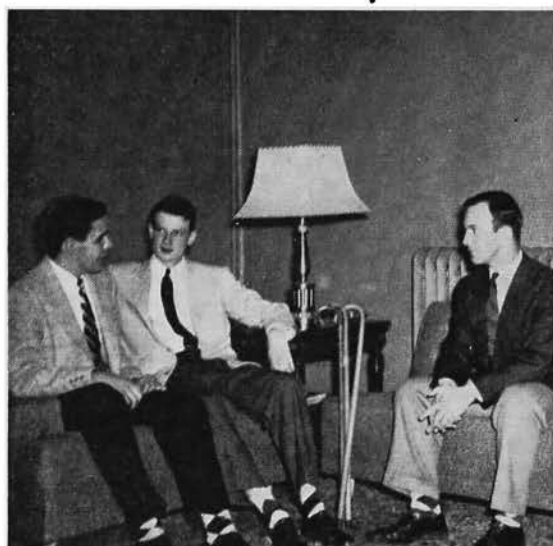
INDIANA THETA, Purdue University.—After an extended rushing program we succeeded in pledging twelve men for our Spring semester. Our new Phikeias are: Paul Collins, Niles, Ohio; Robert Crink, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; Bernard Haag, LaPorte; David Hanna, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Alan Kincaid, Lebanon; Richard Korteling, Lebanon; William Piper, Paris, Ill.; Richard Steinmetz, Evanston, Ill.; Ronald Taylor, Indianapolis; Thomas Thorkelson, Bay Village, Ohio; Wallace Weller, Valparaiso, and Dorwin Whitacre, Highland. Though this is the largest mid-semester pledge class for several years, we did not sacrifice quality for quantity, but on the contrary we feel that we have selected twelve of the best men to represent $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on this or any university campus. Don Klingler and Jerry Dunlap are representing us on the varsity swimming team and Ron Pierce, Ed McCallum and Jim Fromuth are on the golf team. We are now vying for top laurels in intramurals and with the aid of our B basketball team, which is undefeated, we hope to gain the lead.—**ED TAYLOR, Reporter.**

INDIANA IOTA, Valparaiso University.—Indiana Iota's first semester in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was notable for many other firsts in scholastic, athletic and social activities. Since our installation and initiation last Thanksgiving, we have initiated six more actives and alumni, making a total of 80 actives and alumni in less than three months.

Gold Key Selects Three Indiana Zeta Men

By PAT AIKMAN, *DePauw '57*

ON THE basis of outstanding leadership qualities in activities, organizations, and scholarship, Brothers Dean Berry, Tom Sargent and Mort Berfield of Indiana Zeta were among the six men elected this past year to Gold Key, men's top honorary at DePauw University.



PHI BMOC AT DEPAUW

LEFT TO RIGHT: Dean Berry, Tom Sargent, Mort Berfield

Gold Key, whose counterpart is Blue Key on most campuses, taps undergraduates every spring to perpetuate its membership. The "gold cane" which Key members are awarded is given in recognition of their achievements while in college.

Dean Berry who comes to Indiana Zeta from

Chicago has been elected to no less than six major offices while at DePauw. Besides being president of Gold Key, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, and the Arnold Air Society, he is also prexy of the University Scholarship Association and the Methodist Student Movement. Sandwiched in between these activities Dean has also found time to be the Cadet Commander of the AFROTC, chairman of the Junior-Senior prom, a member of $\Sigma\Delta X$ and vice-president of $\Lambda\Phi\Omega$. After his hitch with the Air Force, Dean plans to enter law school at the University of Michigan.

Majoring in political science, the lean lawyer from Muncie, Ind., Tom Sargent hopes upon graduation to secure a position with the U.S. Foreign Service or perhaps teach political science in college. The second Phi in three years to preside over the student government, Sargent has the distinction of being president of the senior class, vice-president of the student union building, member of $\Sigma\Delta X$ and Arnold Air Society, secretary of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, and a former news editor of the campus newspaper. In addition to these honors Tom was also the recipient of a valuable four-year Rector Scholarship to DePauw.

Named one of the top ten debaters in the Midwest, Mort Berfield, a Carmi, Ill., product, completed $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s monopoly of important campus offices by capturing the presidency of the Interfraternity Council. Mort, who has been on the varsity debate team for two years, has participated in meets throughout the midwest and has been instrumental in the success of the team which tied for first in major meets at both Iowa and Wisconsin last year. Activities which qualified Mort for Gold Key were vice-president of $\Sigma\Delta P$, $\Sigma\Delta X$, vice-president of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, $\Phi H\Sigma$ and a Rector Scholar. A 2.7 average on a 3.0 grading scale makes Mort, a pre-law student, a good bet for $\Phi B K$.

The University's Crusaders listed nine Phis—Fuzz Thurston, Gerry Raasch, Paul Meyerand, Rog Rebber, John Mader, Millard Becker, Chuck Abernathy, Chuck O'Brien and Ken Schreiber—on the varsity, with six of these on the starting eleven. Both Thurston and Raasch made the Indiana Collegiate Conference All-Conference team, and, in addition, Raasch was named second string end on the A.P.'s Little All-American team, while Thurston was a third string tackle on the Williamson Poll's All-American line-up. A second in intramural football was replaced by a first in basketball, with one of the two additional teams from the chapter holding first place in the independent league. Scholastically we took second

in the I.F.C. scholarship competition, missing first place by five hundredths of a point. One of the many highlights of the Winter social calendar was a "devil" of a formal, complete with pitchforks and hell-fire. The annual faculty smoker with the traditional pickled herring was again held just before finals and was a success from both the faculty and student view-points. After a concert on campus Ted Weems and his orchestra staged a jazz session at the house. Our "Smack-a-Tack" booth at the All-School Carnival netted the highest proceeds, which were donated to the construction of the University's new Student Union, a very worth-while project.—WAYNE SOMMERFELD, *Reporter*.

IOWA ALPHA, Iowa Wesleyan College.—One of the highlights for us this winter was our Pizza dinner. Delicious pizza was prepared and served by Phikeia Tony Ferrendino and his charming wife, Cathie. Pizza is a novelty in this section of the country and prepared in real Italian style it was a real treat. We are proud of the association of the Ferrendinos with our chapter. Both are from Chicago. Cathie is a trained singer and Tony has gained honors on the football field. Cathie and Tony provided intermission entertainment at our Winter formal, January 14. The theme was "Winter Waltz." The girls were very much excited about the favors which were large white stuffed dogs. February 8, Iowa Alpha was

host to the other fraternities on campus at an Interfraternity Smoker. During the get-together, members of the Interfraternity Council made plans for an all-Greek dance to be held in the Spring. We have an active Mothers' Club in Mount Pleasant, who have very graciously donated a carpet for our front stairway and upholstered a sofa and chair for our reception room.—BOB MCNEIL, Reporter.

IOWA BETA, State University of Iowa.—Much has happened at Iowa Beta since the last SCROLL News Letter. Late in January both Jim Freeman and the chapter were honored when Jim was named to the All-Phi first team. This was a great honor and thrill for all of us, and especially Jim. In late January Jesper Rosenmeier, a Danish exchange student, moved into the house to live with us for the rest of the school year. Throughout the semester we have all enjoyed our relationship with Jesper and have found him very interesting. On the social front the Phis have been having a big year also. The annual costume party was held February 25, and the Spring formal will be held April 22. In addition, the Founders Day banquet was held March 15 and we saw many old Phis whom we hadn't seen for a long time. The Phis also have been very successful in intramurals this Winter. The heavyweight basketball team marched into the fraternity play-offs before they were defeated, and the lightweights marched all the way to the All-University finals before bowing out. They had won twelve straight games before losing. On campus our boys have been making a big name for themselves also. Ron Zirbel and John Pierson were named to the Student Council, and Marshall Holt represented Iowa University at the regional Union Board convention held in Ames, Ia. The size of our active chapter was increased as seventeen Phikeias were initiated in March. The chapter also pledged four new men between semesters.—THOMAS ADAMS, Reporter.

IOWA GAMMA, Iowa State College.—January 15, the Householding Association of Iowa Gamma held a special meeting to consider several proposals. It was decided to accept a plan to remodel and enlarge the present chapter house. Property here is nearly impossible to buy and with the present house in sound structural shape, this location is quite desirable. The Householding Association is at present under excellent leadership of B. W. Hopkins, Iowa State '33. Further plans will be made



PIZZA EXPERTS

ABOVE: Dennis Saltzman (left) and "Fuzz" Hester help Tony Ferrendino (second from left) and his wife Cathie (right) as they make pizza pie for Iowa Alpha Phis. BELOW: Tony and Cathie at chapter "Winter Waltz," for which they provided intermission entertainment.

this year, along with the organization of committees, etc. In intramurals, the chapter has piled up a resounding lead in competition with the 29 other fraternities. Our Intramural Chairman, Stan Frahm, is obviously doing a fine job. Stan is holding down a starting forward berth on the varsity basketball team. His play this year has been steady and smooth with the emphasis on teamwork. An interesting sidelight is that his younger brother Lyle, a Phikeia, is starring for the Frosh and seems destined to take over when Stan graduates this year. Late in Winter quarter we participated in Union Varieties, the annual resident variety shows. Our skit was entitled "Safari" and under the able direction of Lou Schwartz, it was a winner. Last year, we copped first place in Veishea Vodvil with a similar skit

and so we're hoping for a repeat this year. The year is progressing smoothly here, and our entire group of 54 actives and 28 pledges is working hard for a first place in Harvard Trophy competition.—DAVE LEBUHN, Reporter. (See cut page 322.)

KANSAS ALPHA, University of Kansas.—Kansas Alpha looks to this semester in anticipation of many new activities, along with their achievements, in hopes of matching last semester's outstanding record. Sports-wise, seven Phis won varsity football letters with Don Pfutzenreuter and Don Martin winning the special team awards noted in the accompanying pictures. In basketball six Phis and former All-Staters, all Sophomores, are carrying a big share of the load in a rebuilding campaign which should see K. U. at the top of the national heap two years hence. Gene Elstun and John Parker are both starters for the youthful Jayhawks. Six Phikeias, all ribbon winners in last year's state track meet, should lead the Kansas Freshmen to another undefeated indoor and outdoor season. Great things are expected of Kent Floerke who placed fourth in the National A.A.U. broad jump and second in the hop, step and jump at St. Louis last Spring. John Handley and Bill Pulliam will both return to their regular positions on the K. U. baseball team this season. On the golf links other Big Seven teams should find Phis Bob Richards and Pete Rush, number one and number four man respectively on last year's team, a tough twosome to beat. Intramural basketball is entering its final phase with the chapter's A, B and C teams, all finalists in last year's fraternity competition, still undefeated and on their way to repeat performances. In April the A team will return to Minnesota Alpha to defend the trophy it won last year. Prospects for added laurels in volleyball, softball and golf look promising. Outstanding activity accomplishments to note are the fine jobs turned in by Fritz Heath as chairman of the Campus Chest Drive and Harlan Parkinson as president of the Senior class. Kent Mueller has been selected to represent the chapter in an exchange with Norway's University of Oslo. This past semester's grades, while not completely tabulated, appear to be even better than those which ranked the chapter second on the Hill last year. This semester's social activities have included functions with Kansas Beta, Kansas Gamma and Nebraska Alpha. The Miami Triad party was held February 2 in Kansas City and it proved a great success. Approaching



PREPARING FOR "SAFARI"

Phis of Iowa Gamma at Iowa State work on skit—which proved to be a winner—for Union Varieties. Title of skit was "Safari"

dates on the social calendar include Founders Day, Kansas Relays rush picnic, and The Southern Mess, known across the campus as the most beautifully decorated party on the Hill. The Spring rush program is getting into full swing and the chapter invites suggestions from all alumni. The Founders Day banquet will be held in Kansas City at the Milburn Country Club, March 22.—LARRY GREINER, *Reporter*.

KANSAS BETA, Washburn University.—The Phis at Washburn University welcomed in the New Year with a gay party in a lavish club supplied by the alumni. If the new year is affected by the welcoming given it at its beginning, this year should be one of many achievements. Coming back to school from the Christmas holidays brought only misery to the brothers, for the only thing we had to look forward to were the grueling finals. As of yet, the grade standing of Kansas Beta with the other fraternities on the campus is not known, but it is expected to rank high. A "Pizza Party" was given between semesters for the brothers and their dates. The party was held in one of Topeka's best night clubs with a good time had by all. The new semester has started and Kansas Beta is glad to welcome back two brothers, Robert Scharfenburg and John Perry, who have just returned from the Army. Jerry Witsen and John Fadley, both from Kansas Alpha at Kansas University, have transferred to Washburn this semester. As for intramurals, our basketball teams are doing great. One team has won first place in its

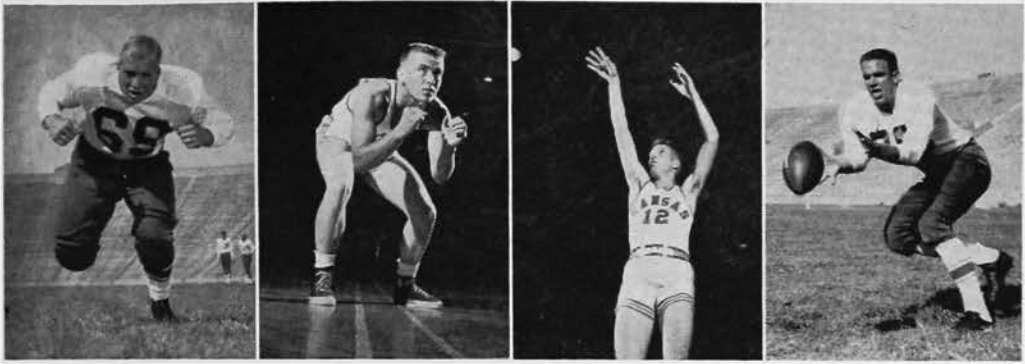
league, a second is tied for first place and the third team is tied for third place. In the recent telethon, television drive for Cerebral Palsy, Kansas Beta had a representative on the program. A sizeable contribution was made to this great fund as the drive went \$21,000.00 over its expected goal.—BRUCE BEYDLER, *Reporter*.

KANSAS GAMMA, Kansas State College.—The aches and pains of last semester's finals have been forgotten in the anxiety created by the coming of a new semester here at K-State. All reports indicate that the active chapter grades will hold their own. However, our pledges have quite a bit of room for improvement. While this article is being written our Phikeias are on their sneak to Kansas City. January graduates are: Everett Hart, El Dorado; Bill Howard, Topeka; Jack Potts, Ottawa; Don Prigmore, El Dorado, and Charles Savidge, Ottawa. Also leaving, at the request of Uncle Sam's Army, is Bob Playter, Great Neck, N.Y. We are grateful for what these men have done for the chapter and are sorry to lose them. New chapter officers include Bob Clarke as president. Tom Root and Pat Burke have returned from a semester at K. U. and Arizona University respectively. D. D. Lowell and Jack Potts were married recently. Plans are underway for redecorating the chapter living room and kitchen. As soon as we get the green light from our Manhattan alumni we will set the financial wheels rolling. Bill Johnson chairmanned our faculty tea February 20. Our hats are off to Bob Balzerick for writing a fine

script for Y-Orpheum. It was one of the five fraternity scripts chosen for trophy competition. Y-Orpheum is to be held March 25 and 26. This reporter thinks we have the top talent to augment a top script—we're out to win that trophy. Harry Knox planned the first rush weekend held March 5 and 6.—PHIL ROBERTSON, *Reporter*.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, Centre College.—Gordon Scott stepped down from his president's post last semester, after a job well done, and Alpha-Delta elected Hank Dosker to lead the chapter during the coming semester. Hank and the chapter have already begun work on plans for winning the School Spirit Cup this year. Several civic and campus projects are in the planning stage. These projects will mean a great deal of work for both actives and pledges but it will be well worth the effort if Alpha-Delta can win the cup. As winners for the past two years, we have only to capture the title this year and the cup will remain permanently in the chapter house. Big doings were planned for March 17 when Alpha-Delta, with Kentucky Epsilon, held a dinner for members and alumni honoring Founders Day. The dinner, held in Lexington, was sponsored jointly by Kentucky's two $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chapters in order to bring more alumni together as well as to cut down on costs. The Phi intramural basketball squad could get only second place in the campus race this year but hopes are high for the championship of the Sharit Intramural Tournament. The Phis hold the Sharit Trophy as last year's winners. Complete fraternity scholastic ratings aren't available as yet but it looks as if Alpha-Delta will be among the tops with possibly a better standing and average than last year.—THOMAS P. JENNINGS, *Reporter*.

KENTUCKY EPSILON, University of Kentucky.—Spring has come to the Bluegrass and the Kentucky brothers look forward to another semester as rewarding as the first. Joe Teague, who transferred to U. K. from the Washington chapter, has been elected to guide the Phis during the second half of the school year. And speaking of elections, three of ten students elected from the entire University to the Student Government Association are Phis—Bill Billiter, Walter Currie and Chip Rice—giving Kentucky Epsilon four politicians in that assembly. In intramural competition the Phis, who also gained valuable points in basketball, again easily swept the field in swimming to put them in the running for



KANSAS ALPHA ATHLETIC GALLERY OF SOPHOMORES

LEFT TO RIGHT: Don Pfutzenreuter, 5'6", 150-lb. guard on Kansas varsity, affectionately called "The Knot" because of size and bulging muscles. Voted Most Outstanding Defensive linebacker by team-mates. John Parker, playmaker and defensive stalwart for Jayhawkers. Hit for 20 points against Colorado. Gene Elstun, 6'4" star who is being touted as outstanding sophomore in Big Seven. Best offensive effort against California when he netted 21 points. Don Martin, 205-lb. end, named Most Outstanding Defensive Lineman by team-mates.

top honors. The perennially great track and field squad representing the chapter is expected to put Kentucky Epsilon way up in intramural ratings come late Spring. In varsity sports, Phikeia John Brewer is performing well for Kentucky's crack basketball team. In January the pledge class presented the actives with a badly needed juke box. This month, the Phikeias will participate in the University's Greek Week prior to initiation. On campus, Chip Rice was elected vice president of Keys, Sophomore honorary, and Leslie Morris was elected to Φ B K. In the months which remain, the Phis will be working toward the success of their annual Kentucky Derby dance and a second straight winner in the May Day float parade. Immediate plans, however, were centered around the Founders Day festivities in mid-March, in which Kentucky Alpha-Delta and the Central Kentucky Alumni Club participated, as well as Kentucky Epsilon.

—LESLIE W. MORRIS, Reporter.

LOUISIANA ALPHA, Tulane University.—Louisiana Alpha initiated seventeen out of nineteen pledges March 6. The seventeen pledges had an overall average of 1.9 on a three point system. The names of the new brothers are: Don Ranna, Bill Forman, Herb Hughes, Steve Salaun, New Orleans; Ed Connell, Clarksdale, Miss.; Johnny Abide and John Young, Greenwood, Miss.; Bob Kelly, Dubuque, Iowa; Pete Sohngen, Hamilton, Ohio; Alton McVadon, Baton Rouge; Homer Lochridge, Montgomery, Ala.; Frank Crittenden and Earl Ferguson, Selma, Ala.; Bill Newton, Beaumont, Tex.; John Percy, Dallas, Tex.; Cy Parker, Wichita Falls, Tex., and Charlie Felger, Victoria, Tex. Pete Sohngen was selected as the

outstanding pledge of the year. Homer Lochridge had the highest average scholastically of the pledge class. Coming events for the Phis here in New Orleans are the annual Winter formal at the Lakewood Country Club and the annual South Sea Island blast in May. The Phi Panhellenic basketball team, under the able leadership of "Baron" Gene Dabezies, rolled to an easy victory over their first opponents by a score of 45 to 22. Accurate out shooting by Don Lee and backboard coverage by Dawson Baptist and Bill Eckert cinched the game in the first half. Members of the basketball team are "Bush" Seavy, Bob Kelly, Richard Geer, Don Collins, Pete Mullins and Bill Forman. The Phis are really pouring on the coal to win the Panhellenic trophy for the third time and to retire it permanently.—ROBERT WISE, Reporter.

LOUISIANA BETA, Louisiana State University.—Louisiana Beta continued its upward movement with the surge of new blood from its fine pledge class, which welcomed to its midst two new Phikeias in Bill Smart and Tommy Kraft. The annual Christmas party was a terrific success as the pledges did an excellent job in planning this party and put on one of the best skits in the history of Louisiana Beta. The pledges are anxiously awaiting initiation which should take place soon. The way the actives are taking action, it looks as if the pledges are in for quite a bit of work before this event takes place. The chapter is forging ahead on its plan for the new house. Things are looking better and better for the chapter as the spirit for the new house is making everyone take heed of these Phis. Plans are being fin-

ished and the financial status is in very good shape. The chapter is anxiously awaiting next September to have their first rush party in their new house, which will be the toast of the campus. Athletics continue and the chapter is currently ranked in ninth place out of seventeen fraternities with football and basketball being completed. Coach Harry Warner's cagers were dealt a sharp blow when his star center, Sid Davison, was sidelined with a broken foot and also with the ineligibility of Tommy Kraft. The cagers however finished the season with good Phi spirit. In the next few weeks, a number of other sports are to start and the chapter should raise its standing due to the number of top notch players on hand. The chapter is determined to finish up top with a grand sweep in the swimming events which close out athletics in May. The big informal rush began February 11, with a stag party. Louisiana Beta is hoping to obtain twenty-five pledges and should reach that quota before the year is out. We wish to extend an invitation to all alumni and visiting members from other chapters to drop by the house at any time.—HARRY WARNER, Reporter.

MAINE ALPHA, Colby College.—The Phis elected new officers at the beginning of the semester and Lee Larson is currently serving as president. Not all returns are in as yet, but so far two Phis have made the Dean's List—Arlie Porath and Pete Oram. The varsity basketball team is rolling along smoothly with a fourteen won, four lost record and Bob Bruns is top point getter with a 17-point a game average. Winter Carnival is coming up and Tom

Newman has done a fine job arranging the events to take place at the Phi house. Tom has done a great job all year as social chairman. In interfraternity basketball, the Phis are currently tied for first place as the second round of play has started. Baseball candidates are working out daily with Captain Ken Gray leading the large array of candidates. Charlie Morrissey is leading scorer of the Colby hockey squad to date. Scholastic Chairman Joe Wagenbach is hard at work keeping the boys at the books striving to improve the chapter average.—JOHN FARLEY, Reporter.

MANITOBA ALPHA, University of Manitoba.—Leading off the news dispatch from Manitoba Alpha this month are thirteen new Phikeias, the successful result of our short but hard-hitting rushing program. Phikeia buttons are now being worn on the Manitoba campus by: Dave MacDonald, Cam Mackie, Norm Metz, Pete Cowie, Blair Dyer, Larry Argue, George Young, Brian Norrie, Don Erb, Don Leher, Bob Jack, Dave Snyder and Jim Rose, who will be under the watchful eye of Pledge-master Tom Rymes. January 23 the Mothers' Auxiliary gave a Silver Tea at the home of Roy Parkhill to raise money for their work in refurbishing the chapter house. Actives and alumni gathered for a very pleasant afternoon with their families. The following Sunday the active chapter was host to all University students at an Open House reception. As the accompanying picture will testify, no effort was spared by Bob Cross' hard-working committee in arranging and publicizing this event, and their efforts were rewarded by a large turnout. The chapter is giving an account of itself athletically also. The Phi squad have high hopes in the interfraternity basketball league, and at the recent annual Manitoba swimming championships, Pete Morris set a new record for the Senior men's 100-yard breaststroke, covering the distance in 1:13. Plans are now going ahead for a bigger and better than ever Founders Day banquet and dance, which this year will be held at the Fort Garry Hotel, with dancing to the city's finest music. No effort is being spared to give this grand event all the color and ceremony befitting the anniversary celebration of the founding of our Fraternity. It is hoped that Newton Fuller, Province President from Minneapolis, and possibly a representative from General Headquarters will be with us for this, the outstanding climax to the fraternity year.—W. E. IRELAND, Reporter.



PUBLICITY EXPERTS

Charged with publicizing Manitoba Alpha's recent Open House, Brother Bob (Phantom) Cross (left) took to the air with Phikeia George Young at the controls. As classes ended, the Phantom swooped down to shower the Manitoba campus with thousands of invitations. Attendance at the event reflected this novel advertising.

MARYLAND ALPHA University of Maryland No letter received.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.—Last month Massachusetts Gamma was proud to welcome nine new members into the Fraternity. The new initiates are: Ben Chantry, Pocatello, Ida.; Chris Gimre, Bexley, Ohio; Don Grimes, Canfield, Ohio; John Heespeilink, Larchmont, N.Y.; Dan Huestis, Great Falls, Mont.; Harry Ross, Seattle, Wash.; Will Veeck, Cornville, Ariz.; Fred White, Beverly, and Emil Wright, Auburn, Ala. Following the initiation ceremony a dinner banquet was held in honor of the new members. The high note of the social activities was the Miami Triad, held February 25. The brothers had their dates in for a dinner banquet preceding the dance. Prior to the Triad, a pajama party was staged in the house where everyone wore anything from red flannel night-shirts to loud-striped robes. Spring sports at M.I.T. swung into action as Pete Peterson, captain and most valuable player of last year's baseball team, got ready for the ensuing trip to the Southern States where the Beaver team is scheduled to tour. Up from the Freshman ranks is Sophomore Jim Woodahl who hopes to nail the hot corner slot on the

varsity squad. On the golf links Sophomores Sandy Cobb and Bill Alcorn are vying for top berths on the varsity squad. The intramural picture includes a trio of sports: hockey, softball and volleyball. For the past three years the Phi softball squad has placed either second or third in the league and this year hopes to cop the trophy. Back again is veteran pitcher Barry Lucas, whose pitching has accounted for many of the wins. House improvements in the past few months have been a remodeling job in the game room, a newly painted kitchen, and the installation of a new Hi-Fi system for the record library.—RICHARD MCCAMMON, Reporter.

MICHIGAN ALPHA, University of Michigan.—Now that the second semester has started, our thoughts at Michigan Alpha are mostly memories of our between semesters break. This year a group of the brothers, with skis on top of their cars, headed for Boyne Mountain and similar points north. At the same time a few misguided souls were heading toward Fort Lauderdale, a few months before the scheduled yearly migration. Those who stayed in or around Ann Arbor took in the biggest dance of the year. This dance, at which the Dorsey brothers played, is known as the J-Hop. During the first week of the semester we had a group of young men painting the halls, waxing the floors and spending their time at other constructive pastimes previous to their initiation February 13. That very afternoon we began our second semester rushing. Our basketball team has played only one game since the beginning of the year, against $\Phi K \Sigma$, ending in a 71 to 9 victory for the Phis.—BILL BOHNSACK, Reporter.

MICHIGAN BETA, Michigan State College.—January 8, marked the initiation of the following men into Michigan Beta: Deno Preketes, Ann Arbor; Woody Lamb, Rogers City; Richard Hohman, Rochester, N.Y.; Charles Kirchoff, Wauwatosa, Wis.; John Davis, Grand Rapids; Don Pyle, Wichita, Kan.; Paul Friesema, Grosse Pointe; Peter Krempel, Sault Ste. Marie; Fred Koenig, Royal Oak; Dwight Ebling, Almont; William Bradford, Royal Oak; Ted Steele, East Lansing; Dick Lange, White Plains, N.Y., and Jon Thompson, Dearborn. With the signing of these men to the bond of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, we then proceeded to have the best Winter term rush in the history of the chapter. Thirteen men were pledged: David Sipes, Tulsa, Okla.; George Cummings, Detroit; Wally Burdette,

Cleveland, Ohio; Harry Powell, Lansing; Jack Roosa, Clawson; Dave Beck, Perrysburg, Ohio; George Beech, Farmington; Paul Frederick, Detroit; Bob Julier, Kirkwood, Mo.; Rodney Kelly, Sunland, Calif.; Bob Mahr, Newark, N.J., and Charles Van Dusen, Metamora. The big news of the chapter house is the complete refurbishing of the entire upstairs. All the rooms have been paneled with cedar and have been equipped with new furniture, sound board for the ceilings, and rugs. The Lansing Mothers' Club has arranged to make all the new curtains for all the rooms. The bathrooms were completely renovated last Summer. With the completion of some minor paint work on the halls, we should have the finest fraternity house on campus. Chapter men in the news include: Cort Lecklider and Bill Thistle, members of Excalibur, a group of the top fourteen men on campus (Cort is president of the I.F.C., while Bill is president of the Senior class), Mike Getto, member of Junior Council and Dave Kilborn, vice president of the Sophomore class.—DAVID S. TRUMP, *Reporter*.

MINNESOTA ALPHA
University of Minnesota
No letter received.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, University of Mississippi.—The second semester began with the initiation of twenty new brothers: Bill Beaver, Columbus; John Boyd, Jackson; Charles Brocato, Clarksdale; Mark Burdette, Meridian; Bob Burns, Jackson; Bill Burton, Laurel; Leslie Daniels, Germantown, Tenn.; John DeCell, Vicksburg; Tom Hines, Oxford; Robert Hughes, Drexyl Hill, Pa.; Charles Hutchinson, Tupelo; George Jackson, Laurel; Will Lewis, Oxford; Ralph Mills, Greenwood; Paul Mitchell, Louisville; Robert Sansom, Okolona; Charles Sisson, Grenada; Lee Davis Thames, Vicksburg, and Norman Weathersby, Lexington. We know that these men will all become great assets to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Pat Head, Clarksdale, became a Phikeia at the first meeting in February. Plans are being made for the annual Blue and White ball to be held April 16. We would like to take this opportunity to invite all our alumni to attend the dance. Our new housemother, Mrs. Walter Driver, is doing a splendid job, and has gained the greatest respect and admiration of every brother. Grades from last semester are flowing in, and from all outlooks it seems that we shall again keep our high scholastic standing on the campus. Last semester's officers, headed by Ed Wilford, helped us to a fine start

this year. Now with a new slate of officers leading Mississippi Alpha, we are looking forward to a highly successful second semester. Having won the Cleveland Trophy last year, we will again be trying to take the honors in that field. With our strong position in campus leadership, athletics, and scholarship, we feel that we are setting new standards for Mississippi Alpha.—WILLIS CONNELL, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI ALPHA, University of Missouri.—Missouri Alpha has entered the new semester with important plans for the second annual statewide Founders Day program. Aside from the annual Founders Day banquet held by the Alumni Clubs of both Kansas City and St. Louis, Missouri Alpha feels the occasion is so important that the chapter must also sponsor a Founders Day program. Our program is, of course, for alumni throughout the state and the chapter hopes to have a large number of alumni here as our guests. Also included in the ceremonies will be presentations of Golden Legion awards—a ceremony which last year proved most impressive to all who attended the banquet. As far as scholarship is concerned, since the last report in January, Missouri Alpha, with the rest of the Missouri campus, found itself plunged into the midst of final week. As usual, the chapter emerged from the finals with a scholarship grade point of which we may be justifiably proud. And, as usual, with our eyes on the annual I.F.C. Grade Cup, Missouri Alpha has entered the new term with full confidence that the chapter's grade average will be even better and that the grade cup will again be ours. Missouri Alpha is also making thorough preparation for a part in the Greek Week Carnival and the annual Interfraternity Sing. Under the direction of our able chorister, John Dunham, we feel proud of our fine fraternity chorus and are sure that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ will again succeed in winning the Sing trophy, as we did last year. Our preparation for the Greek Week festivities also includes competing for the annual Campustown Races trophy. The chapter has chosen to back a lovely member of K K Γ for Greek Week queen. A tremendous booth at the Greek Week carnival is also among our preparations. Missouri Alpha's athletes are gaining recognition for both the Fraternity and the University, as a whole. Med Park, Gary Rust and Phikeia Truman Blackman are contributing toward the success of the Missouri basketball team. Leven Grey, in his capacity as the captain of the Missouri track

team, is leading his teammates to many Big Seven victories. The chapter was very sorry to see Wally Staley leave Missouri Alpha temporarily, but we took consolation in that Wally was leaving for a good cause. Staley has left to participate as a member of the U. S. Equestrian team at the Pan American games. Missouri Alpha is proud of Brother Staley's great horsemanship accomplishments and we are confident that he will ride home to victory.—ED TRAVIS, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI BETA, Westminster College.—First semester has ended with Missouri Beta ranking high, as usual, in scholarship. The chapter was commended by the Administration of the college on being the fraternity with the least number of failing grades. At the beginning of second semester $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ got right into the swing of things by taking second place in both events of our annual Homecoming weekend, decorations and queen contest. A very pretty Miss Marilyn Smith, escorted by Dave Vaughan, was selected first Maid of Honor at the contest. Missouri Beta has initiated eleven very proud and happy Phikeias. The ceremony was held February 13, with an open house following, in honor of the new initiates. They are: Paul Drum, Poplar Bluff; Woody Hopking, Boonville; Wally Leopold, Ladue; Dick Vrooman, Kansas City; Angus Shearer, Tulsa, Okla.; Bob Melin, East St. Louis, Ill.; Don Smith, St. Louis; Art Olson, Kansas City; Tom Cannon, Jacksonville, Ill.; Allen Musick, Fulton, and George Shadle, Poplar Bluff. James A. Van Sant, Westminster '52, has won a 15-day expense paid trip to Europe for a picture he took while in Korea. His picture was chosen from more than ten thousand photos for a cover picture on *The Saturday Review*. Paul Drum, the thespian of the house, has won one of the lead roles in *Light Up the Sky*, a play being produced jointly by Westminster and William Woods colleges.—JOHN V. GORDON, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI GAMMA, Washington University.—We began the new semester here at Washington University by initiating those members of our Fall pledge class who measured up to the standards of the Fraternity. They are: Jim Bledsoe, George Hensley, Neil Hunstein, John Isaacson, Great Falls, Mont.; Alex Jerome, Dublin, Eire; Randy Matreci; Walt McFarland; Don Polkinghorne; Jim Schlueter, Centralia, Ill.; Larry Swaney; Goff Thompson, Mt. Vernon, Ill.; Al Mayner, Quincy, Ill., and Terry Eichler, LaGrange, Ill. With

the varsity basketball season nearing an end, Bill Gullion and Bob Riley continue to hold down their positions on the starting five. Bearskin Follies was held recently at Kiel Auditorium where the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ skit took first place in the fraternity division. The skit was a take-off on rush, with the rushee meeting three "typical" types of fraternities and finally pledging the largest "fraternity" of all, the U. S. Army. Working the skit into shape required a great deal of cooperation from actives and pledges alike, and also the able leadership of Juden Reed, our Bearskin chairman. Rich Dammkoehler, chorister, is now beginning to work on our songs for the Interfraternity Sing which we hope to win this year also. We are fighting it out for first place in intramurals, so if we can come through on these as we did in Bearskin, this stands to be one of the best years we've ever had. Our Social Chairman, Jim Burst, has some unusual ideas for parties this Spring in addition to the Miami Triad and our Spring formal. He is thinking about a River-boat party, a Haunted House party, or possibly a Caveman party, if we can find a cave.—JOHN C. PORTER, Reporter.

MONTANA ALPHA
University of Montana
No letter received.

NEBRASKA ALPHA, University of Nebraska.—The new semester began with the gavel of Nebraska Alpha changing hands from Bill Devries to President-Elect Herb Meissner. Herb, a Senior from Omaha, is in the College of Business Administration. One new Phikeia, Dave Mossman, Omaha, was added to the already outstanding pledge class. Also pertinent at this time was the expectation by Nebraska Alpha of a top scholastic average from the first semester. All the brothers are anticipating the Spring social season and traditional Founders Day dinner which will be held sometime in April. The Second Annual Terrapin Derby will be held this Spring. Last year's winner, Herkimer, representing $\chi\Omega$, is expected to be in top shape; however, rumors have it that the $\Delta\Gamma$ s and Θ etas are running turtle time trials during the weekends. This Spring, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, as usual, is well represented in varsity Spring sports. Nebraska Alpha will again have an All-Phi outfield in Bill Giles, Jim Cederdahl, and Don Becker, who are being counted on for another outstanding year. Bill Wells, Husker cage regular, will be contending for the shortstop position. At least one of this quartette should make All-



SNOW SCULPTURE

New Hampshire Alpha's Winter Carnival statue, "Smitten by the Rub of Love," designed by Lou Miano and built under the direction of Roy Pfeil, house manager.

Big Seven. This with Nebraska's cindermen are Doug "Hoot" Gibson, varsity basketball and outstanding hurdle and sprint man, and Dick Skold up and coming weight man. Both should consistently garner points for the Husker track squad. Intramurally, the rifle team annexed their trophy for the third consecutive year; the A and C basketball teams are the top in their respective leagues and should bring home two trophies; the water cage teams, both deep and shallow, should again repeat their winning ways as has been the case in the past; and the volleyballers will be strong again in contending for their respective trophy. Nelson Jensen, Sophomore from Pawnee City, was initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, national chemistry honorary, as the university's outstanding Freshman chemistry student.—AL ANDERSON, Reporter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA, Dartmouth College.—The Phis and 55 charming dates celebrated Dartmouth's annual Winter Carnival over the weekend of February 4, 5 and 6. The girls came from about 25 colleges over the country with the largest representation from Smith and Skidmore. The festivities were as great a success as were the athletic events which saw the Big Green sweep all skiing, hockey, basketball and swimming contests. We had the pleasure of having $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ guests and their dates from the University of

Pennsylvania, Allegheny, Colgate, Cornell, Williams, University of Vermont, University of New Hampshire, McGill, and from as far west as Michigan State and Indiana. The weekend was off to a booming start as the Spring Street Stompers warmed up the Friday night crowd chilled from watching Outdoor Evening, an ice show featuring a set built of ice and snow on the Hanover golf course, and amateur skating stars from all over the nation. Social Chairman Rick Hollyer then eased the pace of the entertainment Saturday night with the smooth sounds of Roy Ladieu's dance band. The mood of the evening was enhanced by the pinning ceremonies for five Sophomores: Walt Burgin, Bob Creasy, John Cusick, Tom Evans and Dodi Kregos. Along this same line, Brandy Schnorf and Bob Hadley, engaged over the Christmas vacation, are planning for Summer weddings. As the grades from first semester come in, the Seniors are leading the house with a respectable 3.2 average on a four point system, led by Jack Porvaznik with a 4.0 at the Dartmouth Medical School. In other chapter news, Phil Kleinschmidt, a Senior history major, has just completed his thesis on The History of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in Hanover, and is having it bound to be placed in our new Bill Thieme Memorial Library. The chapter's basketball team continues its hot pace with a current record of six straight victories, despite the loss of center Fred Starling because of a sprained ankle. Key play of Jim Lothrop, Don Burkhardt and Jud Snyder, supported by Dave Losby, Dick Burch, Nils Larson, Bob Hadley and Bill Frasier, has been the important factor in the win streak.—BOB HADLEY, Reporter.

NEW MEXICO ALPHA, University of New Mexico.—Uncle Sam has called another of the brothers from the fold of New Mexico Alpha. Cameron McKenzie has been commissioned an ensign in the Navy. We were visited recently by Rod Garretson, John Danfelter and Ed Goff who were on leave from training at Fort Bliss. Social items which have made the society page within the past two months are the marriages of Jim Harper, David Faw and Dean Kern, and the engagement of Lew Whiting. Lew is a graduate and our '54 president. Mother McClellan sponsored a Christmas party for the chapter. A delicious meal was followed by the singing of Christmas carols, and dancing concluded a most enjoyable evening. Speaking of parties, the annual Suppressed Desire costume party showed a "stupendous" display of originality by the brothers and

their dates in the choice of costumes! Our vocally talented brothers took second place in the annual Christmas Song Fest. The appearance of the living room has been greatly improved by the addition of a most attractive reading lamp, a Christmas gift to the chapter from "Mother Mac." We certainly appreciate her generosity and thoughtfulness. The following pledges, who incidentally were the best men pledging any fraternity on campus this semester, have been welcomed into our chapter: Biff Basham, Carlsbad; Dick Pribble, Las Vegas, Nev., and Mike Sweeney, Carlsbad.—FRED M. MOSSMAN, Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA, Cornell University.—For the past few months, York Alpha has been buckling down to the books. We do not find examinations at Cornell an easy burden, particularly when trying to maintain or better a scholastic achievement record that is unique in these parts. Our unparalleled rise last Spring of 31 places in the fraternity ratings has spurred us on to even greater attempts in the scholastic field. Although there have been a minimum of social functions since our wonderful overnight Pledge formal December 12, our participation in intramural athletics has been kept at a high level thanks to the outstanding work of George Brinkman. We have had more participation in athletics this year than ever before, which means more fun for everyone, and, hopefully, a better chance for the All Sports Trophy. With the start of the new term, and the few weeks of relative relaxation, we are working on plans for Spring activities under the very capable guidance of our new President, Dick Rutledge. Dick has an ambitious program of changes in policies and activities which is expected to strengthen and improve the chapter. A limited program of Spring rushing is being undertaken. Fourteen pledges were initiated with the climax of this year's initiation—an alumni banquet—February 19. The active chapter anticipated this opportunity of getting together with alumni in the spirit of the Bond. Another important chapter activity this Spring will be our competition in the Interfraternity Glee Club contest. Two years ago we won; last year we were second. This year we are gunning for the big trophy once more.—JIM ARRIMORE, Reporter.

NEW YORK BETA, Union College.—All efforts at New York Beta are currently concentrated on preparation for the annual Miami Triad dance which will be held at the



PHIS BUILD "CENTER OF CAMPUS" STATUE

"Nanuch and the Whale," featured snow sculpture at Dartmouth Winter Carnival, was designed by Lou Miano and built under direction of Gale Robertson, Outing Club's Director of Center of Campus statue, both Phis of New Hampshire Alpha.

Mohawk Country Club in Schenectady. In the past this event has proven to be the highlight of the school year. Buck Bower and Ed Crotty continue to pace the Dutchmen basketball team with Bower maintaining the post of high scorer on the hardwoods. Intramuralwise, the chapter basketball quintet is tied for first place and shows promise of repeating their 1954 championship role. With an eye on keeping the Class C National Championship in lacrosse, Union will rely heavily on the stickwork of veteran performers Byng Huntington, Al Deegan and Lou Martucci. The Phikeias, led by the amiable Pledge President Tom McCarthy, are preparing for a constructive and memorable Greek Week. Rallying to the call for blood necessary to sustain the life of a hometown friend of Ed Bower in Kingston, N.Y., twelve brothers of the chapter recently pledged to donate a pint of blood each through the Red Cross Bank program. News from recent graduates tells us that Al DeSantis, Ross Saddlemire, Marv Zeph, Tom Mellor and Joe Wilkinson have donned the Air Force Blue in the capacity of second lieutenants, while John Cinquino and Ted Hutton were enticed into the Marines and Army, respectively.—JOHN P. McMAHON, Reporter.

NEW YORK EPSILON, Syracuse University.—Ending the Fall semester with one of the best chapter scholastic averages in many years, the Phis of New York Epsilon start the new Spring semester, under the leadership of President Ken Brown, confi-

dent that this semester will be even better not only scholastically but also socially and athletically. At the moment we are all working hard with our Rushing Chairman, Dick Esmay, in order to make the Spring rushing season a successful one. All of us are looking forward to the time when we join with BΘII and ΣΧ in our Miami Triad weekend which is being planned by George Newi. Friday evening there will be a formal dance which will feature the music of the Barbary Coast Orchestra from Dartmouth. On Saturday we will have a "sour hour" in the morning, a jam session and buffet dinner in the afternoon, and in the evening Stan Rubin's Tigertown Five from Princeton will play at our beer party and informal dance. Social Chairman Skip Slater has outlined an excellent social calendar which includes, besides the Miami Triad, a Spring formal and many parties and picnics. Intramurally we have just won the ski meet and Dick Milham, intramural manager, will be holding practice for the Spring sports shortly. Pitchers Dick Esmay and Dick Milham will be doing their share on the varsity baseball team this year. Other varsity men include Bob Williams who is on the lacrosse team and Ham Dixon who is on crew. Meanwhile Pledgemaster Bob Beattie is doing an excellent job in getting the present class of Phikeias ready for initiation.—DICK SUTTER, Reporter.

NEW YORK ZETA, Colgate University.—Rushing constituted the

main project facing the chapter as the second semester began. Rushing Chairman Jack Warner, after clearing up many of the preliminaries, now is dedicating his full attention to the fundamentals involving his position. Chapter elections were held during the last meeting of the previous semester and George Gardella was elected president. The 1954-55 Campus Fund Drive under the leadership of Bob Tuxill once more filled its quota. The chapter placed fifth among 22 living groups on campus in per capita donations. On the intramural scene, the chapter is currently in sixth place. Basketball, handball and volleyball continue to be the chapter's strong points while suffering in the hockey department. Colgate's mile relay team placed first in their heat and seventh out of 20-odd entrants in the Millrose Games. Brother Dave Perry ran a :49.0 anchor leg. Winter party, held the first weekend in March, was the main social event of the Winter season. Buddy Morrow and his orchestra will be providing the music at the All-College dance. The chapter will feature a pajama theme spiced with Dixie music supplied by the Spring Street Stompers of Williams College. Bruce Dursema, star outfielder of the Raider baseball team, has been selected to represent the U.S. in the Pan American Games. Dursema possesses a .322 batting average and a .959 fielding average over a three year span with the Colgate baseball team. Steneri is again with us after a short leave of absence.—NEAL PRICE, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, Duke University.—At the present time the Phis of Duke University are burning up the intramural basketball league in all three divisions. The A team has lost only one game, to K A, who this year has put a very fine team on the floor. The B and C teams have yet to lose a game. Out for the Duke track team we find Bob Pascal, of football fame, who will run the 100-yard dash. John Christofferson, a high school track star from Columbus, Ga., will be used both for sprints and the broad jump. Randy Lazard, Duke's dark horse in the 50-yard dash, is expected to set the track on fire in the coming meets. The Phikeias ran away with the Greek Week track meet shortly before Christmas. They took the meet by a landslide, being particularly outstanding in the field events, where Phikeia Phil Dupler tossed the 12 lb. shot 52 feet. The social committee has been particularly active and promises us the finest social calendar we have had in years. North Carolina Alpha has just completed

initiation ceremonies and is proud to welcome the following new brothers into the ranks: Bill McCracken, Henderson; Bill Taft, Greenville; Bill Cozart, Durham; Dave House, Monroe; Bill Smith, Ben Holt, Atlanta, Ga.; Pat Patton, Carrollton, Ga.; Dick Ulrich, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Bob Thuss, Birmingham, Ala.; Herb Chittum, Huntington, W.Va.; John Kersey, Bluefield, W.Va.; Jim Donley, Cleveland, Ohio; Bill Recinella, Steubenville, Ohio; Phil Dupler, Frankfort, Ind.; John Phillips, Hazelton, Pa.; Dan Trimper, Baltimore, Md.—BILL BIGGERS, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA, University of North Carolina.—With the start of the new semester and the installation of new officers, the attention of the brothers of North Carolina Beta turned to the social scene. Everyone is eagerly awaiting the approaching Germans weekend, which will feature the bands of Louie Armstrong, Tony Pastor, and Earl Bostick. This weekend is expected to be the social high light of the year, and consequently the chapter, guided by Bob Collier, our social chairman, and Mrs. Neal, our housemother, has planned three parties at the house in addition to the two concerts and the dance. The following weekend we are entertaining the A Δ IIs at Duke University with a cabin party. The Winter season has begun in intramurals, and last year's fine performance is expected to be repeated. Last year North Carolina Beta won two out of the five sports, water polo and swimming, and finished high in the other three. Ed Sutton is a guard on the varsity basketball team, which defeated N. C. State, ranked second nationally before the game. Steve Trimble has been named the new battalion commander of the University N.R.O.T.C. unit. Indoor track season is well underway and the chapter is represented on the varsity team by Marion Griffin and Phikeia Larry McMullen. Phikeias Bob Allison and Wendy Eaves are members of Freshman track squad. Phikeia Allison recently won the discus throw at the annual Freshman Invitational Meet. He is also a member of Φ H Σ and Phikeia Baxter Culler is assistant advertising manager of *The Tarnation*, the campus humor magazine. Phikeia Phil Drake's record setting times, 58.2 in the 100-yard butterfly and 60.2 in the 100-yard long course butterfly events, have been recently announced as official United States records by the N.C.A.A.—SHERWOOD H. SMITH, JR., *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, Davidson College.—The big drive here at North Carolina has been a

two-fold one—interfraternity competition and grades. The Phis have been in first place in the competition here for our intramural cup, and although prospects look dim in basketball, the chapter is planning an all-out Spring drive in track, softball, handball and tennis to make sure that we keep the trophy for the fourth year in a row. The scholastic picture is also pretty bright, particularly as far as the pledge class is concerned. We did not lose any pledges because of faulty grades, although one pledge, Jack Briggs, transferred to Pittsburgh, and one brother, Russell Barringer, saw fit to transfer to Duke University in order to be closer to his fraternity pin, which he gave to a pretty Duke co-ed last year. We had a visit recently from Buford Price, a member of Φ B K during his Junior year here, who is now at the University of Virginia on a fellowship in physics. Jerry King, a former pledge of North Carolina Gamma, came back to visit us this past week. Jerry has only a few months of service left with the Army; he then plans on returning to his home in Hamilton, Ohio. Bob Jones was chosen by the chapter to receive the Price Leadership Trophy, given by Mr. W. Buford Price of Rock Hill, S.C. This trophy goes to that brother who, in the opinion of the brothers, has contributed the most in leading the chapter during the past year. Brother Jones has been president of the fraternity for this past year and is a leader among the medical students here at Davidson.—AUSTIN C. STRAND, *Reporter*.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, North Dakota University.—North Dakota Alpha is enjoying a successful year on all fronts. In I.M. sports the Phis have an unmarked record; not having been beaten in any contest. Early in the season we chalked up our ninth straight touchball championship; and followed that up with firsts in volleyball and swimming. At the present we are still in the basketball and hockey season and have not been beaten in either sport so far. The Phis showed their musical talent by placing first among fraternities in the "Popular Sing" contest but yielded the over-all trophy to the independents. North Dakota Alpha is looking forward to initiating one of the largest classes in I. F. history here. 28 Phikeias are eligible. Φ Δ Θ is well represented in campus organizations. We hold the presidency of the Student Union Board of Governors, vice presidency of Interfraternity Council, presidents of sociology and letterman's clubs, and all offices of Α Φ Ω are held by Phis.



AKRON'S PERENNIAL SONGFEST WINNERS

The Ohio Epsilon Chorus on the stage of the Goodyear Theater after winning first place in Akron University's annual Songfest for the seventh straight year. From left to right: Don Stallard, Bob Allen, Tom Harvey, Martin Vronick, Howard Stockton, Dick Lombardi, Dick Maloyan, Bob Morrison, Director Shelby Davis '48, with trophy, Jim Cunningham, Dave Roughley, Maurice McGuire, Bob Haver, Paul Sheppard, Tony Milo, Harold Hanna, and Stu Terrass.

We recently held a banquet for the alumni as a kick-off to our fund-raising campaign for our new house.—**JACK BAUKOL, Reporter.**

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, Dalhousie University.—Just after the last report was sent in, Nova Scotia Alpha passed through the trial of examinations. During the holidays local actives and Phikeias worked on the basement rumpus room, virtually completing a smart redecorating job. We have since had all our furniture completely upholstered, bought some floor lamps, and at present are acquiring new drapes to fill out the picture. The local Interfraternity Council has drawn up a schedule for basketball, in which we are a finalist, and hockey, which has yet to show any results. Among Dalhousie students and other fraternities, the local chapter has made a name for itself by its popular open houses after intercollegiate games during the present hockey season. We are now in the midst of our pledging period which is especially important this year since many of our number are graduating. As a result we are engaged in an extensive programs of stag and mixed parties and pledging instruction. So far our Phikeias include: Peter Jones, Al Britten, Fred Ogilvie and Don Henley, Halifax; Henry Bradford, Hunt's Point; Don Lounder, Moncton, N.B., and Herk Taylor, St. John, N.B.; but we hope to extend this list before the period ends. We enjoyed a big weekend February 25, which included a banquet and ball, and also an informal party and an alumni tea. We are now working to ensure that all those who read this report who attended these functions can look back upon a very pleasant weekend that helped to strengthen

the bonds between us.—**BRUCE ALGIE, Reporter.**

OHIO ALPHA, Miami University.—At Ohio Alpha we're glad that once more our house is open after being closed a semester because of violation of university social regulations. During the break between semesters, a majority of the chapter stayed in Oxford, pitched in, and redecorated the entire downstairs and upstairs halls. This coupled with the painting many of the brothers did on their rooms resulted in a general uplifting of the house. While on social probation we tried, and we feel, succeeded in keeping the integrity of the chapter. Our success is evident for we are now a more unified group than in the four years this reporter can recall. However, I might hastily add that we don't recommend social probation as a method of uniting chapters. This coming Spring, then, holds much of promise for Ohio Alpha and we are anxious once more to step into the midst of fraternity life. Plans for the future? Admittedly they are still very nebulous. Our first concern is rushing, which began February 6. During our probationary period, the rush committee was active in contacting outstanding potential rushees. The Miami Triad in April will be our first social event. Needless to say we are anxiously awaiting this weekend and are planning the activities in detail. As has been the custom the last two years, the Betas, Sigs and Phis use the facilities of each house and extend the celebration over the entire weekend. Climaxing the weekend, after many informal parties, picnics and dinners, will be the Triad formal Saturday night, April 23.—**ED SCHOENFELD, Reporter.**

OHIO BETA, Ohio Wesleyan University.—Upon completing the period of pledging under the capable direction of Dick Newell, nineteen men signed the Bond, February 12. The new brothers are: Jim Allemeier, Maumee; John Antes, Cato; Dick Bump, Marysville; Al Bush, Canton; Roger Cook, Wooster; Ralph Day, Maple Heights; Harlton Dunbar, Delta; Dick Hagenlocker, Ostrander; Paul Kimmel, Urbana; Dick McIntyre, Middletown; Bob Moffet, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Paul Nightengale, Wellsburg; Charles Ream, Mechanicsburg; Tom Ross, Wauseon; Dave Shaffer, Wadsworth; Phil Shafer, Middlefield; Jim Wight, Wellington; John Wing, Mechanicsburg, and Keith Winget, Wooster. Following initiation, a banquet, with Herman Shipps as speaker, was the highlight of the Winter Homecoming. Forthcoming social events include the sister-sweet-heart party, the Miami Triad and the Spring formal, April 23. Bill Davis, Neil Wolpert and Vic Milla are unit commanders of the local A.R.O.T.C. Again, Ken Creasy and Lloyd Gardner are among the nation's top debaters. Both are members of the team which recently won the national invitational tournament sponsored by the University of Pittsburgh. With Spring sports coming into focus, Kip Cloud, Dick Hagerlocker and Dick Semple may be found working out with the track squad. Working out on the diamond are Dick McPherson and Hal Liphart. The intramural campaign has been moderately successful, but we expect to better our standing in sports to come. Both the upperclass and Freshman bowling teams are expected to be first in their respective leagues.—**R. LEE DAVIS, Reporter.**

OHIO GAMMA

Ohio University
No letter received.

OHIO EPSILON, University of Akron.—Starting the year of 1955 in championship style, our chorus won first place again in the annual Song-fest for the seventh straight year. Hats off to the chorus and our fabulous director, Shelby Davis. The chorus received excellent ratings from all the judges. Also during the month of January, we enjoyed the visit from Assistant Secretary Lodi Vasholz and appreciated greatly his valuable suggestions toward improving our chapter. By the time this edition comes out, we hope to have completed another successful rushing season. Our rushing chairman, who has done a tremendous job, is Dick Beyer. There have been several fine rushing parties so far, the highlights being the All-Phi Variety Show, February 12, under the direction of Jim Monahan and Jim Kovach, and the final banquet, February 17. Brothers in the Spotlight: Dick Lombardi verbally won the coveted Bull Slingers trophy at our Winter formal in December. Hal Frye reigns as singles badminton champion for the second straight year. This year, the sports editor of *The Tel-Buch*, the University's yearbook, is Dick Beyer. Assistant sports editors are Harold Boughton and Phikeia Jim Rolerance. President Jim Singer is our King of Hearts candidate—a contest sponsored by ΦM , all proceeds going to Cerebral Palsy. Ken Holloman, Larry Hamlin and Stu Terrass were recently awarded A-Keys, the University award for campus activities. Further honors: John Milford, Jim Monahan, Stu Terrass, Ken Holloman and Larry Hamlin were recently voted into *Who's Who*.—TONY MILO, *Reporter*. (See cut page 329.)

OHIO ZETA, Ohio State University.—The girls at Ohio State recently selected Denny O'Brien from our chapter as their Goldiggers' King of 1955. Denny's election concluded a very successful campaign which consisted of a humorous skit of his life with musical background and serenading of all sororities and girls dorms. Ohio Zeta has had a member on the court every year for ten years, including three kings. This chapter is now standing sixth in over 50 fraternities in total intramural points. Seems as if bowling and basketball talent resigns. A new Phikeia, Jim Yost, a veteran from Middletown, Ohio, was pledged in January. After being without a kitchen for ten months, our first meal

was finally served from it in February. The newly built addition to the old chapter house is now completed and housing 36 men comfortably. When the old house is remodeled in the Spring, the complete house will accommodate 60 men. The first house party in the new section was the Sweater Girl party, featuring the gift of a cashmere sweater to the best sweater girl. Another successful party was the Roaring Twenties affair. Other social events have included a square dance and the Spring Champagne formal.—EVERETT MUSSEY, *Reporter*.

OHIO ETA, Case Institute of Technology.—Socially, Ohio Eta started the New Year with a bang. Under the direction of Tom Blanchard, a Roman party was held. The house decorated in Roman style and the brothers and their dates came dressed in togas. Several successful parties have also been held after basketball games. $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ has moved into first place in the intramural basketball league. By defeating our next door neighbors, the ΣN s we now hold undisputed possession of the league lead. John Steadmen, Don Liechty and Harry Jallo are members of the basketball team. Gordon Heming is wrestling in the 177-lb. class on the varsity grappling squad. Mark Morris, Derick Pyle and Herb Lindal are leading the swimming team to a successful season. The chapter was recently visited by Traveling Secretary Lodi Vasholz. His suggestions and ideas concerning chapter management were greatly appreciated. Climaxing the first semester, the pledges went through Hell Week. The entire house was cleaned and the kitchen painted. Informal initiation was held at the conclusion of the week and the Phikeias were formally initiated after the start of the second semester. Phil Cole has turned the reins of chapter president over to the capable hands of John Budko.—WENDELL KOHL, *Reporter*.

OHIO THETA, University of Cincinnati.—Closing the busy month of January with a date party in the rathskeller of the First Stop Inn, the brothers and Phikeias settled down to a rest in the post-exam period before the activity got back into full swing. The Phis entertained the $\Delta \Delta \Delta$ s at a Coke party February 1. A $\Delta \Delta \Delta$ pledge is Ohio Theta's candidate for the Greek Week contest for "Goddess of the Greeks." The following Tuesday, the chapter gathered under the leadership of Jim Gentil, the chapter chorister, and toured various sorority houses to serenade the brothers who had be-

come pinned or engaged. Also in the musical vein, the members of Ohio Theta are looking ahead to the annual Interfraternity Sing with the hope of again capturing first place. The middle of February found the chapter busily engaged in second semester rushing. The members of Ohio Theta have planned an extensive program to acquaint rushmen with the chapter. Employing a method which we term "block" rushing, small groups of potential Phikeias are taken to University of Cincinnati basketball games by somewhat larger groups of actives, and then brought together after the game. The culmination of our rush week was the date party at Schlank's Windy Hills and pledging the following night. The month of February is also that of campus elections, and extensive publicity was prepared by the Special Events Committee to assure us a measure of the success that has been enjoyed in past years. March 15 found the alumni, brothers and Phikeias of Ohio Theta celebrating Founders Day with a banquet. The members of Ohio Theta have also decided to publish a monthly news letter to be sent to active brothers in the service and members of our Cincinnati Alumni Association of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. The edition for January was printed and sent to over 150 brothers. The Phis at Cincinnati were very proud to have Dick Goist chosen as halfback on the All-Phi football team for the second year running. Phil Wheeler is currently averaging about 16 points a game for the Cincinnati basketball team and we look for him to take similar All-Phi honors. In the Cincinnati intramural basketball race, Ohio Theta won their league title. Jack Siefferman and Dave Weir were the leading scorers on the squad.—EDWARD E. LOEUR, *Reporter*.

OHIO IOTA, Denison University.—The intramural race has been very competitive thus far this year, but the Phis, as always, are very much in the running for the much coveted trophy. Iota has yet to finish in the second division in any of the six sports completed up to this point of the season, and prospects look very bright for the future. By far the most enjoyable game of the year came about when Ohio Iota played host to brothers from Ohio Gamma, but lost to the visiting Phis by four points. The visitors remained at the house for the rest of the weekend, and rematch of these same two clubs was scheduled for next year. The new semester started very fast in the social field with the annual Triad party held February 12, and the open

house held for the newly initiated sorority women on campus. Sunday, February 20, marked the end of pledging for thirteen new brothers who received the final rites of initiation and were honored afterwards by a banquet held at the house. As a new feature of this year's ceremony, all the brothers and new initiates attended the Presbyterian service that morning in the downtown church. This pledge class that was initiated is by far one of the strongest that Iota has seen in several years. They demonstrated their creative ability several times during the year; the most recent occasion at the Pledge formal which was hailed by all who attended as the best on campus. The general feeling at Iota is that with the help of this powerful Freshman class we shall once again dominate the interfraternity scene at Denison.—JOHN MACKLIN, *Reporter*.

OHIO KAPPA, Bowling Green State University.—The brothers of Ohio Kappa closed the Fall semester with a number of accomplishments. A Christmas dinner-dance for Seniors was held for the first time and it is hoped it will become an annual event. New furniture was added to the present stock, along with a fine new rug. At least the flower box was filled with sturdy plants. The Phis made a good start in intramural basketball. In the academic line two Phis, Fred Ashley and Lanny Miles, were among fourteen Sophomores initiated into $\Phi\chi\Sigma$. Requirement for membership is a minimum accumulative 3.5 point average for the entire Freshman year. Ralph V. McKinney, outstanding military student and June '54 graduate from Ohio Kappa, was tenth in a class of 138 at the Feld Artillery Officers Basic Course at Fort Sill, Okla. Between semesters, four Phis departed from the chapter: Glenn Smalley, John Ladd and "Moose" White graduating and Jim Wilson joining the Navy. Ohio Kappa is well represented on the Winter varsity sports scene. Lanny Miles is a member of the starting five on the Falcon basketball team and is the team's third leading scorer with a 12.5 average at this time. Kip Crawford adds bench strength to the Falcon cagers. On the wrestling team we have Kermit Knowles wrestling at 130 pounds, Harold Bruck at 167, Kris Ford at 177, and Ken Russell in the heavy-weight class. Paul Dressel and Bob Iles are members of the Bowling Green swimming team which is undefeated this year in intercollegiate competition.—GEORGE BYERS, *Reporter*.

Ohio State Phi Crowned Golddigger's King

By EVERETT MUSSER, *Ohio Zeta Reporter*



PRACTICE . . . MAKES PERFECT

Dennis O'Brien practices with the quartet (left); at right he holds the coveted Golddigger's trophy.

AT the Ohio State University's annual Golddigger's Prom, Dennis O'Brien, Ohio Zeta's candidate, nabbed top honors by being crowned Golddigger's King. The Prom is the University's one turn-about affair of the year. The girls are responsible for the rides, dinner, and other additional expenses.

Winning the contest was quite an honor for Dennis, as he was one of fifty candidates put up by the various fraternities on campus. After eliminating the contestants to fifteen, each fraternity represented by a candidate campaigned the sorority houses and dormitories with themes, skits, and serenades. Using Brother Hank Ketcham's "Dennis the Menace" character, the Phi Deltas impressed the campus co-eds with their rendition of "Dennis Has No Place To Go!"

This victory is consistent with Ohio Zeta's successful history in the only male contest at Ohio State, as they have had more men win this honor than any other fraternity on campus.

OHIO LAMBDA, Kent State University.—Winter quarter is in full swing at Kent State, and with it comes one of the busiest times of the year for Ohio Lambda. February 6 three Phikeias were initiated. The new Phis are: Robert Buckles, Cleveland; Dave Fruehauf, Cleveland, and Carl Nicely, Madison. Buckles was awarded the traditional "spit-toon" in recognition as the model pledge. Ten new men have been pledged. The new Phikeias are: John Austen, John Poda, Tom Mansell, Roger Pae, William Blackham, John Krizan, James Henry, Tom Smith, Ken Miltner and Howard Stanley. After running away with the fraternity football championship in the Fall,

the Phis launched out on a busy Winter sports schedule. The basketball team led by Captain Bill Inderwish, is in second place, hot on the heels of the first place $\Sigma\Lambda\text{Es}$. Highlight of the season was a victory over last year's champion. We have yet to meet the leaders in the league. In wrestling, the Phis took third place. Steve Garrett won the championship in the 167-pound class. With swimming soon to take place, a veteran Phi squad is picked as the favorite. Top social event of the quarter was the Winter formal held at the Hollenden Hotel in Cleveland. The dance and the cocktail party preceding were well attended by alumni. Ohio Lambda recently played host to

Traveling Secretary Lothar Vasholz for a week. We also recently initiated two alumni. They are Lodge Hanlon and James MacDonald. Both brothers are serving in the Air Force. Ohio Lambda is looking forward to coming social functions with Ohio Epsilon. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s "baby chapter" is anxious to have brothers from other chapters drop in, and is looking forward to many joint functions with other chapters.—RICHARD A. BAUN, *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, University of Oklahoma.—Conversation at Oklahoma Alpha and the O.U. campus is centered on $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s new \$300,000 home to be ready for rush by August 30, 1955. Designed by Coston and Frank Ford, consulting architects and engineers of Oklahoma City, it is to be the most modern fraternity house in the Southwest. It is designed for 60 men with each room having an adjoining bath along with central heating and air conditioning, and the traditional outside patio of contemporary ranch style architecture. Construction was started January 7, and we are presently pouring the foundation. A tea honoring our new Housemother, Mrs. Irby Keene, more affectionately known as Mom "K," was held in the Phi house January 9. The chapter president, social chairman and housemother from all sororities and fraternities on the O.U. campus paid their respects to our newly acquired housemother. Our pledges surprised the members when fifteen of them made their grades, four pledges being eligible for the Freshman honorary, $\Phi\H\Sigma$. They have scheduled and held a walkout to Dallas and a hay-rack ride. A pledge party is also on the agenda. Our formal was held January 8 in the Union ballroom. All Phis thought it was big success. Initiation of two men on eight weeks' grades was held before the turn of the semester. The new members are Ronnie Davis and Gary Thomas. Dick Williams was elected president of the "Obstacle Overcomers" club, replacing Jack Locke. We wish him luck in piloting this worthwhile campus organization.—RONALD W. GILCHRIST, JR., *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA BETA, Oklahoma A. and M.—"This Is Your Life—Nanny Floss." The paradox on Ralph Edwards' popular TV show by the same name qualified the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ skit, conceived and directed by Wes Prosser, for the 1955 version of the Varsity Review, an annual all-campus talent production stated in April. Nanny, an actual character that swept into the nation's headlines recently with

her "husband handling methods," is the lady that had the Southwest discussing her various and sundry methods of disposing of betrothed ones. After the latest autopsy, five ex-husbands' cause of death had been attributed to poisoning. The $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ agenda for March has Phis gasping for breath and longing for a free weekend. The newly organized Bartlesville Alumni Chapter sponsored a Founders Day banquet, March 1. Tulsa's Alumni group scheduled a March 12, 13 weekend that features a dance and banquet the preceding day. The Miami Triad slipped into the crowded March calendar, March 19, with the skirt-sweater dance. Also on the list was the Oklahoma City Founders Day dinner. Phikeias Richard Puckett and Bob Cave, Stillwater, and Joe Boucher, Tulsa, qualified as $\Phi\H\Sigma$ by making over a 3.5 grade average their first semester in college. Bolstered by these three scholars, the pledge class eligible for initiation had an even B average. Building around the nucleus of the 1954 team that swept into the volleyball finals, Athletic Manager Jerry Brown has a solid staff that is favored to cop the intramural title, a crown that has eluded $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ two years, consecutively, in the final day of play. Hyatt Madding, Roy Hannaford, Eddie Bryne, Sam Lewis, John Apple, Chester Brooks and Brown are the A team mainstays.—CHARLIE HOLLAR, *Reporter*.

ONTARIO ALPHA, University of Toronto.—Election time has rolled by again, and along with our new executive under Roy Beatty as president, a new internal organization has been inaugurated. Under the old system, the officers held the lion's share of the responsibility, which, it was felt, restricted participation and cooperation. Now we have committees to do the jobs, enabling every man to have a part in the activities of the chapter. The annual formal, held at the Granite Club, was a great success—just ask the Alumni! The actives were certainly pleased with the number of alumni who attended, and hope to see at least as many next year. The success of the affair can be accredited to one man, George Cook, whose excellent organization and hard work was much appreciated by the rest of us. Sports-wise, the chapter is having one of its best seasons. The basketball team is giving a good account of itself, and our hockey squad has yet to be defeated in an interfraternity contest. A different spirit has become evident in our athletics, particularly in hockey; the emphasis has shifted from the farcical to the keen, ag-

gressive type of game, which can be accredited to the number of good Freshman hockey players in the chapter. This was conclusively proved in a hockey match in which the Freshmen defeated the rest of the chapter 8-7. University athletics seem to be sharing the Phis' good fortune; the hockey Blues are holding down first place in the loop, and our basketball team is doing better than it has in years. Spring rushing has been progressing quite well and we are aiming for seven or eight new pledges before the end of the term. Those finals are beginning to loom on the horizon, a fact brought home by the preparations for the Founders Day banquet and the popular Bowery Ball. From early indications, both functions will be the usual successes.—BRUCE T. CURRIE, *Reporter*.

OREGON ALPHA, University of Oregon.—At the close of the Fall term, Oregon Alpha was very proud of the recognition and the honors received during the term. At the present time, the University Intramural Trophy is in our possession and we have had a very good start in trying to capture it again by being the outstanding group participating in intramural athletics. During the Fall quarter, Oregon Alpha was the champ of intramural football and also captured two second place trophies in the A and B volleyball leagues. At present, the middle of the Winter quarter, we have advanced to the final playoffs of basketball. Both of the A and B teams are undefeated and we are giving them a strong rooting section of brother Phis who hope they will finish the season on top. During the first part of this term, we had the pleasure of pinning the badges of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on fifteen new initiates. The new members are: Harold Duffy, James Hildlands, Stew Jones, David Kjome, Vernon Scott, Calvin Callaway, Portland; Jerry Urness, The Dalles; Brian Booth, Roseburg; Ronald Brown, Pendleton; Winfred Hastings, Bandon; Donald Linland, Oakridge; Raymond Miller, Eugene; James Pifher, Baker; Theodore Tenny, Ashland, and Tillman Briggs, Vancouver Island, Can. Oregon Alpha pledged three very fine men during the open rush period at the beginning of Winter term. They are: Oliver Urbigkeit, Portland; Quincy Powers, Coos Bay, and Paul Tuchardt, Oakridge. At this time, since election of new officers will take place soon, the chapter would like to pay tribute to very capable outgoing President, Peter D. Williams. Pete has completed an excel-

Pennsylvania Alpha's Man of Merit

By DONALD MITCHELL, *Pennsylvania Alpha Reporter*

THE brothers of Pennsylvania Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Lafayette have gained a remarkable member in Eldred Smith of Rahway, N.J. Elge, as we call him, lost his sight five years ago as a result of cataracts.



ELDRED SMITH OF P.A. ALPHA

Another top notch Phi overcomes handicap of blindness.

His story of overcoming the affliction of blindness is one worthy of praise. Since his initial step into the world of education, Elge has been a top stu-

dent both scholastically and in extra-curricular pursuits. Even after losing his sight he continued to attain these high honors which were eventually to pave the way to a scholarship at Lafayette. We wish, however, to give a brief story of the five years prior to his entering college.

This period of time, of course, proved to be the most important in his life because of his tremendous struggle to overcome his handicap. This he did by first turning his great love for music into an active pastime. He started by playing the piano and then later on taking up the bass fiddle and tenor saxophone.

Today he is a musician of note in the New Jersey area and on the Lafayette campus. As a matter of fact, he has his own band which plays many engagements in this vicinity and he is pianist for the Lafayette College Jazz Band, better known as the Leopard Land Six. He has even been asked to play as a special feature for the Junior Hop, one of the biggest social events of the year.

His activities, nevertheless, are not confined to music. At the present time he is a member of the yearbook staff. Besides these college interests he is an accredited insurance salesman. This work he does as a means of paying for his education.

We could write at some length about his influence on the brothers of Pennsylvania Alpha, but we shall condense it to the simple statement that he is an inspiration to all who know him. His wonderful attitude and excellent scholarship make us proud that Eldred Smith is a member of the crew of the "Good Ship Phi."

lent job, not only for the chapter but as the Interfraternity Council president as well. He is indeed an outstanding president and very deserving of this recognition.—DON GARTRELL, *Reporter*. (See box p. 334.)

OREGON BETA, Oregon State College.—The real function of recent weeks has been the initiation of twelve of our pledges into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Our initiating team handled the proceedings and to top off the ceremonies, two of the Phikeias' dads are Phis and at the close they pinned the badges on their sons. A very impressive occasion for all twelve. The new members are: Pete Roberts, Portland; Wendell Brooks, Honolulu, Hawaii; Gregg Alderton, Santa Ana, Calif.; Milt Bally, Portland; Larry Brown, Forest Grove; Steve Merchant, Salem; Frank Wiest, New York, N.Y.; Arnold Pederson, Salem;

Gene Stott, Eugene; Bob Gill, Portland; Jim Coleman, Corvallis, and Jack McConnel, Pasadena, Calif. Dads' Weekend is coming up soon and a large dinner will be served at the house and we will have as many dads as the house will permit stay with us. Saturday night our usual formal meal will be served. February 10 our Winter term dance was held. We arranged for the band and the decorations and they both came close to the theme of the dance which was "Stalag 17." Our chapter played host to several very nice ladies with the hopes of finding one among them to be our housemother starting next Fall term. Additions to the house will be made this Summer to accommodate our house mother.—LARRY PAULUS, *Reporter*.

OREGON GAMMA, Willamette University.—With finals out of the

way, Oregon Gamma is just beginning to recover and enjoy Spring semester. December and January produced practically no interesting incidents, thereby providing no data for this writer to pass on. Dale Patton has taken over his new office of chapter president with much grace and sincerity. Intramurals find the Phis resting among the leaders. Basketball playoffs have two Phi teams attempting to secure the top bunting and it seems very certain that the position will not be damaged. Willamette is having a mediocre basketball season and the position of the team was not bettered when Pete Reed had to drop out this year because of illness. Jack Bishop, Jerry McCallister, Ron Fitzgerald and Phikeia Ron Taylor are all contributing their best and doing so in fine fashion. We're all looking forward to a nice sunny Spring. We would like to see the

Oregon Alpha Has Outstanding Rookie Star

Phil McHugh, 6'-0", 190-lb. sophomore from Portland is by far the outstanding rookie of the year on the Pacific Coast. Phil turned in a very fine year as first string end for the University of Oregon football team, Northern Division champions. Only two weeks after football season Phil moved into another first string position, as guard on the basketball team, where he handles himself like a veteran. With his clever ball handling, aggressive play, and consistently fine shooting eye he has become one of the top scorers on the Duck squad.

Not only does McHugh star in athletics; he is also an excellent student, with a better than B average. He also finds time to take part in Skull and Dagger, sophomore men's honorary.

With his fine high school record as an all-stater in football and basketball and his excellent performances in both sports as a sophomore, Phil is destined to become a bright star for the University of Oregon in the next two years.—DON GARTRELL, *Oregon Alpha Reporter*.

faces of a lot of you alumni; the doors are wide open.—PHIL MCCALLISTER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA, Lafayette College.—The second semester at Pennsylvania Alpha started under the direction of our new President Harry Jordan. The first week of the semester saw the pledges engaged in various activities in connection with Greek Week. During Greek Week the pledges also worked on useful community projects. This year's pledge class succeeded in obtaining a seventy-five average. This is one of the best Freshman averages obtained in comparison with other fraternities at Lafayette. February 13, eleven pledges were formally initiated and added to the rolls of the brothers. Following the ceremonies a banquet was held in the house dining room and the alumni and guests were treated to a delicious meal. Member-at-Large of the General Council H. L. "Pete" Stuart was the principal speaker. February 19 our annual dinner-dance formal was held. Don Mitchell, our new social chairman, did a tremendous job and all agreed it was a very successful weekend. Just recently the Olin Foundation of Minneapolis, Minn., presented Lafayette College with a grant of one and one-quarter million dollars for the construction of a building to be devoted to the sciences of engineering. When this new building is completed, Alexis Hall, the temporary chemistry building, will be torn down and the Phis will have a little more room for recreation. Bill Snyder was recently made president of the Knights of the Round Table.—WIL-

LARD R. SNYDER, *Reporter*. (See feature p. 333.)

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, Gettysburg College.—The new semester found Pennsylvania Beta holding down first place in the intramural basketball league, having finished second in the volleyball competition. We still have high hopes to capture the all-sports trophy. Throughout the varsity basketball campaign Brother Snyder has again been setting the pace with an average of 20.8 points per game. At this writing we have not yet received our scholarship rating but we are hop-



PA. BETA SWEETHEART

Beth Meyer, named "Phi Delta Theta Sweetheart" by Gettysburg Phis at annual Christmas House Parties. She is pinned to John Stoner, now serving as chapter president.

ing to have improved our record from the previous year. The house was filled to capacity on the Saturday afternoon of the Junior-Senior Prom weekend when we had an open house featuring Mike Pedicin and his orchestra. At the beginning of the semester we pledged three men. The Phikeias are: Harper Bohr, Williamsport; Robert Cochran, York; Harold Ruddy, Red Bank, N.J. Pennsylvania Beta was also well represented in the recent Freshman class elections with Phikeia Larry Gaenzle as president and Phikeia Charles Landis serving as treasurer. Little, Lauffenberger, and McGaughy will represent us in the annual tour of the College Choir in early March. Dick Gaenzle has been elected business manager of *The Gettysburgian*. We are looking forward to welcoming many of our alumni and friends during Interfraternity Weekend.—JOHN R. STONER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, Washington and Jefferson College.—Immediately following semester exams, Pennsylvania Gamma co-operated with Washington and Jefferson College in carrying out its Help Week program. Our pledges, who attained the scholastic average required for initiation, Bob and Fred Suwak, John Lightcap, Jorge Rameriz, Dick Galardi, Dick Hopkins and Bradley Schereschewsky, worked in the community for two afternoons to fulfill their part in the W. and J. community of Washington relationship. Following a formal banquet February 14, these men passed through the steps of initiation. With the approach of graduation, the Seniors thoughtfully look back on the memorable days of college and fraternity life. This Spring, our chapter will lose eight men in the graduating class. Included are Don Barley, Gene Foutz, Pat Howard, Neil Oblom, Paul Rathgeb, Gene Rongaus, Ron Spangler and John Watt. Our second semester President, Gene Rongaus, is looking forward to a very prosperous semester for the chapter. A magazine selling campaign is under way, the profits of which are to be used for further improvements in the fraternity house. The intramural race is still very close, but with wrestling, ping pong, track and softball remaining on the Spring sports calendar, we have great expectations of being on the top again this year. Per usual, the social life slowed down during exams, but again in the Spring, it always comes to full bloom. Included in our Spring formals are the Military Ball, the Panhellenic dance, and the Prom. Congratulations to Don

Barley, this year's captain of the swimming team.—PAUL E. RATHGEB, Jr., Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, Allegheny College.—Pennsylvania Delta considers it self indeed fortunate to be the only fraternity at Allegheny to begin the second semester without losing a man because of scholastic difficulties. In addition to individual efforts to improve academic standing, Scholarship Chairman Robert Meredith's "steak-bean dinner" idea provided extra incentive to help the brothers along. Each brother was paired off with another closest to him in academic average for previous semesters, and he who finished higher this time eats steak at a special dinner, whereas his luckless opponent eats beans. The opening weeks of this semester found the brothers keeping a watchful eye on the pledges, with initiation approaching. Our pledges find it rather amusing to have the brothers go through meals without benefit of knives. However, the Phikeias returned the missing knives to us when Pennsylvania Delta was recently honored to have singers Mary Martha Briney and Bob Carter of TV, radio and night club fame as guests for dinner one evening. Just prior to initiation, Pledgemaster Joe DeVittorio plans to have the Phikeias participate in a Help Week by doing some work for the benefit of the children at the Bethesda Home. Pennsylvania Delta is once more able to use the huge fireplace that dominates our main lounge, thanks to the efforts of House Manager Bill McDowell, who seemed to be impersonating an English chimney sweep for several days. His efforts succeeded and the brothers can enjoy roaring fires once more.—GEORGE GINADER, Acting Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, Dickinson College.—Well, we just completed Help Week, and we now have four new brothers in the house. The initiates are: Joe Otto, Pittsburgh; Fred Conrad, Sunbury; Greg Gregusson, Oslo, Norway, and Wally Runkle, Middleburg. There have been two foreign students initiated into Pennsylvania Epsilon in as many years—Erhard Franz of Austria and Greg Gregusson from Norway. Through our association with these men, we have become more enlightened as to life in other countries. Erhard and Greg have also received a much broader view of the American way of life by sharing fraternity life in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ with fellows from all walks of life. While speaking of new members, I'd like to congratulate our two new pledges—Arnie



HISTORIC FIREPLACE IN USE

Brothers Tom Dolan, Bill McDowell, George Ginader, and Jerry Berkstreser enjoy a fire in the ornate fireplace of the Pennsylvania Delta chapter house, originally the A. C. Huidekoper mansion. Blocked flues had prevented use of the fireplace for many years. Wood used for the fire was chopped by the brothers from woods along the old canal across Terrace street from the house.

Watkins, Huntington, and Ron Seewald, Williamsport. In order to operate the house more efficiently and to give more brothers control of house functions, we have set up a new system of committees. We have committees for house and grounds, finance, commissary, etc. Under this new system, Pennsylvania Epsilon has been running very smoothly. In interfraternity basketball we have won two games and lost one, a close overtime contest with the Θ Xs. The team really looks good this year, and we stand a very fine chance of winning the championship. As to the future, we are looking forward to the big social event with the Betas and Σ Xs—the Miami Triad. We have many activities planned for this event including a serenade featuring the combined glee clubs of the three fraternities.—LEW WILKINSON, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA, University of Pennsylvania.—Pennsylvania Zeta initiated its Fall class into the Bond just one day before formal Spring rushing began. This will bolster the membership of the chapter after the graduation of more than one third of the total membership last June. The Hell Week for the Fall class was turned into a Decoration Week in preparation for the coming rushing. This chapter has recognized the importance of scholarship stand-

ing. It is expected that Penn Zeta will move up this term in both University and fraternity circles. The Kite and Key Society of the University has selected this chapter to act as one of four host houses for its annual Inter-Academic Day during which 150 high school students are introduced to the University. The Interfraternity Council of the University is sponsoring a rating system in which each fraternity would be given a numerical grade. Penn Zeta is against any such system on the grounds that it would work to a disadvantage for some of the smaller chapters on campus even though theoretically it would work to an advantage for this chapter.—PHILIP T. TOBIN, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA, Lehigh University.—During the Christmas vacation and between semesters, the first floor and the bar were completely redecorated by the brothers and pledges. We are now about to begin rushing. February 10, Howard Kessler, Maplewood, N.J.; Valentine Santillo, Norristown, and Stuart Sherk, Shillington, were initiated into Pennsylvania Eta. Richard Menninger, Westfield, N.J., was repledged after dropping out of school for a semester because of an injury. The fraternity basketball team completed a successful season with only two de-

feats. An active social calendar is planned for the Spring semester, which includes, two rushing parties, a Military Ball, Interfraternity Council weekend, parents weekend, Miami Triad, and Spring houseparty weekend.—**LAWRENCE S. REYNAL, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, Pennsylvania State University.—The highlight of the Fall social calendar took place when the chapter held its annual Christmas dance, December 12. The interior of the house was decorated with pines while the outside was enhanced with lights and other Christmas motifs. The Dean of Men congratulated the chapter for the wonderful appearance of the house. Demonstrating the true spirit of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ the chapter combined with the KΑΘs to hold a Christmas party for underprivileged children of the area. It is difficult to tell who had more fun, the children or the chapter. Donald Bailey, selected to play for the East in the Shrine East-West game, played an outstanding game at quarterback and was awarded the Most Valuable Player Award. Dick Hamer was recently elected to fill an expired term as president of the Thespian Club. Bob Allison is the publicity manager in the same organization. Rushing is going forward strongly and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is looking forward to a great pledge class.—**R. M. HAMER, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, University of Pittsburgh.—The chapter basketball team is doing very well this season. So far we have no losses and we are confidently looking forward to capturing the school championship in basketball as we did in touch football. The Phikeias spent the first day of their Work Week cleaning and whitewashing the basement of the Industrial School for Crippled Children. This was known as Community Help Day and was conducted in cooperation with the Y.M.C.A. The rest of their Work Week was spent cleaning and painting around the chapter house and they did a very commendable job. The chapter is completing plans for Spring rushing and is confidently expecting another fine pledge class this semester. For the second consecutive year, Pennsylvania Iota will be the host for a Province Conference which will precede the Founders Day banquet. This conference will be held in the Pitt chapter house all day Saturday, March 26, with luncheon served in the house. The Founders Day banquet will follow that evening and all undergraduates and alumni are urged to attend.—**GLENN R. HEISKELL, Reporter.**



MOST VALUABLE

Don Bailey, Penn State's star quarterback during past season, recipient of the Most Valuable Player award in the annual East-West Shrine game played in San Francisco, January 1.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, Swarthmore College.—The rushing season this year brought us not the largest pledge class on campus, but most certainly the best. Our twelve new Phikeias (hailing from nine different states) are: Cowles Mallory, Hingham, Mass.; Jim Duane, Chestnut Hill, Mass.; John Lofland, Bridgeville, Del.; George Adair, Ridgewood, N.J.; Joe Baker, Orlando, Fla.; Frank Borchert, Lakewood, Ohio; Roger Dorwart, Hartford, Conn.; Edward Green, Schenectady, N.Y.; Phil Dunham, Higganum, Conn.; John Hoffman, Springfield, Ill.; Bill Phelps, Princeton, N.J., and Dick Yates, Ripon, Wis. In student government, Dick Gammon has joined Dave Dulles on the Student Council, and Lauren Suter has just completed a successful semester as I.F.C. president. In Winter sports, we are represented by Dick Gammon on the swimming team and by Ben Beattie, the college's heavy-weight wrestler. The fraternity basketball team is rather slow, having beaten only the girls' varsity in games to date. But, in the Spring, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ hopes to dominate the lacrosse team, through the efforts of Gene Keaton (captain), Larry Handley, Jim Davis, Ron Decker, George Bailey and any pledges who can be persuaded to try this fine game. Phikeia Yates should see action with the baseball team. On the social scene, a few of our more zealous brothers have kept the rest of us busy serenading new sisters. Our Social Chairmen, Jack McNutly and Bob Stever, have scheduled a number of good parties in the coming weeks including an off-campus one. In campus affairs, the

college President, Courtney Smith, has won the support of most Phis against the sloppy "avant-garde" dress of some of the students. We Seniors here at Pennsylvania Kappa were pleased to see the story about John Clendennin (Illinois Alpha's Man of the Year) in the January SCROLL. We who were initiated with him felt a real loss when he left us after one year.—**RONALD O. DECKER, Reporter.**

QUEBEC ALPHA

McGill University

No letter received.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, Brown University.—The blue haze which covered the Brown campus during final exam period has now lifted and all unofficial sources point to the fact that the chapter has continued to improve its scholastic record. With M.G.M. Wadsworth at the helm as new scholastic chairman such conditions will undoubtedly continue. On the athletic scene, Phil Buzz Samsel, Joe Muse, John Baird, Don Seifert and Captain Jim Harrell continue to dominate the starting positions on the wrestling team as well as their opponents. Undeclared in four meets, the Bruins have crushed Wesleyan, Columbia, Harvard and Princeton. Phi Sophomore, Pete Roache, pinch hitting in the 137-lb. class against Harvard, showed fine promise in gaining a wide-margin decision. Recently the Brown grapplers copped the New England A.A.U. championship and Phi Buzz Samsel was voted the outstanding wrestler of the tournament. In basketball, Bobby Popp continues to spark the Brown five with his fine floor play and of late has consistently hit the double figure mark in the scoring column. The chapter basketball team has continued its undefeated ways and the fraternity championship is within reach if our boys can keep up the hot pace. Under the direction of Rushing Chairman, Larry Corcoran, a well-ordered rush system has been initiated which includes I.D. cards for all interested Freshmen and the appointment of balanced rush teams. As this letter goes to press, the system is readying itself for the final test. Roommates Don Keane and Bill Wasicko have already proved themselves valuable additions to the new slate of officers. As social chairman and house manager, respectively, they have teamed up to give $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ its best parties of the year and most effective house maintenance. Plans are now underway for gala affairs on I.F.C. weekend, and Spring Weekend, April 28, 29, 30. At this time we extend a warm invitation to all

our alumni to return for these events or at any time that might be more convenient.—KENNETH GOLDER, Reporter.

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA, University of South Dakota.—With the conclusion of a successful first semester here in the Land of Infinite Variety, the setting was ideally staged for one of the highlights of the social season. The annual Miami Triad was a tremendous success, even though the traditional sub-zero weather attempted to stifle the cheery atmosphere of the pause between semesters. Recent announcement of the *Who's Who* list found Dick Chaussee and Jim Rath representing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The South Dakota Alpha touch football team brought home the Champion's Trophy as they surged through the season undefeated. Mrs. Deborah Whalen, lovable housemother for the past nine years, has resigned as advised by her doctor because of a heart condition. Bolstering the University of South Dakota basketball squad are Bill Conway and Jim Rath of the House of Phi. Newly elected officers include Harvey Delzer, president. Recent returnees from a tour of duty in the Armed Forces are Spence Brende and Ray Votja. South Dakota Alpha is anxiously awaiting the forthcoming grade list and feels confident of a repetition of last semester's impressive standing on the campus.—OTTO W. KAISER, Reporter.



PHI WRESTLERS AT BROWN

Four of the six Phis of Rhode Island Alpha who are wrestling on the undefeated Brown varsity. Left to right: John Baird, 123-lb.; Joe Muse, 147-lb.; Capt. Jim Harrell, 157-lb.; Buzz Samsel, 167-lb. Not pictured are Don Seifert, unlimited, and Pete Roache, 137-lb.

TENNESSEE ALPHA, Vanderbilt University.—It seems that this year the $\Sigma A E$ s decided to display a lion to show their tremendous power so the Phis decided that they had better get one too. Therefore, taking the course of least resistance, we simply stole the $\Sigma A E$ lion from its "safe" hiding place in the $\Sigma A E$ basement. This, of course, disturbed the $\Sigma A E$ s a great deal and as they didn't know exactly what to do they merely ran around in circles like neurotic mice. After 25 days of this scrambling about we felt sorry for them and

gave "Simba" back. He now sits unmolested and unthought of in front of the $\Sigma A E$ house, a symbol of their defeat. The intramural Phis are still riding high. We've added the intramural wrestling trophy to our growing collection and consequently furthered our lead in the race for the intramural trophy. G. Adams won the 177 class and Phikeia Clements won the 137 division. Our secret of success was overall strength and we certainly had an ample supply of that. Fowler is to be commended for the fine work he did as captain of



TOUCH FOOTBALL CHAMPS

South Dakota Alpha touch football team which finished season undefeated and brought home highly coveted trophy. Bolstering the speedy and deceptive offense was a tough defense which allowed scores in only two games. The team members are—standing, left to right: Bill Gamet, Don Benson, Bob Tyler, Bill Lantis, Bill Conway, Pete Cole, Ron Jenkins, and Dick Brown. Kneeling: Dick Swedeen, Jim Rath, Connie Hines, Mike Nickel, Ruben Ottenbacher, Charley Bergland, and Forrest Webb.



BMOC AT SOUTH DAKOTA
Richard Chaussee (left) and Jim Rath

S.D. Alpha Officers Elected To *Who's Who*

By OTTO W. KAISER, South Dakota Alpha Reporter

RECENT announcement of the *Who's Who* list at the University of South Dakota found Richard Chaussee and Jim Rath representing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. In addition to being chosen for this honor, Chaussee holds various positions that demonstrate his sincere interest in both the University and the Fraternity. He has been President of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, Vice-President of the Student Body at the University, President of the Interfraternity Council, President of Strollers, the male dramatic promotion organization, President of Student Recruitment Group, a member of Scabbard and Blade, and $\Phi M A$, musical fraternity.

Brother Rath is Treasurer of South Dakota Alpha and Scabbard and Blade, member of $\Phi H \Sigma$, freshman honorary scholastic fraternity, and was recently named the recipient of the Rube Hoy Scholarship which is awarded annually for scholarship and athletic ability.

the team. The Triad was a terrific success. With Billy May's band and parties both before and after the dance, we enjoyed one of the best Triads in years. Thanks to the Mothers' Club for the new drapes and reupholstered couches, we're certainly enjoying them. Any brothers who know of boys planning to enter Vanderbilt University in the Fall of 1955 whom they wish to recommend, please send their names and addresses to Fraser Hunter, 2019 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn., so that we can invite them to our annual Spring rush party.—JIM PATTON, Reporter.

TENNESSEE BETA, University of

the South.—February 6 we initiated nine men into the Fraternity. They are: Joseph Bradley, Montgomery, Ala.; Anderson Carmichael, London Bridge, Va.; Robert Creveling, John Seals and Harrison Steves, Birmingham, Ala.; Anthony Hathaway, Orlando, Fla.; Louis Hermes, New York, N.Y.; George Lewis, Jackson, Miss., and Heyward Roberts, Seawane. Two new pledges were also added to Tennessee Beta with the pledging of Dean Ellithorpe Birmingham, Ala., and Warner Stough, Montgomery, Ala. The pledge class, which was recently initiated, is now completing renovation of the basement which was their pledge project.

The improvements greatly enhance both the appearance and the comfort of the house. In intramural sports, the Phi team is presently in a tie for first place in the basketball race, having gone undefeated in their first six games. The team is led by Jay Butler and two returning All-Star men, Dick Corbin and Jim Greene. Others lending a big hand are Chuck Mattison, Bill Warfel, Harry Steves and Clyde Fasick. In recent school elections, Dick Corbin was chosen as the Senior class representative on the Honor Council. The weekend of February 11-12, the Phis joined the rest of the campus in celebrating the Mid-Winter dance weekend. Friday night the Phis held a roaring Twenties party and Saturday featured a Dixieland Band concert and the University formal dance.—WILLIAM G. BURRILL, Reporter.

TEXAS BETA, University of Texas.—The Phis at Texas are looking forward to another successful Spring semester. The big campus events will be Round-Up and Varsity Carnival. We plan to have winning entries in each. The Semester started with a bang with a Jungle party, which was a rocking success. The Spring social season will be topped off by our annual house party. This year we plan to have it at the famous Flying "L" Ranch in Bandera, Tex. Later during the semester the chapter will depart for Mo Ranch where they will discuss with the Dean of Men, Jack Holland, the meaning of the Fraternity to the school. We are planning to have winning basketball and baseball teams. If we are successful our intramural standing will be greatly improved.—JAMES BOYCE, Reporter.

TEXAS GAMMA, Southwestern University.—Three Phis were among the six men from Southwestern recently elected to *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*. They are: Fred Kight, John Powell and Ellsworth Peterson. This is one of the highest honors a Southwestern student may receive. Peterson graduated at mid-term *magna cum laude*. We had a stag barbecue in February; the deer was shot by Jim Cardwell. Texas Gamma is proud of three new Phikeias: Paul Medley, president of the Freshman class; John Watson, member of the Southwestern Letterman's Club, and Henry Hamil, a paratroop veteran. Three pinning serenades are being planned for: John Powell, George W. Thompson and Lionel King. King's serenade will be a featured event during Southwestern's Weekend at college, at which time high school Seniors are on the campus to get an

idea of college life. Texas Gamma is proud of the alumni who attended Homecoming February 6. It was good to see them back on the campus for a weekend.—BRANSON THURSTON, Secretary.

TEXAS DELTA, Southern Methodist University.—A recent election at Texas Delta has found an able, talented, and deserving man for the presidency of the chapter for Spring, 1955. Charles Webb was elected to this position in the early part of January. Brother Webb has served as rush chairman for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for two semesters and as chorister for three years. He exemplifies the teachings of the Bond and is always willing to serve the Fraternity when he can. During the past few Summers, Brother Webb has been playing for the famous Fred Waring orchestra. Thus Texas Delta is assured of fine leadership for the oncoming semester. Six new Phikeias have been added to the chapter at S.M.U. These include Robert Allday, Arch Beasley, Terry Bybee, Bob Calvert, Charles Osttott, and Kemp Strother. The pledging of these six men is due largely to the very fine efforts of Brother Kent Beasley Rush Chairman. In intramural rankings on campus we fine ourselves in second place. We are at present only a few points behind $\Sigma\Delta E$, with several sports left to play. A recovery from final exams and a new pledge class will find this chapter ready to take on the Spring sports. Probably the most important social event of the season will be a dance given with two other fraternities, featuring the mellow music of Tex Beneke and his orchestra. Much enthusiasm and hard work has gone into the arranging of this function by our able Social Chairman, George Reynolds. With this and other social events Texas Delta as-



PARTY POW-WOW

Phikeias of Texas Gamma (Southwestern) as they made advance plans for Big Brother-Little Brother banquet which was held on March 3.

sumes the lead in social prominence on the campus.—ARTHUR BARNES, Reporter.

TEXAS EPSILON, Texas Technology College.—The Phis of Texas Epsilon came through in fine style during the Homecoming festivities last November. During the 1952 and 1953 Homecoming activities the chapter succeeded in winning the prize for the most humorous float. When the 1954 Homecoming parade came around, the chapter was determined to win this award for the third time. Ben Wilson, a Senior architectural engineering student, designed our float, an old type sailing ship complete with muzzle-loading cannons and crepe paper furled sails, and with the concerted help and combined effort of all the brothers, the chapter not only won the prize for the most humorous float for the third year in a row, but also won the Homecoming parade grand prize

for the Best All Around Float. The chapter's two all formal functions were held during the latter part of November and the first part of December. The first was the annual closed Dinner Dance held at the Lubbock Country Club and the success of that function was made possible by the work of the chapter Adviser John Harding and Joe Kirk Fulton. The Christmas dance, held December 4, was one of the most successful functions of the year. Grey Lewis and Charles Whitfield put forth a tremendous amount of work to plan and decorate for it and their ingenuity produced a twenty-one foot pink Christmas tree, a multitude of deer and other Christmas ornaments and a very enjoyable time for the brothers of the chapter, their invited dates and guests. With the advent of the new year the chapter elected new officers for the coming semester, and Glen Cary was elected president. The chapter received some new brothers



TEXAS EPSILON CHAPTER AT ANNUAL DINNER DANCE AT LUBBOCK COUNTRY CLUB



PRIZE WINNER FOR TEXAS EPSILON

Voted Most Humorous and Best All Around float at Texas Tech Homecoming this last fall. This creation by Phis of Texas Epsilon represents a ship being pulled down Broadway by men in a long boat.

through the initiation of the last semester pledge group. Those Phikeias becoming Phis are: Robert Cox, Bruce Weaver, Lynn Elliot, Buddy Hill, Ross Cass and Merle McKin.—CHARLES H. LULING, III, *Reporter*.

UTAH ALPHA University of Utah No letter received.

VERMONT ALPHA, University of Vermont.—December 31 the members of Vermont Alpha presented a plaque to one of their outstanding alumni, Tom Cheney '91. The plaque was a token of the sincere appreciation for the many years of tireless service Brother Cheney has given to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Dan Milloy is receiving a good response to his regular alumni letters. Many fine letters were returned with the questionnaire that was sent out to find up-to-date information. As a result of changes on the point scoring, the Phis have decided to reenter Traynor Trophy competition. The Phis enter as strong contenders for the cup given to the outstanding fraternity on campus. In the recent election of officers, Bob Crawford was elected to lead the chapter through the Spring semester. Kake Walk, was held February 17-19 and we decided to tackle the unprecedented task of competing in all major events. At the Penny Carnival the Phis introduced Ed Nemer of Little All-Phi fame as their candidate for Kake Walk King. The competition was rough, but Dave O'Dwyer had an excellent campaign planned. The coveted Jennings Trophy, won by the Phis last year,

for the outstanding snow sculpture should remain in Phi hands for another year. A massive, moving sculpture was constructed under the direction of Paul Harasimowicz, another Little All-Phi. Bob Gorman and Gene MacLean had the skit "Getting Back to Nature" well in hand. The skit was one of four selected for presentation, and last year's success should be surpassed. The highlight of the big weekend is always the "Walkin' Fo De Kake." In the spotlight for Vermont Alpha was one of last year's winners, Frank Maccini, and a new but very able partner, Bill Farwell.—ROBERT C. PARKER, *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA BETA University of Virginia No letter received.

VIRGINIA GAMMA, Randolph Macon College.—This chapter seems to be having its share of trouble with regard to the News Letter in *THE SCROLL*. The past two letters have been mailed but nothing appeared in *THE SCROLL*.* So, for those who are interested, we'll try to recapitulate a little of the past material. The Summer was marred by an accident which took the life of Bob Smethie, Richmond. Bob was run

* The letters may have been mailed but they were not received by the editor. No chapter letter has ever been purposely omitted from *THE SCROLL* if received prior to the time the issue was in page form.—Ed.

over by a dump truck while working on a construction crew and died shortly afterwards. The effect of his loss on the entire chapter was severe, for Bob continually worked with his heart and mind to further all aspects of this chapter and his college. Returning from the Summer the brothers plunged into the task of rushing and for eight weeks' work ten pledges were received. Next came Homecoming. The men here welcomed back a large number of old grads and though the decorations trophy was lost a great time was had by all. After Christmas vacation exams were the next order of business and as usual the chapter held on to its high scholastic standing. During the second week in February Greek Week was held for the pledges, of whom seven became brothers. The chapter lost Harrison Simons to the Army early in the semester and at the end of last semester Lipscomb and Applewhite graduate. MacCray Spenser, Sharp, Va., was initiated into the brotherhood to make our number 25. Though intramurals has been weak in the chapter in the past several years, basketball seems to be the sport that's breaking the old run of luck. We stand a good chance of making the play-off and winning the trophy. The college recently celebrated its 125th anniversary. On this date Virginia Gamma held a reception in honor of the Honorable J. Rives Childs, at which the members of the faculty, those receiving honorary degrees and returning alumni were present. March 18 and 19 the Panhellenic Dances, with Ralph Marterie playing, were a big success.—GEORGE PITTMAN, JR., *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA DELTA, University of Richmond.—We were very pleased with the appointment of Moreland Irby as president of Delta Province. We feel that we can be justly proud as he hails from Virginia Delta chapter, and thus we are certain he will carry on the admirable work performed by Brother Galvin. Words can't express the pride we feel in the achievements of our Mothers and Wives Club. They have been busily engaged in doing nice things for us all year. At the present, we are enjoying the use of our newly acquired lamps which have added to our comfort as well as to the appearance of our lodge. In short, they have done so much that we are lost for words when it comes to expressing our thanks. Our annual French Cabaret party was recently held and proved to be a great success, as was evidenced by the actions of all those attending. The only mishap occurred when the Eiffel Tower was mistaken

for an oil well and one of the brothers tried to sell it a Phikeia who wanted to get rich quick. (10% discount for cash, of course.) The Founders Day celebration for Richmond and vicinity took place March 12.—JOE F. MATISCO, Reporter.

VIRGINIA ZETA, Washington and Lee University.—The Phis at Washington and Lee have finished what could be well termed a successful first semester with prominence in social activities, athletics, honor societies and, finally, the initiation of five of our nine Phikeias. To begin with first things first, those initiated are: Sage Lyons, Mobile, Ala.; Phil Turner, Washington, D.C.; Thomas King, Jacksonville, Fla.; Bill Barnett, Jacksonville, and John Candler, Atlanta, Ga. In honor societies, Robert Fishburn, was elected to O Δ K; Sam Berry was chosen a member of the Junior class secret society, "13" club, while Charley Kannappel and Bill Dixon were chosen for membership in the Senior secret society, "Sigma." Bob Fishburn was also placed in *Who's Who in American Colleges*. In social activities Bob Fishburn was vice president of Fancy Dress Ball, the outstanding social event of the South. Perhaps heading the list of outstanding social events is the Minstrel Show, given February 26, which was organized and directed by Virginia Zeta's own Harry Ford. Ford both acted and directed. Many Phis were also included in the show. In athletics football, wrestling, soccer, the Phis have more than their share on each team. At the last count the Phis were also leading in intramural athletics. The coming semester promises to be quite interesting.—WILLIAM B. NORTHROP, Reporter.

WASHINGTON ALPHA, University of Washington.—With Winter quarter past the half-way mark, activity down on 47th and 21st is in full swing. Hardly anybody has flunked out of school or been drafted so things are really ship-shape. In the athletic world we find Φ Δ Θ well represented as usual. On the varsity basketball team there are Jerry Johnson, Gary Nelson, Bob Morriss and Captain Dean Parsons, while Phikeias John Rhine, Al Link and Dick Peterson hold down slots on the Frosh team. Graham Anderson and Bill Baldwin are members of the varsity ski team and Bob Lewis is one of the returning veterans in the swim sport. Kirk Kaynor, Ron Lund and Phikeia Doug Smidt are turning out for Winter track. Intramurally, Washington Alpha is the team to beat in basketball, bowling, handball, skiing, wrestling and a lead-



BUSY VERMONT PHIS

TOP: Phis on Vermont football team which had a 5-1-1 record, including 27-25 win over Massachusetts, which beat Harvard, 13-7. Left to right: Bob Gorman, center; Bill Farwell, end; Vic Scotese, center; Paul Harasimowicz, tackle; Capt. Ed Nemer, fullback; Charlie Maxson, tackle; "Whitey" Killick '22, Assistant to the President of Vermont; Ray Flannery, end; Tony Calorosso, guard; Joe Teta, quarterback; Ron Hill, center. BELOW: Miss Lee McBride is chosen "Sweetheart" at chapter's Winter formal. Shown with her from left to right are: "Judge" Terry O'Donnell, Escort Ray Flannery, and "Judges" Frank Maccini (President), and Tony Calorosso (Warden).



FRENCH CABARET PARTY

Scene at Virginia Delta's most successful party this year. The house was decorated with balloons and painted French scenes. Wine bottles held candles for light and the brothers and their dates dressed in typical French style.

pipe cinch to successfully defend their badminton championship. We are looking forward to Spring when the Phi track team members are heavy favorites to win the University track crown for the sixth consecutive time. If so, we will be the first fraternity to ever win a six year perpetual trophy. Sonny Howe was recently named as the outstanding Junior on the Washington campus. Dave Clack was elected president of the Husky Winter Sports Club and Bud Stavney was elected president of the Freshmen class in the Washington Medical School. The social season has indeed been first class. The annual $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and Beta Pajama Dance was as usual a great success and the Winter formal was one of the best ever. Besides the Barn dance, Miami Triad, Bowery Brawl and House Party the chapter is planning a new dance extravaganza which we will call "The Crew That Sails The Phi." It should be a great addition and we hope to make it into an annual affair.—LAURIE MILLER, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON BETA, Whitman College.—A full, hectic week of fraternity activity brought Washington Beta 29 new brothers and five new pledges. The new actives, initiated from one of the most outstanding pledge classes in Whitman history, are: Jim Anderson, Wenatchee; Sid Beck, Morton; Bob Becker, Walla Walla; Jerry Calloway, Walla Walla; Gary Carlberg, Bremerton; Ben Comrada, Los Angeles, Calif.; Skip Ervin, Montesano; Ron Frasier, Vancouver, B.C.; Phelps Gose, Walla Walla; Scott Gruber, Walla Walla; Butch Hovis, Joseph, Ore.; Daryl Jonson, Kennewick; Jim Ladley, Hoquiam; Gary LaRose, Spokane; Nick Mason, Wapato; John McGee, Dayton; Roger Mielke, Vancouver, B.C.; Dick Mobley, Walla Walla; Ed Newton, Joseph, Ore.; Don O'Neal, Bremerton; Henry Pennypacker, Missoula, Mont.; Jim Phillips, Portland, Ore.; Dale Pickard, Portland, Ore.; Bob Schembs, Issaquah; John Simpson, Seattle; George Sullivan, Walla Walla; Harry Sutcliffe, Wenatchee, and Chuck Wilmot, Aberdeen. Rush Chairman Bob Brunton directed the brothers in the pledging of five top men: Larry Clare, Boise, Ida.; Warren Holtz, Seattle; Larry Lutchter, Milton-Freewater, Ore.; Chuck McCullough, Weston, Ore.; and Herb Rivers, Walla Walla. Paul Panagakos and Bob Young were selected for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Paul was also recently tapped to the Order of Wailatpu, Senior men's honorary. With an easily won first place in badminton and second places in ping pong

and volleyball the Phis are fighting to retain their seventh I.M. championship. The chapter basketball team, averaging over six feet per man, is a favorite in the all-important casaba schedule. The brothers traveled to W.S.C. to renew hoop rivalry with Washington Gamma. With Pete Silvernale's financial backing, Carl Schmitt is planning a Spring dinner-dance extravaganza that even MGM will envy.—RON COOK, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, Washington State College.—The pledges



CHRISTMAS PARTY

TOP: Santa's helper, Herb Collier, picks out another surprise for one of the small guests at the annual Washington Beta Christmas party for under privileged children. BELOW: "Mom" Watrous receives a gift at party from Pres. Dick Sutherland.

of Washington Gamma used 40,000 white paper napkins to decorate the chapter house for the annual Pledge formal December 11. The entire first floor of the big house was covered with white. Many of the guests attending stated that the decorations were the best the campus had seen in many a year. The chapter recently appointed Mrs. Walter Nesbitt of Pullman as part-time housemother. Mrs. Nesbitt will attend our social functions and also be present at our dress dinners. At the present time the Phis are leading in the overall intramural program. Jerry Bartow seems to think that the Phis will continue to excel in this department again this year. Jerry, our intramural manager for two years now, has devoted a great deal of time to see that the trophy case is always full. Bob Morgan, president of I.F.C. is taking charge of plans for the western regional I.F.C. conference here in April. Bill Kasch and Duane Bergevin will be busy with the National Intercollegiate Knights convention to be held in Pullman this Spring. Phikeia Clayton Udell was recently elected treasurer of Junior I.F.C. and your writer was appointed secretary of the Senior I.F.C. group. Elden Abbot was tapped by $\Phi \chi \Phi$, national scholastic honorary. When the W.S.C. Dad's Day Association met, Claire Dobler and Robert French, prominent Phi alumni, were elected president and vice president respectively of the group. Plans for the Spring include the Miami Triad dance, the Spring formal, and our Basketball series with Washington Beta. At the present we are waiting for sufficient snow to have our annual snowball fight with the Δ 's.—DICK ALLEN, *Reporter*. (See cut p. 344.)

WASHINGTON DELTA, College of Puget Sound.—Faculty members of the College of Puget Sound have been honored guests of Washington Delta at Monday night dinner meetings during February and March. Through meetings of this kind, the chapter hopes to strengthen the relationship between the faculty and the general fraternity system. Speaking before a joint meeting on February 28 with the Chi Omegas was the Rev. Harold B. Long, pastor of Tacoma's Immanuel Presbyterian church and member of the CPS Board of Trustees. Preceded by a dinner held by the two groups, Long's speech was one of several presented to fraternities and sororities on the start of Religious Life Emphasis week on the campus. Campus activities played an important part in the lives of many Phis at CPS during the past seven months.

John Chapman, former Washington Delta president, is chairman of the students body's Judiciary Committee. On Central Board, CPS student governing body, can be found three Washington Delta Phis. They are Robert Wright, manager of the college's ski lodge; Frank Johnson, Student forensics manager; and Terrence Schick, editor of *The Trail*, official student body weekly newspaper. On the staff of the *Airscoop*, newspaper of the college's Air Force ROTC detachment, are five Phis. They are Jerry Elarth, Don Findlay, Carroll Schick, Terrence Schick, and Dale Wirsing. Wirsing, a graduate of Tacoma's Clover Park high school, was the top man scholastically in the Fall semester pledge class. He earned a grade point average of 4.0, which represents a straight "A" average. Two new pledges to Washington Delta are Fred Hoheim of Tacoma, and Holmes Anrud of Port Angeles. Phikeia Anrud was recently elected president of Todd hall, men's residence hall at the College of Puget Sound.—TERRANCE W. SCHICK, Reporter.

WEST VIRGINIA, West Virginia University.—Studies for the final examinations dominated the scene for January; but February presented an active month for the beginning of the second semester. Intramural basketball got underway with both A and B teams winning two while dropping one. The basketball teams are showing improvement and expect to be real contenders before the season comes to a close. The Roger "Shorty" Hicks Memorial Trophy will be presented by $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to the outstanding W.V.U. player of the season when W.V.U. plays Rutgers University. This trophy is presented annually by the chapter in memory of Brother Hicks who was a member of the 1942 team which won the National Invitation Tournament. Song practice has started for the "Mothers Day Sing" under the direction of Jack Ward. The brothers are hopeful to make another fine showing as they have done in the past. The following men were formally initiated into the chapter, February 13: Nathaniel Kennedy, David Drasin, John Humphries, Montgomery; James Morgan, Robert Worth, Bluefield; John Demund, Thomas Dobbins, Morgantown; David Whipkey, Glen Dale; John McLaughlin, Sutton; Thomas Emmerth, William Dorsch, Wheeling; Maurice Jackson Hamrick, Clendenin; Calib Alfred Tarleton, Fairmont; James Shires, Ronceverte; Harry Wells, Alloy; Richard Murphy, Phillippi; Paul Boggess, Charleston, and Harry

Stage Career Lures Jerry Sando

By RON COOK, Washington Beta Reporter



JERRY SANDO, Whitman '56
Veteran amateur player.

NORTHWEST theatre audiences know well the face of Jerry Sando as "David Slater" in the Summer Circle's performance of "The Moon is Blue." Jerry, a

junior at Washington Beta, will play his seventieth theatrical role when the group again travels through Washington, Oregon, and Idaho this June and July. Through his suggestions and hard work the "Circle" became the first financially successful amateur touring theatre in the Northwest and has now been incorporated on a permanent basis with Jerry as vice-president.

Doing everything from acting and directing to adapting scripts and building sets, Jerry has done much to build the Whitman College drama department's excellent reputation.

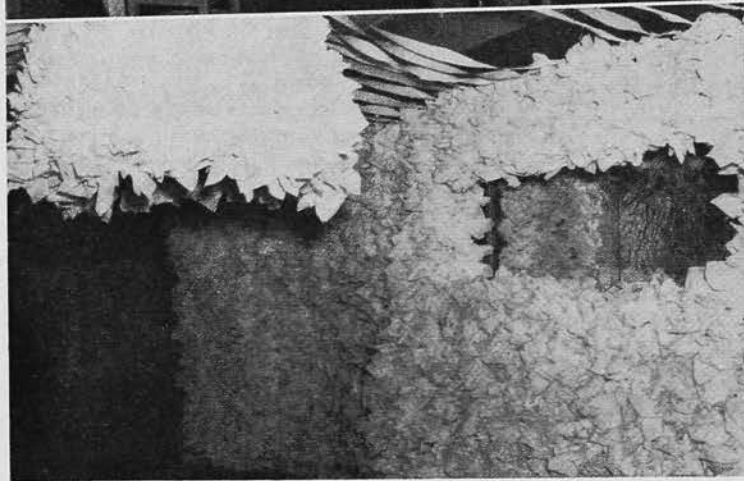
With starring roles in "The Winslow Boy," "Harvey," "The Innocents," "Girl Crazy," "Mr. Roberts," "The Lady's Not for Burning," and many other college and summer stock productions, Brother Sando is on his way to what we hope will be a brilliant career.

Staley White, Grafton. The brothers are looking forward to another fine pledge class for the second semester.—CHARLES V. ASHWORTH, JR., Reporter.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, University of Wisconsin.—Wisconsin Alpha was honored by the presence of John H. Wilterding, P.G.C., at the opening of the Spring semester. The beginning of a new semester finds the Phis busy in several departments. Mid-year rushing is going along very well under the leadership of Rushing Chairman, Dave Louks. "Humorology" practice is in full swing again directed by John McIver who last year led us to first place. This year we are working with the $\Delta\Delta\Delta$ s on the show. Looking back on things social we have the Christmas formal with the Phi Delt Dream Girl and court. Dream girl this year is Miss Susan McGreevy, attended by Miss Terry Specia and Miss Joan Forman. Men in campus activities are Pete Downing, promotions chairman of Prom, and Howie Bowman, promotions chairman of Haresfoot. Dave

Bolden, social chairman, assures us of a full social calendar for the coming months.—DICK JOHNSON, Reporter.

WISCONSIN BETA, Lawrence College.—Accompanying the groundhog February 2, Wisconsin Beta brushed away the last of the final exams that had made it dormant for two weeks and found the open extracurricular air far more to its liking. Threat of these spirit-killers had not previously curbed the early-Winter activities, however. As Christmas approached the Phis joined the Δ 's in a seasonal serenade. With the aid of Chorister Dave Reilly's apprehensive tutorage, everyone was in fine voice, except Hall and Peterson who victimized those present at the ensuing party with another of their offerings of "imported" entertainment. Following in the Christmas spirit, our favorite cook, Mrs. Pendergast, presented another of our favorite meals in a candle-light Christmas banquet for the chapter and its advisers and families. After vacation the Phis and the Betas forgot their rivalry



BEFORE AND AFTER

TOP: Phikeias of Washington Gamma get their decoration work under way for the annual Pledge Dance. BELOW: Results of their work are a little hard to make out, but the transformation brought about by the use of 40,000 paper napkins should be apparent.

long enough to enjoy one of the finest Winter formals in years. In interfraternity sports the Betas had less reason to be happy, however, as

the Phis took their perennial volleyball title and found their undefeated basketball team going away from the pack with the schedule half

completed. Varsity Phis in sick bay are batting .667. As soon as basketball season began, the ailing Stretch Hart made a quick recovery and is back at his center post. Also off the sick list is wrestler Charlie Cappetta, who has rejoined Sears and Clay on the mats. However, the track team suffered a serious loss in the premature retirement of Jim Smith because of a heart ailment. Jim was last year's two-mile champ and captain-elect of the '55 cross country team.—DWIGHT A. PETERSON, *Reporter*.

WYOMING ALPHA, University of Wyoming.—Our annual Winter quarter dance, the Mardi Gras, was held February 18. The chapter is certainly very proud of one of its alumni, Keith Thomson, Bond No. 99, who is presently serving in Congress as representative-at-large from Wyoming. Our basketball team is undefeated and we are now in first place in campus intramurals. Bill Lange, Bob McDonald and Joe Capua are Phis playing varsity basketball. Wyoming Alpha is presently working very hard on a campaign for a new house. The University, beginning with the school year '55-56 will change over from the quarter system to the semester system. Ten new brothers were initiated January 16. They are: Clyde Magill, Cheyenne; Marshall Atwell, Laramie; Mike Lightner, Rock Springs; Jim Montgomery, Cheyenne; Ole Hoffmann, Mjolby, Sweden; Merrill Scott, Cheyenne; Bill Walker, Cheyenne; Jere Reading, Kemmerer; Nathan Reynolds, and Thomas Gutz, Casper. Four new Phikeias during Winter quarter are: Kent Smith, Pinedale; Deno Avgaras, Craig, Colo.; Fred Sovyak, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Claiborne Rowley, Sheridan.—CLAUDE P. MAPES, *Reporter*.

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Chapter and Alumni Club Reporters, Please Note

The May SCROLL will NOT carry undergraduate chapter reports. This space will be devoted to a full scale reporting of 1955 Founders Day observances. All Alumni Clubs and Chapters which sponsor Founders Day dinners are urged to submit stories—and pictures, if possible. Your full co-operation is needed to make this section both interesting and attractive. Feature Golden Legion presentations. The deadline is APRIL 10 . . . this issue must be brought out in advance of the end of the school year. If your dinner is to be held after that date, write the story anyway—in the past tense.

Chapter Reporters will again be asked to submit names of summer rushing chairmen and it is hoped that the complete list can be carried in the May issue. Undergraduate feature stories will be welcomed also.

★ PHI ALUMNI CLUBS ARE ACTIVE ★

Baltimore

THE BALTIMORE CLUB's delectable oyster roast, held at the University Club, Friday evening, January 14, attracted approximately fifty Phis from Baltimore and its conurbations, some of whom were making their first appearance with us, prompted by the excellent epistolary and newspaper publicity; also moved by a strong desire to look the Club and its membership over, while basking in the inevitable nostalgia which every reunion worth its salt contains in large measure. This one was no exception and if any one went away at evening's close without the salutiferous glow from having enjoyed old and new friends, we have yet to find him.

Besides the piscatorial salmagundi and other epicurean delights, both liquid and edible, there were: reports on the favorable adoption of a revised set of by-laws, on the plans for our Founders Day dinner dance at the Hotel Stafford, March 12, the rendition of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ songs, the showing of University, athletic and sports pictures in technicolor by President Omar Shake, and the travel pictures, also in color, of and by our Club explorer, Dick Lodge, who last year sailed in a ketch, via the Virgin Isles, to British Guiana where he prospected for diamonds, returning there on January 16, incorporated, and prepared to start mining operations.

Larry Williams acted as master of ceremonies, calling on the officers for brief speeches, asking all present to arise, identify and shine; and welcoming, particularly, the new members whose presence was most gratifying.

Harmony and camaraderie reigned, and there were no polemical hassles, only raconteurs and ratiocinations. The gathering was voted an auspicious opening for the 1955 season, and kudos were bestowed on Bill Volke, Chairman of the membership committee, and Bill Littleton, chairman of the social committee.—F. MARSHALL WELLER, *Secretary*.

Buffalo

OUR FIRST activity for 1955 was held February 9, during which we toured the Iroquois Beverage Corporation located in Buffalo. Later in the evening we had a most enjoyable informal gathering, renewing old friendships, and, in general, just having a good time. Phis of all ages



SOME OF THE PHIS AT BALTIMORE OYSTER ROAST

attended providing an excellent cross section of Brothers in the Bond in this area. Plans have been made for observance of Founders Day with a banquet at Hartman's Restaurant, March 15 at 6:30 P.M.—DEAN E. WOLCOTT, *Reporter*.

Central Kentucky

THE LAST MEETING of the Central Kentucky Alumni Club, held December 2 at the LaFayette Hotel, was attended by 62 alumni. At this meeting, Henry T. Soaper, *Sewanee '92*, was awarded a Golden Legion Certificate. It was also voted at this meeting that the Kentucky Alpha-Delta and Kentucky Epsilon chapters would be invited to attend the Founders Day observance with the Central Kentucky Alumni Club at the LaFayette Hotel, March 17, at 7:00 P.M.—E. W. HUMPHREYS, *Secretary-Treasurer*.

Cincinnati

OUR INFORMAL annual Christmas party was held at the Hotel Alms in the uptown area, December 13. The 13th proved the adage of the unlucky number; the weather was foul and was doubtless the reason for a rather poor attendance. The 56 alumni and six actives from the Ohio Theta chapter who did brave the inclement weather enjoyed good fellowship and an excellent smorgasbord dinner, and the singing of Phi songs was loud and strong. Raymond E. Blackwell, alumni secretary, paid us his first visit on this occasion. Our Founders Day banquet was held at the Cincinnati Club on the evening of March 16 and the Rev. Clem E.

Bininger, M.G.C., was our speaker. We presented Golden Legion certificates to four of our elder brothers. The treasurer reports that as this is written a flood of checks for 1955 dues is pouring into the coffers; this should insure an active year.—PORTER P. LOWRY, *Reporter*.

Forth Worth

THE FORT WORTH Alumni rush program at Texas Christian University, where the fraternity system has recently been instituted, ended with success, December 11, 1954, when sixteen young men accepted a bid to start a $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Colony. Included in the group of sixteen is the Senior class president, the captain of the golf team, three members of the Student Senate, and the assistant editor of the annual, as well as representatives to other campus organizations. The prospective Phikeias are: Ed Anderson, Jimmy Coffee, James Canon, Dale Edmonds II, Kindel McNeill, Van Rathgeber, Ed. Russell, Fort Worth; Charles Brodish, Springfield, Ill.; March Coffield, Alpine; Jerry Clark, Port Lavaca; John Cooke, Alvin; Richard Duckworth, Webster Groves, Mo.; Michael Glenn, Godley; Charles Graham, Webster City, Ia.; Robert Hayes, Mineola; Jerry Mallory, Cleveland, Miss.

The Founders Day banquet was held Tuesday, March 15 at the Ridgely Country Club.—WALTER E. JORDAN, *Secretary*.

Kanawha Valley

SATURDAY NIGHT February 5, the Kanawha Valley Alumni joined similar B and ΣX groups for the annual



WORTHY PHI PROJECT

Group of Kansas City Phis who assisted in selling Christmas trees on Country Club YMCA lot. BOTTOM ROW: Brothers Michaels, McGuire, Henderson, Woodson. TOP ROW: Brothers Hess, Brownfield, Senter, Fountain, Kirk.

Miami Triad dance at a local hotel. $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ pledges and actives of surrounding chapters joined the alumni to contribute generously in the full attendance noted at this second such affair. A good time was certainly had by all and those who could not attend should make their plans accordingly for next year.

It seems in order to plug Brother Henry Schweinsberg, a West Virginia University graduate and presently Superintendent of Production at the Belle plant of E. I. duPont for his endeavors as president of the Kanawha Chapter, Society for Crippled Children. In addition to heading this meritorious, civic minded group, Henry is getting favorable publicity for a talk he recently made before the Kiwanis Club, when he pointed to a much brighter picture for the coal industry at such a time when greater research efforts are made to capture the optimum coal by-products.

Our monthly luncheon gatherings, held the first Wednesday of each month, seem to be getting more popular and it is hoped the trend will continue. Plans for the Founders Day banquet have not crystallized at this writing but they are in the mill and all the members of the local group will be advised accordingly. In addition there is talk of a smoker to be held soon for the express purpose of reviving the old fashioned bull session in a strictly informal atmosphere.—B. E. RUBRECHT, Reporter.

Kansas City

THE KANSAS CITY CLUB is happy to report one of the largest turnouts yet for our annual Christmas luncheon.

Good fellowship is an earmark of each of our functions, but this is especially the case at the holiday season. Many of the brothers took time out from the holiday rush to assist Kirk, McGuire, Henderson and Michaels in selling Christmas trees on the Country Club Y.M.C.A. lot. We are all looking forward to the Founders Day banquet which will be held March 22 at Milburn Country Club. With our President, Mac Tinklepaugh, in charge, a splendid banquet is assured. Plans for the annual Spring dance are being made. Last year was the first function of this type—this year we are sure it will be enjoyed by even more of the Phis in this area.—WM. N. BROWN-FIELD, Reporter.

Los Angeles

THE FIRST ISSUE of the Greater Los Angeles and Hollywood Alumni Club's news letter, *The Scrawl*, was sent to Phi members of the area in February. George K. Shaffer, member of THE SCROLL editorial board, is the editor. A newsy sheet, it brings items of individual interest and notices of meetings, reports, changes of address, etc., to all members.

The Spring Stag of the Los Angeles and Hollywood Clubs will be held the afternoon and evening of May 19 at the Oakmont Country Club in Glendale. Golf in the afternoon will be in flights up to 32 players; dinner, entertainment and recreation will take up the evening.

Brothers from Utah Alpha made it a very interesting program at "Utah Day," January 7, at luncheon at the University Club. "Doc" Ware, '20, a

charter member of that chapter, gave a most interesting talk on the theme of old chapter days there.—Excerpts from *The Scrawl*.

Milwaukee

CURRENT PLANS drawn up by the Milwaukee Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ include four events. The first, Founders Day, was held March 11, at the University Club with Dr. Paul R. Hawley, R.G.C., as speaker. Next will be two baseball outings similar to the one held last year, at which over 100 Phis enjoyed watching the Braves-Giants game, with dinner at the Miller Brewery. Another big golf party will be held August 12 at North Shore Country Club, Fairy Chasm Road. There will be four or five golf events with prizes and many door prizes for those staying for dinner. There will also be a rush party during the Summer.

Any Phis in the Milwaukee area who would like to be on the Alumni Club's mailing list, please send a postcard to: Frank Loftus, c/o Res Manufacturing Co., 2915 W. Meinecke Ave.

We have an active group attending the Friday noon lunches at the Medford Hotel, so if you are in town, stop and see us.—FRANK LOFTUS, President.

Montgomery

THE $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Association held its annual business meeting early in December at the Montgomery Country Club. Plans were formulated for the Christmas dance, activities for the coming year were discussed, and the following were elected as new officers for 1955: Dr. M. Duke Edwards, president; Kenneth W. Underwood, Jr., vice president, and Dudley Griffin, secretary and treasurer.

The Montgomery Alumni Association entertained its members, active members of the chapters from Alabama, Auburn, Vanderbilt and Emory, and around 25 local young men planning to enter colleges next Fall and their wives and dates with a Christmas formal dance at the Woodley Country Club December 23, the association's traditional Christmas function date. This gala affair was well-attended by alumni and actives in this area and all agreed it was a success.

The officers and the rush committee are making plans for increased activity in the rushing field between now and September. The list of high school graduates in this area who, it is felt, are excellent Phikeia material is lengthy and everyone is anxious to make this a good year for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.—KENNETH W. UNDERWOOD, JR., Vice President.



SEEN AT MONTGOMERY'S CHRISTMAS FORMAL

LEFT: Club officers and wives are happy over success of gala party. Seated, left to right: Kenneth Underwood, Jr., Rena Underwood, Albert Ashley, Dr. M. Duke Edwards, Mary Ashley, Douglas Harper, Carolyn Griffin. Standing: Dudley Griffin. RIGHT: Overall scene at the dance at which the Club entertained undergraduates from four chapters and prospective rushees.

New York

THE $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ ALUMNI CLUB of New York City held its seventh annual cocktail party, December 28, at the Williams Club. A large number of undergraduates from many chapters joined the "Old Grads." About two hundred Phis and their guests made the party a very successful one. Chairman Ted Nillis and his committee did a wonderful job.

At our first business meeting of the new year the following officers were elected: president, Dale Hawkins; executive vice-president, Clem Paxson; vice-president, Ted Nillis; secretary, Don Hays; assistant secretary, Joe Donahue; treasurer, Walter Good; assistant treasurer, Hugh Jones. Plans were laid for the Founders Day banquet, March 15, at the 5th Avenue Hotel, with Dr. Paul R. Hawley, R.G.C., as our speaker.—CLEM PAXSON, *Reporter*.

Pittsburgh

THE PITTSBURGH Alumni Club is glad to announce the Founders Day banquet, March 26, 1955, at the Pittsburgh Athletic Association Annex starting anywhere around 6:00 P.M. That renowned Club of loyal Phis known as the Assyrian Relief Society, will hold an afternoon meeting starting at lunch time, the arrangements under the direction of George W. Stewart, Pitt '20. For banquet reservations contact Dick Richardson at Express 1-1433, or write him, Room 1741 Henry W. Oliver Building, Pittsburgh 22, Pa.

The Pittsburgh Alumni Club reports a very good year both with the

weekly luncheon attendance record and the social events which included a golf party and a dance. The average weekly attendance still holds at about thirty.

Alan Christner, Allegheny '28, was elected vice-president of the Mellon National Bank and Trust Company; David H. Boyd, W. & J. '36, was elected president of the Union Supply Company, Pittsburgh; Harbaugh Miller, Pitt '22, was honored by being chosen president of the Allegheny County Bar Association for the current year, and Arthur Wessel, Jr., Allegheny '28, Solicitor for the Allegheny County Burgess' Association. Other items include a note that H. Russell Stahlman, Pitt '23, is now located in Pittsburgh with the Housing Mortgage Corporation, and Paul F. Hudson, W. & J. '36, was re-appointed for the seventh time as Chaplain of the Syria Temple, the largest in the world.—ALEX P. MEANOR, *Reporter*.

Portland

PHI'S in the Portland area are looking forward to the Founders Day banquet to be held at the Multnomah Hotel April 1. Ralph Floberg, Oregon State

'40, general chairman, promises that this will be the biggest ever. Principal speaker will be Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary. Other prominent Phis on the program will include Ray Gardner, Treasurer of the General Council; George Housser, P.P.G.C.; Grant Swan, president of Pi Province South; and Donald M. DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner. Entertainment will be furnished by the Multnomah Club Balladiers, one of Oregon's most outstanding choral groups, directed by Chet Duncan. Phis in the Portland area who have been recognized for outstanding contributions in civic activities during the past year will be honored.—DON LANE, *Secretary*.

Tulsa

THE TULSA ALUMNI CHAPTER of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is just completing the final phases of the annual Founders Day dance and banquet under the able direction of Paul R. Yard, chairman. The association was extremely fortunate to secure Joe T. Dickerson, Oklahoma '19, president of Shell Pipe Line Corp., Houston, as the main speaker and honored guest for the banquet.

Golden Legionnaires to be honored are William Vaile, Fort Smith, Ark., and W. F. Semple, Tulsa, Okla. The active chapters of Oklahoma Alpha and Oklahoma Beta will aid their alumni brethren in celebrating both functions, which will be held at the Ways Hotel.

We have been honored to receive reservations from Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary, to attend our banquet on Sunday.—JACK F. COZIER, *Secretary*.

Founders Day

Send the story and pictures of your Club's Founders Day dinner to the editor by April 10! Help make this section of the May SCROLL complete.

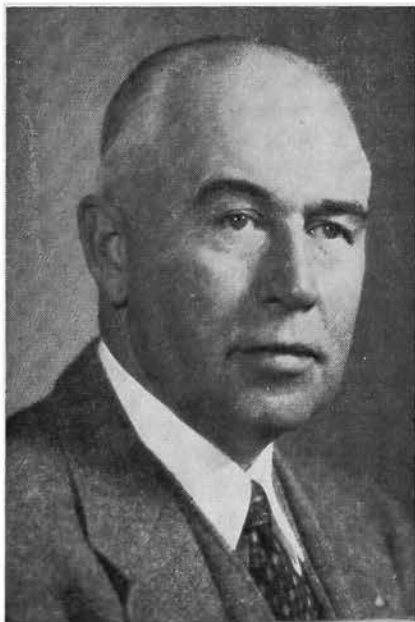
★ ★ ★ THE CHAPTER GRAND ★ ★ ★

Col. Louis Long Roberts (*Wabash '12*), prominent lawyer and military figure of Evansville, Ind., died in St. Louis, Mo., where he had gone to receive medical care for a disability incurred in World War II, Jan. 1, 1955. He was 63 years old.

A native of Carlisle, Ind., Brother Roberts was educated at Culver Military Academy and Wabash College, later receiving his M.A. and Bachelor of Law degrees from Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., where he was also a member of the faculty.

At the outbreak of World War I, he entered the first officer training school at Ft. Myer, Va., and was commissioned a second lieutenant. He went overseas with the Blue Ridge Division and as captain was in command of a field artillery battery in France, becoming a major at the close of the war. He remained active in military affairs, while practicing law at Evansville, Ind., and in 1939 achieved his full colonelcy and was put in command of the 139th Field Artillery Regiment when it was mustered into federal service in January, 1941. Brother Roberts served at various posts during World War II, at the close of which he was serving on a special European mission for the Air Force, later receiving the Legion of Merit.

Although Brother Roberts had retired from the practice of law in 1946, during his years of active practice, he had served for several years as City Attorney and Director of Public Safety at Evansville, and was well known throughout the State for his ability as a lawyer. Following his retirement, he served for a short time on the faculty of the Law School of Notre Dame.



COL. LOUIS L. ROBERTS, *Wabash '12*

He was a member of the American Bar Association, past president of the Vanderburg County Bar Association, a member of Knights of Columbus, Elks, charter member of the Funkhouser Post of the American Legion Evansville, of T K A and of Φ B K. Among the survivors is a brother, Charles E. Roberts, *Wabash '15*, Carlisle, Ind.

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Henry Lynn Miller, (*Indiana '09*), a native of Montmorenci, Ind., and died only a mile distant from his birthplace on Dec. 29, 1954, aged 68 years.

In his youth he was one of the outstanding athletes of the nation. He won the high jump in the Indiana State high school meet in 1904. During his undergraduate days in Indiana University, he established a Western Conference record which stood for many years. This was at 6 feet, 3 inches, when competitors actually jumped instead of using the present form in clearing the bar. In 1908, competing for a position on the United States Olympic team, he tied with Jim Thorpe, but lost the toss of the coin for first place. Nevertheless, he was placed on the team; and it was one of his bitter disappointments that later he was not able to make the trip to the games.

I first knew Lynn Miller when I became pledged to Indiana Alpha in September, 1908. My memories of him are as vivid today as they were almost fifty years ago. Quiet, modest, soft-spoken, dignified but always with a twinkle in his eye, one would not have suspected that he was one of the great athletes of the day. I knew, because one of my assignments as a pledge was to accompany him to the gymnasium each afternoon after classes, and operate the bar as he practised jumping.

He was the kind of leader without which no chapter can be great. Devoted to the Fraternity, his sound judgment and quiet authority kept all underclassmen in line. No martinet, no paddle-happy tyrant, he brought us up in the way he believed all Phi Delt's should go; and no one had more influence upon me for good in my university days than he. He has always been my ideal of an upper-classman in a chapter.

After graduation, Lynn served for a time in the United States Forestry Service. He later entered teaching and, in 1928, joined the mathematics faculty of Jefferson high school in Lafayette, Ind. He received his M.A. degree from Purdue in 1933; and in 1942 became principal of Jefferson high school, which position he occupied until he was suddenly stricken.

When in the Forestry Service in Colorado, he met and married Winifred Hoover. It has been an ideal marriage, and their one son, Henry Lynn, Jr., is in the Foreign Service of the United States, now serving in the American Embassy in Manila.—PAUL R. HAWLEY, *Indiana '12*.

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Jackson Wesley Chance (*California '28*), one of the best known trial lawyers in California, died at

his home in San Marino, Calif., Jan. 22, 1955. He was 48 years old and was a partner in the Los Angeles firm of O'Melveny and Meyers.

A native of Indiana, Brother Chance came to California at an early age and attended schools at Berkeley, the University of California, and took his law degree from Boalt Hall in 1931. During his career as a lawyer, he appeared before the U. S. Supreme Court on many occasions, earning particular recognition in the rules of court procedure and the administration of justice. He became chairman of the California State Bar Association committees on both these subjects, as well as serving as chairman of the Los Angeles Bar Association committee on pleading and practice.

Brother Chance was a member of the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Bar Association and, in 1952, was elected to the Board of Governors of the State Bar Association. He was a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, College of Trial Lawyers, the Law Forum, the Chancery Club, the University Club, the Valley Hunt Club at Pasadena, and the Zanorano Club.

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Everett Wiley (Franklin '05) former Johnson County, Ind., school executive and retired businessman, died suddenly at his home in Greenwood, Ind., Nov. 19, 1954. He served for 53 years as teacher, principal and superintendent of various schools in Indiana, was widely known as a musician, and also identified with the early history of basketball in the Hoosier state, having coached the Trafalgar team in 1917 that was one of the runner-ups for the state championship.

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David Porterfield Adams, II (Vanderbilt '18), died of a heart attack Feb. 8, 1954, at his home in Nashville, Tenn. He was the first of seven brothers, all of Tennessee Alpha, to enter the Chapter Grand: Lep '08, Mort '10, Marion '12, Howell '16, Alf '18, and Elliott '22. There was a gap of 22 years before the second generation of Adams boys joined Tennessee Alpha. Beginning in 1944 the second crop began with Alf, Jr. '47, the followed Marion, Jr. '53, Howell, Jr. '53, Dillard '55, John '55, Lep '55, Ben '56, Garrett '57, Tom '58 and David, Jr., Davidson '53.

Brother Adams was very popular, having been elected Bachelor of Ugliness in his Senior year at Wallace University School, where he was a member of the football team for two years. He was president of his Freshman class at Vanderbilt, played on the reserve football team for two years, and was on the Phi basketball team which won the first trophy



DAVID P. ADAMS, II, Vanderbilt '18

given for intramural sport at Vanderbilt.

In April of 1917 he, with three fourths of the Phi chapter, made application for admission to the first officer's training camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., all were accepted. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Aerial Artillery Reserve; graduated from the school of Fire at Ft. Sill, Okla., in the spring of 1918; transferred to Aerial Observation; and then during training crashed in an observation plane. He received severe injuries which kept him in Walter Reed Hospital until the Summer of 1920. Upon being released from the hospital and the Army, he entered the Agricultural Department of the University of Tennessee, where he specialized in dairying. After graduation he became State Dairy Commissioner. In 1928 he became Executive Secretary of the Tennessee Dairy Products Association which position he held until his death. In 1945 he became the General Secretary of the Southern Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers. He was also manager of the American Dairy Association of Tennessee, Secretary of the Tennessee Cream Imports Association and Secretary of the Southern Poultry and Egg Shippers Association. He was a member of the Rotary Club, the American Legion and a life long member of the First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tenn., of which he was a deacon for many years.

In addition to his three sons, David, Dillard and Garrett, who are all Phis, he is survived by his wife Mildred Goodpasture and daughter Susan Comfort Randolph.—JIM PATTON, Reporter, Tennessee Alpha.

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Howard Clark Davis (Dartmouth '06) died at his home in West Newton, Mass., Dec. 8, 1954. Following his graduation from Dartmouth, Brother Davis went into real estate in Boston and soon branched

Founder's Daughter Dies

News has been received of the death of Miss Elizabeth Rogers, 85, at Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 14, 1955. Miss Rogers was the sole surviving daughter of Colonel Andrew Watts Rogers of the Immortal Six of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

out into a widespread field of financial activities. He was at one time chairman of the board of directors of the Central Manitoba Mines, Ltd., treasurer and director of the WAD syndicate, promoters of mining properties in Manitoba; treasurer and director of both the Manitoba Copper Co. and the Manitoba Gold Mines, Inc., and president of the Old Harbor Realty Co.

A lover of dogs, particularly greyhounds, he was one of the founders of the Wonderland dog racing track in Revere and was president of the largest greyhound racing company in the world.

A loyal and devoted alumnus of Dartmouth, he had given \$25,000 in 1925 to wipe out the debt on the Alumni Gymnasium, \$100,000 (later increased) to build the Davis Field House, and made possible the building of the hockey rink with his gift, in 1930, of \$65,000.

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Walter P. Balderston (*Idaho '09*), pioneer aircraft industrialist, died in a Glendale Hospital, Glendale, Calif., Feb. 10, 1955. He was founder and chairman of the board of Sturges, Inc., Los Angeles, and of Pacific Scientific Corp., San Francisco. Brother Balderston was head of the National Aeronautical Association's western division and a member of the Jonathan Club, Verdugo Club, Balboa Bay Club and Pacific Anglers Club.

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Edgar Raymond Treverton (*Lehigh '07*), commercial representative for the Florida Power and Light Co., died at his home in Miami Beach, Fla., Dec. 14, 1954. He had lived in Cleveland, Ohio, before moving to Miami 18 years ago. Brother Treverton was a past master of Ocean Bay Lodge, F. and A. M., Miami Beach, and the Miami Beach Lions Club.

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Lt. J. G. Frank U. Garrard, III (*Georgia Tech '50*), was killed instantly when his F9F-8 Cougar crashed, 30 miles north of Naval Air Station, Cecil Field, Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 1, 1954.

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Grant E. Scott (*Vermont '10*) died in the Veterans Hospital, Northport, N.Y., April 12, 1954, after a long illness. Until 1952, Brother Scott had been for some twenty odd years the much beloved executive secretary of the Downtown Athletic Club at 19 West St., New York City.

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Austin Ambrose Froom (*Iowa '35*) died suddenly at his home in Cedar Falls, Iowa, Jan. 1, 1955.

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Gray B. Tuthill (*Illinois '24*) died suddenly in Chicago, Ill., Dec. 29, 1954. He was a prominent Chicago industrialist, heading the Tuthill Pump Co. and the Tuthill Building Material Co. He was a leader in ceramic engineering.

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William Henry Weatherly (*Alabama '55*) was killed in an automobile accident near Monticello, Ga., March 12, 1954. Among the survivors are two brothers, Miller Sproull Weatherly, *Alabama '57*, and James Clay Weatherly, *Alabama '53*.

Dr. F. Paul O'Hara (*Stanford '24*) of La Jolla, Calif., died there Feb. 12, 1955. He was former head of the Vaulclain Home tubercular wing of San Diego County Hospital and a past president of the County Tuberculosis Association. He was a member of local, state, and national medical associations and a fellow of the American College of Surgeons. Brother O'Hara, who served in the Orient with the Navy in World War II, was also a member of the College of Chest Physicians.

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Harry Anson Wood (*Oregon '30*), real estate broker of Pasadena, Calif., died there Feb. 14, 1955.

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Melville Day Dickinson (*Union '24*) died in a Tokyo, Japan, hospital Dec. 20, 1954.

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Cecil J. Sharp (*Indiana '08*), died at his home at Kissimmee, Fla., Jan. 10, 1955. Before his retirement in 1951, he had resided at Fort Wayne, Ind. He was, for more than 25 years, an insurance adjuster for the Ohio Casualty Co. Among the survivors is a son, John D. Sharp, *Indiana '40*, Seattle, Wash., and a brother, Russell A. Sharp, *Indiana '11*, Webster Groves, Mo.

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Col. Adrian St. John, U.S.A. Ret. (*Vermont '14*) died at Keesler Air Base Hospital, Biloxi, Miss., Jan. 12, 1955. During World War I, he served in France on the staff of General Pershing and was later assigned to the first gas warfare regiment to be formed. A polo expert, Brother St. John represented the Army and Corps Area in 1932, playing for the Army polo team that toured Ecuador and other parts of South America in 1935.

In 1942, Brother St. John was sent to Burma where he headed the American military mission and supervised the transportation of American lend-lease material over the Burma Road to China, for which service he received a citation. Since his retirement in 1947, he has made his home in Ocean Springs, Miss. Interment, with full military honors, was in Arlington National Cemetery, Jan. 17, 1955.

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Charles Wilbur Hoyt (*Knox '97*), prominent retired business executive, died Dec. 24, 1954, in Oshkosh, Wis., where for nearly forty years he had made his home. Born Aug. 19, 1875, in Chillicothe, Ill., he attended St. John's Military Academy, Manlius, N.Y., preparatory to entering college.

For some fifteen years he engaged in business in Galesburg, Ill., both as owner of a ladies' ready-to-wear store and in department-store managerial capacity. In 1916, he moved to Oshkosh and became a partner in establishing the Henderson-Hoyt Company, the firm operating a drygoods and de-

In reporting the death of Banton Moore (*Texas '00*) in the January issue of THE SCROLL his chapter designation was erroneously given as Sewanee '00.

partment store that eventually expanded into that city's largest store, also with a branch in Manitowoc, Wis.

By his leadership in many civic enterprises, giving unstintingly of time and talents to every worthy cause, as well as by his splendid qualities of friendliness and integrity, Brother Hoyt endeared himself whole-heartedly to the community and was one of its most esteemed citizens. He had been president of the Chamber of Commerce and for several years an officer of the national body. He served at one time as president of the Wisconsin Retail Drygoods Association. Instrumental in organizing the Oshkosh Rotary Club, he was its first president; similarly, he had been a charter member and early president of the Rotary Club in Galesburg.

Brother Hoyt's aid to and support of a welfare program for crippled children helped to provide a creative workshop under direction of the Visiting Nurse Association. He took especial interest in young people, the promotion of their physical-education facilities and of girls' Campfire activities, in recognition of which he received the Gulick Award, the National Recreation Association's highest honor. He was a loyal member of the Fox River Valley Alumni Club and of the Golden Legion of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ —HAROLD M. HOLLAND, *Knox '99*.

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Raymond P. Reese, Jr. (*Columbia '18*), assistant to the president of the American Smelting and Refinery Company in New York, died Jan. 17, 1955. Entering the employ of the company in 1919, as a chemist at Murray, Utah. Brother Reese subsequently served as a metallurgist at Garfield and Tacoma and as ore buyer at Salt Lake City and East Helena before becoming assistant to Mr. H. Y. Walker, then General Manager of the western department. In 1928 Mr. Walker and Brother Reese moved to New York where Mr. Walker later became president with Reese as his assistant. Brother Reese was a veteran of World War I, serving in France with the 78th Division.

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Leland (Tiny) Lewis (*Northwestern '28*), former football and track star at Northwestern University, died with his wife, Jan. 16, 1955, in a fire which swept their home in Michigan City, Ind. He was an industrial engineer with Graver Tank Co., East Chicago, Ill. During his college career, Brother Lewis was an All Big Ten fullback and led Northwestern to a share of the 1926 Big Ten football title. In 1927, he won the Big Ten shotput championship.

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Edward H. Horton (*Akron '99*), retired Justice Department tax attorney, died at his home in Washington, D.C., Jan. 28, 1955. He had been in Government service since World War I, first as an examiner for the National War Labor Board and later, in 1924, joined the legal staff of the Internal Revenue Bureau from which he was transferred to the Justice Department. He represented the Government in Federal courts throughout the country in cases against insurance companies.

Brother Horton, a native of Toledo, Ohio, was graduated from Buchtel College, now University of Akron, and received his law degree from the University of Michigan. He practiced law in Toledo until he joined Government service. He was a member and former trustee of All Souls' Unitarian Church, a 33rd degree Mason, having received a medal for 50 years of membership in his Masonic Lodge, and he was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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Dr. Charles Nelson Pace (*Iowa Wesleyan '99*), president emeritus of Hamline University, St. Paul, Minn., died in Northern Pacific Hospital in St. Paul, Dec. 17, 1954. He was 77 years old. Brother Pace came to St. Paul from Knoxville, Iowa, in 1912, to be pastor of the First Methodist Church. In 1916 he went to Duluth, Minn., as pastor of the First Methodist Church there, returning to St. Paul in 1933 as superintendent of the Minneapolis District of the Methodist Church.

Brother Pace, who received his B.A., D.D. and LL.D. degrees from Iowa Wesleyan, also had a D.D. from Hamline, which he served as president from 1934 to 1947. He was the author of several books, a past president of Association of Minnesota Colleges, a 32nd degree Mason, a member of Kiwanis, a member of the St. Paul Goodwill, Inc., and editor of the paper that organization puts out. He was also a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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Francis Rugg (*Brown '97*), commercial photographer and illustrator, died at Newton Highlands, Mass., his home, Oct. 26, 1954. After teaching at high schools in Mendon and Medford, Mass., and at Berkeley Preparatory School, he was one of the first to go overseas for the Y.M.C.A. in World War I, serving as an official photographer in France. Following the war he was associated with Temple Tours, a travel agency, for eleven years as a photographer.

Brother Rugg later became an independent photographer and established a studio at Arlington, Vt. He photographed models for Norman Rockwell and other members of the artists colony there. For many years, he was master photographer for the Society of Arts and Crafts. He was a member of $\Phi\beta\kappa$ and of the Newton Highlands Congregational Church. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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Lewis Parsons Hobart (*California '97*), one of California's most distinguished architects, died at his apartment in San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 19, 1954, at the age of 81. The following editorial is quoted from the *Oakland Tribune* of Oct. 22, 1954.

"It is given to few men to be able to record their art in steel and granite. We are reminded of this by the death this week of one of the great architects who enabled San Francisco to emerge from the holocaust of fire and earthquake to become one of the most beautiful cities in the world.

"His works were many and diverse: the Mills Tower, the building originally called the William Taylor Hotel, the Alexander Building, and the

Bohemian Club. Mr. Hobart was as well the designer of the Fleishhacker Zoo and the Museum of Natural History in Golden Gate Park. Other achievements were the new Del Monte Hotel (now a Navy postgraduate school) and some of the most magnificent mansions of the Peninsula, including the Crocker and Newhall houses.

"His crowning achievement, and the one to which he had devoted most of his life, is Grace Cathedral on Nob Hill, which only last week celebrated the centenary of its consecration.

"San Francisco owes a great debt to Mr. Hobart. He was in the truest sense an architect, not a mere builder, and the artistry of his hand and eye has shaped the city's physical beauty and left an enduring monument to his memory."

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Herman Wilson Newell (*Dartmouth '20*) died in New York City, Dec. 19, 1954. A dynamic personality, Brother Newell's career showed his aggressive spirit. *Who's Who* listed his career in brief as follows: he was sales promotion manager for Eastern Manufacturing Co., in Boston and New York, 1921-24; manager of the Home Electric Light and Power Equipment Co., 1924-30, and of the Frigidaire Sales Corp. of New England, 1930-32. After three years (1932-35) as vice president in charge of sales for Frigidaire, he moved into the Advertising field as executive vice president of Geyer, Newell and Ganger, and in 1952 he became president of Lennen and Newell, which position he held at the time of his death.

Brother Newell was a loyal alumnus of Dartmouth and had served on the alumni advisory committee for the Hanover Inn and on the Board of Overseers for the Tuck School, and, since last Fall, served as chairman of the Tuck School Board.

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Harry N. Rooney (*Montana '23*), Lewiston (Idaho) industrialist, was killed, Jan. 12, 1955 in the collision of two planes near Cincinnati, Ohio. He was a passenger on the TWA Martin Skyliner, which had just left Cincinnati for Cleveland.

Brother Rooney, assistant to the president of Potlatch Forests, Inc., had been in the lumbering business since his graduation from the University of Montana. In 1926, he came to Lewiston, to work for the Clearwater Timber Co., which later merged with several other firms to become the Potlatch Forests, Inc. He was purchasing agent for the concern at the beginning and some years later became executive assistant to the president. He was on a business trip at the time of the accident. Brother Rooney, for a quarter of a century, had been a leader in Lewiston civic affairs. He was a veteran of World War I.

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Clarence A. Castimore (*Colgate '12*) died in Lawrence Hospital, Bronxville, N.Y., Jan. 28, 1955. A member, as a tax expert, of the law firm of Cadwalader, Wickersham and Taft, of New York City, he made his home in Scarsdale, N.Y. Brother Castimore received his education at Colgate University and George Washington University Law School,

Washington, where he was awarded his law degree in 1917. He was a member and former chairman of the board of trustees of the Congregational Church at Scarsdale, a $\Phi B K$ and a member of the New York Downtown Club.

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Carroll P. Kakel, Jr. (*Maryland '33*) died in Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, Md., in January, 1955. He was co-founder in the firm of Ebbert, Grant and Kakel, Inc., insurance company, and served it as vice president and director. He also held similar positions with Edwards George and Company. A veteran of three and one half years of World War II, he served as an ordnance officer. He was a member and trustee of the Sunset Hills Presbyterian Church, the University Club and the Insurance Club of Pittsburgh.

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Carlton G. Logan (*Kansas '15*), real estate broker and owner of the Logan Coffee Company, died at his home in Kansas City, Mo., in January, 1955. Brother Logan started the wholesale coffee business in 1932 and in recent years had engaged in the real estate business. A veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Missouri-Kansas chapter of the Rainbow Division Veterans, the Country Club Christian Church, and was a past commander of the Grover-Metzger Post of the American Legion.

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Dr. Charles Burt Griffith (*Union '34*) died at Fulton, N.Y., Sept. 28, 1954. A native of Westport, N.Y., Brother Griffith attended the Westport schools, Union College and McGill University where he received his degree of D.D.S. in 1938. His dental practice in Fulton was interrupted for military service in 1943 and he served with a mobile dental unit as captain. Prior to his discharge in 1946, he was Prosthodontist in a general hospital and commanded the Third Army Dental Laboratory in Straubing, Germany. He resumed the practice of dentistry at Fulton following his discharge. He was a member of Kiwanis, Board of Fulton Community Fund, Oswego County Dental Society and the Fifth District Dental Society.

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2nd Lt. James Edward Lacke (*Knox '51*) of Cuba City, Wis., was killed in an aircraft accident in Korea, Sept. 21, 1954, while serving as a pilot in the Marine Air Corps.

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Richard Barr Morrow (*Ohio Wesleyan '07*), Eaton, Ohio, died during the Summer of 1954.

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Ralph Dayton Dawley (*Syracuse '11*) died at Clear Lake Oaks, Calif., Dec. 24, 1954.

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Frank Joseph Severy (*Colby '00*) died at his home in Santa Monica, Calif., Dec. 20, 1954. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

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1st Lt. Karl F. Winstead (*Florida '52*) was instantly killed, Jan. 7, 1955, when his jet plane crashed twenty miles southwest of Cheyenne, Wyo. His group of three planes were en route from

Cheyenne to Amarillo, Tex., at the time of the crash.

Brother Winstead, who was a native of Jacksonville, Fla., but who recently made his home at Dover, Del., where he was attached to the 1737th Ferrying Squadron at the Dover Air Force Base, had been in the Air Force since his enlistment in 1950. He served in Korea, where he was attached to the 50th Fighter-Bomber Wing of the 5th Air Force, and for his services there received the Flying Cross and the Air Medal with four oak leaf clusters.

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2nd Lt. Dean Van Valkenburgh (*Kansas State '52*) was killed in an airplane accident over the Tsugara Straits in the Far East, Feb. 1, 1955. He was a copilot attached to the 344th Carrier Squadron and the 315th Troop Carrier Group.

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Notice of the following deaths has been received from General Headquarters. No further information was given.

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Jack Harding (*Wabash '19-Wisconsin '21*) Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.

Robert M. Bass (*Oklahoma '21*) Kilgore, Tex., Jan. 12.

Jesse P. Robinson (*Hillsdale '96*) Marion, Ohio, Jan. 18.

1954

Walter Charles Ensign (*Ohio State '14*) Miami, Fla., Jan. 20.

Donna R. Austin (*W & J '24*) San Mateo, Calif., January 20.

Charles Edmund Kilgour (*Cincinnati '10*) Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 20.

Roderick W. Siler (*Illinois '03*) associate professor emeritus of the department of Mathematics and Mechanics at the University of Minnesota; Florissant, Mo., March 11.

Edwin P. Brady (*Tulane '93*) New Orleans, La., March.

Reuben Reynolds Banks (*Alabama '04*) Columbus, Miss., March 19.

Hubert Delancy Knickerbocker (*Southern '94*) Dallas, Tex., April 7.

John William Chorley (*Colgate '13*) Middletown, N.Y., April 13.

Clarence B. Gay (*Brown '97*) Vineyard Haven, Mass., April 30.

Richard Thomas Hugus, Jr. (*W&J '20*) Jeanette, Pa., May 15.

James Fredric McCarthy, Jr. (*Washington '24*) Palo Alto, Calif., May 17.

William Davis Stokes (*Georgia Tech '33*) Bowdon, Ga., June 7.

Carle Loyson Maskey (*Case '11*) Los Angeles, Calif., June 20.

George J. Crowley (*Montana '26*) Butte, Mont., July 3.

Addison Taulbee Whitt, Jr. (*W&L '30*) Winchester, Ky., July 10.

Charles Hull Caton (*Illinois '05*) Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 5.

Albert Eugene Kingsley (*Brown '90*) Saco, Maine, August 5.

William Trackara Read (*Pennsylvania '00*) Merchantville, N.J., August 7.

Edward Moses Hooper (*Wisconsin '94*) Oshkosh, Wis., September 12.

James Erwin Runnels, Jr. (*Virginia '24*) Staunton, Va., September 17.

Walter D. Hampton (*Sewanee '29*) Charlotte, N.C., September 22.

Walter Cogswell King (*Amherst '02*) Gloucester, Mass., September 28.

Louis William Swanson (*Allegheny '06*) New Boston, N.H., October.

Myron Albert Pillsbury (*Colby '99*) Saco, Maine, October 2.

Franklin A. Dyer (*Auburn '49*) Covington, Ga., October 7.

Charles Cecil Calvert (*Washburn '21*) Los Angeles, Calif., October 9.

Edward C. Griesel (*Wabash-Wisconsin '99*) Muskogee, Okla., November 4.

Harison Bock (*Ohio State '99*) Pittsburgh, Pa., November 7.

Henry Edward Hartman (*Westminster '40*) Lafayette, Calif., December 7.

Arthur Samuel Olsen (*Oregon '16*) Portland, Ore., December 18.

Roscoe Conkling Spalding (*Illinois-Syracuse '15*) St. Paul, Minn., December 20.

1953

Louis Lee Guy (*Virginia '30*) Norfolk, Va., February 1.

George Campbell H. deKernion (*Tulane '97*) Roanoke, Va., February 24.

Frank D. McIntyre (*Brown '06*) Milwaukee, Wis., March 29.

Benjamin Harris Maeck (*Vermont '05*) Shelburne, Vt., April 18.

Edgar Henry Parkman (*Amherst '89*) Thompsonville, Conn., June 3.

Norbert J. Leary (*Penn State '49*) Pittsburgh, Pa., October 8.

John Henry Davies, Jr. (*Northwestern '45*) Wilmette, Ill., November 13.

Warren Philo Elmer (*Stanford-Michigan '01*) Princeton, N.J., December.

Hassell Howard Weeks (*North Carolina '18*) Rocky Mount, N.C., December 29.

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- INDIANA DELTA** (1860), Franklin College, 698 Monroe St., Franklin, Ind. *President*, James Orlosky; *Reporter*, John E. Atwell; *Adviser*, Richard LaGrange, R.2, Franklin, Ind.
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- INDIANA THETA** (1893), Purdue University, 503 State St., West Lafayette, Ind. *President*, Kenneth K. Wise; *Reporter*, Marcus E. Taylor; *Adviser*, Bill Long, 919 State St., Lafayette, Ind.
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- KANSAS GAMMA** (1920), Kansas State College, 508 Sunset, Manhattan, Kan. *President*, Bob Clarke; *Reporter*, Richard R. Robertson; *Adviser*, J. William Funk, 1814 Platt, Manhattan, Kan.
- KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA** (1850), Centre College, 111 Maple Ave., Danville, Ky. *President*, Henry E. Dosker; *Reporter*, Thomas R. Jennings; *Adviser*, L. E. Noble, Jr., 247 Maple Ave., Danville, Ky.
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- LOUISIANA BETA** (1938), Louisiana State University, 268 W. Chimes St., Box 8404, University Station, Baton Rouge, La. *President*, Henry Hood; *Reporter*, Harry Warner; *Advisers*, W. Leroy Ward, 1510 Lee Drive, Baton Rouge, La.; John Vann, Geog. Dept., L.S.U., Baton Rouge, La.
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- MANITOBA ALPHA** (1930), University of Manitoba, 112 Rose St., Winnipeg, Man., Can. *President*, Roy Vincent; *Reporter*, Bill Ireland; *Adviser*, Daniel Evans, Ste. 2, Dumonlin Apts., 700 St. Jean-Baptiste St., Boniface, Man., Can.
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- NEW YORK EPSILON** (1887), Syracuse University, 703 Walnut Ave., Syracuse, N.Y. *President*, Kenneth Brown; *Reporter*, Richard Sutter; *Advisers*, Harold Clingen, 651 Stinard Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.; Rev. Harry Reddick, 905 Walnut Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.
- NEW YORK ZETA** (1918), Colgate University, Box 806, Hamilton, N.Y. *President*, George Gardella; *Reporter*, Neal Price; *Advisers*, James F. Dickenson, Colgate University, Hamilton, N.Y.; John Dunn, 22 W. Pleasant St., Hamilton, N.Y.
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- NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA** (1928), Davidson College, Box 673, Davidson, N.C. *President*, Robert Jones; *Reporter*, Austin Strand; *Adviser*, Dr. C. K. Brown, Box 56, Davidson, N.C.
- NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA** (1913), University of North Dakota, University Station, Grand Forks, N.D. *President*, Ted Maragos; *Reporter*, John Baukol; *Adviser*, J. Earl McFadden, 212 Red River Natl. Bank Bldg., Grand Forks, N.D.
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- OHIO GAMMA** (1868), Ohio University, 10 W. Mulberry St., Athens, Ohio. *President*, Tom Balding; *Reporter*, Gilbert Camp; *Adviser*, Donald Mansfield, AFOTC Dept., Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.
- OHIO EPSILON** (1875), University of Akron, 194 Spicer Ave., Akron, Ohio. *President*, James Singer; *Reporter*, Tony Milo; *Advisers*, Lt. Col. Robert C. Patrick, 2625 Columbus Rd., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St., Akron, Ohio.
- OHIO ZETA** (1883), Ohio State University, 1942 Iuka Ave., Columbus 1, Ohio. *President*, David Call; *Reporter*, Everett Musser; *Advisers*, Wilson Dumble, 13 E. 16th Ave., Columbus, Ohio; Dan Fulmer, 1653 Arlington Ave., Columbus, Ohio.
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- OHIO IOTA** (1914), Denison University, Granville, Ohio. *President*, M. Bradley Rogers; *Reporter*, John Macklin; *Advisers*, C. L. Goodell, 228 E. Elm St., Granville, Ohio; Fred L. Preston, 120 E. Elm St., Granville, Ohio.
- OHIO KAPPA** (1950), Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio. *President*, Jim Dysinger; *Reporter*, George Byers; *Adviser*, Maj. James Cables, 310 N. Church St., Bowling Green, Ohio.
- OHIO LAMBDA** (1954), Kent State University, 320 E. College St., Kent, Ohio. *President*, J. Clifton Whisler; *Reporter*, Richard A. Baun; *Adviser*, Paul C. Kitchin, R. 3, Ravenna, Ohio.
- OKLAHOMA ALPHA** (1918), University of Oklahoma, Boyd House, Woodrow Wilson Center, Norman, Okla. *President*, Joe Lessert; *Reporter*, R. W. Gilchrist, Jr.; *Adviser*, Hugh McDermott, 807 S. Ponca, Norman, Okla.; *Co-adviser*, Robert F. Brandenburg, 430 Macy, Norman, Okla.
- OKLAHOMA BETA** (1946), Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, 901 College St., Stillwater, Okla. *President*, Jerry Shipley; *Reporter*, Charles Hollar; *Adviser*, Robert Kersten, 316 N. Main St., Apt. 18, Stillwater, Okla.
- ONTARIO ALPHA** (1906), University of Toronto, 165 St. George St., Toronto, Ont., Can. *President*, Roy H. Beatty; *Reporter*, Bruce Currie; *Adviser*, John B. Livingston, 877 Avenue Rd., Toronto, Ont., Can.
- OREGON ALPHA** (1912), University of Oregon, 1472 Kincaid, Eugene, Ore. *President*, Peter D. Williams; *Reporter*, Don Gartrell; *Advisers*, W. H. Skade, 2154 Emerald St., Eugene, Ore.; Mr. Arthur J. Anderson, 2140 Agate St., Eugene, Ore.
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- OREGON GAMMA** (1946), Willamette University, Salem, Ore. *President*, Dale Patton; *Reporter*, Phil McCallister; *Adviser*, James Hatfield, 1221 Chemeketa St., Salem, Ore.
- PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA** (1873), Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. *President*, Harry Jordan; *Reporter*, Willard Snyder; *Adviser*, Dr. Samuel Pascal, Lafayette College, Easton, Pa.
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- PENNSYLVANIA THETA** (1904), Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pa. *President*, Gale Robbins; *Reporter*, Richard Hamer; *Adviser*, Henry Yeagley, Jr., 531 West Mitchell, State College, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA IOTA** (1918), University of Pittsburgh, 255 N. Dithridge, Pittsburgh 13, Pa. *President*, Victor Zak, Jr.; *Reporter*, Glenn R. Heiskell; *Adviser*, George Herrington, 420 Duquesne Dr., Pittsburgh 16, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA** (1918), Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa. *President*, Gordon Smith; *Reporter*, Ronald Decker; *Adviser*, Edward L. Noyes, 490 Riverview Ave., Swarthmore, Pa.
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- SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA** (1906), University of South Dakota, 202 E. Clark, Vermillion, S.D. *President*, Harvey Delzer; *Reporter*, Otto Kaiser; *Adviser*, Wayne Rausch, 402 E. Main, Vermillion, S.D.
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- TEXAS GAMMA** (1886), Southwestern University, 915 Pine St., Georgetown, Tex. *President*, Frank M. Eddins; *Reporter*, Branson Thurston; *Adviser*, Judge Sam V. Stone, Georgetown, Tex.
- TEXAS DELTA** (1922), Southern Methodist University, 7 Fraternity Row, Dallas 5, Tex. *President*, William C. Abernathy; *Reporter*, Patrick R. Thomas; *Adviser*, Spencer Carver, 3521 Wentwood Dr., Dallas, Tex.
- TEXAS EPSILON** (1953), Texas Technological College, Box 4022, Lubbock, Tex. *President*, Tracy Cary; *Reporter*, Charles H. Luling, III; *Advisers*, John Harding, 2610 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.; E. W. Williams, Jr., 4514 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.
- UTAH ALPHA** (1914), University of Utah, 102 University St., Salt Lake City, Utah. *President*, Bart Smith; *Reporter*, Sam Wilson; *Adviser*, Ted Whitney, 132 S. Main, Salt Lake City, Utah.
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WASHINGTON DELTA (1952), College of Puget Sound, 3722 N. 8th Ave., Tacoma, Wash. *President*, Robert Breneman; *Reporter*, Terrence W. Schick; *Adviser*, Ray Gardner, Jr., 6320 Nyanza Park Dr., Tacoma, Wash.

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Mobile—Frank Stone, 116 Houston St., Mobile, Ala. Called meetings, Battle House Hotel.

Montgomery—Allen D. Harper, Jr., 3546 Gaylord Ave. Called meetings, Beauvois Country Club.

Opelika—Scott Farley, 2 Fitzpatrick.

ARIZONA

Phoenix—Dean Moody, 30 W. Madison. Quarterly meetings, 1st Mon. of each quarter.

Tucson—Tom Webster, 18 Broadway Village, Tucson, Ariz., 12 Noon, 1st Tuesday, Y.M.C.A. Bldg.

ARKANSAS

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CALIFORNIA

Hollywood—Otto A. Steiert, 5825 Harold Way, Apt. 7, Los Angeles, Calif. First Wednesday of each month, Hollywood Athletic Club, 6525 Sunset Blvd.

Los Angeles—Geo. K. Shaffer, 12038 Pacoima Dr., N. Hollywood, Calif. 12 noon, every Friday, University Club, 614 S. Hope St.

East Bay—Vincent Angwin, Secretary, Correspondence to: Dave Schindler, 1108 Central Bank Bldg., Oakland 12. Phone, Templebar 6-4747. Luncheon meetings Thursday noon at Athens Athletic Club, 12th & Clay, Oakland.

Sacramento—C. L. Rudine, 927 10th St. Last Friday, University Club, noon.

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COLORADO

Colorado Springs—Robert Crowder, Box 489. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays (October through May) at 6:15 P.M. at the chapter house.

Denver—Joseph E. Cook, Jr., 706 Majestic Bldg., Denver, Colo. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea Room.
Ft. Collins—W. D. Thomas, Dept. of Botany and Plant Pathology, Colorado A. & M. College. 1st Monday, quarterly, noon, Ram Room, Lamb's Cafe.

DELAWARE

Wilmington—Lyle E. King, 9060 DuPont Bldg. Dinner meetings monthly except June, July and August, University Club.

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Washington—Philip B. Yeager, 4201 25th St. N., Arlington, Va. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Army and Navy Club, 17th and Eye St. N.W. Call Everett Flood, Woody 6-8400 or Martin Heflin.

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Gainesville—E. M. Edmondson, Jr., 1929 N.W. 16th, M.R. 1. Called meetings, Florida Alpha chapter house.

Manatee County—William D. Watson, Jr., 442 12th St. W., Bradenton, Fla. Garcia's Restaurant.

Miami—William J. Booher, 830 S.E. Miami Ave. Rd. 12 Noon, first Wednesday, Seven Seas Restaurant, 101 S.E. 2nd Ave.

Orlando—Andrew Yaros, 2836 Northwood Blvd. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays, Noon, at Lamar Hotel.

St. Petersburg—Robert A. Runcie, 1061-14th Ave., N. Luncheon each Friday at Hotel Suwannee.

Tampa—James F. Baughman, P.O. Box 2031, Tampa.

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Gainesville—Charles L. Hardy, 115 E. Ridgewood Ave. Dinner 7:30 P.M. Dixie Hunt Hotel, first Sunday.

Griffin—Wm. H. Beck, III, 217 S. 11th St. Quarterly meetings, third Friday, Jan., April, July, Oct. 12 Noon, Harry's Diner, also special and Founders Day meetings.

Macon—M. F. Meadors, Professional Bldg. Fourth Monday, 1 and 7 P.M. alternate months, S. & S. Cafeteria, 337 Third St.

IDAHO

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Galesburg—Richard Goff, 512 E. So. St., Knoxville, Ill. Five meetings a year, Sept., Oct., Feb., March 15, June, Phi Delta Theta House. Called meetings and Founders Day.
Peoria—Dr. Phil Chain, 3940 Prospect Rd. (4) Third Friday in June, and Friday in Sept., University Club.
Rockford—John M. Picken, 1107 Rockford Trust Bldg., Rockford, Ill. Called meetings.

INDIANA

Bloomington—Marion Rogers, 1130 E. Atwater, Bloomington, Ind. Quarterly meetings.
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Evansville—Robert M. Leich, Box 869, c/o Charles Leich and Co.
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Franklin—Patrick Cuddy, 151 Walnut St. Called meetings.
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Kokomo—Charles Rose, 532 W. Walnut St.
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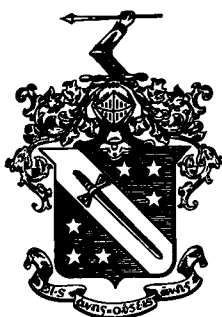
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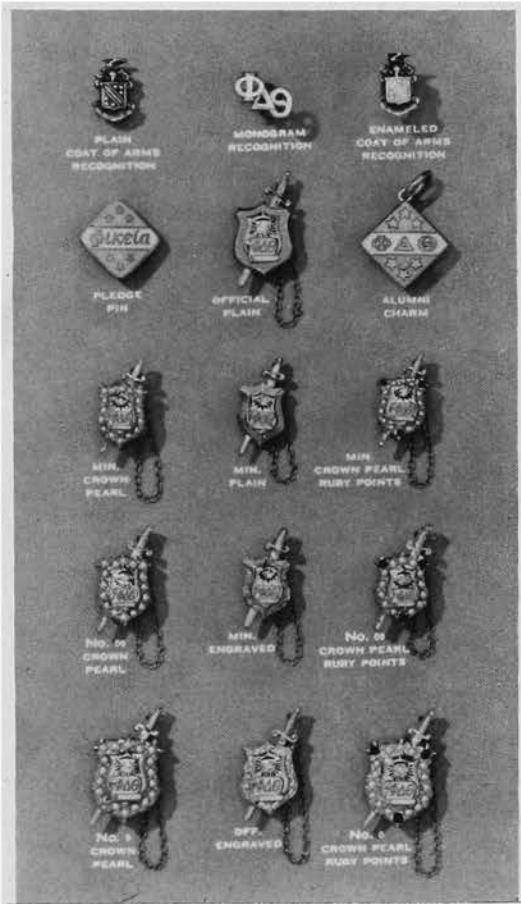
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107 Years of Change and Accomplishment

By GEORGE K. SHAFFER, Chicago '16

Member of The Scroll's Editorial Board and Editor of "The Scrawl," monthly publication of the Los Angeles Alumni Club, in which the following commentary on the times of Phi Delta Theta's founding appeared.

BROTHER SHAFFER



THE autumn of the year 1848 was a blustery, intense, challenging time in the United States, when six men in their early 20's sat about in their dormitory rooms of Miami University at Oxford, Ohio, and talked over their ideas of true friendship, sound learning, and the way they could act jointly to make their lives, their campus and their country better to live in.

James K. Polk was the outgoing president of a restless union of 30 states. The United States was just officially winding up its treaty of peace with Mexico. California was a distant, unfriendly, uninviting place, not even mapped, and generally reached by rounding the continent by ship, for the seas while angry, mostly were less hostile than beasts and redskins by land.

Uprising was holding sway in France, where the winners, in ejecting a king, alluded to themselves as "people of the communes," or communists—not exactly the same thing as a later group of career tyrants who were to steal the name, Communists, out of a better page of history. Revolution swept the kingdoms, dukedoms, cities and principalities of Germany as well as France, first separating the German small states, although it was later to join them together.

Garibaldi was meeting setback, in his fight to unite Italy as a republic, although the great Italian was to achieve his purpose later in part, by drawing the nation together, although under a king and not a republic Russia in 1848 as now was a cavernous stretch of mystery, ignorance, violence, repression and clashing ideas, out of which Czar Alexander managed to hold down seething feelings of his people, and bring some advancement to them by planning ahead to free the serfs.

An immigrant from Europe was on the point of finding gold in California, so that a century of unbelievable expansion could follow. Whaling vessels were the chief maritime pride of the United States. Henry Wadsworth Longfellow was reaping fame and profit from his new poem "Evangeline." Charles Dickens, back in England to write "David Copperfield," had begun to mellow a bit about the United States after his scornful tour of American cities. Ole Bull of Norway was the world's best known musician, Jenny Lind its best known singer. Peter P. Barnum was starting a century of show business history.

Ordinary Americans were getting their fingers sticky by gluing the novelty of postage stamps to letters. U. S. Grant was an obscure junior officer of the United States Army in a western post. Robert E. Lee was a famous colonel from the Mexican War. Elias Howe

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Charles Evans, Jr., Northwestern '13, and his mother, Lena Young Evans, with the National Open Trophy in 1916. In that year Chick won both the National Open and the National Amateur, the first time any golfer had won both tournaments in the same year. It was also at this time that the popular Phi golfer and his mother conceived the idea of the Caddie Scholarships.



Chick Evans and His 385 Caddie Scholars

Story of a Great Phi Amateur Golfer and
the Scholarship Program He Has Sponsored

By JOHN M. WILLEM, *Lawrence '31*

ATTACHED to the bags of some 20,000 golfers this season is a small tag, about the size and shape of a silver dollar, bearing one of these legends:

I have helped a worthy caddie attend college.
or

We help our worthy caddies attend college.

The latter tags also bear the name of each private golf club whose membership is 100% dedicated to the support of the Evans Scholars Foundation, named in honor of the man who, with his mother, conceived it in 1916—Charles "Chick" Evans, Jr., Illinois Alpha, Northwestern University, Class of 1913.

It was in 1916 that Chick became the first man ever to win both the U. S. Open and the U. S. Amateur crowns in the same year. He took the Open at Minikahda in Minneapolis, and the Amateur at Merion Cricket Club outside Philadelphia.

Winner of 53 major titles; still, at the age of 64, trying for more, Chick Evans has remained an amateur contestant in the strictest and finest spirit of the code. Beginning with his twin triumph in 1916, Evans had many offers to turn professional golfer, lend his name to the promotion of golf equipment, participate in a chain of sporting goods stores, make personal appearances on theater stages, and so on down the magnetic trail of dollar bills. It was his mother, Lena Young Evans, who insisted that he preserve his amateur standing at all costs, and who gave him the strength he needed to refuse when temptation grew almost too great to resist.

Evans' views on amateurism and professionalism in sport are as novel and refreshing in these days of crass commercialism as a tall cool one at the 19th hole in mid-August.

"I could never see playing a sport for money—outside of a friendly Nassau bet, of course," Evans chuckles. "To me business is just as much fun as sport, and it gives security. With few exceptions, professionalism in sport does not. I have always been grateful to the game of golf because it was my pleasant outdoor exercise, my amusement, my constitutional for health's sake; and not a source of income."

This emphasis on Evans' amateur standing and views is important to the story of the Caddie Scholarships.

After college Evans went into the bond business, and through his golfing connections, did very well. But in the depression of the early twenties "friends" and money disappeared rapidly.

"If I had turned pro," Evans reasons, "all the money would have gone down the drain and I would have nothing to show for it. There would be no Evans Scholarship Foundation today."

In a letter to H. G. Salsinger of the *Detroit News*, written November 24, 1954, Evans said, in part:

"As I look back upon a host of golfing memories there are two things which stand out foremost and give to me a deep sense of pleasure, and are not without a little sense of pride. First is the knowledge that I have at all times scrupulously and steadfastly remained an amateur golfer, and second, the founding of the Caddie College Scholarship movement."

Convinced, back in 1916, that he would remain an amateur, Brother Evans and his mother discussed many times and at some length how they could repay the game which had brought so much to him.

Mrs. Evans had always believed that no one

Evans Is Commended by President Eisenhower

ON March 23 Charles "Chick" Evans was the recipient of the first annual award of the American Seniors Golf Association as the Senior Golfer of the Year for his sportsmanship, generous friendship, integrity, and advancing the interests of golf.

When the plaque of merit was presented Brother Evans was also handed a letter of congratulations from President Dwight D. Eisenhower, which read as follows:

Dear Chick:

With your many friends I congratulate you on the award presented you by the American Seniors Golf Association. In golf and in educational and charitable activities, yours is an outstanding record of accomplishment. From the young men who have benefited from the scholarships which bear your name, and from many other Americans, you have earned gratitude and esteem.

My best wishes go to you and to all who honor you on this occasion.

Sincerely,

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

could do well in the world without an education. Chick had to borrow money to finish his schooling at Northwestern. As a caddie himself, and later as a player walking with, and talking to, caddies at clubs all over the United States, Chick came to know the needs and ambitions of these bag-toting youngsters. Almost without exception, the boys came from relatively poor families, and were hard-pressed to be able to finish high school before going to work, let alone accomplish a college education.

Ever encouraged by his mother, Chick, with the authority of his championships, national recognition, and reputation, set out to interest the golf world in establishing a program of caddie benefits leading to advanced education for deserving boys.

Ten long years were to pass before any positive action was to take place. Meantime Chick played exhibition matches over the country to raise money for the Red Cross during the years affected by World War I.

Jock Hutchison, Sr., was Evans' partner in many of these matches. Jock was also a one-time caddie, spending much of his time on the payroll of the family of Eben M. Byers of the Allegheny Country Club of Pittsburgh. Byers won the Amateur in 1906. Evans met him in the

1913 Amateur at the Garden City Golf Club on Long Island and won on the 39th green.

In those years the golf capital of the United States was in the East, and although the Western Golf Association had broken off the main U.S.G.A. body back in 1899, W.G.A. lacked the size and stature to tackle outside ventures independent of its tournaments. But while easterners were interested in Evans' ideas, they took no action. As the years passed, Chick and his friends in W.G.A. resolved to get the job done where the idea started—in Chicago and in the West. Particularly encouraging were men like Albert R. Gates, Charles F. Thompson, and Charles Pfeil of Memphis, each in their turn presidents of W.G.A.

It took money to get going, and Chick started it with \$14,000 realized from a series of Brunswick phonograph records on how to play golf. Ever since, and always in a manner calculated to preserve his amateur standing, Chick's earnings from golf and his knowledge of the game have gone to support the Scholarship funds.

In 1926 Melvin Traylor, president of the First National Bank of Chicago, became president of W.G.A., and through his efforts was shaped the destiny of the Evans Scholarships, and for all practical purposes that of the W.G.A. itself. Mr. Traylor set up the first Caddie College Scholarship Trust Agreement, helped to outline the Scholarship program requirements, suggested that the deserving and selected caddies be sent to Northwestern University, which Evans had attended, and insisted that the Caddie Scholarships bear Chick's name. And at the same time the W.G.A. dedicated itself wholeheartedly to the increased enjoyment of golf through better caddie service, and to the Evans Scholarships.

It was 1930 before the activity had progressed to the stage where it was feasible to begin the selection of caddie scholars. The first two chosen were James McGinnis, who caddied at Indian Hill, and Harold Fink, who caddied at another Chicago district club—Glen View. They were granted tuition scholarships at Northwestern.

Two years later there was a group of seven at Northwestern. As the number grew, the men formed an organization among themselves, and in 1937 a state charter was granted to their organization. Today there is an Evans House owned or leased by the Evans Scholars Foundation not only at Northwestern, but also at Illinois, Michigan, and Wisconsin. The total number of Evans Scholars now enrolled at these four universities is 147.

Another 57 are enrolled in other colleges and universities throughout the country, since a man is now permitted to attend the campus of his

choice, thus bringing to 204 the total number now in college on Evans Scholarships. Altogether, 385 caddies have benefited since the inception of the program.

According to W.G.A. Educational Director Roland F. McGuigan, advisor at Northwestern and supervisor of the entire caddie-scholar program, Evans Houses are social units in themselves. Each participates in the intramural programs on its campus, and is on the dean's list of scholastically rated fraternities and independent dormitories. McGuigan is quite proud of the fact that the Evans House basketball team reached the finals of the interfraternity league at Northwestern last year, and the quarter-finals in touch football.

Evans Scholars have lived up to their name on scholastic reports, too. McGuigan points to the record of the 48 men in the Evans House at Northwestern who, at the end of the Fall quarter of the 1953-54 academic year, topped the list of 36 houses. Evans Scholars at those colleges having an Evans House are not permitted to join social fraternities. Their allegiance is pledged to the Evans House, and so not divided. On other campuses, however, Evans Scholars may live, work, and affiliate as they choose.

One such scholar is Luthard Stanton Stavney of Washington Alpha. Brother Stavney's experience is quite typical of that of most Evans Scholars. He started playing golf when he was eight years old, and started working around golf courses as soon as he was able. In high school he was a member of the golf team for all four years, and spent his summers caddying at the Jackson Park Golf Club, Seattle, Washington. Jackson Park is a member of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association, an affiliate of the W.G.A.

Affiliated with W.G.A. are six such state and district golf associations which promote the Evans Scholars program among their own caddies. These include the Wisconsin State Golf Association, which to date has aided 21 Wisconsin caddie-scholars through the "Ned" Allis Scholarship Fund; Detroit District Golf Association, through which 32 caddie-scholarship awards have been made in the name of the James D. Standish Fund; Illinois Women's Golf Association; Minnesota State Golf Association; and Kansas City Golf Association. There are many other imitating scholarship funds, such as Francis Ouimet's in Boston, that of the Western Pennsylvania Golf Association in Pittsburgh, another in New Jersey, and so on. Chick helped each in its beginning.

Brother Stavney's Evans Scholarship was made possible through the Alex Rose Memorial Fund



CHICK EVANS, Northwestern '13
Winner of 53 major titles; today at the age of 65,
trying for more.

of the P.N.G.A. in Seattle. Stavney played one year of varsity golf, and earned his letter. He is now in his first year of medical school, and is president of his class.



FAMED GOLFING SENIORS

Chick Evans with Band Leader Fred Waring at 4th annual Western Seniors Golf Tournament, Edgewater Golf Club, Chicago, in 1952.

Milton Woodard, Executive Vice-President of W.G.A. hastens to point out that Evans Scholarships are not athletic scholarships. While many Evans Scholars play good golf and are members of their school teams, athletic ability is not a requisite, nor is it considered when applications are reviewed.

To be eligible for a Scholarship, the applicant must have caddied two years for a member club of Western Golf Association, must be in the upper 25% of his graduating high school class, must be financially in need of assistance in order to attend college, and must possess character and integrity. Applications for Scholarships, complete with letters of endorsement, copies of grades, club sponsorship, etc., start coming in from W.G.A.'s 350 affiliated Clubs in February of each year. As many as 150 applications are received. The number of Scholarships awarded each year is determined by the amount of money available. Currently about 80 new Scholarships can be awarded.

Selections are determined by committee, and become public the first Monday in August. Successful applicants are notified immediately. Each boy receives tuition at the school of his choice. He also receives his room rent if his school does not have an Evans House. The average investment per boy runs around \$500

for the academic year. Every school has a faculty advisor for Evans Scholars. This advisor helps the boy get an outside job to help him pay for his meals and to provide for incidental expenses.

Records of the progress of each boy are kept by W.G.A. Education Director McGuigan. He receives copies of grades, finds out each Scholar's activities, and counsels whenever needed. An Evans Scholar must keep a C average in order to hold his Scholarship. He is permitted the leeway of one semester if his grades fall below the required average. If grades are not brought up to the C level thereafter, the Scholar is dropped from the program.

With 204 boys now in School on Evans Scholarships, and at an average cost of \$500 per boy, the total outlay in an academic year is now running over \$100,000. The current objective of the Foundation is to raise the total number of Scholars in School at any one time to between 320 and 350. This would maintain appointments at the rate of 80-plus each year.

The Foundation's major source of annual income is the W.G.A. "bag tag" referred to at the beginning of this article. Each represents a \$5.00 tax-deductible contribution. It is voluntary, although some 75 golf clubs, mainly in the Chicago and Detroit areas, now automatically add \$5.00 to the members' bills each Spring, at the same time giving the member his option to eliminate the payment if he chooses. An additional 30-odd golf clubs actively solicit contributions on a group basis, but do not use the bill-assessment method.

While some 20,000 golfers contribute \$5.00 each, there is another smaller group of 300 which makes annual individual contributions of \$100.00 each. These golfers are qualified as members of the Par Club. Others have contributed even larger amounts. George S. May, for example, contributes, with his wife, over \$6,000 annually. Mr. May is best known for his Tam O'Shanter tournaments.

Golfers who pay entry fees on June 4 to participate in the fourth annual National Golf Day will be making indirect contributions to the Evans Scholars Foundation. This is the day when golfers in the United States, Mexico, and Canada match their net scores against the gross scores of National Open Champion Ed Furgol and Mildred (Babe) Zaharias. From the total of \$131,747.80 realized by the U.S.O. and National Golf Fund in 1954, the Foundation received \$16,900. To date it has received approximately \$35,000 from this source.

This is all very gratifying to Chick Evans, who regrets only that his mother did not live to see how extensively has grown the idea she and

Chick thought out back in 1916. Mrs. Evans, who died in 1935, did, however, see the Scholarships successfully launched. She would have been particularly gratified to see the completion of the building now under construction at Golf, Illinois, a very small suburb northwest of Chicago and west of Evanston. This building will be the permanent home of the Evans Scholars Foundation.

Golf, Illinois, was selected because it is the only incorporated community in the United States, if not the world, which bears the name of the game. In order to get the village fathers of Golf to agree to the construction of the Foundation Building, a compromise was reached whereby the edifice will house both the Foundation and the Golf Village Hall. Golf is strictly a residential community, and no other types of construction have heretofore been permitted.

The Western Golf Association annually sponsors the Western Open, the Western Amateur, and the Western Junior Championship tournaments. Chick Evans has played in Western Amateurs since 1906 when he failed to qualify at the age of 16 years in the tournament held that year at Glen Echo Country Club in St. Louis. He won his first Western Amateur in 1909 at the age of 19, and repeated in 1912, 1914, 1915, 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923. Chick entered his first Western Open in 1907 at Hinsdale Country Club, and won the title in 1910. This was the first major Open Championship ever won by an amateur in this country. In 1956 Chick will complete an even fifty years of tournament play.

A few of Chick's trophies rest in a special trophy case in the Evans House at Northwestern. His clippings, which would fill a good sized library, are probably as complete as those of anyone in the public print, thanks primarily to the efforts of Charles Evans, Sr., who, oddly enough, never saw his famous son hit a golf stroke, even though he lived to be 85, because the life of a great literary man is necessarily a lonely one.

The Senior Evans was a librarian by profession who helped to found the Enoch Pratt Library, Baltimore; the Omaha and the Indianapolis Public Libraries; and part of the Newbery Library in Chicago. He was also librarian at the Chicago Historical Society. His all-consuming interest in life, however, was the compilation of a bibliography of every work that was printed in the United States from the days of the Pilgrims through 1839. Although he labored for over fifty years at this task, Evans, Sr., was not able to get past the year 1800. Almost every library in the world has a copy of his work, the *Evans American Bibliography*. He also helped to found the American Library Association, and



PHI SCHOLAR

Recipient of an Evans Caddie Scholarship is Luthard Stanton Stavney of Washington Alpha.

was awarded an honorary LL.D. at Brown University.

Chick traces his ancestry back to the early Colonial days. The Evans came originally from Denmark, while his mother's ancestors, the Terrys and Rutherfords came from Scotland.

Chick had won his first championship in 1909, the summer before entering college. He recalls that his name had been widely publicized, and that many schools sought his enrollment. He chose Northwestern, however, to be near home and his beloved mother, and he is grateful for those extra years he had with her.

He liked the Phi Delt brothers almost from the start, although another fraternity almost got him when a "hot box" maneuver found this fraternity's pledge pin in his lapel. They lost him because he felt that they wanted him for his name, while the Phi Delt brothers seemed to want him for himself.

Chick recalls his initiation with a sly grin. He had heard of the damage a barrel stave could do to the more tender parts of the anatomy, and so set out to protect himself in advance as best he could. He went to the pro at the Edgewater

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READY TO REPORT ON VACCINE

DR. THOMAS FRANCIS, JR., Allegheny '21 (left) and Dr. Jonas Salk stand on speakers' platform at Ann Arbor, Mich., April 12, before addressing scientific meeting reporting on Salk polio vaccine tests. Report followed year of evaluation work.

THEY picked a good man (and a Phi) to sit on the best-kept secret in medical history.

Although the pot boiled furiously, the man just smiled, stared or looked blank. He didn't lift the lid until the stew satisfied him.

The man, Dr. Thomas Francis, Jr. [Allegheny '21], is a dour, 54-year-old professor of epidemiology at the University of Michigan.

A year ago the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis handed him \$850,000—no strings attached—to decide if the Salk polio vaccine was any good.

Dr. Francis was chosen not only because he is one of the nation's top virus experts, but because in a field where professional honor is unquestioned Dr. Francis ranks at the top.

The little doctor has known fame before. His awards and honors fill three typewritten pages. His top honors are for the development of an influenza vaccine that saved the lives of thousands of soldiers in World War II.

Equipped with astounding scientific knowledge and an icy analytical mind, Dr. Francis demanded and was given complete freedom in evaluating the polio vaccine.

He wrote the ground rules for the test. He was the referee, umpire and official scorer for the biggest game in medical history.

Only he was able to decode the numbers of the individual bottles used in vaccinating 654,000 children last summer. (About 440,000

“Judge” of Polio Vaccine A Phi

Dr. Thomas Francis, Jr., Selected to Evaluate Salk Test Reports

got the vaccine; 210,000 got placebo—an inert substance.)

From the U.S. Bureau of Census he borrowed Robert Voight, a tall, scholarly statistician, to devise and keep records.

Throughout the summer they worked long hours. They collected data not only on the 654,000 youngsters, but also on 1.8 million others who were not vaccinated.

The slightest illness was reported in detail to them. The mass of information grew. As finally computed by Voight, the facts numbered 144 million—most of it coded on carefully prepared cards and report sheets.

The staff, housed in the University of Michigan's old maternity hospital building, grew to 300, then slowly shrank to about a dozen.

The dramatic period began as Dr. Francis, Voight and Dr. Robert Korn, the collegiate-appearing assistant director of The Poliomyelitis Vaccine Evaluation Center, began to unravel the numerical mystery.

For security reasons the coded cards—each bearing more than 80 bits of punched information—were placed in a room adjoining Dr. Francis' office.

Double locks were installed on the doors and heavy grilles covered the two outside windows and the transom over the hall door.

The pressure mounted as the world waited impatiently for Dr. Francis to shake his head or wink his eye.

In spite of heated demands and sly attempts to wrest from him a hint of the results, he remained inscrutable.

Lots of people took guesses—including a dozen drug companies who, if the vaccine turned out good would shortly be in a tooth-and-nail fight for the biggest single piece of drug business in history.

Late in March, Dr. Francis announced that he would have the answer on April 12.

Himself the father of a teenage daughter and son, he completely withdrew from the world. His wife, Dorothy, and a housemaid sternly held off all callers.

In a chair built for his little (5 foot 6) frame, Dr. Francis worked calmly at his cherrywood desk.

And on April 12 he stepped up to a micro-

phone in the University of Michigan's ornate Rackham Building.

Tired and haggard from work and pressure, he told his story.

As he promised in the beginning, he told it simply, honestly and in plain language that everybody understood.—From the *Chicago Daily News*, with thanks to WILLIAM SHAW, *Kansas* '06.

Chick Evans and His 385 Caddie Scholars

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Golf Club, where he had caddied for such illustrious golfers as Marshall Field, the Chicago merchant, and asked for some of the calf-skin from which pros in those days cut strips for the grip end of golf clubs. His mother sewed the leather on the inside of his trousers. This maneuver, he recalls with pleasure, enabled him to take his beatings "like a man!"

Young Rufus Dawes, son of Charles E. Dawes, one-time vice-president of the United States, was in Chick's pledge class.

Brother Evans has maintained his fraternity interests throughout his life, and is grateful to the many Phis who have helped him through the years. He is particularly grateful to those Phis of the writing profession, men like Grantland

Rice, from whom he is sure he received a "good press" because he was a brother in the Bond.

But the press has given Chick much good copy just for what he is, and what he believes in, deep down inside. The *Detroit News'* great sports editor, Salsinger, put it best when he wrote:

"One of the compensations of writing sports is that every so often you have an opportunity to write about your personal favorites, your own heroes, instead of the others. When the occasion presents itself you write 'straight out.'

"My three favorites in golf are Chick Evans, Bobby Jones and Francis Ouimet. Each embodies ability, gentility, and sportsmanship. To me they are among the great men of sport, the greatest in their sport.

"Chick is one of three men who, I believe, have rendered the greatest service to golf, and the one who, in future reckonings, may well be honored as the one who has done the most."

Since 1933 Chick has worked for the Beloit Dairy, in Chicago, and since 1926 has been married to Ester Underwood, of the famed family of Underwood and Underwood, photographers.

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Author's note: Phi golfers who are not now contributing to the support of the Evan's Scholars Foundation and who wish to do so, may send contributions to the Evans Scholars Foundation, Golf, Illinois. They are tax-exempt.

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Official Announcements

The General Council met in Chicago Thursday and Friday, May 5 and 6, at the Edgewater Beach Hotel and waded through a very heavy business agenda. Among the more important items of general interest emerging from the meeting are the following:

► Site of the 1956 General Convention of $\Phi\Theta\Delta$ will be the campus of the University of Colorado at Boulder. The dates—August 29 to September 1. Start planning now for that Western vacation you've always wanted in the beautiful Colorado Rockies. For officers and alumni who may wish other than dormitory accommodations, the GHQ staff is reserving space in several of the first class motels in the area.

► Preliminary program for the General Officers Conference to be held at Oxford, August 18-20, was approved. All officers of the Fraternity should save this time as it is of vital importance to have full attendance at this important meeting. Further details will be forthcoming from Executive Secretary Paul C. Beam.

► Texas Zeta chapter at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas, was formally approved as result of the favorable mail ballot. The chapter will be installed May 27 and 28 under the direction of P.G.C. John Wilterding, T.G.C. Ray Gardner, and Administrative Secretary Robert Miller.

► July 1 was set as the definite, final deadline for corrections to the Fraternity Directory now in preparation. Changes not received by William H. Mitchell, 432 Fourth Ave., New York 16, N.Y., by that date will not be made.



PHI MAYOR IS SWORN IN

JAMES C. GARDNER, *Louisiana State '44*, takes oath of office as new mayor of Shreveport, La. He is 30 years old.

Young Man of Shreveport

**Jim Gardner, 30, Resigns from Legislature
To Become Louisiana City's Youngest Mayor**

ONE DAY in October last fall a 30-year-old Shreveport (La.) Phi resigned his seat in the State Legislature in order that he might be inaugurated as mayor of his home city a month later. Election to the post of mayor of Shreveport, a city of about 100,000 population, marked the most recent step of advancement in the spectacular career of James C. Gardner, *Louisiana State '44*.*

Believed to be the youngest mayor in Shreveport's history, Brother Gardner won over three opponents in a tight race, with a majority of 677 votes in the Democratic primary, without the necessity of a runoff. He had no opposition in the general election.

In another month following his inauguration as mayor another honor was accorded Jim Gardner when he was named Shreveport's "Young

Man of the Year" for 1954 by the Junior Chamber of Commerce of the city. When the award was presented it was emphasized that it was made "not only for overall community service but also for evidence of business and personal progress and exhibition of leadership and ability." Brother Gardner has been an active member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce since 1946, serving as secretary and first vice-president of the organization prior to being elected president in 1951, serving a one-year term. In 1948 he was voted the Moffitt award as the outstanding Jaycee of the city.

Elected to his seat in the Louisiana House of Representatives in 1952 in his first try for a public office, Brother Gardner served as author or co-author of numerous 1952 acts relative to city affairs, including civil service for policemen and firemen, paving of drainage ditches, and tobacco tax distribution to municipalities. From

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* THE SCROLL is indebted to Brother William Steen, *Mississippi '04*, for suggesting this story and furnishing the details of Brother Gardner's career.—Ed.

Phis Shine in Annual "Walkin' fo' de Kake" at Vermont

By ROBERT PARKER
Vermont Alpha Reporter

DURING the early weeks of the second semester of the year, most New England colleges observe a festive weekend generally known as the "Winter Carnival." The most unique and one of the most popular of these carnivals is the annual University of Vermont "Kake Walk." Unlike other winter carnivals, Vermont's is based on an old Negro tradition known as "Walkin' fo' de Kake," which was imported from the south in 1897.

The Kake Walk weekend offers four main fields of competition to the fourteen fraternities on campus: king candidate election, the walking, skits, and the snow sculpture. It is unusual for a house to enter all four events, especially since only four skits are selected to be presented. Since the walking and skits are presented on two nights, there are two separate contests for each.

In an unprecedented move, Vermont Alpha entered all four events. At first it appeared that the house had "bitten off more than it could chew." In the first real contest, the king election, the Phi Delt candidate was defeated by a narrow margin after a tough campaign battle. The real morale builders were the plan for the snow sculpture and the fine work of the walkers.

The Snow Sculpture: Led by Paul Harasimowicz, the Phis assembled a jumble of timbers, ice, and snow that had even the "old-



"WALKIN' FO' DE KAKE"

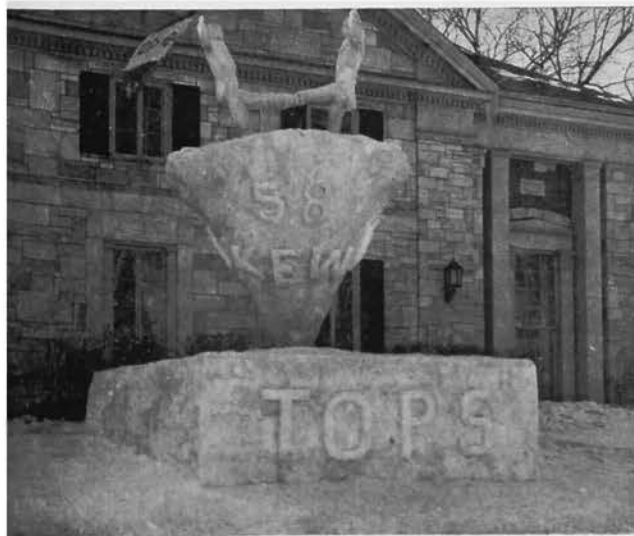
Frank Maccini and Bill Farwell in one of the breathtaking steps that brought a first place in the walking competition.

timers" on campus guessing. On the morning of the judging, there was still some skepticism as to whether the sculpture would stand. When the scaffolding was torn down, ten minutes before the judges arrived, the finished product appeared for the first time. A half-ton of ice shaped into a giant top surmounted by two "Walkers" seemed to balance on its base. "58th Kake Walk" was inscribed around the top, and "TOPS" appeared as the caption on the base.

A small group of spectators had gathered to watch the scaffolding torn down, but they saw much more than they had anticipated. In the next few moments, rather hesitantly at first, the top began to spin. For the next two days cars and passersby continued to stop, glance, and

FIRST IN SNOW SCULPTURE TOO

LEFT: "The Top and the Walkers" turned about five revolutions a minute, Vermont's first revolving snow sculpture. **RIGHT:** Gov. Joseph B. Johnson of Vermont presents Jennings Trophy, signifying first place in snow sculpture. Left to right: Gov. Johnson, "Sleepy" Hill, Paul Harasimowicz, and Russ Hubley.





TWO MORE CUPS, TWO MORE KAKES

LEFT: *Kake Walk Director Plender (right) congratulates Frank Maccini and Vermont's President Carl Borgmann presents first place kake for walking. At left Bill Farwell holds first place cup and rotating Preston Trophy. RIGHT: Governor Johnson presents second place cup for skits to Frank McCrane. Gene MacLean and Bob Gorman hold the kake.*

then stare, as they noticed the "first moving snow sculpture."

On Saturday night Gov. Joseph B. Johnson of Vermont presented a first place cup to "Sleepy" Hill, the rotating Jennings Trophy to Paul Harasimowicz, and a kake to Russ Hubley. This is the second year in a row that the Jennings Trophy has been won by the Phis.

The Walkers: During the Fall preparation for Kake Walk had already started. Most every after-

noon after classes, a small group of Phis gathered at the house to get in shape and limber up. As the hard work continued, under the direction of Frank Maccini, the group gradually diminished to a promising few. By the end of December Bill Farwell, a sophomore, was selected to walk with Frank. The practices increased in length and intensity, for the weekend was approaching and the feeling of competition was always increasing.

During the practices of all walkers and the university band, the gym was packed with students who wanted a sneak preview of the events to come. Shortly before Kake Walk, Frank and Bill made the first appearance of any walkers before a television audience over WMVT, the Burlington TV station.

Finally the big night arrived, with Memorial Auditorium packed to capacity. From the initial appearance of Brothers Maccini and Farwell until well after they had left the floor, the cheering was almost continuous. For their fine performance, Frank and Bill were presented the Preston Rotating Trophy, the cup for first place, and a first place kake by Dr. Carl W. Borgmann, President of the University. The Phis have retired the Preston Trophy once with successive wins in 1947-48-49 by Daniel Burke '50, and Roderick Smith '50.

On the following evening, the Phi walkers again showed winning form; Governor Johnson presented a second place cup and kake to Frank and Bill. Vermont Alpha has good reason to be proud of their winning walkers, Frank Maccini '55 and Bill Farwell '57.

The Skit: Although the Phi Delt skit, "Getting Back to Nature," was one of four accepted

WINNING FORM

Another shot of winning Kake-walkers Maccini and Farwell



for presentation, the early rehearsals showed glaring weaknesses. Revisions were continually made and the skit began to take shape. The spirit continued to rise as everyone worked together, either on props or in the action. Finally the finished product: the investigation of fostering juvenile delinquency in a Vermont co-ed summer camp.

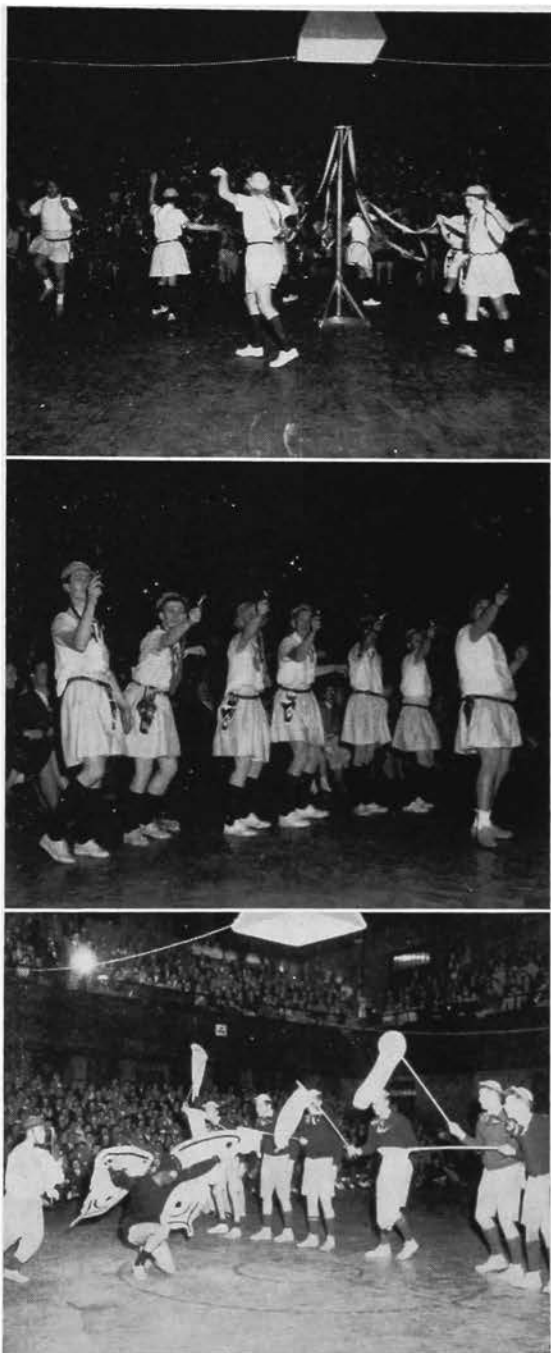
The opening scene parodied an investigation committee, which strikingly resembled one familiar to most TV viewers. From his first "point of order" on, "Senator" Ted McCabe presented the evidence, in the form of flashbacks, against Camp Sandy Nitch. It all seemed harmless at first: the singing entrance of the boy campers, their futile attempts at exercises, and finally their popular dancing hunt for the butterfly. The first sign of trouble came after the imprisonment of the butterfly when the boys went to hunt girls. The next scene showed the girls one jump ahead of the boys—hunting them.

The situation was innocent enough. After their singing entrance, the girls danced around the maypole to their version of "Every Day is Hunting Day." Led by their inspiring counselor, they swung through "Quick on the Trigger" and tried in vain to shoot down a playboy who flew from the rafters across their path. Finding the guns useless, the girls gave in to the persuasions of the boys and joined them for a rousing square dance.

The condemning evidence was given as the group then gathered temporarily around a campfire; the singing soon died as the couples drifted off one by one into the darkness. The skit ended as the camp director was led away and Liberace, complete with candelabra and brother George, was brought forward to answer charges of possessing a REDwood piano. Under the direction of Bob Gorman, Gene MacLeane and Frank McCrane, the skit won a second place each night for a total of two cups and two kakes.

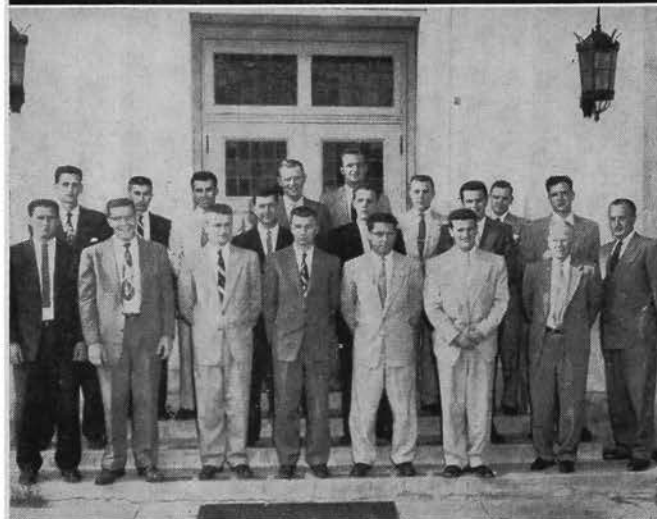
Individual Honors: A kake was given Brother Ken Wadley '56 for his fine work as Assistant Kake Walk Director.

The Results: Although the chapter pushed hard as a unit to make a success of the weekend, certain individuals were outstanding in directing their events: Dave O'Dwyer, King Campaign; Paul Harasimowicz and Russ Hubley, Snow Sculpture; Bob Gorman, Skit; Frank Maccini and Bill Farwell, Walking. Altogether, Vermont Alpha won two firsts in walking and snow sculpture, three seconds in walking and skits, seven trophies, six kakes, and 19 points toward the Traynor Trophy, given annually to the outstanding fraternity on campus. Currently $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is in first place in this race.



SCENES FROM "GETTING BACK TO NATURE"

TOP: "Girls" from Camp Sandy Nitch swinging through "Every Day Is Hunting Day." Note sly waves to Governor Johnson. Coquettish "wench" dancing alone at left is Vermont football star, Tony Calorosso. CENTER: The girls demonstrate their futile form with the pistol during "Quick on the Trigger" routine. BOTTOM: The boys from Sandy Nitch have just spotted the butterfly as it flitted in. This is the scene just before they start their popular dance-hunt that ends in the capture of the butterfly.



CALIFORNIA EPSILON INSTALLED

Above: Installing Officer Ray Gardner of the General Council and Chapter President Bob Jones read over the new charter shortly after it had been presented at impressive installation ceremonies. At left, above: The installing team shown at altar of the Davis Community Church. From left, Brothers Gardner, Blackwell, Stuart, Bininger, Biggers, Grubb, Brown, and Miller. Below: Nineteen of the twenty-two men initiated as charter members of 120th chapter on Fraternity's active roster, the fifth in California, and fourth and last granted at 50th Convention.

California Epsilon Chapter Installed

By DAVE RAMOS, Reporter

AFTER 43 years of existence, the Calpha Fraternity at the University of California at Davis became the 120th chapter of Phi Delta Theta. The initiation and installation exercises of California Epsilon took place on March 26.

Twenty-two men signed the Bond during the initiation conducted by Ray L. Gardner, Dr. Clem E. Bininger, and H. L. Stuart, representing the General Council; Hayward Biggers, editor of Fraternity publications; Robert Miller, Administrative secretary; Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary; Stanley Brown, President of Omicron South Province; and John Grubb, President of Omicron North Province.

In the initiation services Brothers Bininger and Biggers filled the roles of president and warden, respectively.

Installation of the new chapter took place in the Davis Community Church with Brother

Gardner serving as chief installing officer. Others on the installation team included Brothers Bininger, Stuart, Biggers, Miller, Blackwell, Brown, and Grubb. Following an impressive talk by Dr. Bininger, Acting President Gardner presented the charter to chapter President Bob Jones.

On Saturday evening a joint Installation-Founders Day Banquet was held with the Sacramento Alumni Club at the Capitol Inn in Sacramento. Brother C. L. Roy Rudine, secretary of the Sacramento Alumni Club, was toastmaster.

The program included the presentation of a Golden Legion Pin to Brother Percy Napton, Missouri '01, of the Sacramento Alumni Club by Brother Stanley Brown, president of Omicron South Province; the presentation of a gavel to chapter President Bob Jones by Brother John



Above: Attractive California Epsilon house, with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ flag a-flying. At left: A happy trio clasps hands following installation of new chapter. They are, from left, Dave Ramos, who was assigned Bond Number One; Dr. C. S. Mudge, long-time adviser to Calpha and now a Cal Epsilon member, and Province President John Grubb.

Doyle, vice-president of the Sacramento Alumni Club; and the pledging of the Calpha Phikeia class by President Jones.

Speeches were given by Brothers Gardner, Dr. Bininger, and Dr. C. S. Mudge, California Epsilon alumnus. The banquet was also attended by Phis from California Alpha, California Beta, and California Gamma.

The installation weekend also included a campus tour for the visiting Phis and officers, a luncheon at the University Cafeteria with Uni-

versity administrators, a dinner at the Sutter Club in Sacramento with members of the Sacramento Alumni Club and Fraternity officers, and a street dance and open house at the chapter house for students of the University.

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There are about 1600 students at Davis, one-fifth of them women. Some 600 courses are offered in the schools of agriculture, letters and science, and veterinary medicine.

PHI ENSEMBLE

Visiting Phis—both alumni and undergraduates—and Fraternity officers with new members of California Epsilon chapter. This picture was taken outside of the Community Church of Davis immediately following conclusion of the installation ceremonies, held Saturday, March 26.



Improvement Trend Continues in

Scholarship Report for 1953-54

By DONALD M. DUSHANE, Wabash '27, Scholarship Commissioner

RECENTLY Scholarship Commissioner Donald DuShane wrote letters to the chapters which had been on our academically delinquent list last year, but had succeeded in winning their way back to good standing, asking for a current report. This was so he might judge whether last year's good grades had been just a fluke, or whether they represented a genuine change in attitude.

The following letter from Jim Roth, Scholarship Chairman of South Dakota Alpha, was in reply to Brother DuShane's inquiry. It reflects an attitude toward the scholastic segment of fraternity life that we wish might be found in all chapters of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Brother Jim wrote:

DEAR BROTHER DUSHANE:

We at South Dakota Alpha are proud to say that our academic success of last year was no fluke. With first semester grades just having come out we are proud to tell you that we finished third of seven fraternities, and just out of second place.

Of our pledge class, we activated seventeen, the largest group since 1948. The pledge class had the second highest average of the pledge classes on campus.

We have learned our lesson—get your grades up and everything else will come along. That has been the case here. In my four years here we have never been in any better shape financially, socially, or ACADEMICALLY.

The Good Ship Phi at South Dakota Alpha has weathered the storm.

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ALMOST, but not quite, in 1953-1954. Had just one more below-average chapter been above the All-Men's Average on its campus, last year's Phi Delta Theta scholarship record would have been as good as 1948's—the best year in modern times.

We gained again in the percentage of chapters above the All-Men's Average, for the third straight year of improvement in this respect.

Three years ago 40.2 per cent of our chapters were in the black, two years ago 45.4 per cent of them, and this year 49.1 per cent—53 chapters above the dividing line, 55 below.

We held our own with our natural competitors, gaining again on $B \Theta \Pi$ and passing $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ and $\Sigma \Lambda \Xi$; on the other hand, $\Lambda \Gamma \Omega$ lengthened its lead slightly, topping all major old line fraternities, while $\Sigma \chi$ passed us.



WARD SCHOLARSHIP TROPHY



HERRICK IMPROVEMENT TROPHY

To Va. Gamma, Randolph-Macon—1953-54—To N.C. Beta, Univ. of No. Carolina.

Honor Roll

Five Years or More

Kansas Alpha
Missouri Alpha
New Hampshire Alpha
Ohio Beta
Pennsylvania Beta

Fourth Year

Texas Delta
Virginia Gamma

Third Year

Colorado Beta
Iowa Gamma
Utah Alpha

Second Year

Florida Alpha
Mississippi Alpha
Missouri Beta
Texas Gamma
Washington Delta

First Year

Alabama Alpha
Alabama Beta
Arkansas Alpha
Iowa Beta
Kansas Gamma
Kentucky Alpha-Delta*
Maine Alpha
Missouri Gamma
Nebraska Alpha
North Carolina Beta*
North Carolina Gamma
Ohio Zeta
Pennsylvania Delta
Pennsylvania Epsilon
South Dakota Alpha*
Tennessee Alpha
Texas Epsilon
Vermont Alpha*
Washington Beta
Washington Gamma

* From Delinquency to Honors in One Year.

The accompanying charts are based on National Interfraternity Conference data, and the computations of Col. Ralph Wilson, ΣX , who has served us as technical consultant.

Chart I indicates the position of each chapter among competing fraternities, and in relation to the All-Men's Average, on its own campus. Our top chapter, winner of the George S. Ward Scholarship Trophy, is Virginia Gamma, at



DONALD DUSHANE, Wabash '27
Phi Delta Theta's Scholarship Commissioner.

Randolph-Macon, which has been a scholastic leader for a long time.

Winner of the Barrett Herrick Trophy for Scholarship Improvement is North Carolina Beta, with the highest improvement index in recent years. Listed below as a special Roll of Honor in competition for the Herrick Trophy are those chapters which showed the greatest gain over the preceding year.

North Carolina Beta	28.69
<i>(Herrick Trophy Winner)</i>	
Kansas Beta	14.97
South Dakota Alpha	14.06
North Carolina Alpha	13.04
Indiana Beta	12.05
Kentucky Alpha-Delta	11.49
Wyoming Alpha	11.36
Nebraska Alpha	11.25
Vermont Alpha	10.85
New York Alpha	10.70
Arkansas Alpha	10.26

Chart II indicates relative position; for example, Acacia and $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ meet in competition on 36 campuses. On 19 of these campuses Acacia ranks above us and on 17 below us. This chart is not comparable to NIC's all-fraternity averages, because of variations in the distances above and below and in the membership size of the competing chapters.

It shows that for the chapters on which we
(Charts on pages 378-382. Text is concluded
on pages 381 and 382.)

CHART I—SCHOLARSHIP CHART FOR ONE HUNDRED

Chapter	Institution	Up or Down Since '52-'53	Num- ber Frat- ernities	Rank of Φ Δ Θ	Chapter "Index" in Relation to All-Men's Average	
					Above All-Men's Average	Below All-Men's Average
Virginia Gamma	Randolph-Macon College	Up	7	1	20.43	
North Carolina Beta	University of North Carolina	Up	24	2	17.06	
Texas Delta	Southern Methodist Univ.	Same	14	1	15.91	
Texas Gamma	Southwestern University	Up	4	1	12.15	
Mississippi Alpha	University of Mississippi	Up	15	1	11.24	
Kansas Alpha	University of Kansas	Up	25	2	11.04	
Kansas Gamma	Kansas State College	Up	21	6	10.86	
Iowa Gamma	Iowa State College	Same	28	2	10.56	
Arkansas Alpha	University of Arkansas	Up	13	3	9.03	
Missouri Gamma	Washington University	Up	17	5	8.46	
Florida Alpha	University of Florida	Same	26	5	7.34	
Kentucky Alpha-Delta	Centre College	Up	6	2	7.31	
Nebraska Alpha	University of Nebraska	Up	23	4	6.49	
Pennsylvania Delta	Allegheny College	Up	7	3	6.42	
Ohio Epsilon	University of Akron	Down	7	6	6.35	
Maine Alpha	Colby College	Up	8	3	6.03	
Washington Delta	College of Puget Sound	Up	6	1	5.90	
North Carolina Alpha	Duke University	Up	19	13	5.03	
Tennessee Alpha	Vanderbilt University	Up	15	4	4.95	
Pennsylvania Beta	Gettysburg College	Down	11	3	4.91	
Iowa Beta	State University of Iowa	Up	18	6	4.53	
Alabama Alpha	University of Alabama	Up	26	7	4.46	
South Dakota Alpha	University of South Dakota	Up	7	2	4.34	
Georgia Beta	Emory University	Up	13	6	4.27	
Oklahoma Beta	Oklahoma A. and M. College	Down	20	8	4.08	
Texas Epsilon	Texas Technological College	—	7	2	3.84	
Texas Beta	University of Texas	Down	30	11	3.84	
Utah Alpha	University of Utah	Down	10	3	3.70	
Kansas Beta	Washburn University	Up	3	2	3.57	
North Carolina Gamma	Davidson College	Up	11	3	3.44	
Missouri Alpha	University of Missouri	Up	28	4	3.26	
New Hampshire Alpha	Dartmouth College	Up	20	4	3.14	
Ohio Beta	Ohio Wesleyan University	Down	14	5	2.94	
Louisiana Beta	Louisiana State University	Down	17	12	2.41	
Colorado Beta	Colorado College	Same	5	1	2.03	
Ohio Alpha	Miami University	Up	17	13	2.02	
Ohio Zeta	Ohio State University	Up	40	9	1.95	
Indiana Beta	Wabash College	Up	8	4	1.93	
Illinois Beta	University of Chicago	Down	9	5	1.87	
Pennsylvania Epsilon	Dickinson College	Up	10	4	1.74	
Oklahoma Alpha	University of Oklahoma	Down	25	10	1.53	
Iowa Alpha	Iowa Wesleyan College	Up	3	3	1.44	
Michigan Beta	Michigan State College	Up	22	10	1.10	
Ohio Theta	University of Cincinnati	Down	16	9	1.09	
Missouri Beta	Westminster College	Down	7	3	.70	
Kentucky Epsilon	University of Kentucky	Down	20	11	.60	
Alabama Beta	Alabama Polytechnic Institute	Up	20	7	.48	
Oregon Alpha	University of Oregon	Down	21	11	.48	
New York Alpha	Cornell University	Up	51	18	.46	
Washington Gamma	Washington State College	Up	23	8	.44	
Vermont Alpha	University of Vermont	Up	11	3	.27	
California Gamma	University of Calif. at L. A.	Up	32	16	.06	
Washington Beta	Whitman College	Up	5	1	Plus	

All-Men's Average

Virginia Beta	University of Virginia	Up	28	18	Minus
Georgia Gamma	Mercer University	Up	8	4	.06
Indiana Theta	Purdue University	Down	36	16	.06
Illinois Theta	Lake Forest College	Up	4	3	.18
Indiana Alpha	Indiana University	Down	28	14	.31

Chapter	Institution	Up or Down Since '52-'53	Num- ber Fratern- ities	Rank of ΦΔΘ	Chapter "Index" in Relation to All-Men's Average	
					Above All-Men's Average	Below All-Men's Average
Illinois Eta	University of Illinois	Down	51	17		.82
Ohio Gamma	Ohio University	Down	17	11		.93
Ohio Eta	Case Institute of Techn.	Up	11	3		.95
Pennsylvania Theta	Pennsylvania State University	Down	41	27		1.18
Colorado Alpha	University of Colorado	Down	24	12		1.19
Illinois Delta-Zeta	Knox College	Down	5	3		1.28
Wisconsin Beta	Lawrence College	Same	5	4		1.37
Indiana Epsilon	Hanover College	Down	5	4		1.52
Maryland Alpha	University of Maryland	Up	24	8		1.58
Montana Alpha	Montana State University	Up	8	4		1.61
Indiana Zeta	DePauw University	Up	13	4		1.72
Florida Gamma	Florida State University	Same	14	3		2.52
Minnesota Alpha	University of Minnesota	Down	33	18		2.52
Indiana Delta	Franklin College	Down	4	2		2.54
Indiana Gamma	Butler University	Up	9	3		3.39
Georgia Delta	Georgia Institute of Techn.	Up	26	16		3.53
New Mexico Alpha	University of New Mexico	Down	11	9		3.63
Oregon Beta	Oregon State College	Down	30	15		4.05
Washington Alpha	University of Washington	Down	36	14		4.24
Rhode Island Alpha	Brown University	Up	17	12		5.37
Pennsylvania Iota	University Pittsburgh	Down	17	12		5.38
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Inst. of Techn.	Down	25	12		5.56
Georgia Alpha	University of Georgia	Up	19	12		5.56
Ohio Iota	Denison University	Up	8	5		5.61
Pennsylvania Alpha	LaFayette College	Down	19	12		5.68
West Virginia Alpha	West Virginia University	Down	20	12		5.98
New York Zeta	Colgate University	Up	13	7		6.22
New York Epsilon	Syracuse University	Down	31	24		6.30
California Alpha	University of California	Down	43	28		6.48
Colorado Gamma	Colorado A. and M.	—	13	12		6.49
New York Beta	Union College	Same	17	10		6.88
Wyoming Alpha	University of Wyoming	Up	11	4		7.24
Pennsylvania Eta	Lehigh University	Down	30	23		7.58
Virginia Delta	University of Richmond	Up	12	7		7.65
California Delta	University of Southern Calif.	Down	28	9		8.13
Virginia Zeta	Washington and Lee Univ.	Down	17	13		8.27
Pennsylvania Kappa	Swarthmore College	Same	5	2		8.83
Louisiana Alpha	Tulane University	Down	16	12		9.33
Arizona Alpha	University of Arizona	Down	19	12		9.62
Ohio Kappa	Bowling Green State Univ.	Down	14	14		10.03
North Dakota Alpha	University of North Dakota	Down	11	7		10.47
Tennessee Beta	University of the South	Down	9	9		11.42
Idaho Alpha	University of Idaho	Down	13	13		11.52
Illinois Alpha	Northwestern University	Same	26	22		12.48
Wisconsin Alpha	University of Wisconsin	Down	33	28		12.55
California Beta	Stanford University	Down	24	22		12.84
Michigan Alpha	University of Michigan	Up	38	31		13.01
Pennsylvania Gamma	Washington and Jefferson Col.	Down	10	9		13.65
Pennsylvania Zeta	University of Pennsylvania	Down	38	27		14.58
Oregon Gamma	Willamette University	Down	4	4		14.92

Seven campus first; 5 lasts (one of which was above the All-Men's Average); 53 above the All-Men's Average, 55 below; 51 show improvement over last year relative to competition on own campus, 46 are lower.

The "Index" represents the percentage by which the scholarship of a chapter varies from the All-Men's Average of its campus. For example, Virginia Gamma ranked first of seven fraternities at Randolph-Macon College and was 20.43 above the All-Men's average on that campus.

Some chapters are not included in the chart because their institutions do not publish comparative grade standings for fraternities. Two chapters, Washington Beta and Virginia Beta, are listed simply plus or minus in relation to the All-Men's Average, no figures being available for computation of the degree of variation from it.

CHART II

COMPARISON OF PHI DELTA THETA SCHOLARSHIP RATINGS WITH SCHOLARSHIP RATINGS OF OTHER FRATERNITIES, 1953-1954

Fraternity	Chapters Ranking Above Phi Delta Theta									Chapters Ranking Below Phi Delta Theta									Phi Delta Theta Score
	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	
Acacia							19*****			*****17									- 2
Alpha Chi Rho								9*****		*4									- 5
Alpha Delta Phi								11*****		*3									- 8
Alpha Epsilon Pi						22*****				*****10									-12
Alpha Gamma Rho							17*****			*****6									-11
Alpha Kappa Lambda								5***		**5									0
Alpha Phi Delta								2*		*3									1
Alpha Sigma Phi								12*****		*****11									1
Alpha Tau Omega	40*****									*****30									-10
Beta Sigma Rho								2*		*2									0
Beta Sigma Psi								4***		0									- 4
Beta Theta Pi	40*****									*****34									- 6
Chi Phi								6****		*****20									14
Chi Psi								9*****		*****8									- 1
Delta Chi								10*****		*****25									15
Delta Kappa Epsilon								4***		0*****25									21
Delta Phi								3**		*4									1
Delta Psi								2*		*3									1
Delta Sigma Phi								9*****		*****22									13
Delta Tau Delta										*****33									0
Delta Upsilon										*****24									4
Farmhouse								12*****		0									-12
Kappa Alpha Order								17*****		*****20									3
Kappa Alpha Society								2*		*2									0
Kappa Delta Rho								6****		*****8									2
Kappa Nu								6****		*2									-4
Kappa Sigma										*****50									19
Lambda Chi Alpha										*****40									9
Phi Alpha								3**		1									- 2
Phi Epsilon Pi								15*****		**4									-11
Phi Gamma Delta										*****33									5
Phi Kappa								3**		*****19									16
Phi Kappa Psi								14*****		*****34									20
Phi Kappa Sigma								11*****		*****25									14
Phi Kappa Tau								15*****		*****26									11
Phi Mu Delta								2*		1									- 1
Phi Sigma Delta								15*****		*3									-12
Phi Sigma Kappa								11*****		*****22									11
Pi Kappa Alpha								20*****		*****39									19
Pi Kappa Phi								8*****		*****16									8
Pi Lambda Phi								18*****		*4									-14
Psi Upsilon								5****		*****10									5
Sigma Alpha Epsilon								32*****		*****54									22
Sigma Alpha Mu								22*****		*****9									-13
Sigma Chi	47*****									*****41									- 6
Sigma Nu								34*****		*****41									7
Sigma Phi								5****		*3									- 2
Sigma Phi Epsilon								15*****		*****44									29
Sigma Pi								5****		*****13									8
Sigma Tau Gamma										0									1
Tau Delta Phi								10*****		*2									- 8
Tau Epsilon Phi								11*****		*****6									- 5
Tau Kappa Epsilon								20*****		*****25									5
Theta Chi								22*****		*****38									16
Theta Delta Chi								10*****		*****8									- 2
Theta Kappa Phi								2*		*****7									5
Theta Xi								11*****		*****23									12
Triangle								9*****		*3									- 6
Zeta Beta Tau								22*****		*****11									-11
Zeta Psi								6****		*****12									6
Totals									835	999									

This chart should be read as follows: In the reporting schools in which there are both Acacia and Phi Delta Theta chapters, the Acacia chapters ranked higher in scholarship than the Phi Delta Theta chapters in nineteen colleges, while in seventeen institutions the Phi Delta Theta chapters out-ranked Acacia chapters, giving Phi Delta Theta a score of minus two.

This chart was prepared by D. M. DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner of Phi Delta Theta, for the confidential use of members of Phi Delta Theta.

CURRENT CHART III
LOWEST THIRD, BELOW ALL-MEN'S AVERAGE

8 February 1955

Chapter	Institution	1952-1953	1953-1954
<i>Second Year</i>			
Idaho Alpha	University of Idaho	10 of 13	13 of 13
Illinois Alpha	Northwestern University	20 of 27	22 of 26
Michigan Alpha	University of Michigan	36 of 38	31 of 38
Pennsylvania Gamma	Washington and Jefferson College	8 of 10	9 of 10
<i>First Year</i>			
California Beta	Stanford University		22 of 24
Colorado Gamma	Colorado A. and M. College		12 of 13
Louisiana Alpha	Tulane University		12 of 16
New Mexico Alpha	University of New Mexico		9 of 11
New York Epsilon	Syracuse University		24 of 31
Ohio Kappa	Bowling Green State University		14 of 14
Oregon Gamma	Willamette University		4 of 4
Pennsylvania Zeta	University of Pennsylvania		27 of 38
Pennsylvania Eta	Lehigh University		23 of 30
Tennessee Beta	University of the South		9 of 9
Virginia Zeta	Washington and Lee University		13 of 17
Wisconsin Alpha	University of Wisconsin		28 of 33

have figures 835 ranked above $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and 999 ranked below, leaving a margin of 164 in our favor. This contrasts with a margin of 158 a year ago, 39 the year before that.

Chart III, taken from the Scholarship Commissioner's work sheets, shows those chapters which are falling below the danger level set by our scholarship regulations—the lowest third, and below the All-Men's Average.

We should be proud that all two-, three-, and four-year delinquencies were cleared, and that no chapters are now delinquent for more than two years. A year ago there were five in the three- and four-year category; this year four of the five are on the Honor Roll—probably the one achievement of the year most gratifying to your Scholarship Commissioner. Moreover, we currently list only sixteen delinquent chapters, against twenty-one a year ago, and thirty, two years ago.

As for the Honor Chapters, there were 35 for 1953-1954, the same number as last year. If the 20 of last year's Honor Chapters which failed to hold that ranking this year had repeated, more than half of our chapters would have been on the Honor Roll—top third, above the All-Men's Average. As it is, to have had over half

of 108 chapters in this category in a two-year period is no mean accomplishment.

Particularly regrettable is the absence from the Honor Roll of such outstanding chapters as Indiana Alpha, Ohio Epsilon, and Oklahoma Beta, each of which had ranked as an Honor Chapter for three or more years prior to last year.

Submitted with this report for the first time is a new tabulation, Chart IV, which shows graphically the position of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ relative to its top ranking natural competitor. Chart IV is based on the figures incorporated in Chart II, but arranges them so that the gains we have effected in recent years, and the gains and losses of our rivals, are given perspective.

As we view Chart IV with satisfaction, let us not forget that $\Delta T \Omega$'s improvement is more spectacular, and that one bad year can topple any of us—witness the rise and fall of $\Sigma A E$.

In summation, it must be stated that we are still far short of what should be our ultimate objective—every chapter better than average. But once again we have made progress in this direction, dishearteningly slow progress, but still progress. We have reached the point now where any improvement at all in 1954-1955 will make

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PASSKEYS—for interesting information about "Passkeys," a fascinating game of fraternity facts and figures, send for *Keynotes*, 2520 Montezuma Ave., Alhambra, California. "Passkeys," a card game devised by a Golden Legionnaire Phi, is now on press.

CHART IV

FRATERNITIES WITH WHICH PHI DELTA THETA COMPETES ON 35 OR MORE CAMPUSES.
INDICATING MARGIN IN THEIR OR OUR FAVOR

1951-1952	1952-1953	1953-1954
+26 B Θ Π	+16 B Θ Π	+10 A T Ω
+	+	+
+	+	+
+	+	+
+	+	+6 B Θ Π, Σ X
+	+	+
+20	+	+
+	+	+
+	+	+2 Acacia
+	+7 A T Ω	+
+	+	-0 Phi Delta Theta, Δ T Δ
+15	+	-
+	+	-
+	+	-3 K A
+	+	-4 Δ T
+	+1 Φ Γ Δ, Σ A E	-5 Φ Γ Δ, T K E
+10	-0 Phi Delta Theta	-
+	-1 Δ T Δ	-7 Σ N
+	-	-
+	-	-9 Δ X A
+	-	-
+5	-5 K A ..	-11 Φ K T
+	-6 Δ T	-
+	-7 Σ X	-
+2 Σ X, Φ Γ Δ, Σ A E	-	-14 Φ K Σ
+1 A T Ω	-	-15 Δ X
-0 Phi Delta Theta, Θ X, Φ K T, T K E	-10 T K E	-16 Θ X
-1 Δ T Δ	-	-
-	-12 Φ K T, Δ X	-
-	-13 Δ X A, Φ K Ψ	-19 K Σ, Π K A
-	-	-20 Φ K Ψ
-	-	-
-	-	-22 Σ A E
-7 Δ X A, Φ K Ψ	-17 Σ N	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-11 Σ N	-21 Θ X	-
-	-	-
-13 Δ T	-	-29 Σ Φ E
-	-24 Π K A	-
-	-	-
-17 Π K A	-26 K Σ	-
-	-	-
-19 Σ Φ E	-	-
-	-	-
-	-31 Σ Φ E	-
-23 K Σ	-	-

it the best year we have had for a long, long time. If we set our sights a little higher, we are certainly within striking distance of the first place position held for so long by B Θ Π, won last year by A T Ω.

We believe that Φ Δ Θ is the best of fraternities; how good it would be to demonstrate this objectively in terms of scholarship, mindful that chapters high in scholarship are almost always high in every other way.

Young Man of Shreveport

(Continued from page 370)

1952 to 1954 Gardner was chairman of the Louisiana Turnpike Commission and in 1953 received the top Louisiana state award in the General Motors "Better Highways" essay contest, proving that his appointment had been no political fluke.

He was also the author of the resolution, adopted by both house and senate, which ended the political custom by which various governors had erected huge signs on highway construction projects taking credit for themselves for building roads. Thanks to Gardner, those signs now read: "THIS ROAD IS BEING FINANCED BY THE TAXPAYERS OF LOUISIANA."

Brother Gardner's interest in state government was founded on a firm basis of knowledge and interest in municipal affairs. In 1947 he was co-chairman of the committee campaigning to expand the city limits of Shreveport. Three years later he was active in the final census work which counted an additional 2,000 population, to make Shreveport the second city in the state.

In 1953 when the parish tax assessors of Louisiana held a conference in Baton Rouge, the State Tax Commission invited Representative Gardner to appear before them to discuss one of the most complex problems facing city, parish, and state tax systems—"The Homestead Exemption." Previously, when the Louisiana Legislature faced the brand new problem of public demand for super highways (toll roads), Jim Gardner was named by both the Louisiana House and Senate to head the Commission which would grapple with this problem.

It is not often that a man is recognized as an outstanding expert in widely different fields of property taxation and in highways and traffic—but people who have known and worked with

Jim Gardner were not surprised. He has done a lot of thinking about government and its problems since as a child of four he stood on the Caddo parish courthouse lawn and listened to political rallies in the '20s.

Further, he has been carrying on tradition. Jim's family has been active in civic and governmental affairs since his great grandfather, David Creswell, was elected Caddo parish judge in the 1850s. His great grandmother helped write the early history of Shreveport.

Jim has written extensively of the early life of Shreveport, and can recite detailed accounts of the early days of the city and its founding.

Gardner attended public schools in Shreveport and then entered Louisiana State University, from which he was graduated with an A.B. degree in history and government. He was initiated as Number 53 on the Bond Roll of Louisiana Beta. Through grade and high schools and college one of his classmates was a Shreveport girl, Mary Ella Buchanan. While Jim was still serving in the army in 1944 he and Mary Ella were married. They have two children, Ellen, 9, and James Creswell, Jr., 5.

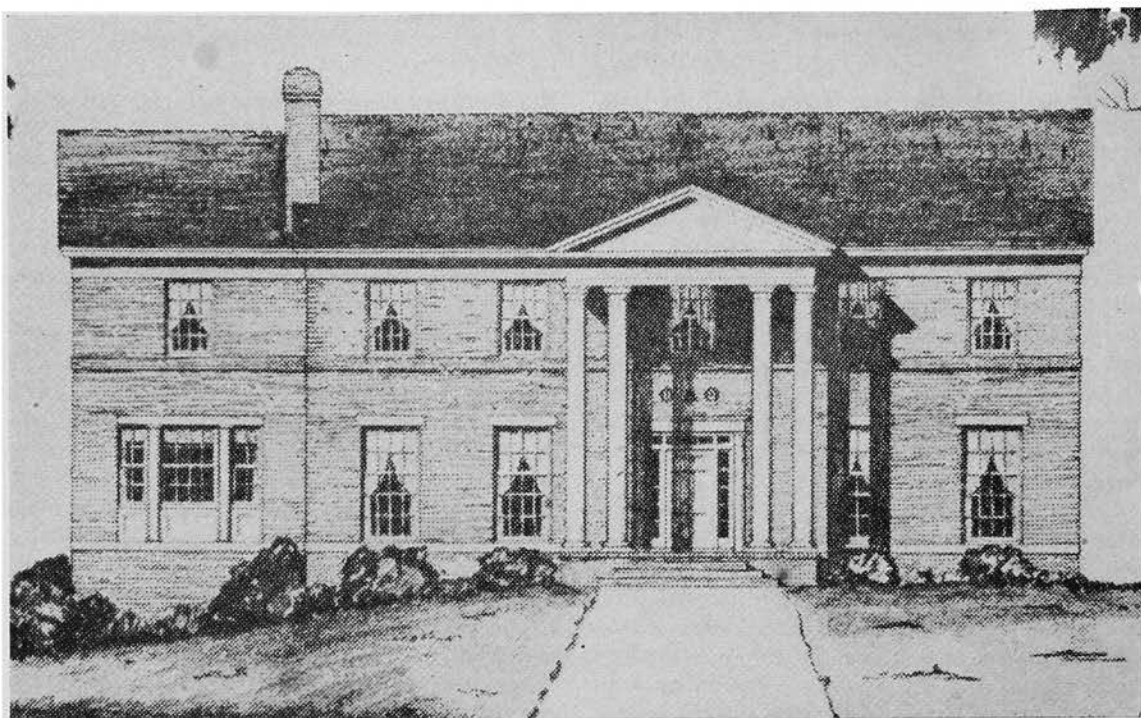
Jim Gardner is associated with almost every phase of civic and community activity in addition to his close connection with local and state political circles and his work in many organizations such as the Masons and the American Legion. He still finds time to serve on the board of his church (First Methodist) and to teach a Sunday School class of high school pupils!

Perhaps this is an important clue to the personality of this brilliant young Phi who has achieved so much in such a short time. We have a feeling we will be writing more about Jim Gardner in future issues of THE SCROLL as his career continues to advance.

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Coming Up in THE SCROLL

The September issue, first in Volume 80 of THE SCROLL, will be ready in late August and carries a deadline of July 15. It will be packed with pictures and stories, which, it is hoped, will be a help to the chapters during rushing. Featured will be an article on another great Phi cartoonist, Dave Gerard, *Wabash* '31, authored by Brother Will Hays, Jr. George Shaffer will be in there too with a story on Carroll Nye, *U.C.L.A.* '24, one of the most versatile guys in Hollywood; Clem Bininger will tell of a gift of the Andrew Watts Rogers Founders Badge to the Fraternity; Bob Anderson, *North Dakota* '56, reports from Vienna, Austria, after a year of study in that country as an Exchange Student . . . and there'll be many others. So long for now . . . see you in the September SCROLL!



PHI HOUSE OF THE FUTURE AT GEORGIA

*Architect's drawing of new $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ home at the University of Georgia.
Architect was the late R. Kennon Perry, Auburn '11.*

A New Home for Georgia Alpha

By LOUIS T. GRIFFITH, Georgia '39

Director of Public Relations for University of Georgia

FOR THOSE who believe when they see, prospects for a new home for Georgia Alpha on the campus of the University of Georgia, Athens, were never better. If building schedules are maintained, the new house should be completed sometime after opening of fall quarter 1955-56—a few short weeks after rushing!

The Georgia Alpha home has been a long time coming. An old house, constantly in need of repair, and bought at top price to be paid off over long years, haunted the chapter through the twenties and thirties.

Shortly after World War II, a corner lot on Lumpkin street, facing the main University campus, was bought, and plans were pushed for building. Under a board of trustees, the building fund grew. Brother Frank Carter '13, tireless treasurer, did not live to see ground broken on the project. Brother R. Kennon Perry, Auburn '11, who was architect for the house, entered the Chapter Grand before his plans

moved from the drawing board to building lot.

A hard-hitting board, contributions to the University Alumni Foundation earmarked for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, sale of the old fraternity property on Prince Avenue, and a loan from University funds available for such building have accounted for financing of the house which will cost approximately \$110,000.

Ground was broken Saturday, Sept. 25, 1954, preceding the Georgia-Clemson football game. Sidney O. Smith '08, Gainesville, chairman of the trustees, shovelled the first spadeful of clay.

Among those Phis watching were H. L. Stuart, member of the General Council of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$; Ernest Vandiver, lieutenant-governor of Georgia; Professor Emeritus U. H. Davenport, a Phi for more than half a century; and Sam McKenzie, Epsilon Province President.

Bids were accepted and contracts signed during the winter for the building which will house 40 members. The house faces east on Lumpkin

GROUND BROKEN

Sidney O. Smith, chairman of Georgia Alpha trustees shovels first spadeful of dirt at location of new house as G. C. Member H. L. Stuart looks on. Other Phi dignitaries who participated in the ceremonies in background.

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street and is two-stories high. A wing extends westward on the south side of the lot along Baxter street. The main body of the house as well as the wing are three-stories in the rear.

The lot is bordered on the north by a building lot for ΣX . Approximately two blocks north on Lumpkin street are the homes of $K A$ and $X \Phi$. Several blocks south of the Phi Delt building site a new home for $A X \Omega$ sorority is building.

First floor of the new Phi Delt house will provide a large living room and library, a suite for the house mother, a guest room and powder room, as well as office space for chapter business.

Dining room, kitchen, and recreation room occupy the ground floor on the back or west side of the house. The recreation room will open on space provided for a terrace.



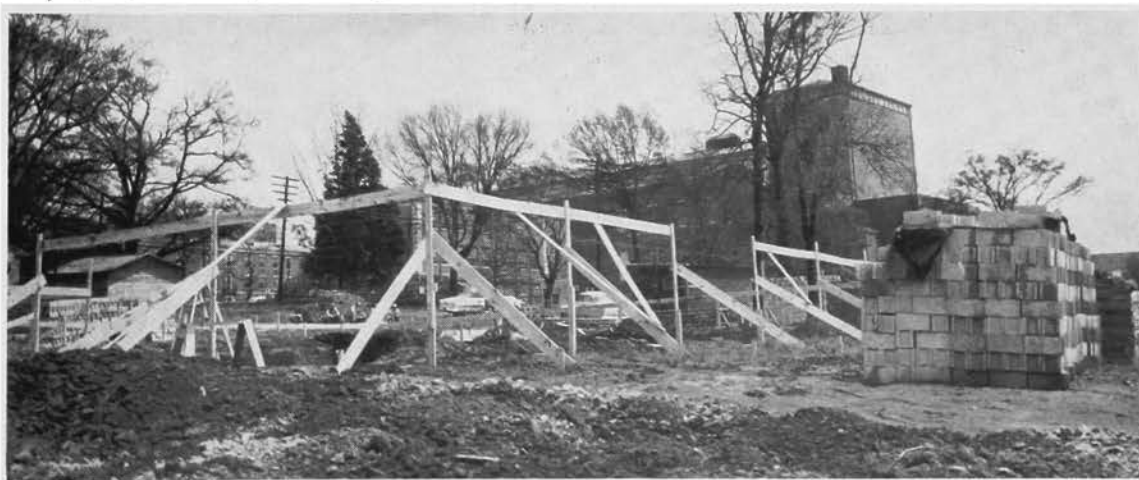
Living quarters for 40 members will be provided on the ground and first floors of the wing, with a large chapter room on the top floor.

Building committee for the Georgia Alpha project consists of Searcy B. Slack, Decatur; L. G. Hardeman, Jr., Commerce; and Owen M. Roberts, Jr., Athens.

Trustees include Sidney O. Smith, chairman; Albert Jones, Athens, secretary; Sam McKenzie, Atlanta, treasurer; William Beck, Jr., Griffin; L. G. Hardeman, Jr., Commerce; R. Lanier Anderson, Jr., Macon; John T. McKenzie, Montezuma; George Sancken, Augusta; and Freeman N. Jelkes, Savannah Beach.

EARLY VIEW OF CONSTRUCTION

Of new Georgia Alpha chapter house as seen from back side of lot. The University's Fine Arts building is in the background, and famous Sanford Field, "natural bowl" stadium which is the home of the Georgia Bulldogs, is just out of picture to right.





Victorious Phis of Minnesota Alpha shown with harvest of Greek Week trophies. Grouped around the first place All-Participation Trophy are others for first in Songfest, first in Variety Show, first in Olympic Games, with individual trophies for firsts in chariot race, javelin throw, and relay.

Phis of Minnesota Alpha Win Greek Week Again

By TOM KLINE and DALE EPLAND

Reporter and President of Minnesota Alpha

EACH YEAR at the University of Minnesota the Interfraternity Council sponsors one week of fraternity and sorority functions known as Greek Week.

The program consists of a number of competitive events, including Songfest, Variety Show, and Olympic races. Competition is stiff as every fraternity and sorority is out to win the three-foot Al Johnson All-Participation Trophy that is awarded to the group accumulating the most points.

Minnesota Alpha walked off with the All-Participation Trophy again this year for the second time in the last three by winning first places in Variety Show, Songfest, and Olympics. Phi Delta Theta set a new record in number of points earned during a Greek Week and in the number of first places won!

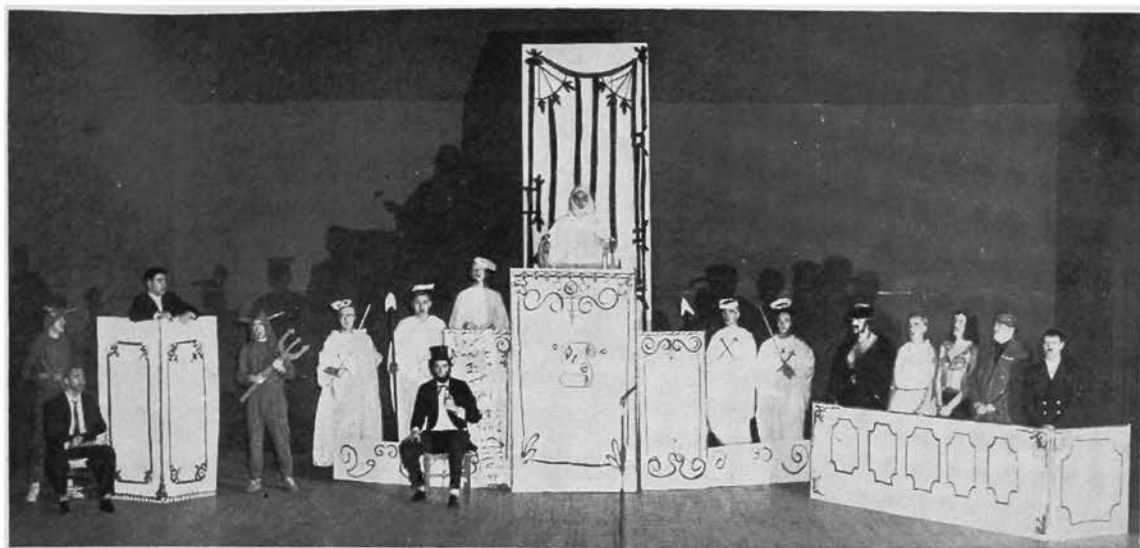
Freedom was the key word of the Variety Show as all proceeds went to Radio Free Europe, and Minnesota Alpha really came up (right from the ceiling too) with a "laughter-getter," to run away with top honors. The show was a burlesque trial—in heaven—of Lavrentia Beria . . . on trial, no less, for having the Moscow Hit Parade on the air during the Radio Free Europe program.

With Black Mac (Dave Sauer) as lawyer for the defense, Abe Lincoln (Tom Kent) for the prosecution, and a jury composed of Attila the Hun (Phikeia Bob Wilkinson), Nero (Doug Carlson), Cleopatra (Phikeia Fred Becker), Mussolini (Bill Schmalhorst), and Hitler (Frank Walker), the trial got under way. Witness Tania Buvorovitz (Tom Kline), key witness for the prosecution, sang "Let Me Go, Commissar."

MINNESOTA ALPHA CHORUS

after winning Greek Week Songfest with difficult "Hallelujah Chorus."





"HEAVENLY TRIAL OF LAVRENTIA BERIA"

On stage view of Minnesota Alpha's Variety Show presentation, which also won first place honors. Jury (at right) is made up of Attila the Hun, Nero, Cleopatra, Mussolini, and Hitler. With "Honest Abe" Lincoln prosecuting the case, Beria was accused of sponsoring the Moscow Hit Parade while Radio Free Europe programs were in progress. All proceeds went to Radio Free Europe and Minnesota Alpha turned over a check for \$1300!

Despite his pleas, Beria was sentenced to an eternity in hell by Judge Ernie Martz to listen to the Moscow Hit Parade. The Phi Delta show was directed by Dale Epland, who played the part of Gabriel, suspended thirty feet above the stage.

Under the direction of Brother John Baumgartner, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ won first place in the Songfest competition by singing the difficult "Hallelujah Chorus."

In the Olympics competition the Minnesota Greeks, although dressed in twentieth century attire, presented Olympics comparable to any of ancient Greece. Modern Greeks may have lacked a few chariots, but the splendor and

enthusiasm of their chariot races, javelin throws, and relays could not be equaled.

Monopolizing the winnings with three first place trophies, Minnesota Alpha won the All-Olympic participation trophy. The brothers showed their athletic prowess by placing first in the chariot races, javelin throw, and straight relay.

Under the fine leadership of Brother Bob Bjorndahl, House Greek Week Chairman, the Phis came out victorious, bringing home nine trophies, including the Al Johnson All-Participation Trophy.

The Minnesota Phis presented a check for \$1300 to Radio Free Europe.

MORE GREEK WEEK ACTIVITIES

LEFT: Olympics—Phi Delta team winning the tug-o-war. CENTER: Pres. Dale Epland of Minnesota Alpha suspended 30 feet above stage as he introduced "heavenly" Variety Show. As Angel Gabriel, Epland brought the rafters down in laughter when rope twisted to expose angelic posterior during his entire monologue. RIGHT: Toga Ball—Phis and their dates dress up in sheets for annual Greek Week dance.



With Phis in the World of Sports

By DR. JOHN DAVIS, JR., *Washburn '38*



DAVIS

Tom Dublinski (Utah), former All-Phi back and the second string quarterback the past three seasons with the Detroit Lions, has jumped to Canada and signed with the Toronto club. . . . **Paul Brown**, coach of the champion Cleveland Browns, recently named his personal all-time football backfield. It included **Otto Graham**, **Steve Van Buren**, **Marion Motley** and **Tom Harmon** (Michigan). . . . "I never saw Red Grange play," said Coach Brown, "but the greatest performance I ever saw by any one back was Tom Harmon against Ohio State." . . . **Bobby Cox** (Washington), sophomore grid star who made the All-Phi third team, was the center of controversy when he transferred to the University of Minnesota. **Tom Jorgenson**

(Michigan), All-Phi cage selection, was recently elected to captain the 1955-56 Wolverines. . . . **Gene Elstun** (Kansas) scored 299 points in his first varsity season, which is more than any Jayhawk sophomore has ever tallied save Clyde Lovellette. . . . **Red Rocha's** (Oregon State) long set shot with only seconds remaining put the Syracuse Nationals into the National Basketball Association's championship playoff against the Fort Wayne Pistons. . . . **Mischa Rader** (Lake Forest), 6' 4" junior cager, was elected his team's "most valuable player" for the 1954-55 season.

Bill McFarland (Michigan) is captain of Michigan's NCAA hockey champions. . . . McFarland, a center, was selected on the A.P. All-

107 Years of Change and Accomplishment

(Continued from Inside Front Cover)

was trying to get some one to finance his newly invented sewing machine.

Abraham Lincoln was a first term, and a single term, Illinois congressman of whom much was not expected. Western acreage of what are now 10 or 12 states of the union had more bison and more hostile Indians than white Americans, by ratios of from 50 to 1 to 1000 to 1, and grew no corn, wheat, apples or cattle at all. Colleges and college students were a rarity in any of the 30 states.

In these times, and in this troubled setting, Robert Morrison, John McMillan Wilson, Robert Thompson Drake, John Wolfe Lindley, Ardivan Walker Rodgers and Andrew Watts Rogers sat down and fastened their thoughts on better things of the spirit and of culture. On December 26, 1848, in a dormitory room of Old Miami, these six accomplished the written founding of Phi Delta Theta. That day they agreed on a draft of the language of a constitution, and an agreement upon a common bond of friendship. A badge in the form of a shield was agreed by the "immortal six." It glowed in the genius of their ideas; its gold was the purest metal available at the time, to symbolize sentiments and purpose without dross.

Since that time, as we who scan these lines well know, Phi Delta Theta has circumscribed the rims of two nations. It has grown from six to 80,000; it has expanded from one chapter to 120. In 107 years the tenets of the original six have had stanch exemplification from individuals in the White House, in the vice-presidency, in the chair of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in the halls of governors, the nation's most cherished offices of education and the cloth, in the great places of science, the professions, the military, the statesmen; in the high directorates of business and the frothy headlines of sport. It is not difficult, as a Phi lets his thoughts hark back, to rest upon the dignities of our fraternity's founding, and the idealism which was blazed for others by its far-sighted six founders.



SOCCKER STAR HONORED

PAUL DIERKS, Penn State '55, is pictured above receiving trophy symbolic of his selection as the most outstanding player on the Penn State soccer team. Coach Paul Hosterman, who calls Dierks the best soccer fullback he has ever seen or coached, is making the award. Brother Dierks and his mates were undefeated in eight starts this year.

NCAA hockey team. . . . John O'Reilly (Michigan), swimming star, recently placed in three events in the Big Ten swimming championship, finishing second in the 1500 meters, third in the 220-yd. dash and the 440-yd. dash. . . . Leonide Baarcke (North Carolina) was a member of the Pan-American men's championship 400-meter medley relay swimming team.

Chick Evans (Northwestern), former National Open and Amateur golf champion in 1916, received the "Senior Golfer of the Year Award" of the American Golfers Association. . . . Gene Sultz (Wisconsin), a Phi Honor Roll track performer, placed third in the 1000-yd. run in the Big Ten indoor track championships. . . . Barry Billington (UCLA), sophomore wrestler, copped the Far Western AAU title at 160 pounds. . . . Harry Bisbey (Southern California), All-American water polo selection in 1952, was a member of team selected to represent the U.S. at the Pan-American games. . . . Walter Staley, Jr. (Missouri), was named the individual winner of the Pan-American Games three day cavalry and hunter horse tournament. . . . Karl Kluckhohn (Colgate), former All-Phi end, has been named assistant football coach at the University of Buffalo.

Two Members of All-Phi Football Board Named to East-West Staff

Stuart Holcomb (Ohio State), grid mentor at Purdue, and Dallas Ward (Oregon State), head football coach at Colorado, were named to the coaching staffs of the thirty-first annual East-West Shrine Game for December 31. Both appointments were announced by W. M. Coffman, the managing director. They will be opponents in this assignment, Holcomb tutoring the East and Ward guiding the West squad.

It is a signal honor to have the two members of our excellent All-Phi Football Board selected to serve in this capacity. I can speak from personal experience having had both of these gentlemen as my guests in Topeka and having worked with them since the inception of the All-Phi Football Board. They are splendid representatives of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ in their chosen profession.—JOHN DAVIS, JR., Secretary All-Phi Board.



HEADS BADGER GYM TEAM

JIM MURPHY, Wisconsin '56, shown here in a familiar position, ready to swing into action astride the side horse, on which he has starred for two years for the University of Wisconsin gymnastics team. Though he had never participated in gymnastics before entering college, Jim has developed into one of the best in the collegiate field and has been named captain of the Badger squad for 1955-56.

★ A CORNER WITH PHI AUTHORS ★

★ Indicates Recent Addition to David D. Banta Memorial Library. Phi Authors Are Urged to Contribute Copies.

★ *Our Life Story* by THE REV. JOEL T. WADE, Central (Ky. Delta) '87 and Mrs. Wade. Geo. C. Hudson Co., Publishers, Chattanooga, Tennessee. \$4.95.

The Rev. Joel T. Wade, who is 92 years of age, joins with his wife, Mrs. Grace Van Duyn Wade, in telling the story of their lives—separately until their marriage, then jointly. A lifetime spent in the fields of education and religion, in many pastorates in the Presbyterian Church, together with a remarkable memory for things that happened many years ago, gives him a unique store of experiences from which he has drawn in writing his part of this book.

Mrs. Wade, who for eight years was a missionary in China, in the early part of this century, writes vividly of her experiences in China and in her girlhood home in Iowa.

Our Life Story is the simple story of two remarkable people who have seen much of life, and who rejoice in recalling the memory of people and experiences in many places. Through the story runs the golden thread of their faith in God.

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Brother Joel Wade is a charter member of old Kentucky Delta chapter at Central University. As an undergraduate, he served as president of the chapter and as official delegate to the



BROTHER WADE AS STUDENT

Note beautiful old style Phi Delt badge.



CO-AUTHOR LIFE STORY

Mrs. Wade and the Rev. Joel T. Wade, Central '87, charter member of Kentucky Delta.

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General Convention of 1886 in New York City, at which time Brother Hilton U. Brown was president of the Fraternity.

To hold down the price of their book Brother and Mrs. Wade have undertaken to sell the full 1,500 print order from their home. The book, which contains more than 700 pages and a number of illustrations, cost the Wades \$4 per copy. They are selling it for \$4.95 postpaid and have complete faith that they will eventually sell all of the books and avoid loss on the venture. In a letter to the editor Brother Wade writes, "My Phi Delt brothers can help us if many of them will purchase a copy. We believe they will, that they will enjoy it, and we trust it will prove a blessing to our Fraternity which we love so much. . . ."

THE SCROLL sincerely hopes that several hundred Phis who may read this review will find it in their hearts to order a copy of *Our Life Story* for the fine message it carries and to help this wonderful 92-year-old Phi, for 20 years a member of the Golden Legion. His address is 502 South Seminole Drive, Chattanooga 4, Tennessee.—H.S.B.

★ *Joscelyn I, Prince of Edessa* by ROBERT LAWRENCE NICHOLSON, Chicago '50. The University of Illinois Press.

This biography is the outgrowth of an interest in the career of Joscelyn I when, in the course of writing his doctoral dissertation, *Tancred: A Study of His Career and Work in Their Relation to the First Crusade and the Establishment of the Latin States in Syria and Palestine*, which was presented at the University of Chicago, the author narrated the numerous

military and political involvements of Tancred and Joscelyn from 1104 to 1112. The writer's survey of the north Syrian, Antiochian, and Edessan scene in these connections convinced him that the Edessan aspects needed further treatment and that a full-length biography of Joscelyn I would not only serve to help fill the gaps in the list of biographies of the several twelfth-century crusaders but would also perhaps clarify some of the several problems associated with the county of Edessa. Hence this biography seeks to illuminate the Edessan scene as well as to describe the life of one of the chief crusading figures of the early twelfth century.

★ *The House in Mallorca* by ERNEST INGOLD, Illinois '09. Paul Elder & Company.

Out of the pages of history there strides a procession of great individual characters whose lives and deeds spanned the oceans in the breadth of influence which they exerted. Though natives of faraway foreign lands, certain of these men of destiny came to America and carved an imperishable name for themselves, at the same time cementing between peoples bonds of friendship which have endured through many generations.

Lafayette, who came from France to rally the hard pressed spirits of our forefathers in the struggle for independence, was such a man. Junipero Serra of Spain, who brought the first civilizing forces to the present State of California was another.

It is with a hitherto unrecorded chapter in the bonds of amity and goodwill between Spain and America that this chronicle deals. In such a community of interest men of two nations have found a stimulus; they have developed an area for doing good, for making friends, for furthering worthy ideals.

In its broadest sense this a Rotary story, yet its implications reach far beyond the bounds of any single group.

Rotary has four objectives. These, very briefly stated, are the development of friendship, help to a better community life, the elevation of one's vocation as a means to service, and the cultivation of international understanding and goodwill.

This book aims to interpret one of the most unusual and most unique expressions of this last objective. It tells how a small Rotary Club in Spain acquired and gave the little house in which Junipero Serra was born, to the faraway city of San Francisco. The gift was a simple expression of international friendship—it was just that—modestly conceived, lovingly carried

out, and with an ending that is tinged with pathetic sadness.

Father Serra, a Spaniard, loved San Francisco and California; this was the scene of his greatest work. His favorite mission was Mission San Carlos Borromeo del Rio Carmelo lying in the valley where a spur of the Santa Lucia mountain range dips gray fingers into the Pacific Ocean. He died there, after asking his friends to come and bid him farewell.

He is buried at the foot of the mission altar where carved in a stone are the simple words:

Fr. Junipero Serra
Apostol de California

1713-1784

The works of man always come to an end but ideals endure forever. Kings, rulers, dictators, heads of state—all come, flourish, and wither away, but a symbol like the little house in Mallorca is one of the sort that lives perpetually in men's hearts everywhere through the endless passing of time.

★ *Headlights and Markers* Edited by Frank P. Donovan, Jr., and ROBERT SELPH HENRY, Vanderbilt '10. Creative Age Press, Inc.

Any collection of stories has, of course, varied qualities, but the seventeen tales between these covers are, above all, rattling good stories—stories from a man's world. Covering all phases of railroading from coast to coast, they are necessarily packed with action, adventure and raw passions.

When two such well-known authorities as Mr. Donovan and Brother Henry suggested this collection, it was accepted eagerly by the publishers who knew that apart from his being a railroad man, Brother Henry's judgment as a noted writer would of a certainty make this selection a memorable one for its stirring and authentic atmosphere.

At the front of each train is the headlight, at the rear the markers. Anything that can happen between headlights and markers happens in one or another of these stories. And in point of time, the range is from Marquis James's tale of the War between the States to Harry Bedwell's narrative about the hospital trains that moved men wounded in World War II—eighty-five years of railroad growing pains.

You may be a passionate railroad fan; railroading may be your business; railroads may be your hobby; or perhaps you are simply a lover of adventure yarns. In any case, these virile tales are fare to make you late to dinner and to bed.

Alumni! Recommendations Wanted

Rush Chairmen's Summer Addresses Listed

In the following listing the address given following the Rush Chairman's name is his SUMMER address. Any recommendations sent this Spring before end of college term, or next Fall after beginning of new term, should be sent to chapter house address. See SCROLL Directory for this address. The dates given below address are those of 1955 Rush Season.

ALABAMA BETA—Alabama Polytechnic Institute

Bill Blount, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, Auburn, Ala.

Sept. 26-31

ARKANSAS ALPHA—University of Arkansas

Tom Johnson, Tuckerman, Ark.

Sept. 5-9

Comment—Main summer rush party to be held August 13 in Little Rock.

CALIFORNIA BETA—Stanford University

Tom Gregg, 4233 Navajo St., North Hollywood, Calif.
January, 1956

CALIFORNIA GAMMA—University of California at Los Angeles

Floyd Sternberg, 535 Gayley, Los Angeles 24, Calif.
Year-around program.

COLORADO ALPHA—University of Colorado

Donald Wayne Stacey, 934 South Vine St., Boulder, Colo.

Sept. 14-18

COLORADO BETA—Colorado College

Al Ashby, 1105 N. Nevada, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Sept. 1-30

FLORIDA DELTA—University of Miami

David S. Buffham, R.R. 3, Box 653, Racine, Wis.

Oct. 1 to Nov. 1.

GEORGIA ALPHA—University of Georgia

Charles Walker, McRae, Ga.

Sept. 20-Oct. 4

IDAHO ALPHA—University of Idaho

Richard Lee Belveal, c/o $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, Moscow, Idaho.

Week of Sept. 18

Comment—Rush program conducted all Summer.

ILLINOIS DELTA ZETA—Knox College

Frank Casey, 382 N. Kellogg St., Galesburg, Ill.

Frank Stanicek, 61 Norfolk, Clarendon Hills, Ill.

End of October, first of November.

Comment—Knox has deferred rushing.

ILLINOIS THETA—Lake Forest College

Bill Stoops, 2030 Kenilworth Ave., Deerfield, Ill.

Sept. 20-Nov. 4

INDIANA BETA—Wabash College

David Orr, 211 Merrywood Lane, Muncie, Ind.

Bob Hurt, 6464 Sherman Drive, Indianapolis, Ind.

Sept. 11-17

INDIANA GAMMA—Butler University

John McKamey, Filmore, Ind.

Spring Rush, April 15-June 10; Fall Rush. Sept. 20-Oct. 30

INDIANA DELTA—Franklin College

Bob Allbritten, 80 E. Fifth St., Peru, Ind.

June 13-Oct. 3

INDIANA EPSILON—Hanover College

Donald Cox, 702 Green St., Crawfordsville, Ind.

Sept. 23-Nov. 19

Comment—Rush period may be shortened this year.

INDIANA THETA—Purdue University

Joe Fuller, 365 E. 75th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

IOWA GAMMA—Iowa State College

Phil Zink, 4030 Loma, Waterloo, Iowa.

Sept. 14-20

KANSAS BETA—Washburn University

Scott Davis, 1437 Campbell, Topeka, Kan.

KANSAS GAMMA—Kansas State College

Harry Knox, 1500 Colorado, Manhattan, Kan.

Sept. 7-11

Comment—Summer rush parties will be held throughout state.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA—Centre College

John Woods, 2622 Virginia Ave., Ashland, Ky.

Sept. 20—Indefinite

KENTUCKY EPSILON—University of Kentucky

Harry W. Alexander, 123 Johnston Blvd., Lexington, Ky.

Sept. 14-28

LOUISIANA ALPHA—Tulane University

Joe Dalton, 8019 Claiborne Ave., New Orleans, La.

Sept. 10-18

MANITOBA ALPHA—University of Manitoba

Dick Ireland, 346 Yale Ave., Winnipeg, Man., Can.

Sept. 15-Oct. 15

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA—M.I.T.

Benjamin H. Lightfoot, Luverne, Ala.

Sept. 10-16

MICHIGAN ALPHA—University of Michigan

Douglas F. Roby, Cloo Geddes Rd., Ypsilanti, Mich.

Sept. 20-Oct. 7

MICHIGAN BETA—Michigan State College

Mike Getto, 1021 Maine, Lawrence, Kan.

Week beginning Sept. 19

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA—University of Mississippi

Dick O'Ferrall, St. Anne St., Jackson, Miss.

June 1-Sept. 30

MISSOURI ALPHA—University of Missouri

Alvin Fuson, 10 E. 42nd Terr., N., Kansas City 16, Mo.

Sept. 8-10

MISSOURI BETA—Westminster College

Carl Kleppinger, 728 Jackson, Mexico, Mo.

First week in September

NEBRASKA ALPHA—University of Nebraska

Fred Larkin, 92nd and Cuming, Omaha, Neb.

NEW MEXICO ALPHA—University of New Mexico

Daniel Worth, 3278 Pennsylvania Ave., Sandia Base, N.M.

Last week in September

NEW YORK ALPHA—Cornell University

Dave Haggart, 727 N. 57th St., Omaha, Neb.

Don Matheson, 4234 Oxford Dr., Columbus 21, Ohio
February, 1956

Comment—This is first year of deferred rushing and so is very important.

NEW YORK BETA—Union College

Joseph LaVigna, 71 Bradford, Harrison, N.Y.

Sept. 18-Oct. 2

NEW YORK EPSILON—Syracuse University

Bruce Ward, 817 Sumner Ave., Syracuse 10, N.Y.

October-November

NORTH CAROLINA BETA—University of North Carolina

Marion Griffin

Oct. 14-24

- NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA**—University of North Dakota
Walter Odin Dahl, 1408 Walnut St., Grand Forks, N.D.
Sept. 10-30
- NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA**—Dalhousie University
Malcolm Young, 17 Le Marchant St., Halifax, N.S.,
Can.
Sept. 12-Nov. 6
- OHIO ALPHA**—Miami University
Bill Ford, 5417 Willowmere Way, Baltimore 12, Md.
Ed Kirkpatrick, 4 Mount Airy Dr., Paris, Ky.
February and April, 1956
Comment—Deferred rushing.
- OHIO KAPPA**—Bowling Green State University
Robert L. Iles, 119 S. Marietta St., Clairsville, Ohio
September through February
- OKLAHOMA BETA**—Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College
Dick Hays, Box 562, Bartlesville, Okla.
Bill Sturdevant, 514 S. Jackson, Enid, Okla.
Present to Sept. 10
- OREGON ALPHA**—University of Oregon
Glynn Roberson, 4125 N. E. Maywood Pl., Portland
20, Ore.
Rushing dates have not been set.
- OREGON BETA**—Oregon State College
Lowell Peance, 275 S. 15th St., Salem, Ore.
June-September
Comment—Summer rush parties. Rush dates not set.
- OREGON GAMMA**—Willamette University
Pat Farley, Route 4, Box 372, Salem, Ore.
Sept. 12-17
Comment—There is also to be a Summer rush, dates unspecified as yet.
- PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA**—Lafayette College
Norman W. Riley, 118 Bullis Rd., Buffalo 24, N.Y.
Sept. 15-30
- PENNSYLVANIA BETA**—Gettysburg College
Sept. 15-25
- PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA**—Washington and Jefferson College
John L. Patterson, 1223 Fawcett Ave., McKeesport, Pa.
Sept. 15-Oct. 15
- PENNSYLVANIA DELTA**—Allegheny College
Joe DeVittorio, Beaty Ct., Warren, Pa.
Dates not set.
- PENNSYLVANIA THETA**—Pennsylvania State University
Frank B. Foster, Jr., 111 Wonder St., Johnstown, Pa.
Fall of 1955
- PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA**—Swarthmore College
George Bailey, 3266 Worthington St., N.W., Washington 16, D.C.
Oct. 1-Dec. 5
- RHODE ISLAND ALPHA**—Brown University
J. Kenneth Golder, Jr., 65 Summit Rd., Allwood, Clifton, N.J.
Feb. 5-11, 1956
- SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA**—University of South Dakota
John Smiley, 912 Main St., Deadwood, S.D.
June 6-Sept. 12
- TENNESSEE ALPHA**—Vanderbilt University
Frazer Lee Hunter, Tupelo, Miss.
Between September and November. No definite dates as yet.
- TENNESSEE BETA**—University of the South
Thomas Thoggard, Jr., Greenville, Ala.
Sept. 19-Sept. 30
- TEXAS DELTA**—Southern Methodist University
Willis Tate, Jr., 3600 Marquette, Dallas, Tex.
September through December
- VERMONT ALPHA**—University of Vermont
Address recommendations to: Rushing Chairman,
Φ Δ Θ, 439 College St., Burlington, Vt.
Between semesters: Jan. 28-Feb. 3, 1956.
Comment—Delayed rushing.
- WASHINGTON BETA**—Whitman College
Robert Brunton, 210 Stanton, Walla Walla, Wash.
Sept. 12-17
- WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA**—University of West Virginia
John DeMund, 320 Ash St., Morgantown, W.Va.
No definite dates at present.
- WISCONSIN ALPHA**—University of Wisconsin
John Morrison, 4804 Enfield Rd., Bethesda, Md.
Sept. 15-22
- WISCONSIN BETA**—Lawrence College
Don Laffin, 773 Maple, Neenah, Wis.
Early Sept.; first week of school.
- WYOMING ALPHA**—University of Wyoming
Marshall E. Atwell, 600 S. 12th St., Laramie, Wyo.
No definite dates as yet.

PHI DELTA THETA RECOMMENDATION

HERE is a good prospect for our Fraternity. I hope Φ Δ Θ is successful in pledging him.

Name of man recommended

Address

Preparatory school

College or university in which he will enroll

Father's name Father's occupation

Fraternity relatives Fraternity preferences

Scholastic standing Financial condition

Prep school activities

Church affiliation

Remarks

Signed Chapter and Class

Address



FOUNDERS DAY IN WASHINGTON, D.C.—One of the most distinguished, and without question, the longest speakers' ta at any banquet during this great Founders Day season of 1955 is this one, pictured above across two pages, photographed at Washington, D.C. dinner. From left to right the outstanding Phis who participated in the Washington program are: Admi Robert Ghormley, Congressman Ertel Carlyle (No. Carolina), Martin Heflin, past president of the Washington Club; Fr Russell, vice-president of the National Broadcasting Company; Robert Boyd, member of the National Mediation Board; Morels Irby, Delta Province president; Jerome Kyykendall, chairman of the Federal Power Commission; Former Senator Cain, mem

FOUNDERS DAY EVENTS STRESS THEME

PHI DELTA THETA has completed what many officers and leaders believe to be the most successful Founders Day season in the Fraternity's history. From border to border and coast to coast in the United States and Canada fraternal ties have been strengthened as thousands of Phis have returned to the Fraternity's altars to discuss and hear discussed the principles that have made $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ great.

These, of course, are the principles of the Bond—that beautifully, movingly written document that is completely unique in the fraternity world. At many gatherings the Bond was read and at many more, where a reading was impossible because of a mixed assemblage, its principles were recalled and Phis were reminded that they are of perpetual binding obligation.

Though written more than a century ago by men of college age, the provisions of the Bond can never be changed, and it is significant that down through the years it has never been suggested that they be changed in any way.

Many splendid speeches on the Bond were given at our Founders Day observances. Several could be reprinted in whole as outstanding SCROLL articles if space permitted. Let us conclude this introduction to the 1955 Founders Day reports, however, by quoting from one of these speeches. It was given at the Kansas Gamma dinner by Dr. Charles W. Colver, Idaho '09, who will soon retire as professor of chemistry at Kansas State University. Dr. Colver helped establish Kansas Gamma chapter and has remained interested in its welfare at all times.

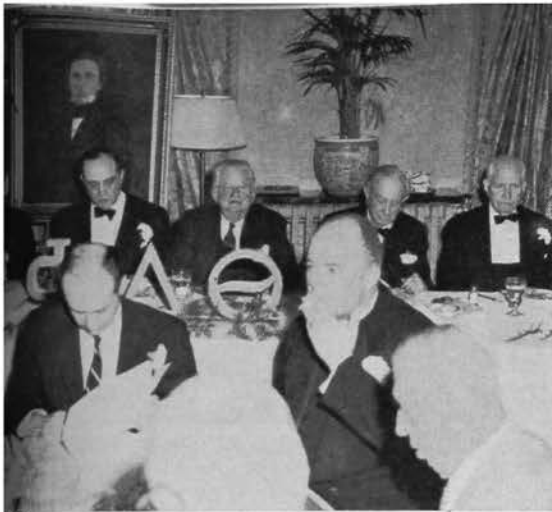
In his talk Brother Colver tells of the founding of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and discusses most effectively the teachings of the Bond. He concludes with a challenge that all Phis—particularly our undergraduates—might well consider with great care.

"... Let us explore this heritage which we have in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ from other angles. In the organization of this Fraternity our founders were seeking to help each other and all those who might come after them. Today modern society is a creature more highly organized than it was in 1848. In business, in commerce, in religion, in civics, and in education we find it expedient and even necessary to unite with our fellow men to achieve certain purposes. It is true, nevertheless, that the salvation of a soul is a personal and an individual problem; morals do not belong to a group and acquiring an education is an attainment that depends upon the individual.

"Yet salvation, right morals, and an education are brought within easier reach of the individual by efforts of the group. We like to think of our organization as the most outstanding fraternity upon our campus. *But are we? Are we, as a group through our individual efforts, leaders in scholarship? Are we leaders in all those phases of college life which seek to improve its moral tone? We have signed the Bond, but are we militant in support of its principles and ideals?*

"An organization, such as our Fraternity, might be likened to a complex machine such as a modern locomotive. The parts of such a social organization are just as closely related as those of the locomotive. They are just as intricate, and to run smoothly must be kept in repair, must have trained men to operate them, and must have others coming along in training to take the place of those who leave. If the machine, likewise the organization, becomes damaged, or stops there is loss of power, loss of time, loss of effectiveness.

"Causes which bring failure to the smooth operation of a fraternity are legion. Too often there are



Subversive Activities Committee; Douglas McKay, Secretary of the Interior; Melvin Hildreth, president of the Washington Alumni Club; Justice Sherman Minton, U. S. Supreme Court; George S. Ward, P.P.G.C.; Former Senator Tom Connally (Texas); Former Senator Elmer Thomas (Oklahoma); Congressman Richard Bolling (Missouri); Congressman Harold Cooley (No. Indiana); Congressman Keith Thomson (Wyoming); William E. Lee, long-time member of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and General Harry Vaughn, former Military Aide to President Truman. Seventy-seven chapters were represented at this huge dinner and the age group ranged from Col. J. R. Siler, Auburn '93 to a delegation of undergraduates from Maryland Alpha.

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too few who will serve active apprenticeships to fit themselves to take the place of those who depart. Too often too many get into places of trust and responsibility and fail to measure up to expected responsibilities. Ask yourself these questions.

"Have I contributed my share, and a little more, in keeping my Fraternity operating at full strength?"
"Am I a better student, a better citizen today be-

cause of my membership in Φ Δ Θ?

"If we can answer these questions with an emphatic yes, then the true spirit of Φ Δ Θ prevails in our hearts and the teachings of the Bond have not been in vain."

Following are the reports—in story and pictorial form—of Founders Day in Φ Δ Θ, 1955.

Alabama Beta

FOUNDERS Day was observed by Alabama Beta chapter on March 26. In the afternoon before the banquet, the Alumni Corporation met to continue its work in securing for us a new house. We plan to be in this new house by 1956.

Frank S. Wright, Florida '26, our Founders Day speaker, instituted a unique organization in our chapter. On the afternoon of March 26, Aquatic Alpha of Alabama Beta was formed at Lake Chewalka. The water's mere 29 degree temperature didn't stop the club's swim on its second meeting on the morning of March 28.

Although we didn't have as many alumni present at our banquet as we'd hoped to have, we are looking forward to having those that were with us this year, as well as those who couldn't be with us at our banquet next year. After the candle-lighting ceremony, Brother Wright gave a very inspiring address. Using "In the Bond . . . there is strength" as his subject, he gave us many new ideas

and insights on fraternalism and its meaning. It is impossible to put in writing the things he said and give them the feeling and meaning he did. Everyone is still talking about Brother Wright and his visit to our chapter.—ROBERT E. PEAK, Reporter.

Arkansas Alpha; Fort Smith

ARKANSAS ALPHA chapter and the Ft. Smith Alumni Club of Φ Δ Θ celebrated the 107th anniversary of the Fraternity's founding at a banquet held in the ballroom of the Ward Hotel in Ft. Smith, March 11, following a cocktail hour in the adjoining lounge.

The Golden Legion Award was presented to William J. Murphy, Purdue '02, who was recognized for his 50-year membership in the Fraternity by Maurice Bedwell, Florida '40, president of the Ft. Smith Alumni Association. Brother Bedwell also gave a very inspiring talk, telling us what it should mean to all of us to be members of Φ Δ Θ.

Jack Evans, president of Arkansas Alpha, and John DuVal, alumni secretary, gave a review of the year's activities, pointing out the successes Arkansas Alpha has achieved both in athletics and in scholarship. Arkansas Alpha had the highest grade point average of all the social fraternities at the University of Arkansas for the fall semester '54. In intramurals Φ Δ Θ was third in football, second in basketball, and first in volleyball. Tom Johnson, rush chairman, gave a report concerning the summer rushing program and discussed the highlights of the social year at Arkansas.

The program was concluded with songs by the entire group, led by Charles Ramsey, and was followed by the well established pattern of bull sessions.—FRANK L. GROHOSKI, Reporter.

Athens

ALUMNI of Ohio Gamma combined business with pleasure here March 19 when they observed the chapter's 87th anniversary and the Fraternity's 107th.



FORT SMITH—Scene at Fort Smith-Arkansas Alpha Founders Day observance. Club President Maurice Bedwell, Florida '40, prepares to induct William J. Murphy, Purdue '02, into the Golden Legion.

Speaking at the annual Founders Day banquet in the Athens Country Club was one of the chapter's rising alumni, William B. Edwards '31, superintendent of schools at Peoria, Ill.

And after the banquet, during which five Golden Legion certificates were presented, the alumni took their first step in an expansion plan that has long been under consideration.

They voted to purchase the David Hughes property which adjoins the present chapter house and to proceed with plans which will ultimately include a new chapter house.

In other business conducted during the post banquet session of The Phi Delta Club of Athens, Inc., officers of the board of directors were re-elected as follows: Grosvenor S. McKee, Meadville, Pa., president; Harry Beckley, vice-president; Ralph W. Clark, secretary, and Richard W. McKinstry, treasurer, all of Athens.

Brothers McKee, Clark and McKinstry, whose terms on the board expired this year, were re-elected to the trustee group along with: Joseph S. Gill, Columbus; Martin L. Hecht, Athens; Herman Dubois, Chillicothe; Ben Stormes, Cleveland, and Ross Sams, Grove City, Pa.

Brother Edwards, who headed the South Euclid-Lynhurst Schools for eleven years before going to Peoria, based his Founders Day address on the values of education and the Fraternity's part in education.

Toastmaster for the banquet was Brother Hecht, who is secretary of the Ohio University Alumni Association. Also at the main table were two Ohio Gamma alumni who are members of the O.U. board of trustees: Fred H. Johnson, Columbus, and C. Don McVey, Leroy. Kenneth Kerr, Athens, presided over the event.

In charge of the Golden Legion ceremony was a brother who received the award in 1952, Charles H. Harris,

Athens. He read names of the latest to become eligible and recalled events from their lives. The five, none of whom could be present, were: Guy D. Miller, a New England college dean; George Thomas, Columbus; Raymond G. Crisp, Akron; Leo Lorboch, Waverly, and Frank B. Kurtz, formerly of Athens, all Ohio '09.

During the active chapter's participation, led by the president, Tom Balding, a feature was presentation of the chapter award to the junior who contributed most to the Fraternity. Awarding the honor to Paul R. Jesse was last year's winner, George Mitchell. Danny Woolf, chapter chorister led group singing.

Gilbert Camp gave a report of the chapter's achievements in scholarship and activities and introduced 26 members initiated since the 1954 Founders Day banquet.

A total of 131 active members and alumni attended the banquet.—
CHARLES W. REAMER, Reporter.



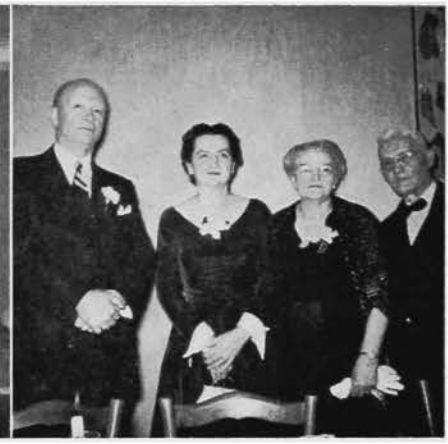
ATHENS—William B. Edwards, Ohio '31, superintendent of schools, Peoria, Ill., principal speaker at Athens-Ohio Gamma Founders Day dinner.

Baltimore

"QUALITATE non est vicarius," or "There is no substitute for quality," might have been the guiding principle for the committee who planned the Baltimore Club's celebration of Founders Day at the Stafford Hotel on March 12. The evening was notable for happy expectations realized, for the renewal of old associations, for the large number of Phi Deltas making their debut with the group, for the inspiring aura surrounding the Golden Legion Award, for the endearing personality and remarks of the Golden Legionnaire, for the mellow glow of the candle-light service, for the jolly trio of the 65 couples present, the fresh wholesomeness of the younger members from Maryland Alpha, the deliquescent viands, the efflorescing maidens, the frondescing gallants, the uplifting legerdemain of the toastmaster; and as final apogee the terpsichorean tintinnabulations which concluded the gala occasion and sent the participants home, sans charivari, to somnolent slumber on their antimacassars.

Following a few "Skoals" with cocktails at 6:30 the pantoscopic guests assembled at tables handsomely decorated with flowers from Brother J. Ryder Murphy's conservatories. "Grace" was sung, in a Phi Delta Doxology, by the delegation of twelve from Maryland Alpha, and their "dates." Then toastmaster, Larry Williams, Maryland '50, followed with a very timely and excellent address on the topic appointed for Founders Day, "In The Bond There Is Strength," stressing the very practical ideals of friendship, soundness of learning, and the higher morality. He spoke of the four new charters recently granted and installed, bringing the total to 120 chapters, with an estimated membership of more than 80,000; and of other gains in strength of the Fraternity. A letter from the National Asst. Secretary Marvin Perry was read, emphasizing the need for better relationships between the alumni clubs and the active chapters; and the Baltimore Club pledged dedication to helping the active chapters in the years ahead. The pronounced progress of our Club during the past year was itemized, and pride taken in the healthy state of our membership, our roster, our finances, our social and business affairs, and the success of the special events.

In the candle-light ceremony a Golden Legion Certificate and pin was awarded to Murray Thurston Titus, Ohio Wesleyan '08, who came from Westminster for the presentation. The six immortal founders, of 107 years ago, were impersonated by Joseph Mallard, N. C. Beta '45;



BALTIMORE—Left: A vocal quartet composed of Charlie Krausse, Bill Littleton, Marshall Brandt, and George Bauer, provided entertainment at the Baltimore dinner. Center: Murray Titus, *Ohio Wesleyan '08*, receiving his Golden Legion award from Toastmaster Lawrence Williams. Right: Brother and Mrs. Titus (at right) with Brother and Mrs. F. Marshall Weller, 1954 Golden Legionnaire and current reporter for the Baltimore Alumni Club.

Warren Ingalls, *Syracuse '39*; Dr. Stephen Van Lill, *Duke '38*; Wm. H. Kerr, *N. C. Beta '45*; Wm. G. Volke, *Maryland '49*; and Dr. A. Zelwis, *Allegheny '14*. Brother Titus' heartwarming acknowledgment related some thirty years as a missionary in India, his more recent assignment to Westminster College, Md., and the planned retirement, this summer, when he and Mrs. Titus will migrate to England and settle at Stratford, near their daughter and her family. The Club felt deeply the moving remarks on his life in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, which were replete with loyalty and hallowed memories.

Tributes were paid to the retiring president of the Club, Omar L. Shake, *Indiana '35*, a man's man and a consistent worker in the Phi Delt vineyard. Encomiums, well deserved, flowed in his direction from speaker and audience, whose applause testified to a great regard and sincere appreciation. Evidence of still further appreciation showed in the selection of new officers for '55-'56, who were good workers in the year just passed. The elect, all honorable men, were announced with vociferous greetings: president, John O. Hobbs, *Maryland '48*; vice-president, Wm. T. Littleton, *Maryland '50*; treasurer, T. Marshall Brandt, *Maryland '50*; secretary, Wm. G. Volke, *Maryland '49*; reporter, F. Marshall Weller, *N. C. Beta '06*. President Hobbs outlined his objectives for next year and made an ambit of worthy future goals and achievements in the direction of attendance, publicity, assistance to active chapters, regular evening business meetings, perpetuation of the annual rushing party, the oyster roast, certain special occasions, and the monthly luncheons on the first Friday of each month.

The banqueteers were led in Phi Delt songs by the visitors from Maryland Alpha, which stirred the hearts and memories of the old tim-

ers; and greetings were conveyed in a witty speech by their recent President George Gervais.

In sum, an evening and a reunion abounding in charm and transfiguration. Not a cheerophobic present, no hicogalorum's dictation. Simply a thaumaturgical soiree, with the heraldic motto "Eis Aner Oudeis Aner." The post-prandial light fantastic then added the crowning touch in fraternal enjoyment, and in filial devotion to the cause and to the pulchritudinous charmers. In this final, culminating festivity panophobians ochlophobians and xenophobians shared with concatenating enthusiasm the alluring largos, scherzos and allegrettos of the "simpatico" orchestra until the sweet, sad strains of "Home, Sweet Home." And throughout the subsequent hegira the farewells floated like an eary morn susurrus, "A Rivederci! Bonne Nuit! Con Amore!"—F. MARSHALL WELLER, *Reporter*.

Bartlesville

THE first observance in several years of Founders Day for the recently rejuvenated Bartlesville Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was held Tuesday, March 1, in the dining room of the YWCA. Twenty five members were present,

including Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary. There were also in attendance two alumni from Stillwater, Okla., and four active members of Oklahoma Beta, Oklahoma A & M College.

The enthusiasm of the group was high and after an address by Brother Blackwell on the subject, "In the Bond There Is Strength," and comments by others, Alumni Club plans for rush activities for the spring and summer were prepared and discussed. A large rush party was planned for young men of this area during the first part of April. Active members from Oklahoma Alpha at the University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma Beta at Oklahoma A & M College, Kansas Alpha, University of Kansas, Kansas Gamma, Kansas State College, and others were to be invited to be present.

The Bartlesville Alumni Club meets on the first Tuesday of each month at noon in the dining room of the YWCA. Officers for the past year have been W. F. Martin, president; Kenneth Pryor, vice-president; and Warren L. Felton, reporter. At an election of officers at the conclusion of this meeting Kenneth Pryor was elected president, Jess Evans, vice-president and Felton was reelected reporter for the ensuing year.

Prospects for worthwhile activities



BALTIMORE—Delegation from Maryland Alpha chapter and dates in attendance at the Baltimore dinner.



BLOOMINGTON—Fred Seward, *Purdue '08*, as he received 50-year lapel insignia, denoting membership in the Golden Legion, from Kappa Province President Bob Cross at Bloomington Founders Day dinner.

during the next year for this Alumni club are very bright. The group expressed its keen appreciation for having Ray Blackwell present at its Founders Day observance.—WARREN L. FELTON, *Reporter*.

Beaumont

TWENTY-FIVE members of the Beaumont (Tex.) Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ were present at the annual Founders Day banquet held March 10. Speaker of the evening was Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary, who spoke on problems of the Fraternity and reported on the Texas chapters.

Plans were announced for two rushing parties to be held this Summer, dates to be announced later, and for the 1955 Christmas dance to be held December 29. Election of officers was held, with the following chosen to guide the club: John Sargl, president; Ned Keig, first vice-president; Preston Darland, second vice-president; Doak Proctor, Jr., treasurer, and Harvey Munro, secretary. Ed Stedman, Jr., and Frank Adams, outgoing president, were named to the board of directors.—HARVEY MUNRO, *Secretary*.

Bloomington

THE Founders Day meeting of the Bloomington, Ind., Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was held Thursday evening, March 17, at the Indiana University Union Building. The following brothers were present: James Moore, John Mee, Fred Seward, Robert Cross, William Andrews, Shelby Gerking, Gordon Fisher, Austin Seward, Marion Rogers, Donald Rogers, Jack Rogers, David Rogers, James Black-

more, William Miles, Francis VanMeter, William Dugger, E. Carver McGriff, James Love and Richard Eherenman. Attending from the Indiana Alpha chapter were: Alumni Secretary Dick Clymer and Phikeias Norm Koop, G. Wilson, Don McVicker, Jack Vallingham, Herb Conover, Bill Hart and Dave Wilson.

After the evening dinner, President James Moore introduced our guests. A note from Mrs. Gavit was read to the club thanking them for their gift to the Gavit Foundation.

The Golden Legion Award was made to Fred Seward, *Indiana '08*. The Golden Legion ritual was given by E. Carver McGriff, with the assistance of seven Phikeias from Indiana Alpha. Brother Seward held the Indiana University record for the 220-yd. low hurdles from 1905 to 1924, and was an outstanding athletic figure. He has been active in Indiana Alpha alumni activities and chapter house committee affairs since his initiation.

The principal address was made by Prof. John F. Mee, *Miami '30*, of the Indiana University School of Business. Brother Mee is also chairman of the University athletic committee. He spoke on the Oriental Business Practice. Province President Robert Cross made appropriate Founders Day remarks on the meaning of brotherhood in the Fraternity.

President Moore stated that the new officers for the coming year would be: president, Richard Eherenman; vice-president, E. Carver McGriff; secretary, James Love, and treasurer, Jack Rogers.

Plans were made for the Alumni Club to assist in the dedication cere-

monies for the new Indiana Alpha house, May 7 and 8.—R. L. EHERENMAN, *Secretary*.

Boise

ON April 15 Brother Lynn Rogers, *Idaho '24*, called 35 members of the Boise, Idaho, Alumni Association to order at a Founders Day banquet at the Plantation Golf Course. New officers elected for the coming year are: president, Jerry Riddle, *Idaho '47*; vice-president, Byron Erstad, *Idaho '53*; secretary, Allen Salzer, *Whitman '51*; treasurer, Bill Martin, *Idaho '36*.

Paris Martin, *Idaho '32*, Boise attorney, spoke on the subject, "The Tie That Binds." In paralleling this country's scientific and social advancement, Brother Martin pointed out the important role played by fraternities such as $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in bringing about our remarkable social advancement.

Tribute was paid to the oldest Phi in attendance, A. F. "Dooley" Riddle, *Kansas '08*. Three father and son combinations highlighted the remaining attendance.

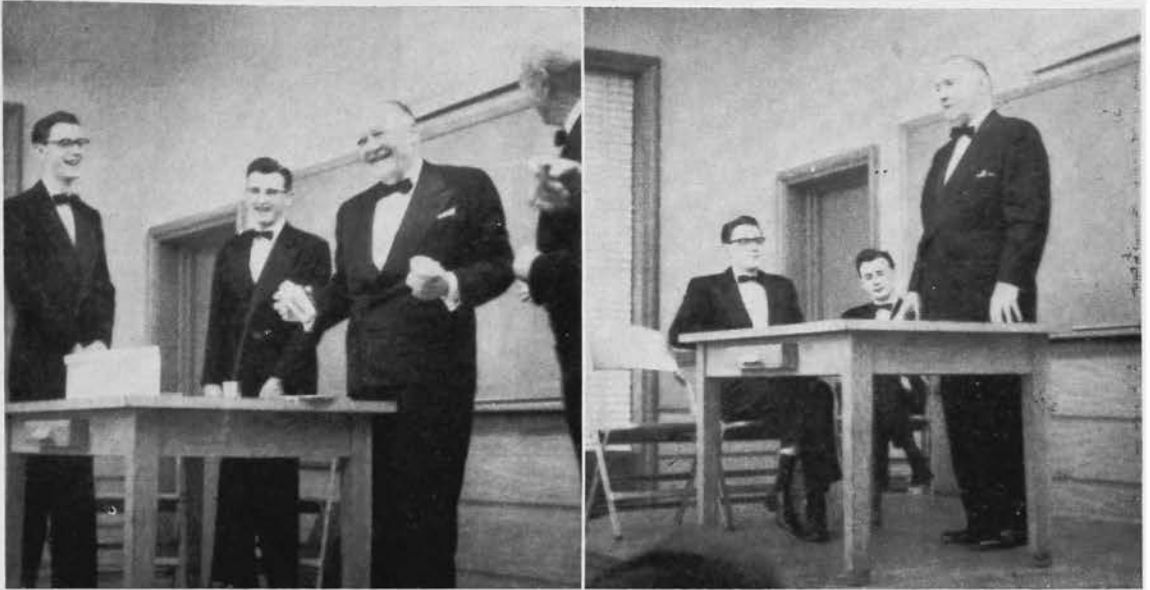
The singing of Fraternity songs brought back old memories and marked the finale of the business meeting. The group then settled back to be entertained with color slides taken by Dr. Richard A. Forney, *California '35*, during a recent lecture tour in Switzerland. A social hour brought to a close another memorable Founders Day banquet.—ALLEN SALZER, *Secretary*.

Boston

THE annual Founders Day banquet of the Boston Alumni Association of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was held at the M.I.T. Faculty Club in Cambridge, Mass., April 6. An enthusiastic crowd of approximately ninety brothers was in attendance for the festivities which began with a cocktail hour of fun and fellowship.

Hank Porterfield, president of the club, opened the after dinner program by asking each brother to stand and introduce himself. Warm applause welcomed the five Golden Legionnaires present.

A silver cocktail set was presented by the club to Donald K. David, *Idaho '16*, who is retiring this year after many successful years as Dean of the Harvard Business School. Arthur W. Kimbell, *Illinois '13*, president of United Carr Fastener, in making the presentation, paid a very warm tribute to Dean David who, since becoming Dean in 1942, has been a prime force in building the Harvard Business School up to the position of eminence which it enjoys today.



BOSTON—Left: Dean Donald K. David, Idaho '16, of the Harvard Business School, accepts silver cocktail set presented by Alumni Club at Founders Day dinner. Dean David retires this year. Right: Bill Cunningham, Dartmouth '19, nationally known columnist and figure in the sports world, addressing the assembled Phis.

Bill Cunningham, Dartmouth '19, featured columnist of *The Boston Herald*, and nationally known figure in the sports world, entertained the brothers with a lively and interesting discussion of sports affairs and pointed out the multitude of successes, in diverse fields, upon which the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ pride is based.

The present officers, under the leadership of Henry Porterfield, will continue their duties during the coming year.—**PHILIP J. GRAY**, Secretary, Boston Alumni Association; **ALEXANDER R. AITKEN**, Reporter, Massachusetts Gamma.

Buffalo

WITH approximately 25 Phi's attending, the Buffalo Alumni Club held its annual banquet in observance of Founders Day, on March 15. The honored speaker of the evening was Dr. John W. Pontius, *Ohio Wesleyan* '06, who spoke on the heritage and Bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

New officers for 1955 were elected as follows: president, Dean Wolcott, *Syracuse* '50; vice-president, Everett C. Copley, *Michigan* '35; and secretary-treasurer, Coleman Volgenau, *Colgate* '49.

Directors named are: David E. Bain, *Duke* '51; Alden Johnson, *Michigan* '43; Roger Gross, *Syracuse* '51; and Bruce F. Massey, *Syracuse* '48.

A Golden Legion award was made to Carl Holley Vogt, *Union* '04, who unfortunately was unable to attend the banquet.—**COLEMAN VOLGENAU**, Secretary.

British Columbia Alpha

BRITISH COLUMBIA Alpha celebrated Founders Day, March 15, at a banquet in Brock Hall on the University campus. Master of ceremonies was Ralph "Buzz" Hudson, outgoing active chapter president. The banquet was marked by five speakers representing both the alumni and the active chapter. In the toast to the Founders, Brother Stu Maddin gave a very inspiring speech which outlined the international values of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. He spoke of his experiences at other Phi chapters he encountered while completing his studies in medicine in Eastern United States, particularly New York. Other toasts and replies were given by Brothers Robert Rush, George Avery, John Atkinson, and incoming Chapter President John Banfield.

The Bill McLellan Trophy, awarded annually to the outstanding Phikeia, was presented to Robert McGraw.

The formal banquet closed with the following graduating brothers signing the Seniors Honour Roll: Thomas Cook, Allen Rae, Richard Underhill, Gary Taylor, Jas. McNicol, Robert Monaghan, Bhagat Basi, Edward Knight, Jas. Baxter, John Atkinson, William Maxwell, Boyd Kelly.

An informal reception followed at the chapter house.—**ROBERT W. MCGRAW**, Reporter.

Central New York

THE Founders Day banquet of the Central New York Alumni Association of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was held in the Cavalier

Room of the Hotel Syracuse, Syracuse, N.Y., Wednesday evening, April 20. About one hundred Phis attended the celebration, over which Dr. Roger Greminger presided. Charles E. Cooney acted as toastmaster and Harold C. Clingen as master of ceremonies. A report on activities of the year was given by Kenneth Brown, president of New York Epsilon. Speaker of the evening was Eugene W. Walrath, *Syracuse* '30.

During the Golden Legion ceremony, the following brothers were presented with their Golden Legion certificates and lapel buttons: Dr. James S. Allen, John Joseph Stark, Egbert S. Turner and Frank M. Simpson, all *Syracuse* '08; Harold W. Jewell, *Union* '08, and Frederick Pitkin Smith, *Amherst* '08.

Some fourteen chapters are represented in the large turnout of brothers who return to Syracuse for this occasion each year.—**HARRY B. REDDICK**, Secretary.

Chicago

THE Chicago Alumni Club was honored by having Major General Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana* '12, director of the American College of Surgeons and member of the General Council of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, as the principal speaker for the Founders Day banquet on March 17. His remarks clearly indicated the priceless value of a life-long association with the Fraternity.

Fred Pain, our retiring president, also spoke and summarized the activities and accomplishments of the alumni group, which included the pub-



CINCINNATI—Over-all view of part of the crowd at Founders Day banquet, held at the Cincinnati Club on March 16. Pres. W. J. Woods is speaking.

lication and distribution of an alphabetical directory of the Phis in the Greater Chicago area. If anyone was overlooked, we have additional copies available.

At the banquet the following were elected officers for the coming year: Todd J. Collins, president; William Flory, first vice-president; Robert Borman, second vice-president; William H. Osborne, Jr., secretary; and Maurice Norman, treasurer. In addition, fourteen directors also took office. These officers and directors subsequently met and formulated plans for the coming year, which include a golf outing to be held in June and a dance scheduled for the Fall.

In the future, the club will en-

deavor to work in close harmony with the Phi Delta chapters at the various colleges and universities in the Chicago area. Arrangements are being made for the officers to attend meeting of the various chapters so that we can become better acquainted and offer our assistance where it can be helpful. It is encouraging to note the increasing attendance of the weekly Friday luncheons held at the Shamrock Restaurant, 28 North La Salle Street, at noon.—WILLIAM H. OSBORNE, JR., Secretary.

Cincinnati

THE Cincinnati Alumni Club, in conjunction with the Ohio Theta active

chapter, celebrated Founders Day with its traditional banquet at the Cincinnati Club on March 16. President Wilbur ("Tibbie") Woods acted as MC during the banquet and performed in his usual proficient manner.

The president of Ohio Theta chapter informed the gathered brothers as to the current status of that chapter and its prospects for the future. With Brother Jack Shepman presiding, Dr. Charles Perin, *Cincinnati '99*, charter member of Ohio Theta, and Arthur R. Johnston, *Illinois '00*, were inducted into the ranks of the Golden Legion.

The principal speaker of the evening was the Rev. Clem Bininger, member of the General Council, and



CLEARWATER—These Phis gathered for ninth annual Founders Day dinner in Florida resort town. Seated at the table are three $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ stalwarts (from left) George C. Atkins, *Columbia '02*; Dean M. Hoffman, *P.P.G.C., Dickinson '02*, and John C. Cosgrove, *Penn State '07*, Fraternity's Finance Commissioner.



CINCINNATI—High point of Golden Legion ceremony (from left) Sponsor David Bode of Ohio Theta, Dr. Charles T. Perin, Jr., Cincinnati '09; Arthur R. Johnston, Illinois '00, and his sponsor, Richard Orth of Ohio Theta.

it was the enthusiastic expression of opinion of the more than one hundred persons present that Clem's address was by far the most inspiring ever heard at a Founders Day celebration in Cincinnati.

Brother Wilson, president of the Louisville Alumni Club, and Mrs. Wilson, were among the out-of-city visitors, as was Mrs. Bininger. "Mom" Ward, housemother of the Ohio Theta chapter, also graced the occasion with her presence.

The festivities were terminated shortly before midnight with a round of lusty singing by the members of the Ohio Theta chapter, later augmented by alumni songsters.

Three other elder brothers were to have received the Golden Legion degree, but they were unable to be present; certificates will be presented to them in their homes by a delegation of officers of the Alumni Club.

Retiring members of the twelve-man Board of Directors of the Club were replaced by electees chosen at the banquet. This Board, under the rules of the Club, consists of not more than nine alumni from the Ohio Theta chapter and at least three alumni from chapters other than Ohio Theta. With the seating of these newly elected directors, the Board will select the Club's officers who will serve until after the 1956 Founders Day celebration which, it is hoped, will be as successful and pleasing occasion as was that of 1955.—PORTER P. LOWRY, Reporter.

Clearwater

THE ninth annual Founders Day celebration of the Clearwater (Fla.)

Phi Delta Theta Alumni Club was held Friday evening, March 18, at the Clearwater Yacht Club.

Present at the meeting were John C. Cosgrove, Penn State '07, who presided; Dean Hoffman, Dickinson '02; P.P.G.C., of St. Petersburg; George C. Atkins, Columbia '02; J. W. Dunning, Penn State '14; John Martens, Missouri '30; John Welch, Florida '55; Don McManus '55; Dean Hoffman, II, Dickinson '41; Harold C. Martens, Missouri '30; Clifford McKay, Georgia '19; Spear P. Johnson, Cornell '45; Harry Truluck, Florida State '54, and Alan Martens, Florida State '57.

Brothers Hoffman and Cosgrove discussed the value of General Conventions, policies of the General Council, financing and chapter standards. Brothers Welch and McManus, representing Florida Alpha, discussed membership, house management and rehabilitation plans for the Florida Alpha chapter house, and also rushing methods. Brother McKay spoke on plans for assisting rushing in the local area.—GEORGE C. ATKINS, Reporter.

Columbus

FOUNDERS DAY was celebrated in Columbus, Ohio, at the Seneca Hotel, on April 15, with 165 Phis in attendance, including undergraduate delegations from Ohio Zeta, Ohio Beta, and Ohio Iota. Dr. James R. Hull, Ohio State '39, served as toastmaster.

We were honored in having with us Dr. John Edwin Brown, Ohio Wesleyan '84, second oldest living Past President of the General Council. Brother Brown is 90 years old and



CINCINNATI—Top to bottom: W. J. Woods, Miami '25, president of the Cincinnati Alumni Club, presiding at Founders Day observance on March 16; Jack Shepman, Zeta Province president, who conducted Golden Legion ceremonies; Dr. Clem E. Bininger of the General Council, principal speaker at the dinner.

throughout his long and distinguished career has remained active in Phi



Photos by Dan Fullmer, Ohio State '28

COLUMBUS—Left: Trio from great Phi family (from left) William S. Brown, Ohio State '07; Dr. John Edwin Brown, Ohio Wesleyan '84, P.P.G.C., now 90 years of age; and Charles W. Brown, Cornell '12. Center: Toastmaster Dr. James R. Hull turns the microphone over to Brother Brown for his inspirational message. Right: Coach Stu Holcomb of Purdue addresses the gathering, winning close attention of Brother Hull (left) and Larry Wright, president of Ohio Zeta chapter.

Delt affairs. Ohio State Phis will always remember that he helped install the Zeta chapter while a student at Ohio Wesleyan. His brief talk was most inspiring.

Two Phi cheats from the athletic world made the program an interesting one. George M. Trautman, Ohio State '14, high mogul of minor league baseball, told a number of stories centered about the game. He was followed by Stuart Holcomb, Ohio State '32, head football coach at Purdue University and a member of THE SCROLL'S All-Phi Football Board. He related many interesting coaching experiences.—DAN D. FULLMER, Ohio State '28.

Dayton

THE Dayton Alumni Club celebrated Founders Day on March 23 at a dinner held in the Van Cleve Hotel. Ohio Alpha undergraduate chapter at Miami was well represented.

The highlight of the evening was the Golden Legion ceremony in which Brother Godfrey Doeller, Cincinnati '07, received his button and certificate from son and brother, Tom Doeller. Brothers Bruce Lloyd, Miami '06, and Milton Wagner, Cincinnati '08,

were unable to attend to receive their awards.

President Harold LeCrone, master of ceremonies, then introduced Mr. James E. Fain, executive editor of the Dayton Daily News. Mr. Fain gave us a very entertaining and enlightening discussion of his thoughts on the role of the newspaper in community, state, national and world affairs.

Phikeia Don Reed of Ohio Alpha, entertained at the piano with his unusual interpretations. Vice-president C. A. Burns, Jr., did a commendable job as program chairman, with fine assistance from Jack Ward. The evening was marked with the festivity and brotherly joviality that makes Founders Day a big date in Dayton.—KEN OLIVER, Secretary.

Detroit

THE Detroit Alumni Club observed Founders Day on March 18 with a banquet at the Harmonie Club, an outstanding program, and the largest attendance in years.

There were 90 Phis present to hear our speaker Brother Jim Nance, Ohio Wesleyan '23, President of Studebaker-Packard, who was introduced

by C. A. Macauley, P.P.G.C., toastmaster.

Brother Nance emphasized returning to the old-fashioned precept of accountability and responsibility, together with endeavoring to preserve the individual identity and liberty in this present day mass production economy.

Brother Macauley called upon our visitor from Tulsa, Okla., Brother W. W. Michaels, Michigan '22, to stand and receive the applause of those present.

Ed Pilcher, president of the Club, complimented the officers and committee chairmen for their splendid cooperation in making this meeting a real success. He then introduced Brother A. H. Worsham, Purdue '08, who was inducted into the Golden Legion of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

As an appropriate conclusion, Bob Collins, president of Michigan Alpha, and Dick Lewis, president of Michigan Beta, reported on the activities of their respective chapters, which was most interesting to our alumni group.—WARREN MACAULEY, Secretary.

Eugene; Oregon Alpha

SOME twenty-five members of the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni Club of Eugene, Ore., met at the Oregon Alpha chapter house for a Founders Day banquet. After an excellent dinner, the program began with Oregon Alpha President Ray Schlostein introducing Alumni President Glen Porter, who acted as toastmaster for the occasion.

Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary, gave a most enlightening talk on the guardianship of the interests of the Fraternity.

Following the program, the alumni held a short business meeting.—ROGER C. WILEY, Secretary-Treasurer.

Florida Alpha

THE annual Founders Day banquet of Florida Alpha was held at the chap-



COLUMBUS—Chapter singing groups entertained and competed for award. Top: Ohio Beta Chorus which won contest. Bottom: Ohio Zeta singers.

ter house, and, following the banquet, initiation ceremonies were conducted for 24 new brothers.

Pat Patillo, Florida Alpha's past honor court Chancellor, delivered a humorous as well as challenging speech and Phikeia Tom Otto was presented with the "Outstanding Pledge" Award for the past semester.—HARRY B. BEVERLY, *Reporter*.

Galveston

FOUNDERS DAY was celebrated by the Galveston area Phis on Friday, March 11. The affair was held at the Jack Tar Hotel, Pompano Room, in Galveston, and was attended by 20 brothers and their wives. Speaker of the evening was Brother Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, who gave a very interesting talk on historic and factual information concerning $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. An excellent steak dinner was preceded by a social hour.

A highlight of the evening was the presentation of a Golden Legion Award to Herbert W. Benjamin, *Sewanee '94*. Brother Benjamin has completed 60 years as an active Phi and attended the banquet accompanied by Mrs. Benjamin. Brother Benjamin is a retired insurance executive and now makes his home in Galveston. The Golden Legion ceremony was performed and the actual presentation was made jointly by Brother Holland Howell, Club President, and Brother Blackwell.

Invocation was given by Brother Don Schroeter and Herb Grove led the group in singing. Each of the charter members of the Galveston Club, which has been formally organized for only about a year, was presented with a replica of the club charter.—DONALD G. SCHROETER, *Secretary*.

Griffin

THE Griffin (Ga.) Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ celebrated Founders Day on March 17 with an informal steak dinner at Russell's Restaurant.

The short business program was highlighted by the presentation of a Golden Legion Certificate to Brother Andrew Wagner Walker, *Georgia Tech '07*, of McDonough, Ga., and the presentation of a resolution to the widow of Brother Gray Holmes, *Georgia Tech '22*, who died on March 6.

Georgia Delta chapter was represented by Brother Pat Patterson.—WILLIAM H. BECK, III, *Secretary*.

Harrisburg

THE Harrisburg (Pa.) Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ held its Founders Day din-



HARRISBURG—Left to right: The Alumni Club's new president, Charles L. Eby, *Gettysburg '33*; speaker of the evening Edward A. Knowles, *president of Alpha Province South*; and retiring president of the Harrisburg Club, Harold L. Child, *Ohio Wesleyan '44*, shown at Founders Day dinner March 25.

ner March 25 at the Colonial Country Club. Approximately 125 alumni and undergraduates attended. The undergraduates represented Gettysburg, Penn State and Dickinson. A fine program was presented, presided over by the club president, Harold L. Child. During the proceedings of the evening the presidents of the three represented chapters gave reports on their accomplishments during the past year. All reported that they are striving to maintain the outstanding reputation which our Fraternity enjoys throughout the Nation.

Each year the Harrisburg alumni group pays tribute to Dean M. Hoffman, P.P.G.C., by awarding the Dean M. Hoffman trophy to the local chapter which has the highest scholastic standing. This year the award was

again presented to Gettysburg, with Dickinson running second. The award was made by Bill McLain, co-chairman of the Scholastic Award Committee.

We were especially honored this year by being able to present a Golden Legionnaire certificate to Brother J. Thompson Henry, *Penn State '08*, of Port Matilda, Pa. Brother Henry was unable to be present at the ceremony and the certificate was presented to his son, Brother John C. Henry. Bruce T. Mathias presided over this ceremony.

A very excellent talk was given by Edward A. Knowles, President of Alpha South Province. He commented interestingly on the highlights of the recent convention.

At the business session of the meeting the following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Charles L. Eby, *Gettysburg '33*; first vice-president, Frank Meck, *Dickinson '49*; second vice-president, John F. Morgenthaler, *Dickinson '21*; secretary-treasurer, John Roe, *Dickinson '48*.

The evening ended with a smoker which was enjoyed by all.—FRANK MECK, *Reporter*.

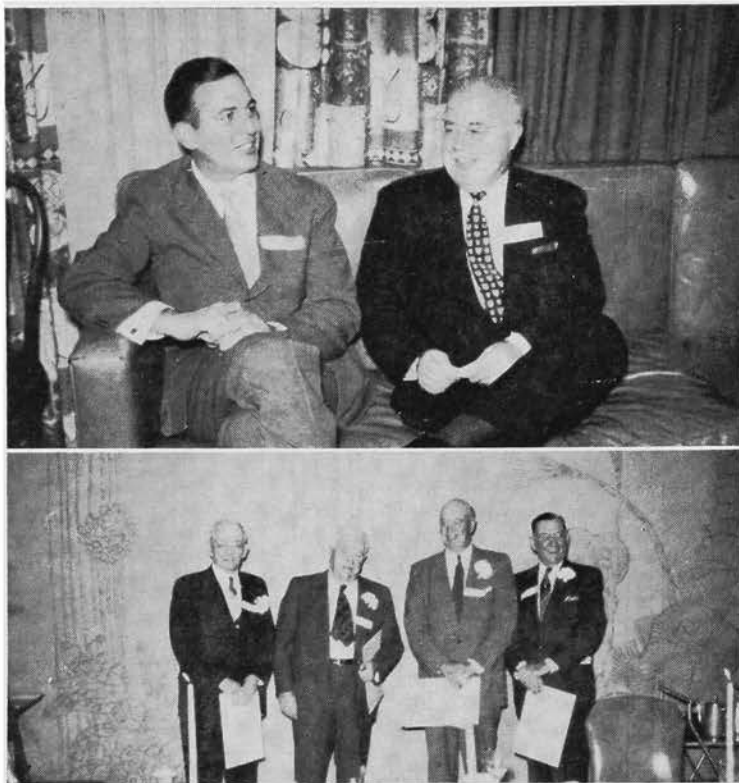
Houston

THE Houston $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Association observed Founders Day March 15 with cocktails and a banquet at the Houston Club. Sixty-five brothers attended the function that proved to be one of Houston's most outstanding Founders Day celebrations.

We were privileged to have Brother Carey Croneis, *Denison '22*, of Rice



HARRISBURG—Pres. John Stover of Pennsylvania Beta, happily accepts Dean M. Hoffman Trophy on behalf of his chapter from Harrisburg Alumni Club.



HOUSTON—Top: Hobby McCall, president of Nu Province South (left) with Dr. Cary Croneis, Denison '22, principal speaker at Houston Founders Day dinner. Bottom: Four of the Golden Legionnaires inducted at the Houston dinner (from left) Frank C. Davies, Georgia Tech '07; George W. Cleveland, Westminster '07; Burke Baker, Texas '09, and J. Leslie Witt, Texas '09.

Institute as our principal speaker. Brother Croneis emphasized the theme selected for this year's Founders Day—"In the Bond There is Strength."

Brother Hobby McCall, Nu Province South president, brought us current on events in the various active chapters in the Province and also news of the outstanding Phi Delta Society which has been established at Texas Christian University, soon to petition for affiliation with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Dr. Neal Cannon, Kentucky '22, pastor of Houston's St. Paul's Methodist Church and our speaker last year, was present to deliver the invocation.

Newly elected officers for the coming year are: Don Toland, U.C.L.A. '41, president; Rodney Derby, S.M.U. '46, vice-president; Howard Ennis Young, Southwestern '47, secretary-treasurer; and Pete Sublett, Texas '46, social chairman. Brother Toland replaces Ruben Boyett, Mississippi '43, whose devotion and efforts toward the improvement of our Association the past year was nothing short of excellent.

We received reports from Brothers Chapin Burke and Frank Eddins regarding their respective chapters (Texas Delta and Texas Gamma).

George Peterkin, Texas '48, spoke for the chapter at the University of



HOUSTON—Outgoing Alumni Club President Ruben Boyett, Mississippi '43 (right) congratulates his successor, Don Toland, U.C.L.A. '41.

Texas in the absence of an undergraduate.

Highlights of the evening were provided by the Golden Legion ceremony conducted very ably by Elliott Johnson, Chicago '27, and an initiation team from Texas Gamma chapter which presented the third act of the initiation ceremony. Phikeia Winston Lester, best pledge of Texas Gamma, signed the Bond to become a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. We feel deeply appreciative and indebted to Texas Gamma for a fine performance and their presence has done much to renew our ties and interests in the Bond and purposes of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The initiation team was composed of Brothers Steve Hoffpauir, Jimmy Cardwell, Frank Eddins, Lionel King, Ray Stephens, Jerry Farren, Edwin Silliman, and Gene Brack.

Initiated into the Golden Legion were: Grover Houghton Jones, Texas '07; James Donald Hall, Texas '07; Burke Baker, Texas '09; J. Leslie Witt, Texas '09; George W. Cleveland, Westminster '07; and Frank C. Davies, Georgia Tech '07.

Our next scheduled social function is to be an afternoon of golf, swimming, and tennis at one of the local clubs, followed by dinner and social hour during the evening. The function is usually planned with members of other active fraternity alumni associations in Houston.

All Phis in the Houston area are invited to become active members of our Association. This can be done by getting in touch with the secretary.—HOWARD E. YOUNG, Secretary.

Idaho Alpha

In connection with Founders Day this year, Idaho Alpha invited alumni of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ from the Moscow area to a dinner at the chapter house Sunday, March 20. Brother Morrie O'Donald gave a progress report of the chapter through years past to the present time. He also recalled the principles of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ as embodied in the Bond, which result in the brotherhood enjoyed by all Phis.

During this dinner, the chapter introduced the new housemother, Mrs. John Montgomery, widow of an Idaho Alpha alumnus.

John P. Mix, II, chapter president, presented Harvey Hoff, past president, with an inscribed gavel as a token of the chapter's appreciation for all that he had accomplished during the past year.

Idaho Alpha also wishes to express appreciation to the Spokane Alumni who so kindly included them in their Founders Day celebration. The chapter is pleased to know that the alumni of the Inland Empire are interested enough in Idaho actives to

invite them to share their Founders Day observance.—MARCUS B. HITCHCOCK, Jr., Reporter.

Illinois Delta-Zeta; Galesburg

THE Illinois Delta-Zeta chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ enjoyed one of its biggest events of the year on February 16 with the celebration of Founders Day.

We were privileged to have Brother Clem E. Bininger of the General Council speak to us and all the brothers enjoyed his talk and short stay with us very much. Our Province president, George Banta, III, was also in attendance along, with many of our loyal alumni from the Galesburg Club.

During the meeting, President James Trapp presented the chapter's progress report and made announcement of the scholarship awards. All in all, it was a highly successful affair. The dinner meeting was followed by an open-house for the alumni and their wives at the fraternity house which gave all a chance to meet our new housemother.—ROBERT SPARKS, Reporter.

Illinois Eta; Champaign

THE Founders Day banquet of Illinois Eta was held on March 14 in the chapter house, and was jointly celebrated by both the active chapter and the Champaign Alumni Club. Alumni Secretary Richard Hurkes opened the program after dinner by introducing Brother Bill Grubb in recognition of his 5.0 scholastic achievement in premed and Dale Walwark who was selected as most outstanding Pikeia.

Toastmaster Hurkes then introduced the speaker of the evening, Brother Bob Cross, president of the Kappa Province. Brother Cross gave a thought-provoking address on the theme, "In the Bond There is Strength." He chose an illustrative parallel with the material bond used in industry and pointed out that the Bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ also has "strength, elasticity, and permanence," but that "it is not easy to apply and is costly rather than cheap."

Cross continued by pointing out the distinctive and exclusive feature in our Fraternity's having such a document and reminded his listeners that it is this document, the foundation of our organization, which certain political groups are attempting to undermine because it "stands for something good, something Christian." He drew attention to the fact that like the Constitution of the United States, the Bond has been flexible enough to hold together for over a century while other things have fallen apart.



KANSAS CITY—Coveted "Phi of the Year" award, given annually by the Kansas City Club at the Founders Day dinner was presented this year to Dr. Clem Bininger, outstanding minister, civic worker, and member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s General Council. He is pictured here just after receiving the testimonial.

Brother Cross concluded fittingly: "If you follow the Bond while on the campus you'll be tops. If you follow it through life you'll be successful in the eyes of God."—NORMAN RACINE, Reporter.

Indianapolis

A RAGING BLIZZARD which covered the state the night before failed to cool the spirit of 339 loyal undergraduates and alumni who attended the annual Founders Day banquet and dance at the Indianapolis Athletic Club March 26.

Equipped with skid chains and snow shovels, the brothers skidded in with information that their travel average was limited to 15 to 20 mph.

Master of ceremonies for the annual affair was Jim Roberts, retiring Alumni Club president, introducing Glenn Findley, who delivered the invocation.

As dinner progressed, the chapter singing contest was held, with Indiana Epsilon again taking the trophy, donated in memory of Brother "Ched" Remy, *DePauw* '38, by his father, William Remy, *DePauw* '14. Judges were alumni Brothers Greene, Martz and Young.

After dinner, brothers and pledges were welcomed by Jim Roberts, who then introduced the new Indianapolis Alumni Club officers as follows:

Charles R. King, president; Robert Graves, vice-president; James Murray, Jr. (son of Brother James Murray, Sr.), reporter; and Thomas Young, treasurer.

Brother Roberts then introduced Brother King as winner of the alumni charm, awarded annually to the brother with the best attendance record at the weekly Alumni Club luncheons.

Due to the weather, only two chapter advisers were in attendance, those being Phil Kappes, Indiana Gamma, and Robert Cross, Indiana Beta.

One of the evening's high spots was the awarding of the Golden Legion certificate by Brother Phil Kappes to Brother Ed McGuanghey, *Purdue* '07.

Jack Davis of Indiana Delta gave a brief report on "The Active Chapter on the Campus," and from his remarks it was easily seen that Phi are leaders on the campus.

Province President Bob Cross gave a report on the Province as a whole, his statements proving that marked advancement is being shown all along the line.

Our newest chapter was represented by Brother George McKessick, whose subject was "The Story of our Newest Chapter, Indiana Iota, at Valparaiso."

The Founders Day trophy, scored on a point system for all activities, was awarded to Indiana Theta, many points going toward their outstanding "scrap" book. The banquet was then closed, so that brothers and pledges could bring in their "Dream Girl" for the dance to follow.—JAMES E. ROBERTS, Retiring President.

Kansas City

THE Kansas City Alumni celebrated the 107th anniversary of the founding of the Fraternity with a banquet on March 22, at the Milburn Country Club. Due to the inclement weather, attendance was not as great as had been anticipated. Approximately 165 persons were present, including active members from Missouri Alpha, Missouri Beta, Kansas Alpha, and Kansas Gamma chapters.

The Rev. Robert Bull, *Butler* '26, opened the program with an invocation.

Scholarship trophies were awarded to Kansas Alpha, Missouri Alpha, and Kansas Gamma. This was the first time Kansas Gamma had received this award. The annual All-American Phi Trophy for outstanding athletic ability was presented to Buddy Cox of Missouri Alpha by John Glorioso, *Missouri* '51. J. MacTinklepaugh, *Kansas* '40, the outgoing president, received an award for outstanding service to our alumni group.

A highlight of the evening was



KANSAS CITY—Left: Buddy Cox, Missouri Alpha's All-American baseball star, receives All-Phi Award at K. C. Founders Day dinner. John Glorioso (at right), former All-Phi football hero from same chapter, makes the presentation. Right: Main speaker Dr. Paul R. Hawley of the General Council, tongue in cheek, after telling a typical Hawley story that has 'em rolling in the aisles. Shown at speakers' table (from left): J. Mac Tinklepaugh, president of the Club; S. Burr Sifers, incoming president; William Woodson, incoming first vice-president; and Gene Mangelsdorf, chairman of the nominating committee.

the presentation of the Golden Legionnaire awards. This year's proud recipients were Sam B. Sebree, *Missouri '07*; Frank R. Hopper, *Kansas '08*; and John Myers, *Kansas '92*.

A most deserving recipient for this year's "Phi of the Year" award was Dr. Clem Bininger, *Centre '31*, Minister of the Second Presbyterian Church of Kansas City, and a member of the General Council. Dr. Bininger is well known for his endeavors and achievements in the field of education and religion and for his services to the Fraternity and this community.

Principal speaker of the evening was Dr. Paul R. Hawley, retired U. S. Army General, chairman American College of Surgeons, and member of the General Council. Dr. Hawley's speech, "In the Bond There is Strength," was very enlightening and his "Hoosier" humor was highly entertaining.

Gene Mangelsdorf, *Kansas State '32*, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the following nominations for the coming year, and all were elected unanimously: S. Burr Sifers, *Kansas '40*, president; William H. Woodson, *Missouri '46*, 1st vice-president; Lester L. Morgan, *Westminster '47*, 2nd vice-president; William N. Brownfield, *Missouri '47*, 3rd vice-president; Don Hueben, *Kansas State '48*, secretary; and Robert Fountain, *Kansas '51*, treasurer.—DON HUEBEN, Secretary.

Kansas Gamma

ACTIVE members of Kansas Gamma and alumni of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ met, following initiation of new members, March 13, to celebrate Founders Day with

a banquet at the Skyline Club in Manhattan, Kan. President Clarke of the active chapter gave a state-of-the-chapter report and Phikeia Gaffin presented the report of the pledge class.

Brother M. A. Durland served as Toastmaster and the address of the evening was given by Dr. C. W. Colver, *Idaho '09*, soon-to-retire professor of chemistry at Kansas State. Brother Colver, who came to the campus following his graduation from the University of Idaho, was instrumental in establishing Kansas Gamma of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and has been an active supporter of the chapter ever since. He gave an unusually inspirational talk reminding us of the teachings of the Bond and of the heritage of our Fraternity.—PHIL ROBERTSON, Reporter.

Kentucky Epsilon, Alpha-Delta and Central Kentucky

KENTUCKY EPSILON and Kentucky Alpha-Delta chapters co-operated in sponsoring a Founders Day dinner on March 17 in the Gold Room of the Phoenix Hotel in down-town Lexington. Present were the entire active chapters of the two Kentucky groups and numerous alumni from all corners of the state.

Presiding at the banquet were the Rev. H. W. Alexander, *Centre '27*, president of the Central Kentucky Alumni Club; Col. H. H. Rogers, president of Eta Province and adviser to Kentucky Epsilon, and Joseph Teague, president of Kentucky Epsilon. After dinner and a song-fest had been enjoyed, ceremonies were con-

ducted honoring our beloved founders.

Guests of honor at the dinner were Kentucky's new Golden Legionnaires who were awarded certificates by Brother Alexander. Honored this year were James Patterson Headley, *Kentucky '08*; William Henry Noel, *Kentucky '08*; Jefferson Rice Crooks, *Central '96*; William McGeorge Dishman, *Centre '04*; John Jennings Greenleaf, *Central '98*; Walter Herbert Rankins, *Centre '06*; Ames Ewing Turney, *Centre '07*; Logan Berry English, *Centre '07*; Warren Viley McFerran, *Kentucky '07*; Rezin G. Owings, *Kentucky '00*, and Henry Estan Spears, *Sewanee '98*.

The main speaker at the dinner was James Park, *Kentucky '15*, for many years Commonwealth's-Attorney and a prominent member of the state bar. Both chapters were most pleased with the excellent attendance, and the reunion once again reminded us of the eternal binding tie of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and the ideals for which she stands. It is hoped that such a co-operative Founders Day dinner may become a regular occurrence here in the Bluegrass.—LESLIE MORRIS, Reporter.

Lehigh Valley

THE $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Club of the Lehigh Valley celebrated Founders Day at the Hotel Traylor, Allentown, Pa., on Wednesday, March 16. Members of the active chapters at Lehigh and Lafayette were present, along with alumni from the Lehigh Valley. The total attendance was 72, including one Golden Legionnaire, J. Walter Singmaster, *Gettysburg '04*.

President Roy Wise, *Pennsylvania '21*, called on the chaplain of the Lehigh chapter, John Neilan, to ask

the invocation, after which a steak dinner was enjoyed by all. Frank Oglesby of Dickinson then led in some Phi Delt songs. The secretary-treasurer's report was given by Hugh Sivell and approved.

The nominating committee of Dick Sotzing and William Cornwell presented the following slate for next year: president, Louis Ekstrom, *Dartmouth* '12; vice-president, Carl Veit, *Lafayette* '36; secretary-treasurer, Hugh Sivell, *Colgate* '33. These brothers were unanimously elected.

President Wise then called on Harry Jordan, President of the Lafayette chapter, and Norm Gasswint, President of the Lehigh chapter, both of whom reported that the chapters' scholastic averages have increased. From their reports we could also see they both were very active.

Robert Haas, *Lafayette* '12, was our guest speaker. He spoke of his undergraduate days, advising that Lafayette had produced two presidents of General Council—Brothers Haas and Tallman, both of whom were present. Brother Haas spoke of the opportunity we have here in America, but that all must work together. We should not be self-satisfied, but build America and keep it great. He also advised that our future depends a great deal on our fraternities, emphasizing that "in the Bond there is strength."

Since the Founders Day dinner is our only meeting each year, a social hour was held before and after, so all renewed fraternal ties again.

If any brothers in the Lehigh Valley did not receive notices of this year's dinner, please contact the secretary-treasurer, and your name will be added to our mailing list.—
HUGH G. SIVELL, *Secretary-Treasurer*.

Los Angeles-Hollywood

ONE HUNDRED and seven years after the candles set the light of friendship aglow in Oxford, Ohio, the torch flared high again for 293 brothers, both alumni and active members, at annual Founders Day exercises of the Los Angeles and Hollywood Alumni clubs, with the undergraduate chapters from U.C.L.A. and University of Southern California in massed attendance. The event was held March 18 in the Ballroom of the Los Angeles Biltmore hotel. It was a record turnout for the brothers of the Los Angeles locality.

Talks of the evening were inspired by the Fraternity's national theme of the day, "In the Bond There Is Strength," but the talks were short, they were pithy, they were pointed and localized, and there can be little doubt that 293 brothers quitted one



L.A. Photos by Lee Hansen, Ore. State '30

LOS ANGELES—*Top: Partial view of the 293 Phis who packed Grand Ballroom of the Los Angeles Biltmore Hotel for Founders Day dinner March 18. Bottom: Golden Legionnaires who received certificates in appropriate ceremonies (from left) E. M. Harwood, Chicago '08; Col. George W. Prince, Knox '08; Nelson Mixer, Colby '08; Charles (Chick) Variel, California '08, Burritt Wheeler, Columbia '05; and Cecil Lyon, Ohio Wesleyan '08, shown with Stan Brown, president of Omicron Province South, who conducted the Golden Legion ceremony.*

of the Pacific Coast area's most meaningful memorials to the Immortal Six without being freighted with recollections to last for a long time to come.

As there was an interesting chronology to the evening's events, it may be well to let them tell their own story in this report. The brothers, some from distances like Santa Barbara, San Diego, the Big Bear mountains and Imperial Valley, began to assemble at 5:30 p.m., and there were greetings, reunions, reminiscences, cocktails, and new acquaintanceships to be made. At 7:15 lights blinked

an end to these informalities and the throng passed from anteroom into the flowered and decorated Ballroom. Some stragglers had brief difficulty in finding their tables, for there was a natural desire of old friends and former campus brothers to find each other, and in an assemblage of some sixty odd original chapter allegiances, this brought the accompaniment of some seeking and finding.

Two tables near the raised head table were reserved for Golden Legionnaires, and these two tables enjoyed a mellow candle light. The active brothers from the two local



LOS ANGELES—Left: Sharing elation at report of numerical growth and scholarship showing of Cal Delta at U.S.C. are Barry Everett, chapter president; Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary; Hay Biggers, editor of *THE SCROLL*; and Bill Bonnie, another Cal Delta officer. Center: Interested trio composed of Everett, Blackwell, and Rene Miller, president of Cal Gamma chapter. Right: A bit of confidential merriment marked gathering of this foursome—(from left) Lee Hansen, Oregon State '30, a supervisor in the L.A. City School system and official photographer for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in the L.A. area; Francis D. (Pete) Lyon, successful motion picture director and member of Fraternity's Survey Commission; Biggers, and Bill (not William) Rohlfs, Montana '22, president of the Los Angeles Club.

chapters made a fine impression, the University of California at Los Angeles group wearing white carnations in their buttonholes. The collegians from U.S.C. wore pink carnations.

Bill Rohlfs, Montana '32, president of the Los Angeles Alumni Club, called the assemblage together and Thomas P. Phelan, U.C.L.A. '28, was master of ceremonies. Chances are that some of the listening brothers with good memories will be working up a reputation for wit, for some months to come, on the strength of what they remember from Brother Phelan's droll stories.

Phelan noted that the two active chapters were to enliven the earlier part of the program, and his first presiding act was to announce the winner of a \$25 cash prize offered by the Los Angeles Alumni Club to the chapter represented by the largest Founders Day attendance on a percentage basis. California Gamma was awarded this prize, the U.C.L.A. boys from Westwood having 91 per cent of their total chapter membership present (63 out of a possible 69). California Delta at University of Southern California made another excellent showing, with 60 out of a possible 79 for 76 per cent attendance.

The master of ceremonies then introduced Barry Everett, president of California Delta's active chapter, who gave a shining report of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ affairs on the campus. Everett was followed by the California Delta Chorus, which sang three numbers, including "Phi Delta Serenade" and "Drums," as their offering in the entertainment competition between the two active chapters for another \$25 prize.

Next came Rene Miller, president of California Gamma, whose report on that chapter indulged in no boasts, but added credence to the rumors about the banquet room of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s pre-eminence among the Westwood Greeks.

Then came a skit, the U.C.L.A. chapter's contribution to the entertainment of the evening. Six "founders" came forward to sit in solemn conclave and debate the weighty problem of finding a Traveling Secretary for the Fraternity. The six wore placards identifying themselves severally as "Morrison," "Wilson," "Drake," "Lindley," "Rogers" and "Rodgers." Name after name was advanced in their discussion until finally one worn out voice suggested "Stanley Brown." Remarkable unanimity at once developed, and out from the wing came a young man impersonating President Stanley Brown, Nebraska '36, of Omicron Province South, in the course of an enactment of the type of young men the Founders (seated at the table) desired to pledge. (See cut page 437.)

There came forward an "athlete," burdened with athletic equipment of various kinds, while he dribbled a basketball along; there came a student, peering from huge spectacles and trying to read a bundle of different books all at the same time, and being led onto the stage by a string through his nose. On conclusion of the skit, which introduced other "types," and presented a rousing 15 minutes, a quartet of California Gamma harmonizers gave three numbers to accompaniment of piano and an instrument for which Lou Tellner, this correspondent's observer, fashioned the name of a "finger drum." Then California Gamma, in some mass music, sang "Phi Delta Theta, We Love You," and "Comrades."

The three judges of entertainment ("Chic" Blood, Westminster '38, Eric Allison, McGill '32 and Kenneth Cutler, Chicago '45) retired and brought in a verdict that the U.C.L.A. group had won the \$25 program prize for the skit and added numbers.

But the U.C.L.A. group was not

through. Rene Miller introduced Dean Nusbaum, Washington '24, the Chapter Adviser for California Gamma, paid a warming tribute to Nusbaum's work and inspiration, and caught Dean wholly off guard with the presentation to him of a handsome $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ wall plaque as a token of the actives' esteem. Dean's words of response were few, but feeling; the tribute had affected the popular chapter counsel.

After an introduction of Ed Barker, U.C.L.A. '37, who told the roomful about the wonderful things, outdoors and indoors, to see, to hear, to eat, to drink, and to play, in store at the "Spring Stag," and the mention of Don Muir, U.C.L.A. '50, as Stag co-chairman, the evening's two guests from a distance were presented: Raymond E. Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, and "Hay" Biggers, editor of *THE SCROLL*. Biggers said two particular members of the Los Angeles Hollywood clubs had given valuable assistance to *THE SCROLL*, citing Laurens P. Davis, Hillsdale '97, and George K. Shaffer, Chicago '16. He also said that many other Southern California Phis had been most helpful. Biggers complimented the brothers present, saying it was the biggest Founders Day dinner in his experience.

Brother Blackwell interested the brothers with anecdotes and impressions of the Fraternity, both as a national entity, and as a great number of active and energetic young men pursuing a common purpose, with highlights of devotion and interludes of light heartedness, in all the climes and geographical crannies of the North American continent. In part of his short and intent talk Brother Blackwell stressed the heritage of inspiration which comes to every man who wears the Sword and Shield, from The Bond, the document that is unmatched among all the college Greeks.

The formal program included plaudits from President Bill Rohlffs to various members: President David T. Arnold, *Missouri* '24, president of Hollywood Alumni Club who, with last year's Hollywood president, Otto A. Steiert, *Pittsburgh* '19, had kept that club a sturdy supporter of all greater Los Angeles activities; and Don Phinney, *Kansas State* '43, who was chairman of the resoundingly successful Founders Day arrangements for 1955. President Rohlffs also bestowed merited praise upon Lou Teller, *North Dakota* '16, for originating the downtown Los Angeles club's locally famed "alumni chapter recognition" luncheons, and upon Eric Allison, *McGill* '32, who has been assisting in the special luncheons. Others whose contribution to the Founders Day success brought a brief recognition from the chair were Elmer Callen, *U.C.L.A.* '48, Alumni Club treasurer, and the brother whose knack for finance had helped launch the Los Angeles Club's journalistic venture, *The Scrawl*; to Lee Hansen, *Oregon State* '30, for taking photographs of all Los Angeles Phi Delt occasions; to Bob Schroeder, *U.C.L.A.* '37, proprietor of the Mile High Resort at Twin Peaks, Calif., who donated a weekend, all expenses paid, for a party outing at his mountain dream spot as one of the Founders Day evening free door prizes; and to Bill Stuckman, *Miami* '49, of the Balfour Company, for cooperation in providing a very considerable number of additional door prizes which delighted their recipients before the evening wore away.

The Golden Legion ceremony, annual high point in the solemnity of

$\Phi\Delta\Theta$ observances in Los Angeles, was conducted with fitting inspiration by Province President Stanley Brown. Those honored with their parchments for 50 years of honored membership, as they stood with candle bearers in attendance, were the following six: Herbert M. Harwood, *Chicago* '08; Nelson Irving Mixer, *Colby* '08; Col. George W. Prince, *Knox* '08; Cecil Phayre Lyon, *Ohio Wesleyan* '08; Clarence L. ("Chick") Variel, *California* '08; and Burritt Wheeler, *Columbia* '05.

Unable to attend because of illness, or other compelling reasons were the following Brothers residing in Southern California, to whom Golden Legion certificates were awarded in *absentia*: Harold Lyman Adams, *Vermont* '06; John Norton Atkins, *Sewanee* '98; Charles Coburn Merrill, *Allegheny* '05; Victor Elliot, *McGill* '08; John Homer Hunt, *Nebraska* '06; Theodor D. Kelsey, *Ohio Wesleyan* '07; Baron Henderson Long, *DePauw* '07; David Burnet Scott, *Williams* '08; and Roy Walter Sheppard, *Michigan* '08.

On conclusion of the Golden Legion ceremony, a short and interesting talk was made by Francis D. ("Pete") Lyon, *U.C.L.A.* '28, past president of Omicron Province, and present member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s Survey Commission. Pete gave a thumbnail sketch of the Survey Commission's work, not only in the far western states, where he has been most active, but in other parts of the nation, and he gave a brief picture of the situation of our four new chapters.

After a delegation of four visiting Phis from Santa Barbara, Cal., representing their alumni club in a formal exchange of visits, had been

made, the hubbub over the evening's drawing of valuable door prizes ensued. The Santa Barbara brothers were: Bill Farnsworth, president; Ed Dow, secretary; Cedric Boeseke, vice-president, and Chris Christiansen, past president.

Those who won the evening's door prizes, to considerable personal exultation, were:

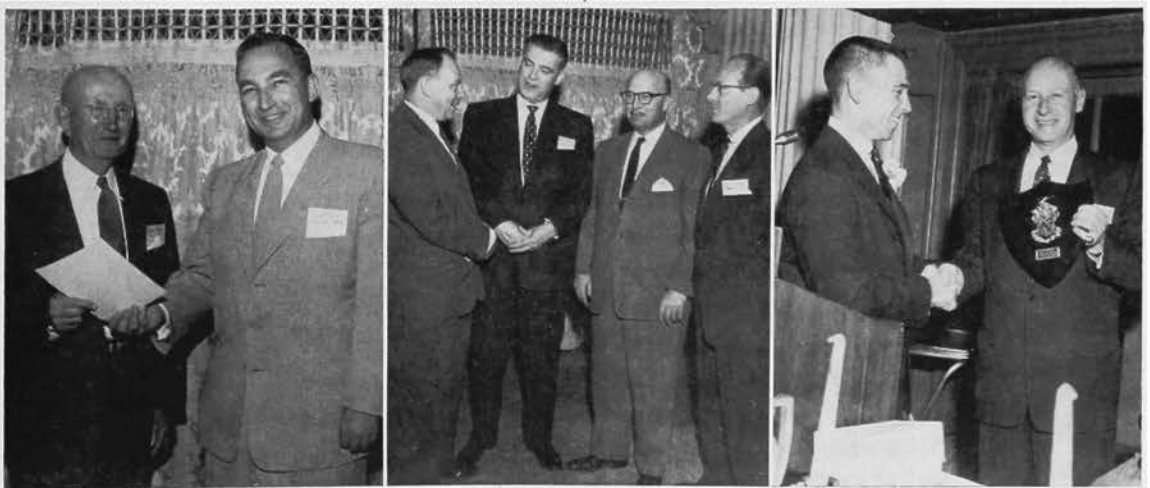
Weekend vacation for party to Mile High Resort—Willard E. Sanders, *Hanover* '29; $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ ring—Mike Hillock, U.S.C. undergraduate; $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ cuff links—Wyman Knapp, John Martin, U.C.L.A. undergraduate, and Joseph Stoddard; $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ tie clasps—Nelson Mixer, Port Arthur, Jack Young, Bill Huston, Hudson Drake, and Bob Rooney.—GEORGE K. SHAFER, Reporter.

Lubbock

THE Lubbock Alumni Club and the Texas Epsilon chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ met for Founders Day on March 15 at the Skyline Dining Room and enjoyed an excellent steak dinner with all the trimmings. More than sixty graduates and undergraduates enjoyed a social hour before the dinner, and an entertainment hour ended the evening.

The dinner was begun with the lighting of six azure candles by six undergraduates; each lighting his candle in memory of one of the founders of our Fraternity. Brother Earl Ince, Sr., gave the invocation. Pres. Glenn Cary of Texas Epsilon gave a report on activities of the chapter for the past year. He also gave a comment on visits to other chapters which members had made.

The outstanding event of the eve-



LOS ANGELES—Left: Chick and Dick, one of the most devoted $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ father-and-son combinations anywhere—Chick Variel, *California* '08, new Golden Legionnaire, and Dick Variel, *U.C.L.A.* '35, both Los Angeles attorneys. Center: Quartet interested in keeping alumni members happy and informed (from left) Ray Blackwell, Bill Rohlffs, Dave Arnold, president of the Hollywood Club, and Pete Lyon. Right: Rene Miller (left), Cal Gamma president, presents $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ wall plaque to Chapter Adviser Dean Nusbaum, as 63 actives present yelled stormy approval.



MACON—Long-time Phis honored (from left) Francis W. Dasher, Georgia '09, and Col. Samuel A. White, Georgia Tech '08, Golden Legionnaires; the Rev. Thomas E. Davenport, Emory '84, Phi for 75 years who was inducted into the "Diamond Legion," with G. Paul Jones, president of the Macon Club, who is holding the 75-year testimonial.

ning came when Brother Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, brought us an address on the selected subject—"In the Bond There is Strength." Our only regret of the evening was that other activities prevented 100% attendance at the function.—JOHN HARDING, Chapter Adviser.

Macon; Georgia Gamma

EIGHTY-THREE alumni and active Phis gathered at Macon, Ga., for the Founders Day banquet and dance on April 1. An outstanding program was enjoyed by those present.

Highlight of the evening was the Golden Legion ceremony climaxed by another presentation which might be called the "Diamond Legion" service, when the Rev. Thomas Edwin Davenport, Emory '84, of Americus, Ga., was awarded a certificate for 75 years of membership in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Paul Jones, president of the Macon



MACON—Dr. King Vivion, S.M.U. '16, giving principal address on Fraternity's Open Motto. Pictured also Bayne Barfield, Mercer '39 (with stogie), and Brother Davenport.

Alumni Club, presented Golden Legion Certificates to Francis Wagner Dasher, Georgia '09, and Col. Samuel A. White, Georgia Tech '08, both of whom drove from their homes in Savannah to receive the award; to Frank W. Capers, Mercer '08, Augusta, Ga., in absentia; and to Steve M. Solomon, Jr., Emory '08, one of whose three Phi sons, English Solomon, Georgia Tech '38, received the award for him. The other two sons are Steve M. Solomon, III, Mercer '36, and W. G. Solomon, III, Georgia Tech '40. In writing his regrets at not being present for the service, Brother Solomon said, "'It seems only yesterday' is certainly a trite enough expression, but one recent event that brings it to mind was my grandson's initiation (Steve M. Solomon, IV) into Georgia Delta recently. This, of course, was fifty years from the time of my initiation."



MACON—In all three pictures "Outstanding Undergraduate" awards are being made by John Peterson, Georgia Gamma president. Left: Tommy Patton, voted best Phikeia. Center: William Hanson, honored for having highest scholastic average in chapter. Right: Benny Waugh with his "Outstanding Senior" trophy.

Bayne Barfield presented Brother Davenport for the 75-year certificate which Brother Jones read aloud before presenting it. 92 years young, Brother Davenport responded with a short speech and then, to show that his voice has not cracked at 92, sang two spirituals, "Roll On, Jordan," and "Steal Away," which brought down the house. The day of the award, Brother Davenport had an article published in *The Wesleyan Christian Advocate* and could not remain in Macon for the dance as he had to get back to Americus for preaching services on Sunday. His son, Dr. Lowry Davenport, Emory '27, accompanied him.

John Peterson, president of the Georgia Gamma chapter, presented trophies to Tommy Patton, "Outstanding Phikeia," Benny Waugh, "Outstanding Senior," and William Hanson, who maintained the highest scholastic average in the chapter for the past year.

Dr. King Vivion, *Southern Methodist* '16, pastor of Vineville Methodist Church at Macon, gave the main address of the evening, an inspirational talk on the open motto, "One Man Is No Man."—L. BAYNE BARFIELD, Reporter.

Manitoba Alpha; Winnipeg

THE 107th anniversary of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was commemorated by the Manitoba Alpha actives and alumni on Wednesday, March 16, by a banquet and dance. This was the chapter's 25th anniversary of receiving its charter and the theme of the dance following the banquet colorfully stressed our 25 years as Phis.

The banquet was held in the stately splendour of the Fort Garry Hotel with about 60 members at-



MILWAUKEE—Quintet at head table. Seated, from left, Dr. Paul R. Hawley, reporter of the General Council, main speaker; Warren Buesing, acting president of the Milwaukee Club and toastmaster; J. H. Wilterding, president of the General Council. Standing—George Banta, III, president of Iota Province, and Hay Biggers, editor of THE SCROLL.

tending. Prof. John A. Russel, director of the School of Architecture and Interior Design, delivered the address as guest speaker. The Bond was read by Reginald Percy.

Bob Smethurst, chapter adviser, proposed a toast to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, to which William Novak replied. Thomas Rymes toasted the University of Manitoba and was replied to by Dave Frazer. Roy Vincent, as retiring president, addressed the meeting and conducted the inauguration of our newly-elected president, Bill Ireland. Roy Vincent received a gavel as souvenir of his year as president. In addition, several cup miniatures were presented. Bill Ireland received the "Mr. Phi" Trophy; Ralph Addison the scholarship award; and Ivan Mencik the athletic cup. Bryson Murray officiated as chairman.

Phis joined their wives and dates for the dance following the banquet program. The ballroom was splendidly

decorated for our chapter's 25th anniversary by Phis from Interior Design. Highlight of the dance was the crowning of Miss Nancy Fisher as "Phi Delta Theta Sweetheart." Norman Dobell, social chairman, was in charge of arrangements.—DAVID MALAHER, Reporter.

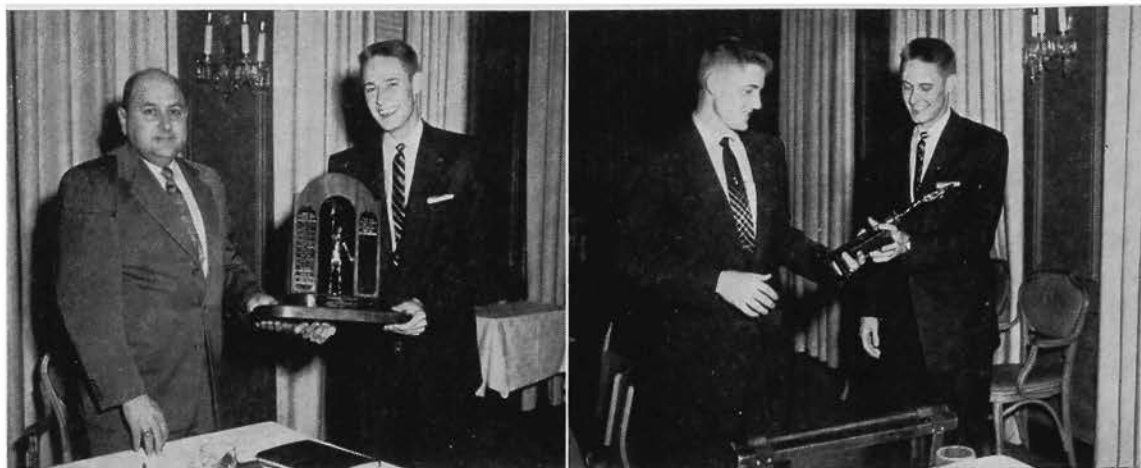
Milwaukee

THE Milwaukee Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ observed Founders Day at a banquet at the Milwaukee Athletic Club, Friday, March 11. A cocktail hour preceded the dinner, which brought out a crowd of about seventy-five Phis.

Warren Buesing, *Lawrence* '43, who was chairman of the affair also served as toastmaster and kept the program moving in good style. Main speaker of the evening was Dr. Paul R. Hawley, reporter of the General Council, and his talk was truly inspirational. Brother Hawley empha-



MILWAUKEE—Left: Trio responsible for fine Milwaukee Founders Day gathering check the receipts. From left, Warren Buesing, chairman; Robert McGahey, and Robert Riley. Right: One corner of the banquet room during singing of Phi songs. Pictured, from left, Richard Harris, Joe Hardman, Ken Jacobs, Robert Ryan, George Geiger (partly hidden), Paul Waterman, and Dan Allison.



NEBRASKA ALPHA; LINCOLN—Left: Chick Stuart, past province president, presents "Outstanding Phi" award to Al Anderson, chapter reporter. Right: Anderson gives senior intramural trophy to Joe Carter.

sized the part that alumni should play in the Fraternity and that membership definitely should not be considered as a "campus interlude." He also spoke movingly on the effect of the Bond on the lives of all Phis who live up to its principles, following the theme set for this Founders Day season—"In the Bond There Is Strength."

President of the G. C., John H. (Ding) Wilterding also gave a short talk, in which he explained some of the decisions of the Fraternity's governing body in recent months.

Following the talks by Brothers Hawley and Wilterding, Chairman Buesing presented each with beautiful hand illuminated testimonials from the Milwaukee Club. Testimonials were written by Buesing and hand-lettered by Danny Allison, *Wisconsin-Lawrence '45*.

Accompanying Brother Wilterding to the dinner were four other members of the Fox Valley Alumni Club of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$: George Banta, III, president of Iota Province; Larry Roeck, treasurer of the Club; Stanley Severson, and Hay Biggers, editor of *THE SCROLL*.

At the dinner plans were announced for a June 17 meeting, at which members of the Milwaukee Club will gather for dinner and then attend a night baseball game between the Milwaukee Braves and the New York Giants.—FRANK LOFTUS, *Secretary*.

Missouri Beta

AGAIN this year, as every year, March 15 was a very active day for Missouri Beta. Founders Day takes on a double significance for our chapter, as 75 years ago, in 1880, Robert Morrison founded Missouri Beta chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Each year on March 15, the

chapter holds a very impressive memorial service at the grave of Father Morrison, who is buried here in Fulton. (See cover I picture.)

In the evening, following the memorial service, we hold our annual Founders Day banquet. A great number of our alumni return to the chapter house each year for this occasion. This year we were fortunate in having as our speaker Judge Douglas L. Jones, *Westminster '06*. On March 14 of this year Brother Jones was given the "Outstanding Phi of the Year" award by the St. Louis Alumni Club.

Following the excellent speech by Brother Jones the chapter was honored with a talk by Brother Elmer C. Henderson, P.P.G.C. Of course no Founders Day banquet would be complete without a short talk from Missouri Beta's other P.P.G.C., Charles F. "Dog" Lamkin. "Dog" has always been as active at Missouri Beta as he has in the general Fraternity.

At the close of each Founders Day every member is left with a deep feeling of pride and understanding not soon to be forgotten.—JOHN V. GORDON, *Reporter*.

Nebraska Alpha; Lincoln

NEBRASKA ALPHA again enjoyed another successful Founders Day dinner in the company of Lincoln Alumni Club alumni at the Cornhusker Hotel in Lincoln. Many good times were re-lived and discussed at this traditional event in our Fraternity, which was attended by more than three hundred Phis.

Several awards were made during the evening, including a Golden Legion certificate to Brother J. Earl Foster, *Nebraska '08*, of Lincoln.

The "Outstanding Phi" award went to Al Anderson, reporter of Nebraska Alpha, and was presented by Chick Stuart, former Psi province president. A new award initiated this year by the class of '55 is the senior Intramural Trophy which will be given annually to the top senior in intramurals competition. The trophy was won by Joe Carter. The freshman Scholarship Cup was presented to Erik Olsen who led his class with an 8.2 average (93 per cent). This award was made by Emmett Junge, P.P.G.C. [See cuts; sorry . . . the Junge-Olsen presentation picture could not be reproduced.—Ed.]

The successful evening was due to the concentrated efforts of Dick Russell and Don Etmund, Lincoln Alumni Club president.—AL ANDERSON, *Reporter*.

New York City

NEW YORK CITY Phis attending the annual Founders Day dinner, March 15 in the Fifth Avenue Hotel were addressed by General Paul R. Hawley (USA Ret.), Reporter of the General Council.

"Too many members of Phi Delta Theta choose to take from the Fraternity, in their college years—and, after graduation, give nothing back," said General Hawley. "All have taken something—all have a debt to pay," he emphasized. He saw such repayment bringing bigger dividends if it was in the form of service to the Fraternity than if in money. One aspect of such service, was assistance and backing to undergraduate chapters, he said.

General Hawley congratulated the group at the dinner on the number

of older Phis who were in attendance. He said it was a pleasure to address a dinner at which both young and older graduates were so well represented.

The General was introduced by immediate past president of the Club, Bush Owen, who served as toastmaster. Brother Owen gave a highly flavored introduction, which added to the general enjoyment of the evening, but left the members in the dark as to the real background of Brother Hawley. This was acknowledged by the General, who filled in the background and added some colorful notes of his own before proceeding with the main body of his address.

Golden Legionnaire Clem Paxson performed ably, as Chairman of the Golden Legion ceremony—the first without the late Brother Barrett Herrick—for many years. Grover Hartman Bode, *Columbia '08*, was present and received his certificate. Brother Ernest Quantrell, *Chicago '05*, unfortunately, was rushed to the hospital for a serious operation the day before the dinner, but will receive his certificate at a later date. Several other eligibles were unable to be present, because of the sudden severe weather. President Dale Hawkins was in the chair, arrangements were handled by Brothers Harvey Donegan, Dan Miller and Hugh Weeden, who did an excellent job.

General Hawley called on each Phi alumnus to contribute as much time as possible toward liquidation of his debt to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. He offered general criticism of alumni members of the two Eastern chapters under suspension, for failing to give advice and guidance to the undergraduate members of these groups, before the chapters took action which led to their suspension.

He criticized the chapters also, pointing out how much better it would have been if they had been forced off the campus under circumstances which they could not control, rather than choosing to take action which turned the Fraternity, as a whole, against them.

Discussing the changes made in Section 26 of the Constitution at the Convention this past year, General Hawley said it would not make friends of the enemies who had been attacking $\Phi\Delta\Theta$; but added that it had been accepted by many colleges who had objected to the section as it was.

Group singing of favorite Phi songs was led by Bill Story, and was louder and better than ever before.

It was announced that a roster will be issued by May 1 giving name, chapter, year, type of business, and address of each member of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$



NEW YORK ALPHA—Harvey J. Couch, *Cornell '01*, outstanding member of New York Alpha, is honored by the chapter in presentation of Golden Legion award at Initiation-Founders Day banquet.

Alumni Club of New York.—CLEM PAXSON, Reporter.

New York Alpha

MEMBERS of New York Alpha and alumni of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ combined an initiation banquet with a Golden Legion service to celebrate Founders Day, February 19.

The banquet was held after the final act of initiation for fifteen new members and there was a genuine feeling of brotherhood for the alumni and actives present.

During the Golden Legion ceremony, Harvey J. Couch, *Cornell '01*, received his certificate from Harry Loberg, *Cornell '29*, director of the Sibley School of Mechanical Engineering at Cornell. Brother Couch is perhaps the most outstanding member of New York Alpha, and throughout the years has helped the chapter through many of its difficulties. It was largely through his efforts that the present chapter house was financed.

Among the alumni present were Bill Mitchell, Beta Province President; Fred Kilbourne, president of the Alumni Association; and Stan Perez, chapter adviser of New York Alpha.—JIM LARRIMORE, Reporter.

New Mexico Alpha

NEW MEXICO ALPHA was fortunate in having H. L. (Pete) Stewart, M.G.C., as principal speaker at the Founders Day banquet held in March. A large representation of both the active chapter and the Alumni

Club were present to hear Brother Stewart report on the progress of the various chapters he has visited throughout the country. He also told members what the Fraternity has meant to him since he graduated and entered professional life.

Another member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for whom fraternity membership has had deep meaning, the Rev. Louis Palmer, *Syracuse '01*, was also present at the banquet.—FRED M. MOSSMAN, Reporter.

North Dakota Alpha

ON March 26, North Dakota Alpha and alumni of Grand Forks celebrated Founders Day with a banquet and a dance. A hardy time was had by all and the evening proved most successful. Entertainment was furnished by a sextet, composed of six initiates, and Phikeia Bob Griswald gave a skit.

President Maragos presided at the banquet and gave the yearly report of the chapter. Newly initiated brother, Bob Gilsdorf, was presented with the scholarship trophy for having the outstanding pledge average. Bob attained a 2.6 on a 3 point system. Also announced was Bob's selection as outstanding Phikeia and he was presented with a fifty dollar scholarship.

J. Earl McFadden, recently retired chapter adviser, was commended for his fine work with the chapter and we will surely miss his guidance. As he so aptly stated himself, he has retired in title only.



NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA—This chapter combined its largest initiation in history with the observance of Founders Day this year. Pictured above is the class of 25 new Phis who were honored at the banquet which followed the initiation ceremonies.

The same day saw 25 new members initiated into the Bond. It was the largest initiation class North Dakota Alpha has ever had.

After the banquet approximately forty alumni met and discussed the chapter's need for a new house.—**JACK H. BAUKOL, Reporter.**

San Antonio

THE $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni Club of San Antonio, Texas, held its first Founders Day banquet in over twenty years at the Sevenoaks Country Club, February 24, 1955. Brother Glenn Foster, Indiana '18, the famous Phi who was initiated at the Indiana Alpha centennial after a delay of 35 years, was the moving force behind the Founders Day celebration.

Following our dinner Brothers Foster and F. M. Gillespie gave short

talks on the history of our Fraternity and the alumni club in this area. As the climax of the program, Alumni Secretary Ray Blackwell gave us his Phi Project-A-Talk. We were honored to have Brother Blackwell with us for the occasion.

Plans were made to have regular luncheon meetings (see Directory) and officers were elected for the coming years, as follows: president, Guy Hughes; vice-president, Frank M. Gillespie; secretary-treasurer, J. A. Nussbaum, Jr.; and reporter, E. Y. Wyatt.—**J. A. NUSSBAUM, JR., Secretary.**

Oakland

THE Oakland East Bay Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ played host to the San Francisco Alumni Club and undergraduates from both California Alpha and Cali-

fornia Beta at the 1955 Founders Day banquet. Over one hundred brothers turned out for the affair held on April Fools' Day at the Villa De La Paix in Oakland.

The main speaker of the evening, Norm Standlee, Stanford '40, All-American grid star, told a few of his experiences as a professional football player with the Chicago Bears and the San Francisco 49ers.

Original "Dennis the Menace" cartoons for the program were drawn by Hank Ketcham, Washington '41. The program was guided smoothly by M.C. Judge Dudley Nebeker, California '30, with the help of Carter Norris, California '48, and Howard Martin, California '49, at the door.

The Golden Legionnaire ceremony for seven half-century men was ably performed by Don Thomas, California '20, president of the California Alpha House Corporation. The three men able to be present to receive their certificates are: Arthur Gray Caldwell, Purdue '05; Albin Jennings Anderson, Washington (St. Louis) '03, and Stephen Frank Otis, California '08. The four who received their awards in absentia are: Perley Orman Ray, Vermont '98; Lawrence Brownell Lewis, Iowa Wesleyan '06; James P. "Pappy" McBaine, Missouri '02, and Stanley Victor Walton, California '04.

The door prizes were procured by Vin Angwin, California '48, and the arrangements were made by Bert Williams, Montana '25. General chairman of the banquet was Charlie Hoge, Kentucky-California '49.

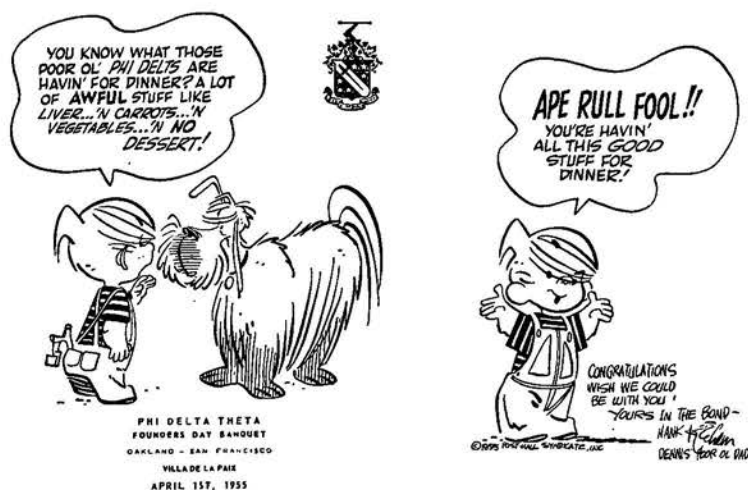
Our plans for the Summer include a smoker and golf tournament the end of June.—**CHARLIE HOGE, President.**

Oregon Gamma

THIS year's Founders Day banquet of Oregon Gamma was held March 14, and found us with a wonderful turnout of 105. Of these sixty were active members and pledges. After a fine welcome from President Dale Patton, we proceeded to the main course of the dinner.

After dinner, a report was given by Alumni Secretary Dave Wisnom, who told of the activities being carried on by the alumni and their future plans. Treasurer Doug Wall reported on house improvement, stating that over \$2000 is being spent on redecoration, including tiling hall floors, painting public rooms and chapter room, new draperies, recovering of old furniture and purchase of new pieces.

The main speaker of the evening was Brother Paul Geddes, one of Oregon's outstanding senators. Topic of Brother Geddes' speech was "In the Bond There Is Strength." At the conclusion of this inspirational talk; we closed the evening by singing many



OAKLAND—Original "Dennis the Menace" cartoons pictured above were drawn by Cartoonist Hank Ketcham, Washington '41, especially for the Oakland Founders Day program. At left is page one and at right, page two, which faced the dinner menu.



OAKLAND—Left: View of speakers' table at Oakland gathering (from left) Norm Standlee, Stanford football great who was main speaker; Judge Dudley Nebeker, Gen. Curtis O'Sullivan, William Gibbs, Albin Anderson. Center: Three Golden Legionnaires—Arthur G. Caldwell, Purdue '05; Albion J. Anderson, Washington (St. Louis) '03; and Stephen F. Otis, California '08. Right: With Standlee's help, Brother Nebeker passes out the door prizes.

of the old chapter favorites. All in all, we felt this was one of the best banquets in years.—WES MALCOLM, Reporter.

viewed the ideals and principles of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ observing that he had attended each of the past seven General Conventions. A truly great Phil!

At the opening of the meeting our

This impressive ceremony followed the ritual of the candlelighting ceremony by the active brothers and each Golden Legionnaire was escorted to the rostrum by an active.

Pittsburgh

THE Founders Day banquet held at the Pittsburgh Athletic Association Annex on Saturday evening March 26, was in many ways a marked success. True, we did not turn out the crowd this year, but what we lacked in numbers was more than offset by the enthusiasm of the group.

Our speaker, the Rev. Paul Hudson, W. & J. '36, Pastor of the Pleasant Hills Community Church, gave a most inspiring talk, his subject being "In the Bond there is Strength." Paul took us back to the days of the founding of our great Fraternity—followed through with frequent reference to the six lighted candles before him and their significance to all of us. He pointed out the serious aspects of fraternity life generally, the aims of college fraternities, and particularly the aims of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ as emphasized by the teachings of the Bond. Brother Paul is a member of several Masonic bodies, Chaplain of Syria Temple, a member of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, and the A. T. E. Philosophical Fraternity. He is very active in community affairs and is widely known as a conference leader and speaker on matters pertaining to better racial understanding, inter-cultural activities and inter-faith efforts. Paul recently returned from Israel, the Arab States and the Middle East, where he participated in a Study Tour as a member of the American Christian Palestine Committee. He founded and built the Pleasant Hills Community Church and has been its Minister since 1940. Although the church has a Presbyterian government, it includes 24 different denominations and a congregation of 1,800.

Paul was ably presented to the meeting by Brother Grosvenor McKee, Ohio '16, acting as toastmaster. "Grov" is vice-president of Talon, Inc. (Zippers to you). He also re-



OREGON GAMMA—View of speakers' table. (Identification not given.)

President, Tom McDermott, Cornell '15, presented Golden Legion Certificates and 50-year lapel buttons to Brothers William G. Bechman, W. & J. '08; William H. Child, Vermont '08, and Archie C. Perry, Allegheny '08.

The "Markel Report," a 41 year record of attendance of weekly luncheon meetings was read and discussed by Brother George R. Herrington, Recording Secretary. He has faithfully maintained this report since the death



PITTSBURGH—Vic Zach (center), president of Pa. Iota chapter at Pittsburgh, holds Upsilon Province Improvement Trophy, presented at Pittsburgh Founders Day dinner. He is congratulated by (from left) Wally Smith, Elmer Smith, Alex Meanor, Jim Fulton, member of Congress from Pennsylvania, Jim Trebac of Pennsylvania Iota, and Golden Legionnaire William G. Bechman.



PITTSBURGH—Left: Toastmaster Grosvenor McKee gets the program at the Pittsburgh Founders Day dinner underway as the Rev. Paul Hudson (left), principal speaker; Milo W. Summers, chairman of Awards Committee; and Alex P. Meanor, president-elect, give close attention. Right: Pittsburgh Alumni Club President Tom C. McDermott officiating at the candle-lighting ritual in preparation for the Golden Legion ceremony.

of our beloved Brother "Doc" Markel, in whose memory the report has been named. We offer a challenge to any other Alumni Club to produce such a record. It has done much to stimulate interest in weekly luncheons which average around 30 Brothers every Friday.

The committee on the Improvement trophy presented each year to the chapter in Upsilon Province showing the greatest scholarship and improvement in all-round activities was read by Brother Milo G. Summers, *Lehigh* '19, in the absence of its Chairman, Al Matisse. The award went to Pitt this year on a very outstanding record. It was suggested by Brother Summers that a trophy be secured and presented each year to the chapter having the highest scholarship. A committee is going to study this plan.

Brother Bill Hagelin, *Pitt* '48, as chairman of the Nominating Committee presented the following names: president, Alex P. Meanor, *Pitt* '23; vice-president, Milo G. Summers, *Lehigh* '19; reporter, Joseph B. Seidlitz, Jr., *Pitt* '47; recording secretary, George R. Herrington, *Pitt* '48; treasurer, Charles B. Saints, *Ohio Wesleyan* '26; secretary, R. W. Richardson, *Montana* '21. They were elected by acclamation.—JOSEPH B. SEIDLITZ, JR., Reporter.

Portland

THE speakers' table at the Portland Alumni Founders Day banquet bulged with Phi dignitaries and welcome guests when over 130 brothers met for a completely enjoyable evening in the Grand Ballroom of the Multnomah Hotel, April 1.

A friendly hour preceded the events which included a fine meal, entertainment by the Multnomah Club Baladeers—a local male singing group of

about forty voices—excellent speeches, the annual election of officers, much good fellowship, and an initiation into the Golden Legion.

Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary, gave the principal address. The group was also honored by the presence of Ray Gardner, T.G.C.; George Houser, P.P.G.C.; Hayward Biggers, editor of *THE SCROLL*; Donald DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner; Grant Swan, president of Pi Province South; and local celebrated Phis too numerous to mention. Activities of the local undergraduate chapters were brought to the attention of the organization through the presence of their officers and members who came for the occasion.

One of the highlights of the evening was the impressive initiation into the Golden Legion of B. M. (Bench) Howard, *Nebraska* '09. Presiding at the ceremony was Judge Frank C. Howell, *Knox* '06, himself a Legionnaire.

Brother Jack Dudrey, the outgoing president of the Alumni Association, was given a gavel in appreciation for his services during the past year, and the thanks of all the members of the Portland organization to Jack and his fellow administrators could be seen in the number and enthusiasm of the brothers that attended this function.

The new officers taking their respective positions that evening were: Pres Phipps, president; Jim Schram, vice-president; Bob Christ, secretary; and Bill Crosbie, who was re-elected—because of his fine ability with the association's funds—to the office of treasurer.

All in all, the banquet was a tremendous success, and an evening of which each of the brothers can be justly proud. The members of the Portland Association are especially appreciative of the opportunity to meet with and hear the many national figures who attended, most of whom

had to come many miles to be present.

Every brother in the Portland area was reminded of the weekly luncheon meetings at Davey's Locker each Thursday Noon, the attendance at which has been gratifying to all.—BOB CHRIST, Secretary.

Richmond

MORE than sixty brothers attended our annual Founders Day dinner at the Holloway House in Richmond on March 12. Dr. William Weisiger, *Randolph-Macon* '06, graciously accepted his Golden Legion certificate with fond recollections of his college days as a young Phi. Richard P. Gravely, *Randolph-Macon* '05, of Danville, and Henry B. Epes, *W&L* '97, of Richmond, were unable to be present and their certificates were mailed to them.

The Marlan T. Nolan Award was won by Robert Gordon Gooch, *W&L* '56. This award is given annually by the Richmond Alumni Club to the outstanding undergraduate Phi in Virginia in memory of Captain Nolan, *Richmond* '42, who was killed in Korea serving with the Air Force.

Dr. Grellett C. Simpson, *Randolph-Macon* '30, dean of the faculty at Randolph-Macon College, was our principal speaker. His talk dealt with what he termed the "oral traditions" of the Fraternity as passed on to him principally by Arthur Priest, former executive secretary. He expressed the belief that it should be the duty of present members of the General Council to see that these traditions are transmitted to each generation of active Phis, since a casual reading of the Bond does not necessarily transmit all of its words of guidance and wisdom. The Bond, he said, stresses the individuality of each brother and

warns against blind conformity with the group. It sets up standards of morality and ethics and counsels us that the individual member of a chapter, and, for that matter a chapter itself, cannot live in isolation.

The Bond, he said puts greater emphasis on service to our brothers and to our school and on a dedicated life. He urged all to make a special effort to reread the Bond at the earliest opportunity.

After the meeting, the members attended an "Open House" at Virginia Delta's lodge on the University of Richmond campus.—B. J. HULCHER, Jr., Secretary.

Rockford

THE Founders Day banquet of the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni Club of Rockford, Ill., was held at the University Club, Wednesday, March 23. There were 25 Phis from the area in attendance. The Rev. Olin C. Jones, Allegheny '07, was presented with a Golden Legionnaire certificate. Subsequent to the ceremony honoring Brother Jones, the following officers were elected: Karl Erickson, president; Richard T. Leighton, rushing chairman and vice-president; Dr. John S. Weiss, secretary-treasurer, and Raymond J. Shaffer, recording secretary.

A resolution was proposed and passed that the club make further efforts to contact the local Phis now in undergraduate school and to offer them aid and help in rushing for this year.—DAVID S. PADDOCK, Reporter.

Sacramento

THE Founders Day banquet held in the Capitol Inn, Sacramento, on the night of March 26 was a memorable one for the Sacramento Alumni Club. This date coincided with the installation of California Epsilon chapter, University of California at Davis, and because of the latter occasion, we were honored with the presence of more



SACRAMENTO—Top: Dr. C. S. Mudge, popular member of faculty at University of California at Davis who was initiated into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ with new California Epsilon chapter. He is shown speaking at Founders Day dinner, which followed the installation ceremonies, after being given a great ovation. Below: Brother Percy Napton, Missouri '98, responding after induction into the Golden Legion. Visible at left are Ray Gardner, Bob Jones, president of California Epsilon, Dr. Clem Bininger, and Stan Brown, who presided over the Golden Legion ceremonies.

officers of national prominence than most of us in the club have ever seen assembled in one place. We were joined in observance of Founders Day by the members of brand new California Epsilon, as well as large representations from California Alpha, Beta, and Gamma.

Present at the head table were Brothers Ray Gardner, Clem Bininger, Pete Stuart, Bob Miller, Ray Blackwell, Hayward Biggers, and John Grubb and Stan Brown, presidents of Omicron Province North and South, respectively. Also at the speakers'

table were Brothers Bob Jones, California Epsilon; Bob Beach, California Beta; Larry Taber, California Alpha; Dr. C. S. Mudge, newly initiated member of California Epsilon and a member of the faculty at Davis; John Doyle, vice-president of Sacramento Alumni Club; and our own very able Master of Ceremony, Roy Rudine, Secretary of the Club.

The evening's program was opened with Bob Jones leading the Pledging of ten Phikeias to the new chapter. John Doyle, on behalf of President Bill Fairbanks, who was absent on

RICHMOND—Left: Roger G. Gooch of Virginia Zeta shown receiving the Marlan T. Nolan Award from Robert H. Morrison, Cincinnati '11, son of our Founder. Oscar Parrish, president of the Richmond Club in background. Center: Dr. William Weisiger, Randolph-Macon '06, accepts his Golden Legion certificate from Delta Province President Moreland T. Irby. Right: Virginia Gamma undergraduates perform candle-lighting ceremony in Golden Legion ritual.





SANTA BARBARA—Eleven Golden Legionnaires, including those newly inducted, were present at the Santa Barbara Founders Day dinner. They are pictured above (left to right) standing: William K. Crawford, California '02; C. Harry Monett, California '06; Lynn S. Gillham, Minnesota '06; Eldon Ford, DePauw '07; Amos Thomas, Nebraska '09; Wells Hodgson, Minnesota '08; Clarence Variel, California '08; Dwight Powell, Westminster '08. Seated: Hugh S. Jewett, California '06; Earle E. Farnsworth, Nebraska-Cornell '03; and M. J. Cloyes, Kansas '03, senior member of the group.

business for Governor Knight, presented a gavel to the Epsilon chapter from the Sacramento Alumni Club, followed by remarks by Dr. Mudge, expressing his feelings on being a newly initiated member of the fraternity. Ray Gardner then spoke for President Wilterding, adding a warm welcome for the newly installed chapter and pointing out that the success of the new venture will depend in a large degree upon the cooperation of the alumni clubs and nearby active chapters.

Remarks were added by other members at the speakers' table, including a forecast of foreseeable expansion in Omicron Province North by John Grubb.

Climaxing the festivities, prior to the speaker of the evening, Stan Brown conducted an impressive presentation of the Golden Legion award to Brother Percy Napton, Missouri '98. Brother Napton was scheduled to receive the award at last year's Founders Day, but unfortunately suffered an accident that postponed the ceremony till this year.

As speaker of the evening, Brother Clem Bininger welded new members and old and gave purpose to alumni activities by reciting how he has come in contact with the living history of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ through the years wherever he has been.

Throughout the evening the spirit was heightened by the lively singing

leadership of the group of brothers from California Gamma in Los Angeles. Our memory of old verses were refreshed and new ones heard, and at the end of the evening all present felt closer to the spirit we originally knew as undergraduates and the purpose set forth by our Founders.—J. C. OBERMULLER, Reporter.

Santa Barbara

ON March 22 there assembled at the Presidio Restaurant in Santa Barbara, 36 alumni representing eighteen chapters of the Fraternity. This number included eleven members who have served the Fraternity for fifty years or more. For an hour before dinner old friends met once again over cocktails, recalled the happy memories of bygone years.

Invocation by William Baise, Indiana '36, started off a wonderful steak dinner to satisfy the physical needs of the brothers. Following the dinner Pres. William K. Farnsworth, Nebraska-U.C.L.A. '36, as master of ceremonies, introduced the visiting dignitaries, including Hayward S. Biggers, Editor of THE SCROLL; Ray E. Blackwell, Alumni Secretary; Stan Brown, Omicron South Province president; William Rohlfis, Los Angeles Alumni Club president; and David Arnold, president of the Hollywood Alumni Club. Brother Biggers spoke briefly about his work with the Fraternity publications.

Stan Brown, acting as Master of the Golden Legion Ceremony, initiated into its ranks the following: Lynn Gillham, Minnesota '06; Hugh S. Jewett, California '06; Eldon Ford, DePauw '07; Wells Hodgson, Minne-



SACRAMENTO—Left: Feature of program was pledging ceremony for ten California Epsilon Phikeias. Pres. Bob Jones is administering the pledge. Below: Partial view of banquet room and speakers' table. At the head table (from right) are shown Bob Miller, assistant executive secretary; Golden Legionnaire Percy Napton; Hay Biggers, editor of THE SCROLL; Dr. C. S. Mudge, H. L. (Pete) Stuart of the G. C.; John Doyle, Sacramento Club veep; Stan Brown, and C. L. Rudine, hard-working secretary of the Club.

sota '08; and Dwight Powell, *Westminster* '08. Assisting Stan in the ceremony were these Golden Legionnaires: M. J. Cloyes, *Kansas* '03; Earle E. Farnsworth, *Nebraska-Cornell* '03; Wm. Kay Crawford, *California* '02; C. Harry Monett, *California* '06; Clarence Variel, *California* '08; and Amos Thomas, *Nebraska* '09.

Following the Golden Legion ceremony, Ray Blackwell presented his "Project-A-Talk" which brought us up to date on the Fraternity story.

Other out of town brothers attending were Louis Tellner, Otto A. Steiert, and Frank P. Leckie. Present from the Santa Barbara Club were Otto Elble, B. Cedric Boeseke, William C. Hall, Sam Dolman, Robert Hutton, R. P. Farnsworth, W. R. Mengelberg, Ed Dow, Tom Baskerville, Carl Phleger, C. C. Christiansen, Berry Watson, and Vernon C. Bayne. —Ed Dow, *Secretary*.

San Diego

THE San Diego Alumni Club observed Founders Day at a dinner meeting at the U.S. Grant Hotel March 17. Forty brothers attended.

Brother Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary, showed slides which were most informative, relative to activities and standings of the active chapters and our entire international brotherhood.

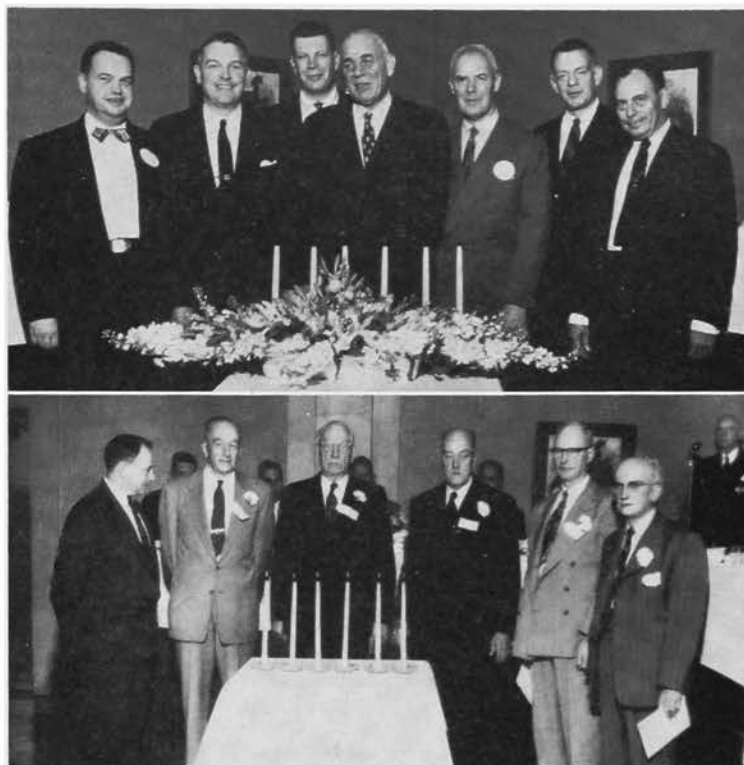
Brother E. J. Dick, our delegate to the General Convention in 1954, reported briefly on the activities at Mackinac Island.

With due ceremony Brothers Edward T. Lannon, *Colorado* '05, P. Victor Morgan, *California* '08, and R. E. Cullison, *Kansas* '02, were inducted into the ranks of the Golden Legion.

John Terhorst, *Wisconsin* '32, was elected president, Thos. M. McMillan, *Southwestern* '34 vice-president, and Robert Kinslow, *California* '48, secretary and treasurer. —R. A. KINSLOW, *Secretary*.

Seattle

THE Seattle Alumni Club observed Founders Day with a banquet, attended by 220 at the College Club, March 31. We were fortunate in having on hand many of the leaders of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. The principal speaker was Donald M. DuShane, *Wabash* '27, Director of Student Affairs at the University of Oregon. Brother DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner of the Fraternity, delivered an enlightening talk on his analysis of the problems that the fraternity system faces in the college atmosphere of today. He



Photos by H. R. Spinner, Knox '07

SEATTLE—Top: Phi luminaries at Seattle Founders Day dinner March 31 (from left) Don DuShane, Scholarship Commissioner and principal speaker; Harry Givan, new president of the Seattle Club; Bob Behnke, president of Pi Province North; Ray Gardner of the General Council; George Housser, P.P.G.C.; Phil Wolgemuth, retiring president; and Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary. Bottom: Brother Blackwell (left) pictured with Seattle's newly inducted Golden Legionnaires—Sam G. Lamping, W. Frank Dowd, F. Lynn Ratcliffe, all Washington '09; Walter S. Hillman, Minnesota '06; and Ralph G. Chittenden, Washington '10.

gave examples of the efforts that are being made to raise the scholarship standards of our various chapters. It was indeed a pleasure to have Don as our guest.

William F. Eakin, president of the Washington Alpha active chapter, gave an interesting summary of current activities. Art Delimtros, another Washington Alpha active, provided the musical change-of-pace with three slick numbers on his accordion. Bob Behnke, president of Pi Province North, presented an up-to-date report on the chapters in this area. Bob Tate, *Washington* '48, next told us in a modest talk how it feels to be coach of the champion high school basketball team in the State. This was Brother Tate's second year as head coach at Garfield High, Seattle, and his five went all the way after losing in the finals a year ago in his freshman attempt.

Paul D. Mackie, *Washington* '09, chairman of the local Golden Legionnaires (eulogized the passing of his

college roommate, Fred (Pete) Tegtmeier. Brother Tegtmeier, who would have attained the Golden legion award in 1956, was accidentally killed recently.

Ray L. Gardner, our stalwart on the General Council, followed with a high level talk on the status-quo of the Fraternity. Brother Ray also introduced George E. Housser, P.P.G.C., who favored us by coming from Vancouver, B.C., for the occasion. An added attraction was the timely arrival of Ray Blackwell, Alumni Secretary. Ray has been traveling thousands of miles in visiting the western chapters and it took some close scheduling to attend our show. He spoke with his usual thoughtfulness and inspiration in recommending ways by which the brothers can best live up to the standards of our Fraternity.

At this point the impressive Golden Legion ceremony was conducted with Dan Trefethen, *Amherst* '98, again the versatile Master of Ceremonies. The following brothers were on hand

for induction into the select group: Sam G. Lamping, *Washington '09*; W. Frank Dowd, *Washington '09*; F. Lynn Ratcliffe, *Washington '09*; Walter S. Hillman, *Minnesota '06*; and Ralph G. Chittenden, *Washington '10*.

Certificates have been mailed to two brothers who were unable to be present: Wayne Murray, *Syracuse '09*, and James Edwin Hamilton, *W & J '08*.

New officers were elected for the 1955-56 club year, as follows: president, Harry L. Givan; vice-president, George F. Kachlein; secretary, Jack Thomas; treasurer, Harry Goodfellow; reporter, Wm. T. Jacobson; and co-reporter, Pat L. Goodfellow.

Brother Harold R. Spinner, a Golden Legionnaire, again did a magnificent job in making a photographic record of the proceedings. The club is very grateful to him for a beautiful leather portfolio of the pictures, which he presented to the club. Howard A. Hanson must also be mentioned for his cooperative efforts in advising on the Golden Legionnaire ceremony. As chairman the past few years, he had perfected the details and was accordingly a great help to Chairman Mackie and Club President Phil Wolgemuth.

Our Seattle Alumni Club will reconvene the first Thursday of May and June at the College Club before adjourning for the summer.—PHIL WOLGEMUTH, *President*, and PAT GOODFELLOW, *Reporter*.

South Dakota Alpha

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ sponsored its first Founders Day banquet in recent years on March 27. The banquet, attended by more than forty members of the active chapter and several alumni from Iowa and South Dakota, proved to be highly successful.

After an enjoyable dinner, Chapter President Harvey Delzer conducted a business meeting and reviewed the highlights of the year's activities. The success of this year's Founders Day celebration has given members of South Dakota Alpha hope of making the annual commemoration a "must" for all Phis in the South Dakota area.—OTTO W. KAISER, *Reporter*.

Spokane

THE Spokane Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ held another outstanding Founders Day banquet, March 16, at the Manito Golf and Country Club in Spokane. Approximately one hundred alumni and actives met at 6:30 for cocktails and then sat down to a roast beef dinner and an excellent program. We

were very fortunate to have ten actives from Idaho Alpha and twelve from Washington Gamma chapters spend the evening with us.

Master of Ceremonies for the evening was the prominent Spokane attorney, Horton Herman, *Idaho '34*, who introduced the main speaker of the evening, the Rev. Dean Frederick W. Kates of St. John's Episcopal Cathedral, whose subject was "Ten Points for Living."

Fran Pearson, Province President, gave his annual report and showed that all active chapters of Tau Province are doing well on their respective campuses.

Before adjournment, election of officers was held with the following men taking office: president, Clyde Raynor; vice-president, John Skadan; secretary, Robert Gebert; treasurer, Robert K. Taylor. The new officers assured the Alumni Club that this will be an active year, with the club closely associated with the active chapters.—J. T. PETERSON, *Secretary*.

St. Louis

JANUARY and February were very busy months for the St. Louis Alumni Club as preparations were made for the annual Founders Day banquet on Monday evening, March 14, at the Sheraton Hotel. Cocktails were the order from 5:30 to 7:00 P.M., and a delicious dinner followed, during which the active chapter members from Missouri Alpha, Missouri Beta, and Missouri Gamma led the alumni in group singing of Fraternity songs. The actives sang well.

Among the distinguished Phis at the head table were Brothers Kenton R. Cravens, *Kansas '25*, president of Mercantile Trust Co. in St. Louis; the Honorable George H. Moore, *Missouri '01*, United States District Judge; and Benedict Farrar, *Washington (St. Louis) '08*, outstanding St. Louis architect who received the Golden Legion award.

After dessert there was an extra course—those usual modest reports of extreme progress by the above-mentioned active chapters. Brothers Ed Travis, Ted Grove and Monte Shomaker delivered the sermons.

On the more serious side, Judge Moore, himself the winner of our "Phi of the Year" award in 1953, was called upon to present the "Phi of the Year" award for 1954 to Brother Douglas L. C. Jones, *Westminster '36*, as the outstanding Phi Alumnus in St. Louis through his civic and fraternal service to the community. Brother Jones was appointed Circuit Judge by the Governor in 1953 when two new divisions were added to the County

Court. In November, 1954, he was elected for an additional term in spite of a predominant victory for the opposing political party. He was assigned to his first Grand Jury in 1954, and was also appointed temporary Probate Judge. Recently he has been given the honor of serving on the St. Louis Court of Appeals. Even with all of these duties, Brother Jones has done extremely fine work with juvenile delinquents, both as a Judge of the Juvenile Court and as an individual. Congratulations Doug!

Our speaker of the evening was to have been Brother Francis P. Hardaway, *Washington (St. Louis) '09* (Brig. Gen. U.S.A. retired), Director of Civil Defense for St. Louis. Illness kept him from being with us, but his assistant, Major Robert Hanson, delivered a very interesting and timely talk on "Escape from the H Bomb." We know everything now except who will direct the traffic.

After proof of our solvency as an Alumni Club by the retiring treasurer and the announcement of election results for those who will lead our club through 1955, the banquet meeting was adjourned to the more profitable business of the evening—for some.—W. B. GERSTUNG, *Secretary*.

St. Petersburg

THE St. Petersburg Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ celebrated Founders Day, March 25, with a banquet at the Huntington Hotel in St. Petersburg. Approximately thirty-five Phis were in attendance, including several visiting brothers from our northern States and Canada.

The guest speaker for the evening was Dr. John Tigert, a past president of the University of Florida (1928-1947) and past president of the General Council of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ (1926-28).

Dr. Tigert installed the new Alumni Club officers: Dean Hoffman, P.P.G.C., president; Stanley C. Shaver, Jr., vice-president; and Robert A. Runcie, secretary-treasurer.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of a Golden Legionnaire certificate and pin to Thomas Downey Stevenson, *Wisconsin '08*. The ceremony was conducted by President Hoffman, who several years ago authored this beautiful Fraternity ritual.

Saturday, April 16, for faithful attendance at the weekly $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Club Friday luncheons at Hotel Suwanee, Brothers J. Ed Lewis and Joseph Bradham loaded their cabin cruisers with "delicacies," and the regular "luncheonaires" took a cruise across Tampa Bay and had luncheon at the Holmes Beach Yacht Club.—ROBERT A. RUNCIE, *Secretary*.

Tacoma

THE Founders Day banquet of the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni Association of Tacoma, Wash., was held March 10, with members of the active chapter of Washington Alpha and Washington Delta present. Ray Gardner, T.G.C., was guest speaker and inspired the group with his views on fraternity and fraternalism.

Election of officers was held, with the following men taking over: John R. Stenger, president; Jack Getaz, vice-president; Harvey Kuester, treasurer, and Edward M. Lane, secretary and reporter.

April events included an educational and most helpful visit from Ray Blackwell, alumni secretary, an alumni Miami Triad stag party and a joint dinner meeting with the active chapter of Washington Delta at the chapter house.—EDWARD M. LANE, *Reporter*.

Tampa

THE Founders Day banquet of the Tampa (Fla.) Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ was held at the Tampa Terrace Hotel, March 15, with 30 members present.

After two hours of fellowship and an excellent buffet-style dinner, the membership was treated to two short speeches on "Fellowship and Strength in the Bond," made by Brothers Bill Dupree, *Colorado* '19, and William W. Trice, *Richmond* '93, an active and loyal Phi, 83 years young.

The banquet closed with a short business meeting during which the officers received some excellent suggestions on how to increase attendance at monthly meetings and other functions.—JAMES F. BAUGHMAN, *President*.

Tennessee Beta

TENNESSEE Beta held its annual Founders Day banquet, March 17, with a good group in attendance. Following a splendid dinner, talks were heard from representatives of each class present. A most inspiring speech was given by Chapter adviser, Dr. Oscar Torian, *Sewanee* '93.

One of the highlights of the occasion was the presentation to the chapter of Tennessee Beta's first president's fraternity pin by his daughter, Mrs. Holmes Cheney. James Franklin Bailey '82, was one of the six founders as well as first president of the chapter. The pin, set with rubies and pearls, has been mounted and placed on display in the chapter room with the names of the six founders. Mrs. Cheney's husband and father were

also Phi from Georgia chapters.—BILL BURRILL, *Reporter*.

Topeka

THE Founders Day banquet and Annual Meeting of the Topeka Alumni Association was held in the Hotel Jayhawk on Monday, March 14, and was attended by 103 alumni and active members of Kansas Beta chapter.

The Topeka "Phi of the Year" was Howard Hunter, *Washburn* '39, who had been selected by the committee for his outstanding contributions to the Fraternity and the community in past years as well as the present. This award was presented by Terry McAdam, *Washburn* '46, who, two years ago, was Phi of the Year. Brother Hunter was out of the city at the time of the Founders Day celebration so the introduction was tape-recorded to be given to him at a later date.

The ceremony of the induction of Golden Legionnaires was handled by the active chapter of Kansas Beta. It was well done and very impressive. The certificates were presented to Brothers H. Banks, F. Banks, Jones, Moses, Russell, and Barteldes.

A report of the active chapter for the past year was given by Ralph Bowen, President of Kansas Beta. According to Brother Bowen, the chapter has been doing very well, taking second place in the 'All-Men's grade average with 1.38. They were very well represented in varsity football and basketball. In intramural sports they won the A and B team trophies. At the Homecoming they won two trophies on their float entered in the parade.

The guest speaker for the evening was Brother Jay Barrington, *Washington* '50, well known midwestern TV sportscaster for WDAF-TV in Kansas City, Mo. His talk proved to be very entertaining and inspiring.—CLARK A. GRAY, *Secretary*.

Tulsa

ENDING a weekend of Phi activities, Brother Joe T. Dickerson, *Oklahoma* '14, President of Shell Pipe Line Corp., Houston, Texas, delivered an inspiring speech to the Tulsa Alumni Association. This speech was a fitting climax to our Founders Day banquet March 13 after our annual dance Saturday night, March 12. The active chapters from Oklahoma A. & M. College and Oklahoma University were well represented at both the dance and the banquet, with the presidents of the chapters presenting reports on the year's happenings.

Other honored guests besides Brother Dickerson were Alumni Secre-

tary Ray Blackwell and Golden Legionnaire John W. Vaile, *Purdue* '08, Fort Smith, Ark. Brother Vaile was presented his Golden Legionnaire certificate by Tulsa Alumni President Joe Lippmann.

Those who participated in the program at the banquet in addition to Brothers Dickerson, Blackwell, Lippmann, and Vaile were Dave Morgan, vice-president; Paul R. Yard, Founders Day chairman; Mack Phillips, treasurer; Jack F. Cozier, secretary; Lawrence Ferguson, Ben Kirkpatrick, toastmaster; Joe Lessert, president of Oklahoma Alpha; and Jerry Shipley, president of Oklahoma Beta.—JACK F. COZIER, *Secretary*

Vermont Alpha

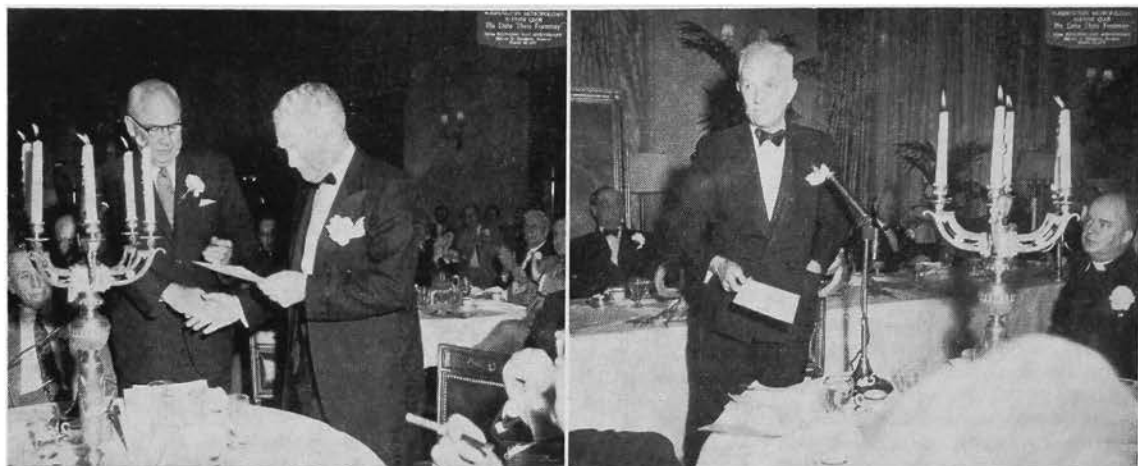
TWENTY-FIVE ALUMNI from as far away as Boston and as far back as the class of 1903 journeyed to their alma mater for the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Founders Day celebration held at the Vermont Alpha chapter house March 21. As the banquet began, the celebration was dedicated to Brothers George Sabin, *Vermont* '95, and Tom Cheney, *Vermont* '91. Following the dinner hour of fellowship, movies and slides were shown to give a clearer picture of recent activities of Vermont Alpha. Sidney Smith, *Williams* '38, was especially helpful in showing and commenting on some of his University of Vermont campus films.

An informal party in the activity rooms ended the scheduled events for the evening, which brought into being much closer feeling of fellowship between the active chapter and alumni. Congratulations go to Alumni Secretary Daniel Milloy for his work in making this possible.—ROBERT PARKER, *Reporter*.

Washington, D.C.

THE annual banquet of the Washington Metropolitan Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, celebrating the 107th Founders Day anniversary, was held at the Hotel Sheraton-Carlton on Friday evening, March 18. The venue was the only usual thing about the memorable gathering.

In addition to 163 alumni—biggest turnout in the Washington Club's history—an unusually large number of undergraduates from the Maryland University chapter brought the total of singing, cheering brothers to almost 200. The record breaking attendance—announced midway through the dinner by Melvin D. Hildreth, indefatigable president of the club—included brothers from no fewer than 77 chapters, itself a record for Washington's observance of the anniversary.



WASHINGTON, D.C.—Left: Judge Charles McLaughlin, Nebraska '08 (at right), of the United States Court for the District of Columbia, receives his Golden Legion certificate from George Gilligan, Nebraska '17. Right: John Tyssowski, California '08, chairman of the board of Woodward & Lothrop, largest department store in the District of Columbia, after he had received Golden Legion certificate from Herman Phleger, California '12, legal adviser to Secretary of State. At right is the Rev. B. Comer Lile, Auburn '30, who conducted the Golden Legion ceremony.

Our far-flung membership was abundantly proved when Brother Hildreth added the announcement that the University of Wyoming had the biggest delegation present. Almost a score of brothers from Wyoming got to their feet and took a bow to the accompaniment of vociferous applause.

Thanks to Brother Hildreth's unceasing labors—in which he was ably assisted by Carl A. Scheid, chairman of the committee on arrangements—the program was highlighted by a succession of unusually impressive events. It began with the presentation of an Honor Award by Ex-Senator Harry P. Cain, *Sewanee* '29, to Douglas McKay, *Oregon State* '17, Secretary of the Interior, in recognition of Brother McKay's "labors on behalf of the public welfare as Governor of Oregon and as Secretary of the Interior."

This was followed by an exceptionally moving ceremony as the Rev. Comer Lile, chaplain of the club, presented Golden Legion awards to Dr. Stewart McBryde, *W & L* '08; Judge Charles Francis McLaughlin, *Nebraska* '08; George McPhail Mine-tree, *W & L* '08; and John Tyssowski, *California* '08. Another Golden Legionnaire and the oldest Phi present was Col. J. F. Siles, *Auburn* '94.

More than ever the top table was a veritable galaxy of outstanding national figures, including such distinguished and loyal Phis as Associate Justice Sherman Minton of the United States Supreme Court; Tom Connally, former Senator from Texas; Elmer Thomas, former Senator from Oklahoma; Senator Eugene D. Millikin of Colorado; General Harry

Vaughan; Admiral Robert Shormley, Frank Russell, vice-president, NBC; and Congressmen Richard Bolling of Missouri, F. Ertel Carlyle of North Carolina, Frank L. Chelf of Kentucky, Robert H. Chipperfield of Illinois, Harold D. Cooley of North Carolina, Robert J. Corbett of Pennsylvania, James G. Fulton of Pennsylvania, Hal Holmes of Washington, John Jarman of Oklahoma, Paul G. Rogers of Florida, William L. Springer of Illinois, Clark W. Thompson of Texas, Francis E. Walter of Pennsylvania, E. Keith Thompson of Wyoming, and William B. Widnall of New Jersey.

Last, and uproariously best, was the presentation of a Remembrance Record to that most beloved of all our District of Columbia brothers, George S. Ward, immediate Past President of the General Council. With due regard to the importance of Founders Day as such, candor compels the unequivocal assertion that this year's celebrants looked upon the anniversary as—primarily—a tribute to the one and only George, Mister Phi Delt himself! The official program—a truly magnificent piece of offset printing—devoted the front page to seven different pictures of our George, signaling great moments in his long career as a devoted brother in the Bond. A blowup of the page was presented to him as an evidence of the place he occupies in the hearts of all who know him.

Although probably many of those present were not aware of it, George had been hospitalized and house-ridden up to the day of the banquet. It was only in the afternoon of that day that his physician gave permission for him to attend the ban-

quet. He will not know until these notes come to his attention that everything would have gone as planned—without his presence! Arrangements had been made by Brother Hildreth for a telephone hook-up between the banquet hall and the Ward apartment, so that George could hear every word of the proceedings—and address the gathering—without leaving his room. Happily, however, we had him with us in the flesh—and he was never in better form.

With Brother Sherman Kreuzberg, adviser to the Maryland chapter, at the piano the Maryland undergraduates led the crowd in singing three songs, especially written to honor George—parodies of popular melodies. Here are the words of one of them, to the tune of *Mister Sandman*:

*Mister Phi Delt, this is for you.
Founders Day Dinner?
Oh yes, that is true.
But better yet, from deep down in
our heart,
We tell you it's your gala night
à la carte!
Dear George, we're all for you,
With platinum hair and eye of blue,
Oh, Squire of Re-ho-beth Beach,
Mister Phi Delt, give us a speech!*

And, with characteristic bonhomie, he did!

The slate of officers for the current year, as drawn up by the nominating committee and approved by a unanimous voice vote, is as follows: William T. Gibb, M.D., president; Lloyd E. Church, D.D.S., 1st vice-president; James N. Kinsel, 2nd vice-president; Everett Flood, treasurer; Hayden Talbot, secretary; and the Rev. Comer Lyle, chaplain.

Regular weekly luncheons at the Army and Navy club, every Thursday at 12:15, continue to attract a goodly number of "regulars" as well as visiting brothers from all parts of the country. The food is wonderful, and the chatter enlightening.—HAYDEN TALBOT, *Secretary*.

Youngstown

THE Youngstown Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ held its annual Founders Day dinner on March 31, at the Youngstown Club at which time the Club was host to the newly organized Lambda chapter at Kent University. Brothers representing Kent were Thomas Browne, Ralph Dornbrock, Charles Harquist, Weil McBride and Clifford Whisler. A social hour was enjoyed prior to the dinner served at 7:30. Attendance was excellent.

Brother David Carroll served as Master of Ceremonies and presented Charles Harquist of Kent University, who read the Bond. Following the formal portion of the program, President Louis Braun, presided over the business meeting. Officers elected for the coming year were Paul Crum, president; Albert Munsell, vice-president; and Sidwell Evans, secretary-treasurer.

Brother John Bare, *Ohio Wesleyan '04*, senior Phi at the gathering, spoke of the early days at Ohio Wesleyan and the inspiration $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ had for him through the years. All enjoyed the company of the Kent Phis and closed the evening with song.—SID EVANS, *Secretary*.



WASHINGTON, D.C.—Two star attractions of Washington program are pictured here. Above, Secretary of the Interior Doug McKay, *Oregon State '17* (center) receives a special citation from the Club, presented by Former Senator Harry Cain. At left is Jerome Kuykendall, *Washington '30*, chairman of the Federal Power Commission, and at right, Club President Melvin Hildreth and Supreme Court Justice Sherman Minton, *Indiana '15*. Below: Brother Hildreth as he paid tribute of Club to great Phi, George S. Ward, P.P.G.C. Large layout of pictures of George, which was presented to him, was also used as cover of the official program.

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"MARV" and "LODIE"
Their job well done.

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Perry, Vasholz Leave Fraternity Service

With the end of the school year two members of the GHQ staff end their careers of fraternity service. They are Marvin Perry and Lothar Vasholz, who are known to undergraduates throughout the broad realm of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ —and to thousands of alumni—after two and one half years of traveling as assistant secretaries of the Fraternity.

Marv and Lodie . . . both devoted Phis . . . have done an outstanding job and every chapter in the Fraternity has benefitted as a result of their help and counsel. Both enter business (Lodie as a fairly recent bridegroom and Marv still a-looking) and THE SCROLL wishes them well. Farewell, Orgs!



THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE



Pete Lyon Signs As Director with Disney Studios

By GEORGE K. SHAFFER, *Chicago* '16

Francis D. (Pete) Lyon (U.C.L.A. '27), director and producer of motion pictures (*The Bob Matthias Story*, *Crazy Legs Hirsch*, *15 Men Against Crime*, *The Cult of the Cobra*, and the television film series titled "The Coach" with Frank Leahy) has entered a new and highly desirable Hollywood connection with Walt Disney at the Disney studios in Hollywood.

Lyon, who is known in the film capital as a youngish man with an ascending star, is handling the twin capacities of producer and director, in close personal association with Disney, in a motion picture of the "American boy adventure" type, which will reach the public by TV, and not through the movie houses.

Title of Brother Pete's new opus is "Marty Markham"; its story comes from the Lawrence Watkin book. Many scenes are laid in a boys' summer camp in the United States, and the elements of conflict, suspense and loyalty arise from situations that develop there. The film will be a color feature, with the action so presented as to break into episodes which are suited to presentation in the Disney one-hour television program that goes on nationwide in October.



FRANCIS D. LYON, U.C.L.A. '27
His star ascending in Hollywood.

If the ΦΔΘ brothers in the audiences turn to the right dial when Pete's lively and dramatic story hits next autumn video channels, they may see something that reminds them of sentiments, deeds and incidents that may not seem unfamiliar to young men of the clan of sword and shield. Brother Lyon has always been a devoted worker in ΦΔΘ, is now a member of the Survey Commission, and is a former province president.

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The series of articles "Report on Russia—Uncensored" which William Randolph Hearst, Jr. (California '29) wrote on his recent journalistically historical trip to the Soviet Union has received much praise from high sources. Senator Humphrey (D-Minn.) paid high tribute to the "perceptive insight into life behind the Iron Curtain" and inserted into the *Congressional Record* the entire text of the Hearst articles.

On March 31 Brother Hearst was a guest of honor and main speaker at the annual Massachusetts State Department, American Legion luncheon, and that day also addressed a special joint assembly of the House and Senate at the State House.

During his three-week sojourn in Russia Brother Hearst interviewed four top Russian leaders: Marshal Nikolai Bulganin, the new Premier; Nikita Krushchev, Secretary of the Communist Party; Vyacheslav Molotov, Foreign Minister, and Marshal Zhukov, Defense Minister.

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On February 17, the merger of American Woolen Company, Textron, Inc., and Robbins Mills, Inc., became a fact and Joseph B. Ely (Williams '02), former Governor of Massachusetts, is slated to become chairman of the executive committee. He has been acting as president of American Woolen for more than a year.

The new organization will be one of the textile giants of the world with assets totalling \$161,000,000. Textile sales of the three companies will be in the neighborhood of \$185,000,000 this year with non-textile operations by Textron adding another \$40,000,000. A sales organization was formed for the three companies before the merger, called Amerotex Corporation, it was Brother Ely's idea.

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Frank S. Amsbary, Jr. (Illinois '22) of Champaign, Ill., current vice-president of the American Water Works Association, has been nominated for the presidency of the organization for the 1955-56 term. The only nominee for this high post, he will be unanimously elected at the Association's annual convention in Chicago in June. He has been active in



FRANK S. AMSBARY, JR., Illinois '22
To Head American Water Works Assn.

A.W.W.A. for many years on both a sectional and national basis, having presented papers frequently and served on a number of committees.

Brother Amsbary became supervising engineer of the Champaign-Urbana Water Co. at the time of his graduation. In 1927 he was made manager of the local division of the Northern Illinois Water Corporation. He was named vice-president of this company in 1940 and a director in 1954.

He has been extremely active in civic affairs, serving as a director of the Champaign-Urbana Community Chest, Burnham City Hospital, Champaign Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club (president, 1946-47), Champaign Country Club, the Salvation Army, and others. He is listed in *Who's Who in Illinois*, *Who's Who in Engineering*, and *Who's Who in America*.

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To all 1,400 Phis in the Los Angeles area, it came as good news last month when Marshall J. (Doc) Cloyes (Kansas '03) beat a sudden and virulent attack of pneumonia that caused Doc to be rushed to a hospital in his home town of Glendale, Calif., where he had a seesaw time of it for about a week before getting his return ticket honored back to his home. Doc said the interest shown by brothers and friends, who visited him when he could see visitors, helped bring him back.

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Donald K. David (Idaho '16), retiring dean of the Harvard Business School, received the Knight's Cross, first class, of the Royal Order of St. Olav on March 18. It was bestowed by Bjarne Ursin, Norwegian consul, in Boston at a ceremony in the faculty lounge of Harvard's Kresge Hall.

The award was conferred by King Haakon VII

in recognition of the dean's leadership of the school, his generosity as a consultant for foundations and corporations, and for admitting "young men from other lands" to the school.

Brother David, who will retire from Harvard this summer, has been nationally known as a business leader for many years. He serves as a director of several corporations and philanthropic groups and as dean, has built the Harvard Business School into one of the outstanding institutions of the world.

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The Army, in February, announced the retirement, April 30, of Gen. John E. Hull (Miami '17), United States and United Nations commander-in-chief in the Far East. He is leaving the Army a four-star general after 37 years' service and just one month before he would be subject to compulsory retirement.

Brother Hull entered the Army in 1917 after graduating from Miami University where, incidentally, it was Dr. Paul R. Hawley, R.G.C., who put the pledge pin on him when he was helping Ohio Alpha with rushing.

A veteran of both World Wars, Brother Hull was decorated for bravery in action in France in World War I and held a succession of staff assignments during World War II during the latter phases of which he was chief of operations on the Army general staff. As commanding general of Army forces in the middle Pacific, he was in charge of the big atomic weapons test at Eniwetok in the Spring of 1948.

On March 31, of this year, Brother Hull received the Grand Cross of the Order of the Phoenix from King Paul of Greece.



GEN. JOHN E. HULL, Miami '17

A star was added after this picture was taken.



NEWTON L. WALZER, Syracuse '29
Named vice-president by Jordan Marsh.

Newton L. Walzer (Syracuse '29), director in charge of the Jordan Marsh Company suburban stores, was named a vice-president at the annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the store. Jordan's is reputedly the fourth largest department store in the country with large suburban stores in Framingham, Mass., Malden, Mass., and is currently in the process of developing one of the largest shopping centers in the country in Peabody, Mass., a suburb of Boston.

Brother Walzer, who now resides at Hollis, N.H., joined Jordan Marsh in 1928. From 1932-38 he served with Montgomery Ward as a divisional manager, returning to Jordan Marsh as assistant to the president of the store.

In January, 1942, Brother Walzer entered the armed forces as a second lieutenant. He was released as a lieutenant-colonel in September 1945, at which time he rejoined Jordan Marsh.

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Dr. Thomas Nixon Carver (Iowa Wesleyan '87), professor emeritus of Harvard University celebrated his ninetieth birthday at his home in Santa Monica Calif., March 25. Among telegrams which poured in upon the retired economist were congratulatory messages from former President Herbert Hoover, Economist Sumner Schlichter, and John H. Williams, adviser to President Eisenhower.

Born in Iowa three weeks before the close of the Civil War and for nearly 50 years a professor of economics, Brother Carver was top man in a class of three who graduated from the University of Southern California in 1891 and recalls that it took him six days to make the trip by train from his home in Iowa to Los Angeles in 1887.

President Eisenhower, in February, named **Boyd Leedom** (South Dakota '30), currently a justice of the South Dakota Supreme Court, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board. Brother Leedom, whose home is in Pierre, S.D., and who formerly practiced law in Rapid City, S.D., is a Navy veteran of World War II.

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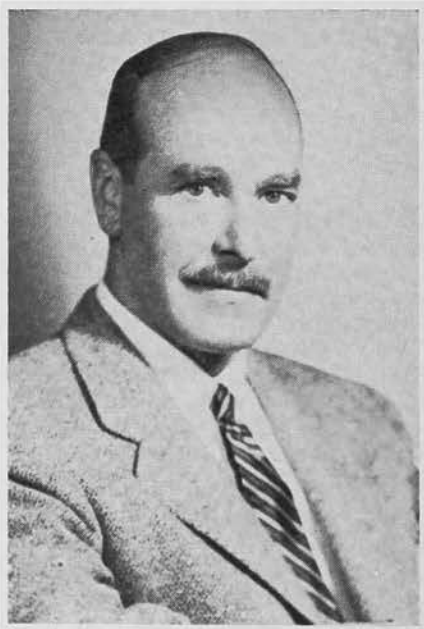
Dr. Leighton E. Cluff (Utah '44) has been awarded a \$30,000 Markle Foundation grant as a Markle Scholar at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md. The fund will sponsor his activities for the next five years at the hospital.

Brother Cluff is an instructor in medicine and chief resident physician at Johns Hopkins and in July will be made an assistant professor in the hospital's department of medicine. He attended the University of Utah and received his medical degree in 1949 from George Washington University School of Medicine, Washington, D.C.

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Walter Havighurst (Ohio Wesleyan '23), widely-known novelist and research professor of English at Miami University, will write the story of Miami's first 150 years as one of the features of the University's approaching sesquicentennial celebration in 1959. Author of a long list of successful novels and regional narratives of midwestern history, Brother Havighurst is considered a "natural" to trace the development of Miami in this forthcoming book.

Born in Appleton, Wis., Mr. Havighurst spent his boyhood in Wisconsin and Illinois, a region rich in pioneer history. He attended Ohio Wesleyan University and the University of Denver. After two years in the merchant marine, he studied in King's College at the University of London. Later he re-



WALTER HAVIGHURST, Ohio Wesleyan '23
To write the Miami Story.

ceived his master's degree from Columbia University. He holds honorary degrees of doctor of letters from Lawrence College and Ohio Wesleyan.

His latest book, *Annie Oakley of the Wild West* has achieved considerable success. This spring a condensation will be published in Paris in the French magazine, *Constellation*. Translations of his works have appeared in Germany, Japan, Sweden, Denmark and Austria.

Mr. Havighurst has written a number of radio stories for "Cavalcade of America," including "The Gift of Johnny Appleseed," "General Forrest Rides Again" and "The Redemption of Lottie Moon." He has one story scheduled for a forthcoming television program.

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Fran Blomquist (Idaho '28), who has just completed fifteen years as president and director of the Caldwell Rodeo, was recently elected president of the International Rodeo Association at the group's annual meeting in Denver, Colo. When Brother Blomquist isn't managing the Troy Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co., in Caldwell, Idaho, which he has owned for the last fifteen years, he will be traveling throughout the United States and Canada in the interest of the International Rodeo Association during the coming year and will be representing the Alumni Association of the University of Idaho to which he was elected president for the 1954-55 term.

Brother Blomquist also keeps busy in civic affairs and during the past years has served as president of the Caldwell City Council, president of the Caldwell Chamber of Commerce, District Lieut. Governor and president of the Kiwanis Club, Exalted Ruler of the local Elks Lodge and is an active member of the Masons and El Korah Shrine.



FRAN BLOMQUIST, Idaho '28
Holds International Rodeo Assn.



JACK M. STREIGHT, B.C. '31
Youngest Potentate

Jack Milton Streight (British Columbia '31), charter member and first treasurer of British Columbia Alpha, has once again come up with a first ranking. He is the youngest Potentate in Canadian Masonry at the present time and the youngest one in the history of Gizek Temple of British Columbia.

Despite the many activities which keep Brother Bloomquist on the go, here, there and everywhere, he is an ardent member of the Boise Alumni Club of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and can be counted on for help, sound advice and guidance in the administering to the affairs of the Alumni Club in the Boise Valley.—
By CLARENCE J. POWELL, Montana '31.

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Arthur H. Vandenberg, Jr. (Dartmouth '28), who headed the Citizens for Eisenhower Committee and then became an executive assistant to the President, is living in a small apartment in Miami, Fla. Returned from a three-month world tour in February, he spent his time writing a report for Mr. Eisenhower on the Middle and Far East. He is on extended leave from the White House for health reasons.

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Santa Barbara, Calif., Boys Club Director **Douglas G. Anderson** (Minnesota '19) was awarded the Boys Clubs of America medallion for outstanding service to all Boys Clubs at the Area Council dinner in Los Angeles in April. Brother Anderson was cited for his work in fund raising, for his speaking engagements on behalf of the clubs, and for his cooperation with Boys Clubs outside of Santa Barbara, as well as for his work in his own club.



Phis With the Colors

From left: **PFC. Glen A. Mitchell** (Purdue '52), was recently named "Soldier of the Month" for the Ryukyu Transportation Service on Okinawa. . . . **Heino Heinsoo** (Lawrence '53), was commissioned a 2nd lieutenant in the Infantry after graduation from O.C.S. at Ft. Benning, Ga. . . . **Lt. Ralph V. McKinney** (Bowling Green '54), is now stationed at Ft. Campbell, Ky., with the 11th Airborne Division. He is a qualified parachutist. . . . **PFC. John G. Trotter** (Union '53), was a recent "Soldier of the Week" for the 2nd Infantry Division's Medical Battalion at Ft. Lewis, Wash. . . . **PFC. Charles F. Wolfe** (North Dakota '53), former All-Phi cage star, played for the Army in Germany this past winter. He is a supply clerk.



BRIEF ITEMS FROM THE ALUMNI FIRING LINE



Wayne D. Nusbaum (Washington '35) has been appointed manager of the Ft. Worth, Texas, plant of the Ralston Purina Company. . . . **J. Kelly Smith** (Knox '22), administrative vice-president of CBS Radio, was honored by CBS Foundation Inc. when a gift of \$2,000 was sent to Knox College in De-

cember in recognition of his success as a key executive in the company. This gift was made under the CBS plan which recognizes with financial aid those privately supported colleges or universities which graduated persons who later "made good" as executives of the Columbia Broadcasting System. . . . A team of season ticket sellers for the new Kansas City Athletics, captained by Clarence McGuire (Kansas '28), adviser for Kansas Alpha, won a free trip to the Athletics' training camp at West Palm Beach, Fla. Prominent on the McGuire team were two other Phis, **James P. Kirk** (Illinois '34) and **William (Red) Hogan** (Kansas '49).

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In a recent complete reorganization of the Lamp Division of the General Electric Company two Phis moved up to managerial positions. They are **Herman L. Weiss** (Case '39), general manager of the Large Lamp Department, and **Kenneth G. Reider** (Allegheny '17), general manager of the Miniature Lamp Department. They will have their headquarters at Nela Park, Cleveland, Ohio.

In a reorganization of Ted Bates and Co. advertising agency from a partnership to a corporation, **William H. Kearns** (Nebraska '29) moved up to the presidency. The company is one of the nation's top ten agencies. . . . **Dr. Francis H. Langley** (Ohio Wesleyan '22), St. Petersburg, Fla., was recently named president-elect of the Florida Medical Association, and will take office at the annual meeting in Miami Beach, May 13-16, 1956. . . . Former State Senator **D. Kenneth McLaughlin** (Dickinson '28) of Hagerstown, Md., was appointed Associate Judge of the fourth judicial circuit by Governor Theodore McKeldin January 6. He will serve in the post until the next general election in 1956. He has served in the Maryland State Senate from January, 1947, until his appointment as judge.

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Floyd Christian (Florida '37), Pinellas County, Fla., school superintendent, was elected president of the Florida Education Association in March. . . . **Buck Grayson** (Oregon State '31) of Portland, Ore., is serving as AAU vice-president and was in charge



WIN PROMOTIONS

Herman L. Weiss, Case '39 (left) and Kenneth G. Reider, Allegheny '17

Trio at the Wigwam

These three Phis pictured at right "resorted" in Phoenix this winter and enjoyed themselves at the Wigwam in Litchfield Park. F. Vernon Griffith (Pennsylvania '32), Kansas City insurance man (left), was spending a two-week vacation with his wife when this picture was taken.

Weir McBride (Kent State '54) and Steve Williams (Colorado A&M '53) are both employed by the country club resort. McBride (center) was serving a journalism internship as publicity director for college credit at Kent State where he will graduate in June after returning for his last quarter. Williams served as pool attendant while gaining background experience in the resort business.



of the recent state boxing championship matches. . . . **Joseph S. Davis** (Dickinson '16) of California, has been confirmed by the Senate as a member of the Council of Economic Advisers. . . . **James J. Nance** (Ohio Wesleyan '23) is the new president of the Automobile Manufacturers Association. . . . **The Rev. Guy M. Hicks** (Emory '20), pastor of the First Methodist Church at Shreveport, La., recently was made District Superintendent and has moved to Ruston, La. . . . **Willard E. Skeel** (Washington '34) of Seattle, Wash., was elected to the board of directors of the Title Insurance and Trust Co. at Los Angeles. . . . The nomination of **J. Reuel Armstrong** (Colorado '25) of Wyoming to be solicitor for the Interior Department was recently confirmed by the U. S. Senate.

Conservation award was presented to **O. B.**

Reemelin (Cincinnati '04), vice-president of Dayton, Ohio, Power and Light Company, at a dinner sponsored by Dayton chapter, Izaak Walton League, for his water conservation work in Miami Valley. . . . **John C. McHose** (Stanford '24), Los Angeles attorney, was appointed chairman of that city's 1955 World Trade Week. . . . At the stated meeting of Al Kader Temple of Portland, Ore., February 21, **Percy Locey** (Oregon State '23) of Richland, Wash., was honored for past services by presentation of a jeweled fez. The presentation was made by Noble Earl Riley (Oregon State '12).

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W. Alvis Parish (Texas '10) a former partner of the law firm of Baker, Botts, Andrews and Parish and currently president of the Houston, Tex., Lighting and Power Company, was recently elected to a four-year term on the board of governors of

Phis With the Colors

From left: **Lt. Ray E. Chapman** (Florida '51), at left is congratulated by commanding officer for graduating with honors from Provost Marshal General's School at Camp Gordon, Ga. He completed the school's lie detecting course. . . . **Phis in Alaska—PFCs. George Tierney** (Cincinnati '55), and **Sam Haupt** (Minnesota '56), got together at "Operation Snowbird," winter maneuver for Alaskan field troops. . . . **Cpl. W. E. Ballard** (Duke '52), coached the 8060th Army Unit's basketball team at Camp Zama, Japan. . . . **Pvt. David Bradley** (Alabama '55), is pictured in training at Ft. Bliss, Texas. He is now stationed at Ravenswood in Chicago. . . . **Lt. Kenneth K. Wheatley** (Tulane '53), at right, received commendation ribbon for meritorious service from commandant of Medical Field Service School at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. He distinguished himself as an operations officer with a medical battalion in Frankfurt, Germany from March 1, 1952 to June 30, 1954.





PHI PALS

GUILFORD M. WILEY, *Franklin '05*,* a member of the Golden Legion of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is pictured above with a great Phi athletic hero, CAPT. ALVIN DARK, *L.S.U. '45*, shortstop of the World Champion New York Giants.

The picture was taken on the 18th green of the Miami Springs golf course during the annual Major League Ball Players golf tournament which Brother Dark won in a final 22-hole match with Manager Al Lopez of the Cleveland Indians.

Brother Wiley comments: "My visit and conversations with Al Dark reveal him "every inch a man" and a loyal Phi who is proud to be a member of the Fraternity. . . . He demonstrated on the golf course, as he has many times on the diamond, that he is a great all 'round athlete with the will and heart to win.

"Just before they teed off for the finals Al Lopez commented, 'Al is just as tough for me in golf as in baseball,' and the results proved him correct. . . ."

* We regret to report that word was received at press time of the sudden death of Brother Wiley on May 2.—Ed.

the Rice Institute. . . . Howard C. Reppert, Jr. (Iowa '40), president of Reppert Transfer and Storage Co., Inc., and Retail Merchants Delivery, Des Moines, Ia., is a member of the House of Representatives of the 56th General Assembly of the State of Iowa. . . . Francis C. Oglesby (Dickinson '54) of Bloomfield, N.J., is one of the recipients of four national scholarships awarded annually by the General Council of $\Omega\Delta\Kappa$. He is using his \$300 scholarship to pursue graduate work at Lehigh Uni-

versity. . . . Joe Stallworth (Mercer '53) of Macon, Ga., was the subject of a recent write-up in the *Macon News* concerning his hunting and fishing activities during his year of foreign duty in Germany.

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William Alexander Kirkland (Texas '22), was elected president of the First National Bank in Houston, Texas, in January. He entered the employ of the bank in 1920. Brother Kirkland, a veteran of the Navy of both World Wars I and II, has been active in civic affairs as well as local and state banking circles. He served three terms as a member of the Board of Education and is currently a trustee of both Rice Institute and of Princeton University.

Brief Items About This with the Colors

2nd Lt. Keith G. Farnam (Oregon '53) was a member of the Ft. Lewis, Wash., team which participated in the All-Army basketball tournament at Ft. Benning, Ga., April 4-9. . . . Cpl. William Carter (Colby '52) recently was graduated from the Non-commissioned Officer Academy at Fort George G. Meade, Md. . . . Norman G. Fischer (Maryland '53) was promoted to private first class in Japan, where he is a member of IX Corps' Military Police Company.

Pvt. James F. Andreae (Michigan '56) recently arrived in Germany and is now a member of the V Crops. . . . 2nd Lt. James R. Clinkingbeard (Montana '52) is among 26,000 soldiers slated to participate in Exercise Apple Jack during May at the Yakima Firing Center near Fort Lewis, Wash. . . . 2nd Lt. John L. Watson, III (Auburn '54) is a member of the 704th Tank Battalion which won the Commander's Sports Trophy at Fort Hood, Tex.

Among the recent graduates of the Army's Armored School at Fort Knox, Ky. are 2nd Lt. Robert L. Bubb (Illinois '54), 2nd Lt. Arthur G. Ator (Illinois '50), and 2nd Lt. John L. Faulkner (Idaho '54). . . . Charles R. Milton (Illinois '53) was promoted to first lieutenant at Fort Carson, Colo., where he is a supply officer with the 19th Military Police.

To Play Phi Song

Through Indiana Gamma chapter, Charles Henzie, Band Director at Butler University, has requested permission to use one of the Fraternity's great songs, *The Phi Rouser*, at home athletic contests. Director Henzie's 104 piece band traditionally plays for pre-game and half-time entertainment.

The Phi Rouser is one of the several songs composed for the Fraternity by Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary, and permission to use it was readily granted.



UNDERGRADUATE FEATURES



Oregon Alpha Leads Help Week Move

By MARTIN BRANDENFELS, Reporter

OREGON ALPHA, responding to the big drive for "abolition of Hell Week," came through with flying colors when Phikeias and new initiates of the class of 1957, jumped in their cars and headed for a day of work at the Eugene Community Center. (The picture shows three of the fellows, Bill Thordosen, Tacoma, Wash.; Don Lindlen, Oakridge; and Cal Calloway, The Dalles, helping our chapter advisor's wife, Mrs. William Skade, pack food.) In the 80 man-hours donated, they scrubbed floors, packed food and clothing, and did some minor construction work.

On the Oregon campus the stress has been on doing something worth while instead of wasting the time and energies of the campus' pledge classes. Under the able direction of Pete Williams, our chapter president and president of Interfraternity Council, this project has gone a long way toward improving the fraternity system at the University of Oregon. With the Phis leading the way, the chapters are falling into this pattern of Help Week.



COMMUNITY CENTER BENEFITS



Psi Province Meets for Conference

By GORDON M. SHEPHERD, Iowa Gamma

UNDER the leadership of Province President Albert P. Diehl, Phi delegates from Iowa and Nebraska gathered in Ames, Iowa, on February 26, for the first annual Psi Province Conference,* that well demonstrated the benefits of a meeting of Phi minds.

Besides the exchange of ideas over the discussion table, the conference was enhanced by the presence of Administrative Secretary Bob Miller from General Headquarters and Dr. Clem Bining of the General Council. Two addresses by Brother Bining to the delegates, alumni, and Phi fathers present were, indeed, the inspirational highlights of the weekend.

The delegates present for the two-

day conference were: *Nebraska Alpha*: Herb Meisner and Chuck Haupt; *Iowa Alpha*: Lowell Doud, Jim Thatcher, and Duane Samples; *Iowa Beta*: Loy Brooks, Jay Ryan, Frank Sutton, Ron Zerbel, Tom Adams, and Marshall Engelbreck; *Iowa Gamma*: Tom Twetten, Bob Troyer, Wally Smith, Dave LeBuhn, Gordon Shepherd, and Chuck Maxwell.

In the opening business session Saturday morning Brother Diehl explained the purpose behind the meeting, which was: "To study and discuss Phi philosophy and chapter practices with the purpose of reaching valid conclusions that may give each chapter and its members practical assistance and inspiration to achieve those attributes that would not be theirs if they were not members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$."

The discussions were handled, at

Brother Diehl's suggestion, along the "conference system of procedure." The delegates split into two groups, group "A" discussing the "Individual Phi" and group "B" tackling the problems of "The Chapter." Two sessions were held, one Saturday morning and another in the afternoon.

Interspersed in the day's activities were Dr. Bining's talks. His short address following the noon meal was entitled "How to Enjoy Life." His main address later in the afternoon, to an assembly of some 75 persons, dealt with "Criticism and How to Take It."

After taking in the Iowa State-Nebraska basketball game (which turned out nicely for the host chapter), the brothers returned to entertain fathers of Iowa Gamma Phis who had been invited for a special evening "smoker." Then Sunday morning the delegates returned to the serious business of presenting conclusions to the previous day's proceedings.

There is neither time nor space

* The editor regrets that pictures submitted with this story could not be reproduced satisfactorily.



WINNING CAMPAIGN STUNT

J-Prom King-elect "Bermuda Short" of Ohio Gamma checks "Willie the Whale's" tail as Pres. Tom Balding clears the road.

J-Prom at Ohio U. Called "Phi Delt Spring Formal" as Chapter Again Elects King

By GILBERT M. CAMP, JR., Reporter

OHIO GAMMA is sitting on top of the pack again by virtue of Al Short's recent election to the position of J-Prom King. "Burmuda Short," as he was known to the campus throughout the campaign, is Ohio Gamma's ninth King in the last eleven years.

Competition for the J-Prom crown is always terrific and down through the years the Phis have sent such men as "Milton from Mars," "Sultan of Swat," "Daman of the Deep," "Yukon John," and "Burmuda Short," riding down the street on anything from an overgrown turtle to an undersized whale.

The consistency with which the men from the "Castle on the Hocking" win J-Prom has given start to many misnomers. One, which exemplifies the general attitude of the campus, appeared last year in a freshman orientation booklet which had a list of all the campus events followed by a short description of each event. The four word phrase used to describe J-Prom was "Phi Delt Spring Formal."

We realize that each year presents an even greater challenge, but we do want all of our alumni to know that at Ohio University the term J-Prom is still synonymous with $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

to do justice to the many ideas and recommendations that came out of the discussions. Perhaps the most important result was the realization of the good that can come of closer ties between the chapters of the province (in rushing programs, for example, and also in the interchange of ideas on finances, scholarship, and the like.

Brother Miller closed out the business of the morning with an explanation of Headquarters activities and a critique of the conference. Brother Diehl then adjourned the meeting, after a unanimous recommendation for holding a similar conference next year. All members agreed that the conference represented the highest example of Phi brotherhood in action.

Illinois Delta-Zeta Works for Charity

By BOB SPARKS, Reporter

PHI DELTA THETA has been active in furthering charitable work on the Knox College campus. The Illinois Delta-Zeta chapter worked on the March of Dimes, Blood Drive, and is now in the process of securing a seeing-eye dog for a blind girl.

We had a very special reason for

originating our polio drive as Brother Gilbert Anderson '55, was stricken with the dread disease late last summer and passed away in September.

His wife requested that we donate all the money which we might spend on flowers to the March of Dimes. This we did, and in addition collected money from other students, faculty,

and townspeople. Our goal was set at \$200 and we surpassed this amount by a considerable margin.

The Phi also won the Blood Drive for the campus as the chapter turned out the most donors for Knox College Blood Day. There is another coming up in the near future and we hope to maintain our top ranking and win the trophy for the entire year.

At the present time, we have organized an all-school campaign to save red cellophane strips from cigarette packages. When we have collected one pound of these, they will be turned over to a blind girl for the purchase of a seeing-eye dog. A cigarette company has promised to buy one for her after a sufficient number of the strips are saved.

Illinois Delta-Zeta plans to continue to do this type of work. It fits in well with the annual Christmas party for orphans which we have held for many years.

Iota Province Holds Conference at N.U.

By HOWARD S. WEYBURG
Illinois Alpha Reporter

THE morning of April 16, a warm and friendly one, marked the opening of an Iota Province Conference. Soon delegates and members from five of the province's seven chapters filed into the lounge at the Illinois Alpha chapter house at Northwestern. Illinois Delta-Zeta and Illinois Eta were not represented. A spirit of informal discussion immediately seemed to assert itself even over the breakfast table as everyone seemed anxious to "get acquainted" and to begin the trading of ideas and viewpoints that was to pervade the whole convention.

The purpose of this step in Iota Province was to touch upon problems common to all in the province and to hash out vital rushing, leadership, discrimination, and organizational problems.

Each of the five represented chapters sent five officers to participate in informal workshops concerning their office and sphere of action. There were no strict agendas but rather a free-trading of ideas and procedures which served not only to bring to light chapter headaches, but also to give some insight into the customs, and activities of the various campuses and the fraternity-school relationships.

Delegates were quick to show enthusiasm and after a general discussion in the lounge the group adjourned to the chapter room where Province President George Banta, III, greeted and commended the delegates for their spirit. He urged them to

keep two basic problems in mind during the workshop sessions:

1. An integrated summer rushing program involving more active mutual cooperation among the province chapters.

2. A standardized governmental structure embodying the elements of the committee system.

Delegates were introduced formally by Illinois Alpha President Dick Boronow, who explained the day's plan for discussions. The general session adjourned to workshops and delegates, poised with questions, loosened ties and gathered 'round to begin filling rooms with smoke and ideas. The four groups assembled were presidents, house managers, rush chairman, pledge trainers. In planning the conference, members of the host chapter felt that this breakdown would touch upon the many facets of our common problems most adequately.

After the last workshop had adjourned members relaxed and began preparing for the festivities of the evening. A firehouse in Wooddale near Elmhurst was the site of a Roaring Twenties party which also featured boy-girl twin costumes. Characters ranging from Marlon Brando and Eve Saint to hayseed twins and flapper plus-four twins were the order of the day.

"The Salty Dogs," a red hot Dixieland crew from Purdue, blasted out two-beat rhythm late into the night while delegates alternately sipped cooling refreshment and bruised shins with the Charleston. The Firehouse Five has choir-like qualities compared to these really wonderful musicians who really topped off a wonderful experience in intrafraternity relations.

Mississippi Alpha Honors Mounger

By WILLIS CONNELL, Reporter

ON Sunday, March 13, Mississippi Alpha paid tribute to an outstanding Phi at a banquet in his honor. William H. Mounger, class of '39, has indeed exemplified the teachings of the Bond since he became a member of the Fraternity.

While he was a student at Ole Miss, Brother Mounger served as president of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, president of $\Omega \Delta \Kappa$, president of the Y.M.C.A., and participated in many other extra-curricular activities. As a result of his contributions to the University, he was selected as a member of the Hall of Fame.

When the chapter house burned to the ground in 1938, it was Mounger who took the lead in the campaign to raise the money to rebuild it. Largely as a result of his efforts, our



CONFERENCE PICTORIAL

Top, left: Informal workshop in session. Right—Delegation from Wisconsin Beta at Lawrence, Brothers Swoboda, Hall, Sears, Dyrud, and Lafin. Below, left: Wisconsin Alpha President Chuck Staiger with John Mielke and Ron Wagner. Center: Conference Chairman Gordy Greiner, Province President George Banta, III, and the host president, Dick Boronow on Illinois Alpha porch. Right: Greiner and Boronow relax after delegates have left.

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SCHOLARSHIP MUST CONTINUE TO RISE

All Phi undergraduates are urged to read Brother DuShane's report on 1953-54 scholarship in this issue. The trend in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is UP. It must continue! Let every chapter return in the fall with its goal to TOP the All-Men's Average!

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present chapter house was built.

Upon entering the business world, Brother Mounger established himself in the investment business in Jackson, Miss. He still makes his home there



HIS HELP RECOGNIZED

Alumnus William Mounger (left) receives inscribed silver tray from a grateful Mississippi Alpha chapter.

with his wife and four children while continuing to serve the chapter.

He led the organization of a House Corporation, which was to maintain the house and to aid Mississippi Alpha in general. This House Corporation, under his leadership, has done much to keep the chapter in its high position on the campus. When extensive remodeling was done during 1953 and 1954, the entire operation was planned and financed by the House Corporation. Now additional work on the house is being scheduled for this summer—involving enlargement of kitchen and dining room facilities.

Brother Mounger has continuously offered us excellent suggestions by which we might better the chapter, especially in chapter management.

As a token of our gratitude for his many contributions, Brother Billy Mounger was presented with a silver tray bearing the inscription: "To our most outstanding alumnus for services well rendered." We members of the active chapter do thank and congratulate Mississippi Alpha's "right-hand man."



BROTHERS THREE

Phis Dan and Tom Dillingham flank their newly initiated Dad, former KIP at Valparaiso University.

Letter from Colorado Alpha President Tells of Unusual Initiation

DEAR BROTHER BIGGERS:

The enclosed photo was taken at an event in which I believe readers of *THE SCROLL* will be interested. It was taken immediately after the initiation of my father, Tom G. Dillingham, of Enid, Okla. I don't know if you are acquainted with the circumstances of this initiation or not. Dad went to Valparaiso and was in one of the first pledge classes of the KIPs. He graduated from Valpo in 1923 and went back to Oklahoma, where he has been in the insurance and ranching business ever since. Because of the distance between Indiana and Oklahoma he lost contact with many of his KIP brothers until several years ago when they started their active nationalization program.

You can imagine Dad's enthusiasm when he discovered that the KIPs had decided to petition $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. My brother, Tom B. Dillingham, *Colorado '53* and I are both Phis as well as several uncles and many close friends who live in Enid. You may not know it, but Enid, Okla., is known throughout this part of the country as one of the strongest of Phi Delt towns.*

At any rate, after much correspondence on our part and much hard work on the part of the KIPs our hopes came true at Mackinac this summer. After making arrangements through the General Council and with the chapter at Valpo, we initiated Dad here February 20 along with fourteen other men. Since I am the president of Colorado Alpha now, I had the unusual honor of initiating Dad and my brother pinned the badge on him.

Attending the ceremonies was Gene

C. Hutchinson, my brother's father-in-law, a Phi at Washington University in St. Louis.

Also attending was W. W. Stephenson, Jr., from Enid, an alumnus of Colorado Alpha.

Another unusual occurrence at this initiation was the initiation of Reuben Sanford (Sandy) Ball exactly 35 years to the day after the initiation of his father, Reuben C. Ball of upper Montclair, N.J. Brother Ball graduated in 1923. J. Herschel White '20, who pinned the badge on Mr. Ball, also pinned it on Sandy. Also in attendance at Sandy's initiation was K. I. White who also was in attendance at Mr. Ball's initiation.

As you can see, we had a very unusual initiation this year. . . .

Sincerely, yours in the Bond
DAN L. DILLINGHAM
President, Colorado Alpha

Illinois Alpha Sponsors Help Week Project

IT'S interesting to hear a man comment on the satisfaction of hard work on someone else's behalf. Whatever basic philosophy operates here, the pledge class of Illinois Alpha had that experience during a pre-initiation Help Project at the Northwestern University Settlement House in February. Their efforts may best be described in the following excerpts from a letter from the Settlement's Head Resident, Michael M. Rachwalski:

"... I want to express our thanks to your Fraternity for sending the pledge class to the Settlement . . . to work on one of our projects. . . .
"The pledges worked like beavers

from early morning until late in the afternoon. They painted walls, scrubbed floors, varnished, and did many other chores. For about five weeks those rooms were closed, due to remodeling of our stairwells and all of us wondered how long it would take us to clean the rooms and about the expense that was involved. This group was a Godsend to us, for they not only saved us money but did all the work in one day, and now hundreds of youngsters are back at the House, keeping them off the congested streets in a constructive program, thereby cutting down on juvenile delinquency. . . ."

Needless to say, Illinois Alpha is very proud of our Phikeias' efforts . . . the First Annual Help Project.

Minnesota Alpha Host to Tourney—and Wins

By TOM KLINE and DALE EPLAND

FOR the second time in the three-year existence of Minnesota Alpha's annual invitational $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ basketball tournament, the coveted first place traveling trophy was captured by the host Minnesotans.

Participating this year in the tournament were Nebraska Alpha, Michigan Beta, North Dakota Alpha, South Dakota Alpha, Kansas Alpha, Kansas Beta, Iowa Gamma, and Minnesota Alpha. After getting by North Dakota in the opening round,



ACTION ON THE COURT

The Minnesota Alpha-North Dakota Alpha game (left to right): Jack Baukol, N.D., and Dave North, Jim Vieberg, and Dave Mills of Minnesota.

* We do know it.—Ed.



PHI LEADERS AT NO. DAKOTA

Dick Ryan (left) and Ted Maragos, both listed in "Who's Who at U.N.D."

NODAK BMOCs

By J. H. BAUKOL, Reporter

RECENT announcement of the campus *Who's Who at U.N.D.* found Ted Maragos and Dick Ryan representing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Brother Maragos, a past president of North Dakota Alpha, is president of Student Union Board of Governors. He is vice-president of I.F. Council and past vice-president of $\Lambda\Phi\Omega$, national service fraternity. Ted

is a member of the Dean's Advisory Board, Marketing Club, and the University's calendar committee. A chairman for the '54 Greek Week, he also served on the Flickertail Follies executive committee, and was chairman of the State Conference of higher education.

Brother Dick Ryan has been active on the Athletic Board of Control, Student Council, and Letterman's Club. He is also president of the Stadium Housing Unit. Dick has been selected three times on the All-Conference football team and last season was named on the first National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics All-American team.

$\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was the only fraternity with more than one representative.

Thanks, Reporters

As this 79th volume of THE SCROLL is completed, the editors offer a sincere note of thanks to the staff of chapter reporters who have done such a splendid job in 1954-55.

Each issue has carried about 100 reports and most have been in on time. There have been more of the popular undergraduate features this year than ever before also. As we look to 1955-56, we can only hope that the chapter reportorial staff will be as able.—H.S.B.

Pittsburgh Alumni Donate Trophy for Big Inter-Province Basketball Tournament

By JOSEPH B. SEIDLARY, JR., Pittsburgh Alumni Club Reporter

AT THE Pittsburgh Founders Day dinner Upsilon Province President R. W. Richardson announced a new trophy designed to stimulate inter-province competition.

Last year a few of the chapters in Gamma and Upsilon Provinces undertook a basketball tournament, had their elimination games and play-off. It was won by Pitt, but no official action was taken by the alumni in any part of the state.

Brother Richardson got behind it this year and agreed on behalf of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club to furnish a championship trophy to be presented at the Founders Day banquet to the winning team.

This year fourteen teams participated from Beta, Gamma and Upsilon Provinces, with Pitt and Penn State

reaching the finals. This game was played off at Penn State on March 5, and the trophy was won by Pitt. It was presented to Capt. Tom Myers of the Pennsylvania Iota team at the dinner.

It is Brother Richardson's plan to invite other provinces to participate next year in what we will be called the Pittsburgh Alumni Club Invitational Tournament, probably Beta, Gamma, Delta, Zeta, Sigma, and Upsilon Provinces, about 35 chapters in all. It is hoped that the semi-finals and finals can be played off in Pittsburgh the weekend of the next Founders Day banquet. Brother Richardson passed the hat to pay for the new basketball trophy and is pleased to announce that the cost was slightly over-subscribed. No refunds!

Minnesota met the strong Nebraska five in one of the closest games of the tourney. Minnesota emerged the victor by one point through a free throw made in the last few seconds of the game. On Saturday night in the championship game, Minnesota met Kansas Alpha, last year's winner, and once again came out on top. Nebraska came in third and South Dakota fourth, with the North Dakotans winning consolation.

Chosen on the All-Phi Team were Bob Richards, Don Heath, and Al Stevenson, all of Kansas; Dave Mills and Jim Vieberg of Minnesota; Dick Ryan of North Dakota; Ian Uleon of Michigan State, and Joe Carter of Nebraska. The Sportmanship Trophy was awarded to South Dakota Alpha. Following the championship game a party for the visiting teams was held at the Minnesota Alpha house.

The tournament proved again this year to be a great success in extending the brotherhood of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and even now the chapters are planning next year's get together.



NEW PHI TROPHY PRESENTED

R. W. Richardson, president of Upsilon Province (left) presenting trophy of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club Invitational basketball tournament to Capt. Tom Myers of Pennsylvania Iota's winning team. Next year it is hoped to increase the entries and draw from more provinces.

Norwegian Exchange Student Says Thanks

By KAARE BERGE, Oslo, Norway

AS AN exchange student I have enjoyed free room and board in the chapter house of Colorado Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ since the beginning of this academic year. The economic value of this cannot be expressed in words, but I will try to give a little account of the experience it is for me to live here.

In the first place it has been a great experience to learn about American student life in general, and about fraternity life in particular. Since we do not have fraternities in Norway, I knew very little about the fraternity system when I came here. However, now that I have seen the system from the inside, I have come to appreciate it very much. For comparison I can mention that I have talked with several other foreign students, who have seen the fraternity system from the outside only, and most of them do not seem to appreciate it nearly as much as I do.

In the beginning of the year the Foreign Student Adviser on the campus wondered why I never had any problems for him. (I just dropped into his office from time to time to say hello.) The reason was simply that I got all the advice I needed from my room-mate, or from the other men in the house, or from the house-mother.

Since I am majoring in electrical engineering I am kept busy studying most of my time. In my spare time I like to play bridge or chess, or watch TV, all of which I can do right here in the house as often as I wish.

I am having a very good time, and I want to conclude this by saying
Thank you, Phi Delta Theta.

Montana Alpha's "Herb Vitt" Night

By NELSON H. FRITZ, Montana '28

IN the spring of 1948 "Doc" Schreiber, at that time Director of Athletics at the State University of Montana, pulled from his desk a 28-year-old notebook and turned to its flyleaf. Calling a few students, who had assembled in his office, he laid the notebook on his desk, then pointing with his finger said, "the fellow who wrote that believed in with all his heart." The students looking at the place where "Doc" pointed read: A THING WORTH DOING IS WORTH DOING WELL. It was signed Herbert Otis Vitt. Yes Herb Vitt did believe in that quotation; he not only believed it but he lived it. That is why, al-



KAARE BERGE

Austrian Exchange

The September issue of THE SCROLL will carry a story by Bob Anderson of North Dakota Alpha who has spent this year studying in Austria under an exchange plan worked out by Brother G. H. Grueninger, who has done so much to develop this wonderful education experience in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Brother Anderson has had a great year as has his counterpart, Adolph Walser, the Austrian student, who has been the guest of the University and North Dakota Alpha during 1954-55.

though Herb Vitt has been a member of the Chapter Grand for 34 years, every brother who has ever been initiated into Montana Alpha knows him. They know him as if they had been present on that day in 1920 when Herb, as a kid from Butte, first set foot on the University campus. He had come to learn not only the lessons gleaned from books but the greater lessons of how to live with his fellowmen and be a credit to the society of which he was a part.

He learned those lessons well. How well is evidenced by the respect and esteem with which all who knew him personally, now speak of him and revere his name. Herb was by no means a goody-goody boy but he loved life and respected his fellowmen. His reputation for hard work and endeavor has come down through the years and many an old professor has often made reference to Herb Vitt. His chapter, Montana Alpha, remembers him well and that is why one night each year is set aside in his

honor. On this night a jeweled pin is presented to that brother in the chapter, who in the opinion of all, exemplifies the spirit and character of Herb Vitt.

This year's observance was held March 31, with chapter Pres. George Boifeuillet acting as M.C. After a series of entertainment skits, the program took a turn to the serious.

For a number of years Brother Don Barnett has presented, on Herb Vitt night a \$50 cash award to the most outstanding freshman in the chapter. Don explained the reasons for his annual gift and then presented the \$50 to Brother Bill Williamson who had been voted the most outstanding freshman for the year. The reaction of all present indicated that the selection of Williamson had their heartiest approval.

Now Brother Ty Robinson took the floor and in a "pin-drop-hearing silence" briefly told the story of the man in whose memory this night was being held. At the conclusion of his talk he paused, then stated, "I hereby announce the 1955 winner of the Herb Vitt award to be Brother Robert Lawrence." As Ty pinned the jeweled pin on Bob, pandemonium broke loose and Bob, with tears streaming down his face tried to thank the chapter. That choice too had unanimous approval.

It was a wonderful night and yesterday's pledges, now brother Phis, like all of the men of Montana Alpha who have gone before them, know Brother Herb Vitt.

Opportunity Knocks For Some Phi

Indiana Alpha, at Indiana University, has just installed a new program which includes a house counselor. Any graduate Phi, regardless of where he took his undergraduate work, is eligible for this position.

The appointed counselor will receive his room and board free from the house and his tuition from the University. The applicant should have a good scholastic record and a good record of participation in the activities of his own chapter.

The work entails acting as: 1) scholarship chairman for the house, 2) graduate adviser, and 3) liaison man with the University.

Anyone interested in applying should write to

WILLIAM H. ANDREWS
Department of Economics
Indiana University
Bloomington, Ind.

"THE FOUNDERS"

Skit of "The Founders," with members of California Gamma at U.C.L.A. impersonating the Founding Six, and adapting their utterances and writings to the problems of 1955, was a feature of Founders Day exercises of combined Los Angeles and Hollywood Alumni Clubs March 18, 1955 at the Los Angeles Biltmore Hotel. From left to right: Fred Shean as Andrew Watts Rogers, William H. Young as Ardivan Walker Rodgers, Tom Brooks as Robert Morrison, John Coombs as John McMillan Wilson, Floyd Sternberg as Robert Thompson Drake and Albro Lundy as John Wolfe Lindley. This skit won the U.C.L.A. active chapter an "entertainment prize" of \$25 posted by the host alumni clubs.



AID HEART ASSN.



BOND No. 1000



TIP-OFF

Left: New Mexico Alpha helped its local Heart Association reach goal recently by selling tickets to child's playhouse. Pictured in front of the playhouse are Phikeia Ed Boice, chapter mascot, "Sailor," Pete Rose, Bob Barela (not a Phi), and chapter president Herb Brunell. Center: George Rich was the recipient of Bond No. 1000 in Indiana Gamma chapter at Butler University in February. Right: Terry Philcox of Florida Delta at University of Miami (right) jumps high against Sigma Chi opponent in interfraternity basketball game. Alert gent at left is Woodrow, also of the Phi team.

**"GONNA BUILD ME A CASTLE . . ."**

While it may not appear as a castle to many, to Whitman Phis this little cabin in the Blue Mountain foothills will be the fulfilment of a four-year dream. In 1951 the ruins of the old Phi Delt cabin were cleared away and a variety of ideas offered for replacement. Above sketch shows what we've finally decided to build. Fred Santler and Ted Hansen are spending countless man hours in planning, working and directing the brothers in land clearing and construction. Soon Washington Beta will have its "wilderness annex" available on those warm spring weekends.—RON COOK, Washington Beta Reporter.

David Jerauld (Jerry) Oven (Missouri '17) died in an automobile accident near Wichita Falls, Tex., Mar. 17, 1955. His home was at Enid, Okla., where he was active in civic and business affairs. •

A native of Brookfield, Mo., he received his education in the public schools there and later entered the University of Missouri where he graduated in 1917. He was associated with his uncle in the management of the Enid Ice and Fuel Co. until he left to serve with the Missouri Medical unit during World War I.

Brother Oven returned to Enid upon receiving his discharge. He played a large part in the formation of the American National Bank, and helped in the organization of the Enid Building and Investment Company. He became vice-president of the Champlin Refining Company and for many years had charge of that company's far-flung oil and gas well drilling activities. As a sideline business and avocation he maintained a dairy which became recognized as having one of the Southwest's outstanding Guernsey herds.

During his years at Enid he was a loyal and devoted Phi, never too busy to participate in any enterprise which would lead to the betterment of affairs of his Fraternity. Local Phis regard him as the Father of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ in Enid and because of his efforts, Enid probably has more members of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ than any city of its size in the country. Among the survivors are two sons, David Jerauld Oven, Jr., Oklahoma '50, and Herbert Champlin Oven, Oklahoma '56.—HENRY B. BASS, Missouri '19.

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Jack Prowell (Illinois '47), sports editor of the Champaign (Ill.) *News-Gazette* and well-known to Illini for his coverage of University athletics, died in Champaign, Ill., at 28 after a gallant fight against cancer. In the short time—five years—that he had served as sports editor, he had become known and loved throughout the state by all who worked with him and by those who read his daily stories and column. In addition to his newspaper work he did considerable radio work and had a sports program over a local TV station. Although his time was short, according to a co-writer and to the minister who spoke these words at his funeral, he left as a memorial this code: "A faith in youth, a devotion to hard work, a sense of fair play."

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Dr. Arthur G. Sullivan (Wisconsin '07) died at a Madison, Wis., hospital, Aug. 30, 1954. He had practiced medicine in Madison since 1909. He was widely known in medical circles and was long active in governmental and legal affairs related to medicine.

A native of Wisconsin, Brother Sullivan attended the University of Wisconsin and received his medical training at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. As a student there he perfected a technique for reconstruction of the gall



DAVID J. OVEN, Missouri '17

duct which is still referred to as the "Sullivan technique."

Brother Sullivan was managing editor of *Postgraduate Medicine*, the journal of the Interstate Postgraduate Medical Association. He was a trustee of that association for 30 years and was later its exhibit manager and managing director for 13 years. He was a member and former president of the Dane County Medical Society, an active member of the State Medical Society, a member of the American Medical Association and a fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He also was a member of the Madison Rotary Club.

Among the survivors is a brother, Dr. Eugene Sullivan, Wisconsin '16, with whom he practiced medicine.

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Floyd H. Bradley (Swarthmore '04), initiated in the first class following the chartering of Pennsylvania Kappa and since then a practicing attorney at Camden, N.J., died in Misericordia Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 9, 1954. Brother Bradley made his home at Merchantville, N.J., near Camden.

A graduate of Friends Central School in Philadelphia, Swarthmore College, and the Harvard Law School, he was admitted to practice before the Bar of New Jersey as an attorney in 1908 and as a counsellor in 1911. He was later admitted to practice before the U. S. District Court, Third Circuit Court of Appeals, and the U. S. Supreme Court.

Brother Bradley, who was associated with the law firm of French and Richards, later French, Richards, and Bradley, was appointed to serve as a member of the Committee on Character and Fitness

of Camden County at its inception and served first as its secretary and at the time of his death was serving as chairman of the committee. He was a member of the State, County, and American Bar Associations and had been chairman of the Ethics Committee of the Camden County Bar Association for many years.

Active in civic affairs, Brother Bradley had served as president of the Merchantville Board of Education and chairman of the Merchantville Zoning Board of Adjustment. He served for many years as a member of the board of directors of American Dredging Co., Camden Trust Co., and West Jersey Title and Guaranty Co. He was an active Mason.

Among the survivors of this Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is a brother, William J. Bradley, Jr., *Swarthmore* '09, and three sons, William J. L. 3rd, Walter D., *Swarthmore* '44, and Floyd, Jr. *Duke* '45.

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George McPhail Minetree (W & L '08) died at Garfield Hospital, Washington, D.C., April 2, 1955. He was 60 years old and had been a resident of the District since early childhood. A veteran of World War I, he served as a lieutenant with the 80th Division.

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Carl Hansman (Northwestern '18) died at his home in University City, Mo., Feb. 13, 1955. Truly a devoted Phi, he had served the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Alumni Club of St. Louis as president for three terms, the only brother to have been so honored. Among the survivors is a brother, Herman M. Hansman, *Northwestern* '21, of Washington, D.C.

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Edward W. Willingham (Auburn '22) died at his home in Jacksonville Beach, Fla., April 5, 1955. A native of Lafayette, Ala., he went to the Beach ten years ago where he served as beach representative of the Gulf Life Insurance Co. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of Beach Methodist Church. Among the survivors is a brother, Robert S. Willingham, *Georgia* '23, Lafayette, Ala.

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Samuel Gray Holmes (Georgia Tech '22) died suddenly at his home in Griffin, Ga., Mar. 6, 1955. He was senior partner in the Holmes Brothers Building Supply Co. in Griffin. Among the survivors are two Phi brothers, Robert Holmes, *Florida* '31, and Shi Holmes, *Florida* '37.

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Robert Kent Wilson (Westminster '05) was killed in an automobile accident near Jackson, Mo., his home, Mar. 5, 1955. His only daughter and his daughter-in-law were killed in the same accident. Brother Wilson was owner and editor of *The Cash Book*, a Jackson, Mo., newspaper and had for years been prominent in Southeast Missouri Democratic politics.

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The Rev. Vivian G. Higgs (Colgate '27), pastor of the Central Baptist Church at Elizabeth, N.J., since 1944, died in St. Elizabeth's Hospital there, Mar. 10, 1955. He had served pastorates at Arcade, N.Y., and Brattleboro, Vt., before going to Eliza-

beth. While in Vermont, he had served as president of the Vermont State Baptist Convention. A native of Wales, Brother Higgs came to this country as a child and later attended Colgate University and the Colgate-Rochester Divinity School.

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Robert Allen Lowe (North Dakota '17), head basketball coach at North Dakota State College from 1933 until his retirement in 1946, died at Fargo, N.D., Jan. 17, 1955. During his term there his team won five conference championships.

An outstanding athlete in football, basketball, and baseball while attending the University of North Dakota, Brother Lowe first coached at Fargo high school, then in 1928 was appointed freshman football coach at North Dakota State. In 1933 he became head basketball coach there. Among the survivors is a brother, William Lowe, *North Dakota* '18.

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Dr. A. Keith Droz (Iowa '25) died in the Veterans' Hospital, Long Beach, Calif., Jan. 28, 1955. A native of Washington, Iowa, Brother Droz attended the University of Iowa and was graduated from the University School of Medicine in 1928. After an internship in Chicago, he returned to Washington where he practiced medicine for some years.

Brother Droz volunteered at the outbreak of World War II and served in the Pacific Theater for many months as Assistant Chief Surgeon in Base Hospital 111 on the island of Guam. Upon being discharged from the Navy in 1946, he took up the practice of medicine in Van Nuys, Calif.

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Charles S. Kline (Dickinson '01), well known Catawissa, Pa., resident, died in Chester Hospital, Delaware County, Pa., on his 79th birthday, Mar. 23, 1955. A native of Catawissa, he returned there to live following his graduation from Dickinson Law School in 1903. Although he was a member of the Columbia County Bar he devoted most of his energies to the insurance business.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, serving it as choir director for 45 years; a charter member of the Catawissa Rotary Club; a past master and secretary of Catawissa Lodge No. 349, F. and A. M.; member of the Royal Arch Chapter and the Knights Templar, and a member of the Columbia and Montour Counties Bar Associations.

Brother Kline received his Golden Legion certificate at Dickinson in 1948. This was one of the highlights of his life and he often spoke feelingly of the occasion. During his college career he played third base on the Dickinson baseball team and remained an ardent fan for the rest of his life.

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Randolf E. Jenness (Idaho '23), publisher of the *Hawthorne Weekly* and the *Transportation News*, died at his home in Portland, Ore., Mar. 11, 1955. Moving to Portland 19 years ago, he had worked in the advertising department of *The Oregonian*, and later had served as public relations officer for war bond and government surplus sales. Recently

he had done publicity work for Senator Guy Cordon and other Republican candidates in the last election.

Brother Jenness was educated at Drake University and the University of Idaho. While serving as a newspaperman at Nampa, Idaho, he was, in 1931, a Pulitzer prize candidate for a report he wrote concerning a flight of Col. and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh. He was a member of the Press Club of Oregon, the Portland Transportation Club, the national Association of Fleet Supervisors, the University of Portland Dads' Club and of the Elks.

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Samuel Michael Hughes (Knox '91) died at Palmyra, Mo., Oct. 22, 1948.

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Clifford Henry Mead (Knox '01), retired grain dealer and descendant of a prominent pioneer family, died Mar. 22, 1955, in Chillicothe, Ill., where he was born in 1877. He was a director of both the Truitt Matthews Bank and the Chillicothe Federal Savings and Loan Association. A charter member of the local Kiwanis Club, he had served as its president as well as a district lieutenant governor. He was also active in Masonic affairs. Closely identified with civic undertakings, he had been on the school board and on the city council. He was a brother of the late Berne M. Mead, *Knox '00*. He was a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

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John Franklin Patterson (Montana '20), initiated with the first members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Montana Alpha (Bond No. 12), died in a hospital at Missoula, Mont., Mar. 1, 1955. Brother Patterson, who came to Missoula with his family in 1900, was owner of the City Cleaners, and for many years had served as district manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Co.

While at Montana University he had been president of the student body, a member of the University tennis team, of Silent Sentinel, the M Club, and although not listed as a charter member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, was in the first group, including charter members, that was initiated.

Brother Patterson, a veteran of World War I, serving in France with the 20th Regiment of Engineers, was an outstanding civic leader. He was a member of the Methodist Church, a charter member and past president as well as state governor of the Kiwanis Club, member of the board of trustees of the Public Library, a trustee of School District 1, and a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the American Legion and a member and past president of the Montana State Underwriters Association and the Missoula Life Underwriters Association.

Among the survivors is a son, John Patterson, Jr., *Montana '50*, and a brother, Phillip D. Patterson, *Montana '32*, of Chicago.

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Dr. Eric Alexander Eckler (W & J '15), head of the English Department at Mount Union College, Alliance, Ohio, died in Alliance, Feb. 16, 1955. He had given a lifetime of devotion to his college and to the students who passed through his classes. He was known as "Pop" to them all and he shared with

them not only his subject—English—but his hobbies, "books, dogs and herbs," and his wonderful philosophy of life. As one of his former students, a newspaperman, put it when he was told of Brother Eckler's hobbies, "I think they left something out—his most important hobby—students." In one of the testimonials to Brother Eckler since his death, it was said, that he was not only a great man and a professor but "a way of life."

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Dr. W. Hereford Smith (Centre '97), prominent physician and surgeon of Danville, Ky., died there Feb. 15, 1955. He had practiced medicine in Danville for over fifty years.

Following graduation from Hogsett Military Academy and Centre College he attended Cornell University in New York where he graduated in 1900.

After World War I, during which he served with base hospital centers in France, he returned to America and after further postgraduate work in New York resumed his practice.

A member of the staff of the Ephraim McDowell Hospital, he was serving as surgeon for the L. and N. Railroad; was chairman of the Boyle County Health Board for over fifteen years; was a member of the Boyle County Medical Society which he had served as president and as secretary, and was a member of other surgical and medical societies.

At Centre, Brother Smith was prominent in athletics and won the national award for the 100-yard dash at Chicago.

He was vice-president and director of the Central Kentucky Building and Loan Association and a member of the First Presbyterian Church and of the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, one sister, and a son, W. Hereford Smith, Jr., *Centre '45*, of New York City.

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Charles G. Merrill (Dartmouth '10), banker, civic and church leader of Ottumwa, Iowa, died in the Ottumwa Hospital, April 9, 1955. He had been vice-president and trust officer of the Union Bank and Trust Co. until the first of the year when he retired. Before becoming associated with the bank in 1931 he had been an officer in the Phoenix Insurance Agency.

Brother Merrill had been a member of the Chamber of Commerce for 35 years, serving several terms as a director; a member and former president of the Ottumwa Rotary Club; a member of the cemetery board of trustees; a Mason, a member of the Elks Club, a director of the Iowa Blue Cross

We are pleased to announce that the reported death of **Thomas Henry Andrews** (Union '32), as announced in the January issue of THE SCROLL, was erroneous, due to a clerical error. Our apologies to Brother Andrews.

and of Trinity Episcopal Church where he served on the vestry.

Continuously active in civic fund-raising campaigns he had worked for the Community Chest, the Red Cross and the Ottumwa Hospital where he had also served as a director. Brother Merrill had also served Ottumwa as city treasurer, and was a Navy veteran of World War I.

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Nathaniel J. Howland (Dartmouth '09), retired investment counselor, died at his home in Forest Hills, Queens, L.I., N.Y., in February, 1955. He was a member of the firm of W. R. Bull and Co., New York investment counselors from 1934 until his retirement ten years ago.

Following his graduation from Dartmouth, Brother Howland went to Europe as a representative of the Smith Premier typewriter concern, later changing to Remington Rand in the same capacity. In 1914 he was deputized by the American Embassy in Berlin to expedite the return of American residents and tourists at the outbreak of World War I. After the war, Brother Howland represented first Studebaker and then Chrysler Corporations in their foreign sales offices, and later went to London with the Kemsley Millburn Finance Company, European representatives of the American firm, Commercial Credit Corp.

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Earl Nyhus (North Dakota '23) died recently at Berkeley, Calif., where he had been living in recent years, moving there from Grand Forks, N.D.

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Fred G. Tegtmeier (Washington '09) was killed by a swinging crane during the construction of a traffic interchange at Everett, Wash., his home, Mar. 7, 1955. He was county engineer from 1915 to 1920, served as an Everett port commissioner and spent two years as an inspector for the State highway department.

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William Henry Foster (Lafayette '31) died in Blacksburg, Va., while on a business trip, Feb. 14, 1955. He was employed by The Ronald Press in New York City and made his home in Flushing, N.Y.

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Charles A. Alderson (Montana '30), whose grandfather was one of the founders of Bozeman, Mont., died at the family home in Bozeman, Mar. 6, 1955.

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Harold Alvin Lindrooth (Colorado '27) died at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Aurora, Ill., his home, in February, 1955. He graduated in 1927 from the

University of Colorado with a B.S. *cum laude* in mechanical engineering and during his college term had served as president of Colorado Alpha. At the time of his death, Brother Lindrooth was Transportation Superintendent for the Northern Illinois Gas Company.

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William D. Utley (C.C.N.Y. '87), a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, died at his home in Stroudsburg, Pa., Mar. 13, 1955. Brother Utley graduated with a Bachelor of Law degree from Columbia University in 1887 after giving an address as class valedictorian at Carnegie Hall. He later graduated from the New York College of Pharmacy in 1892 and entered the drug business with his father, retiring and moving to Dingmans Ferry, Pa., in 1915. He had been living with a niece at Stroudsburg since 1953.

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Hal G. Hotchkiss (Washburn '11), real estate developer and civic leader, died in Mercy Hospital, San Diego, Calif., Mar. 2, 1955. Brother Hotchkiss went to San Diego in 1911 as an attorney from his native Kansas, but entered the real estate business two years later. Since 1930 he had served as a State inheritance tax appraiser.

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Notice of the following deaths has been received from General Headquarters. No further information was given.

Frank I. Ridge (Missouri '07) Kansas City, Mo., March, 1955.

Mose Max Miller (Illinois '28) Enterprise, Ore., Feb. 8, 1955.

Walter Reed (Colgate '22) Corning, N.Y., Feb. 6, 1955.

Howard Marshall Clark (Stanford '23) Ashland, Ohio, Nov. 29, 1954.

Clarence McGill Eastburn (DePauw '08) Kenmare, N.D., Oct. 25, 1954.

Murray Levering Johnson (Illinois Wesleyan '83) Piedmont, Calif., Aug. 14, 1954.

Leslie Lisle North (Wisconsin '05) New Orleans, La., May 24, 1954.

John Mitchell Lewis (Oregon State '18) Stockton, Calif., Feb. 14, 1954.

Harold J. Heffron (Stanford '07) Oceanside, Calif.

Harold L. Wilson (Northwestern '13) Floral Park, N.Y.

Alden Hamilton Torrey (Kansas '20) Kansas City, Mo.

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- MISSOURI GAMMA** (1891), Washington University, 8 Fraternity Row, St. Louis, Mo. *President*, Monte Shomaker; *Reporter*, John Porter; *Adviser*, A. Wallace MacLean, 6 Cherri Lane, St. Louis 24, Mo.
- MONTANA ALPHA** (1920), Montana State University, 500 University Ave., Missoula, Mont. *President*, Jerry Bowlin; *Reporter*, Paul Weingart; *Advisers*, Paul Chumrau, 640 East Kent, Missoula, Mont.; Robert Breen, 600 S. Avenue E., Missoula, Mont.
- NEBRASKA ALPHA** (1875), University of Nebraska, 1545 "R" St., Lincoln, Nebr. *President*, Herb Meissner; *Reporter*, Al Anderson; *Adviser*, Leo Beck, Jr., 144 N. 13th, Lincoln, Nebr.; *Co-adviser*, George Bastian, Stuart Bldg., Lincoln, Nebr.
- NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA** (1884), Dartmouth College, 6 Webster Ave., Hanover, N.H. *President*, Frederick H. Starling, III; *Reporter*, Robert G. Hadley; *Adviser*, Prof. A. L. Demaree, 1 North Park St., Hanover, N.H.
- NEW MEXICO ALPHA** (1946), University of New Mexico, 1705 Mesa Vista Rd. N.E., Albuquerque, N.Mex. *President*, Herbert H. Brunell, Jr.; *Reporter*, Fred M. Mossman; *Adviser*, Harold K. Pride, 520 Amherst Dr. S.E., Albuquerque, N.Mex.
- NEW YORK ALPHA** (1872), Cornell University, 2 Ridgewood Rd., Ithaca, N.Y. *President*, Richard G. Rutledge; *Reporter*, James Larrimore; *Adviser*, Stan Perez, Trumansburg, N.Y.
- NEW YORK BETA** (1883), Union College, Schenectady, N.Y. *President*, Thomas J. Miles; *Reporter*, John P. McMahon; *Adviser*, J. Harold Wittner, Alumni Gymnasium, Union College, Schenectady, N.Y.
- NEW YORK EPSILON** (1887), Syracuse University, 703 Walnut Ave., Syracuse, N.Y. *President*, Kenneth Brown; *Reporter*, Richard Sutter; *Advisers*, Harold Clingen, 651 Stinaard Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.; Rev. Harry Reddick, 905 Walnut Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.
- NEW YORK ZETA** (1918), Colgate University, Box 806, Hamilton, N.Y. *President*, George Gardella; *Reporter*, Neal Price; *Advisers*, James F. Dickenson, Colgate University, Hamilton, N.Y.; John Dunn, 22 W. Pleasant St., Hamilton, N.Y.
- NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA** (1878), Duke University, Box 4693, Durham, N.C. *President*, Robert Cannon; *Reporter*, William Biggers; *Adviser*, Jay Luvaas, 1837 Forest Rd., Durham, N.C.
- NORTH CAROLINA BETA** (1885), University of North Carolina, 304 S. Columbia St., Chapel Hill, N.C. *President*, William B. Pittman; *Reporter*, Sherwood H. Smith, Jr.; *Adviser*, Dr. James F. Newsom, N.C. Memorial Hospital, Chapel Hill, N.C.
- NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA** (1928), Davidson College, Box 673, Davidson, N.C. *President*, Jason D. McManus; *Reporter*, Clyde O. Robinson, Jr.; *Adviser*, Dr. C. K. Brown, Box 56, Davidson, N.C.
- NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA** (1913), University of North Dakota, University Station, Grand Forks, N.D. *President*, Karl Swenson; *Reporter*, Robert Anderson; *Adviser*, J. Earl McFadden, 212 Red River Natl. Bank Bldg., Grand Forks, N.D.
- NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA** (1930), Dalhousie University, 66 Seymour St., Halifax, N.S., Can. *President*, Gary Watson; *Reporter*, Bruce Algie; *Adviser*, George B. Robertson, 35 Bedford Row, Halifax, N.S., Can.

- OHIO ALPHA (1848)**, Miami University, 506 E. High St., Oxford, Ohio. *President*, Carl Meyers; *Reporter*, Dave Bither; *Adviser*, James A. Gordon, 333 N. Locust St., Oxford, Ohio.
- OHIO BETA (1860)**, Ohio Wesleyan University, 130 N. Washington St., Delaware, Ohio. *President*, Melvyn L. Smith; *Reporter*, Roger K. Brown; *Advisers*, Howard E. Strauch, 17 Orchard Heights, Delaware, Ohio; Herman Shipps, 148 Griswold St., Delaware, Ohio.
- OHIO GAMMA (1868)**, Ohio University, 10 W. Mulberry St., Athens, Ohio. *President*, Tom Balding; *Reporter*, Gilbert Camp; *Adviser*, Donald Mansfield, AFROTC Dept., Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.
- OHIO EPSILON (1875)**, University of Akron, 194 Spicer Ave., Akron, Ohio. *President*, James Singer; *Reporter*, Tony Milo; *Advisers*, Lt. Col. Robert C. Patrick, 2625 Columbus Rd., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St., Akron, Ohio.
- OHIO ZETA (1883)**, Ohio State University, 1942 Iuka Ave., Columbus 1, Ohio. *President*, David Call; *Reporter*, Everett Musser; *Advisers*, Wilson Dumble, 13 E. 16th Ave., Columbus, Ohio; Dan Fulmer, 1653 Arlington Ave., Columbus, Ohio.
- OHIO ETA (1896)**, Case Institute of Technology, 2139 Abington Rd., Cleveland 6, Ohio. *President*, John Budko; *Reporter*, Wendell Kohl; *Adviser*, John Sturgis, 19620 Winslow Rd., Shaker Heights, Ohio.
- OHIO THETA (1898)**, University of Cincinnati, 2718 Digby Ave., Cincinnati 19, Ohio. *President*, William Grabo; *Reporter*, Ed Loewe; *Adviser*, Bob Davis, 1134 Lois Dr., Cincinnati 37, Ohio.
- OHIO IOTA (1914)**, Denison University, Granville, Ohio. *President*, Ted Blunk; *Reporter*, John Macklin; *Advisers*, C. L. Goodell, 228 E. Elm St., Granville, Ohio; Fred L. Preston, 120 E. Elm St., Granville, Ohio.
- OHIO KAPPA (1950)**, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio. *President*, Jim Dysinger; *Reporter*, George Byers; *Adviser*, Maj. James Cables, 310 N. Church St., Bowling Green, Ohio.
- OHIO LAMBDA (1954)**, Kent State University, 320 E. College St., Kent, Ohio. *President*, J. Clifton Whisler; *Reporter*, Richard A. Baun; *Adviser*, Paul C. Kitchin, R. 3, Ravenna, Ohio.
- OKLAHOMA ALPHA (1918)**, University of Oklahoma, Boyd House, Woodrow Wilson Center, Norman, Okla. *President*, Joe Lessert; *Reporter*, R. W. Gilchrist, Jr.; *Adviser*, Hugh McDermott, 807 S. Ponca, Norman, Okla.; *Co-adviser*, Robert F. Brandenburg, 430 Macy, Norman, Okla.
- OKLAHOMA BETA (1946)**, Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, 901 College St., Stillwater, Okla. *President*, Jerry Shipley; *Reporter*, Charles Hollar; *Adviser*, Robert Kersten, 316 N. Main St., Apt. 18, Stillwater, Okla.
- ONTARIO ALPHA (1906)**, University of Toronto, 165 St. George St., Toronto, Ont., Can. *President*, Roy H. Beatty; *Reporter*, Bruce Currie; *Adviser*, John B. Livingston, 877 Avenue Rd., Toronto, Ont., Can.
- OREGON ALPHA (1912)**, University of Oregon, 1472 Kincaid, Eugene, Ore. *President*, Richard D. Schlossstein; *Reporter*, Martin Brandenfels; *Advisers*, W. H. Skade, 2154 Emerald St., Eugene, Ore.; Mr. Arthur J. Anderson, 2140 Agate St., Eugene, Ore.
- OREGON BETA (1918)**, Oregon State College, 13th & Monroe Sts., Corvallis, Ore. *President*, Jim Ruggles; *Reporter*, Larry Paulus; *Adviser*, Robert Wilson, Forestry Dept., Oregon State College, Corvallis, Ore.
- OREGON GAMMA (1946)**, Willamette University, Salem, Ore. *President*, Dale Patton; *Reporter*, Phil McCallister; *Adviser*, James Hatfield, 1221 Chemeketa St., Salem, Ore.
- PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA (1873)**, Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. *President*, Harry Jordan; *Reporter*, Willard Snyder; *Adviser*, Dr. Samuel Pascal, Lafayette College, Easton, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA BETA (1875)**, Gettysburg College, 109 W. Lincoln Ave., Gettysburg, Pa. *President*, John Stoner; *Reporter*, Fred Shisler; *Adviser*, John C. Stahle, P.O. Box 244, Gettysburg, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA (1875)**, Washington & Jefferson College, 140 S. Lincoln St., Washington, Pa. *President*, Eugene Rongaus; *Reporter*, Paul E. Rathgeb, Jr.; *Advisers*, Roger K. Patton, 664 E. Beau St., Washington, Pa.; Robert M. Jenner, 118 Broughton Rd., Pittsburgh 34, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA DELTA (1879)**, Allegheny College, 681 The Terrace, Meadville, Pa. *President*, Robert Moyers; *Reporter*, Max Shofstahl; *Advisers*, Richard H. Hughes, R. 1, Meadville, Pa.; Bernard Frick, 408 Trust Co. Bldg., Meadville, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON (1880)**, Dickinson College, 49 N. West St., Carlisle, Pa. *President*, Bruce McGillivray; *Reporter*, R. Lewis Wilkinson; *Adviser*, Walter L. Barnard, 206 Willow Ave., Camp Hill, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA ZETA (1883)**, University of Pennsylvania, 3700 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa. *President*, Fred Tubbs; *Reporter*, Philip T. Tobin; *Advisers*, Donald Colasone, 3700 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Robert McCann, 1527 Oregon Ave., Philadelphia 45, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA ETA (1876)**, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa. *President*, Norman Casswint; *Reporter*, Eliot B. Meyer; *Adviser*, Richard Johnson, 627 W. County Line Rd., Hatboro, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA THETA (1904)**, Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pa. *President*, Gale Robbins; *Reporter*, Richard Hamer; *Adviser*, Henry Yeagley, Jr., 531 West Mitchell, State College, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA IOTA (1918)**, University of Pittsburgh, 255 N. Dithridge, Pittsburgh 13, Pa. *President*, Victor Zaack, Jr.; *Reporter*, Glenn R. Heiskell; *Adviser*, George Herrington, 420 Duquesne Dr., Pittsburgh 16, Pa.
- PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA (1918)**, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa. *President*, Gordon Smith; *Reporter*, Ronald Decker; *Adviser*, Edward L. Noyes, 490 Riverview Ave., Swarthmore, Pa.
- QUEBEC ALPHA (1902)**, McGill University, 3581 University St., Montreal, Que., Can. *President*, W. J. Westaway; *Reporter*, R. M. Hanna; *Adviser*, George Seely, 28 Redpath Pl., Montreal, Que., Can.
- RHODE ISLAND ALPHA (1889)**, Brown University, Box 1164, Providence, R.I. *President*, Carl Koch; *Reporter*, J. Kenneth Golder; *Adviser*, Dr. Robert Welch, 38 Hixon Court, N. Attleboro, Mass.
- SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA (1906)**, University of South Dakota, 202 E. Clark, Vermillion, S.D. *President*, Harvey Delzer; *Reporter*, Otto Kaiser; *Adviser*, Wayne Rausch, 402 E. Main, Vermillion, S.D.
- TENNESSEE ALPHA (1876)**, Vanderbilt University, 2019 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn. *President*, Thomas Cate; *Reporter*, James H. Patton, III; *Adviser*, Robert C. H. Mathews, Jr., 478 Craighead St., Nashville, Tenn.
- TENNESSEE BETA (1883)**, University of the South, Box 227, Sewanee, Tenn. *President*, James Creveling; *Reporter*, Wm. G. Burrill; *Advisers*, Dr. O. N. Torian, Sewanee, Tenn.; Douglas Vaughan, Sewanee, Tenn.
- TEXAS BETA (1883)**, University of Texas, 2300 Nueces, Austin, Tex. *President*, Richard Webb; *Reporter*, James C. Boyce; *Adviser*, Edward R. L. Wroe, Jr., 3213 Clearview, Austin, Tex.
- TEXAS GAMMA (1886)**, Southwestern University, 915 Pine St., Georgetown, Tex. *President*, Frank M. Eddins; *Reporter*, Branson Thurston; *Adviser*, Judge Sam V. Stone, Georgetown, Tex.
- TEXAS DELTA (1922)**, Southern Methodist University, 7 Fraternity Row, Dallas 5, Tex. *President*, Charles Webb; *Reporter*, Arthur Barnes; *Adviser*, Spencer Carver, 3521 Wentwood Dr., Dallas, Tex.
- TEXAS EPSILON (1953)**, Texas Technological College, Box 4022, Lubbock, Tex. *President*, Tracy Cary; *Reporter*, Charles H. Luling, III; *Advisers*, John Harding, 2610 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.; E. W. Williams, Jr., 4514 21st St., Lubbock, Tex.
- UTAH ALPHA (1914)**, University of Utah, 102 University St., Salt Lake City, Utah. *President*, Gary Breeze; *Reporter*, Dave Brown; *Adviser*, Ted Whitney, 132 S. Main, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- VERMONT ALPHA (1879)**, University of Vermont, 439 College St., Burlington, Vt. *President*, Robert Crawford; *Reporter*, Robert Parker; *Adviser*, Truman Webster, Shelburne, Vt.; *Co-Adviser*, Benjamin Schwyer, 32 Kingsland Terr., Burlington, Vt.

VIRGINIA BETA (1873), University of Virginia, 129 Chancellor St., Charlottesville, Va. *President*, Sidney C. Kinkead, Jr.; *Reporter*, Robert K. Hopkins, Jr.; *Advisers*, Maupin M. Pence, Mason Lane, Charlottesville, Va.; Claude C. Carroll, 905 Fendal Terr., Charlottesville, Va.

VIRGINIA GAMMA (1874), Box 347, Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va. *President*, Bill Birdsong, Jr.; *Reporter*, George C. Pittman, Jr.; *Adviser*, Dr. G. C. Simpson, Center St., Ashland, Va.

VIRGINIA DELTA (1875), University of Richmond, Box 57, University, Va. *President*, John C. Rennolds; *Reporter*, William I. Meyers, IV; *Advisers*, Charles E. August, Jr., 1905 Petersburg Pike, Richmond, Va.; Forrest W. Brown, Jr., 5211 Devonshire Rd., Richmond, Va.

VIRGINIA ZETA (1887), Washington & Lee University, 5 Henry St., Lexington, Va. *President*, Robert Harrison; *Reporter*, William B. Northrop; *Adviser*, Earl S. Mattingly, Treasurer's Office, Washington & Lee University, Lexington, Va.

WASHINGTON ALPHA (1900), University of Washington, 2111 E. 47th St., Seattle 5, Wash. *President*, William Eakin; *Reporter*, Laurie Miller; *Adviser*, Terry L. Donoghue, 149 West 144th St., Seattle, Wash.

WASHINGTON BETA (1914), Whitman College, 715 Estrella St., Walla Walla, Wash. *President*, Dick Sutherland; *Reporter*, Ron Cook; *Advisers*, Robert R. Reid, 336 Bonasella, Walla Walla, Wash.; Frederick C. Wilson, 418 Boyer, Walla Walla, Wash.

WASHINGTON GAMMA (1918), Washington State College, 600 Campus Ave., Pullman, Wash. *President*, John Cavallini; *Reporter*, Dick Allen; *Adviser*, F. L. Titus, R. 1, Pullman, Wash.

WASHINGTON DELTA (1952), College of Puget Sound, 3722 N. 8th Ave., Tacoma, Wash. *President*, Robert Breneman; *Reporter*, Terrence W. Schick; *Adviser*, Ray Gardner, Jr., 6320 Nyanza Park Dr., Tacoma, Wash.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA (1926), West Virginia University, 664 Spruce St., Morgantown, W.Va.; *President*, Daniel E. Dunmire, III; *Reporter*, Chas. V. Ashworth, Jr.; *Adviser*, Charles Ashton, 240 S. High, Morgantown, W.Va.

WISCONSIN ALPHA (1857), University of Wisconsin, 222 Langdon St., Madison, Wis. *President*, Charles Staiger; *Reporter*, Richard Johnson; *Advisers*, Jack R. DeWitt, 5741 Dogwood Pl., Madison, Wis.; Ralph Huitt, South Hall, Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

WISCONSIN BETA (1859), Lawrence College, 711 E. Alton St., Appleton, Wis. *President*, James Overby; *Reporter*, Dwight Peterson; *Advisers*, Al Zupek, 1418 N. Union, Appleton, Wis.; Wm. Thompson, 213 Elm St., Menasha, Wis.

WYOMING ALPHA (1934), University of Wyoming, 1309 Grand Ave., Laramie, Wyo. *President*, Russell A. Simpson; *Reporter*, Claude P. Mapes; *Adviser*, Glen R. Daniels, c/o Athletic Dept., Univ. of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyo.

The Roll of Alumni Clubs

THE items in each entry are entered in this order: Name of the city; the Secretary of the Club with his address; the time and place of the weekly luncheon or other stated meeting.

Changes should be reported immediately to General Headquarters, Oxford, Ohio

RAY E. BLACKWELL, *Alumni Secretary*

ALABAMA

Mobile—Frank Stone, 116 Houston St., Mobile, Ala. Called meetings, Battle House Hotel.

Montgomery—Allen D. Harper, Jr., 3546 Gaylord Ave. Called meetings, Beauvois Country Club.

Opelika—Scott Farley, 2 Fitzpatrick.

ARIZONA

Phoenix—Dean Moody, 30 W. Madison. Quarterly meetings, 1st Mon. of each quarter.

Tucson—Tom Webster, 18 Broadway Village, Tucson, Ariz., 12 Noon, 1st Tuesday, Y.M.C.A. Bldg.

ARKANSAS

State of Arkansas—Jay W. Hill, 305 Boyle Bldg., Little Rock.

CALIFORNIA

Hollywood—Otto A. Steiert, 5825 Harold Way, Apt. 7, Los Angeles, Calif. First Wednesday of each month, Hollywood Athletic Club, 6525 Sunset Blvd.

Los Angeles—Geo. K. Shaffer, 12038 Pacoima Dr., N. Hollywood, Calif. 12 noon, every Friday, University Club, 614 S. Hope St.

East Bay—Carter Norris, Jr., 1419 Broadway, Oakland, Calif. Luncheon meetings Thursday noon at Athens Athletic Club, 12th & Clay, Oakland.

Sacramento—C. L. Rudine, 927 10th St. Last Friday, University Club, noon.

San Diego—John Terhorst, 4960 Rose Hedge Dr., LaMesa, Calif.

San Francisco—Thomas O. King, 1801 Taylor. 4th Tuesday, St. Julian Restaurant, 140 Battery St., S.E.

Santa Barbara—Edward Dow, 1025 E. Yanonali St. Dinner meeting once every 6 weeks as called.

COLORADO

Colorado Springs—Robert Crowder, Box 489. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays (October through May) at 6:15 P.M. at the chapter house.

Denver—Bill Welch, 1430 E. Bates Ave., Englewood, Colo. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea Room.

Ft. Collins—W. D. Thomas, Dept. of Botany and Plant Pathology, Colorado A. & M. College. 1st Monday, quarterly, noon, Ram Room, Lamb's Cafe.

DELAWARE

Wilmington—Lyle E. King, 9060 DuPont Bldg. Dinner meetings monthly except June, July and August, University Club.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington—Hayden Talbot, 1825 Phelps Pl., N.W. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Army and Navy Club, 17th and Eye St. N.W. Call Everett Flood, Woodyly 6-8400 or Martin Heflin, 7-7420.

FLORIDA

Gainesville—Called meetings, Florida Alpha chapter house.

Manatee County—William D. Watson, Jr., 442 12th St. W., Bradenton, Fla. Garcia's Restaurant.

Miami—William J. Booher, 830 S.E. Miami Ave. Rd. 12 Noon, first Wednesday, Seven Seas Restaurant, 101 S.E. 2nd Ave.

Orlando—Andrew Yaros, 2836 Northwood Blvd. Meetings 2nd Tuesdays, Noon, at Lamar Hotel.

St. Petersburg—Robert A. Runcie, 1061-14th Ave., N. Luncheon each Friday at Hotel Suwannee.

Tampa—James F. Baughman, P.O. Box 2031, Tampa.

GEORGIA

Americus—Hays McMath, Jr., Rylander, McMath Tractor Co., Americus, Ga.

Atlanta—James E. Hickey, Jr., 2855 Arden Rd. Last Friday, 12:15 Emile's, 87 Fairlie St. N.E.

Gainesville—Charles L. Hardy, 115 E. Ridgewood Ave. Dinner 7:30 P.M. Dixie Hunt Hotel, first Sunday.

Griffin—Wm. H. Beck, III, 217 S. 11th St. Quarterly meetings, third Friday, Jan., April, July, Oct. 12 Noon. Harry's Diner, also special and Founders Day meetings.

Macon—M. F. Meadors, Professional Bldg. Fourth Monday, 1 and 7 P.M. alternate months, S. & S. Cafeteria, 337 Third St.

IDAHO

Boise—Allen Salzer, 403 Cleveland. Third Wednesday, 12:15 P.M. Valencia.

ILLINOIS

Bloomington—Wm. R. Mette, Jr., 604 N. Colton Ave. 1st Mon. 12:00 noon. Rogers Hotel, Bamboo Room.

Champaign-Urbana—J. Michael O'Byrne, 1405 Grandview, Champaign. First Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan. and March.

Chicago—(Metropolitan)—William H. Osborne, Jr., 120 S. La Salle St., Chicago 3, Ill. Meetings Friday, 12:00 noon. Shamrock Restaurant, 28 N. La Salle St. Meetings, Friday, 12:00 P.M. Blue Note.

Galesburg—Richard Goff, 512 E. So. St., Knoxville, Ill. Five meetings a year, Sept., Oct., Feb., March 15, June, Phi Delta Theta House. Called meetings and Founders Day.

Peoria—Dr. Phil Chain, 3940 Prospect Rd. (4) Third Friday in June, and Friday in Sept., University Club.

Rockford—Dr. John S. Weiss, 812 King St. Called meetings.

INDIANA

Bloomington—Marion Rogers, 1130 E. Atwater, Bloomington, Ind. Quarterly meetings.

Columbus—Robert Stewart, 2132 Franklin St.

Evansville—Robert M. Leich, Box 869, c/o Charles Leich and Co.

Ft. Wayne—John H. McCully, Wayne Pump Co., Ft. Wayne 4, Ind. Tues. Noon, Wayne St. Hobby House.

Franklin—Patrick Cuddy, 151 Walnut St. Called meetings.

Indianapolis—John E. Thurston, 105 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Indianapolis 4, Ind. Hotel Warren, 123 S. Illinois St., Luncheon every Friday noon.

Kokomo—Charles Rose, 532 W. Walnut St.

Montgomery County—Gordon A. Mefford, 402 Porter St., Crawfordsville, Ind. 2nd Wednesday at Indiana Beta chapter house, Crawfordsville, Ind.

St. Joseph Valley—Carl V. Shellhouse, 613 JMS Bldg., South Bend, Ind. First Tuesday, Ramble Inn.

Tipton—C. L. O'Banion, Tipton, Ind.

IOWA

Cedar Rapids—H. Schrader, c/o Gazette Co. 6:30 P.M., Roosevelt Hotel.

Des Moines—W. F. Rauscher, Carlisle, Iowa

Mt. Pleasant—George E. Crane, Hardware Store. First Friday, 6:30 P.M., Harlon Hotel.

KANSAS

Manhattan—J. W. Funk, 1814 Platt, second Tuesday, 7:30 P.M. Phi Delta Theta House.

Topeka—Clark A. Gray, 112-114 W. 6th St., Jayhawk Hotel, first Friday, 12:15 P.M.

Wichita—Elmer Wulf, 6027 E. Lincoln (17). 12:00 noon, Fri. except first, Mezzanine, Hotel Lassen; 6:00 P.M. dinner first Fri. Droll's English Grill.

KENTUCKY

Bluegrass—Thomas F. Marshall, McClure Bldg., Frankfort, Ky. First Monday each quarter at Stag Distillery Club House.

Central Kentucky—(Lexington), E. W. Humphreys, P.O. Box 519. Dinner meeting 1st Thurs. each month during school year.

Louisville—Richard D. Smith, 430 Club, 4 times each year. Place to be announced.

LOUISIANA

New Orleans—Chas. W. Robinson, 1101 Hibernia Bank Bldg. Every Friday, 12 noon, Arnaud's Restaurant.

MAINE

Waterville—Gordon K. Fuller, 44 Burleigh St. Second Wednesday Evening, Phi Delta Theta House.

MARYLAND

Baltimore—F. Marshall Weller, 4804 Wilmslow Rd., Baltimore 10, Md. Luncheons, 12:15 P.M. on first Friday, University Club, 801 N. Charles St.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston—Phillip J. Gray, 96 Bay State Rd. Call Secretary for details.

MICHIGAN

Detroit—Warren T. Macauley, c/o Jno. Hancock Life Ins. Co., 41 E. Congress, Detroit 26. Luncheons every Fri. Harmonie, 267 E. Grand River Ave.

Lansing—Wm. A. Ruble, Central Trust Co. Monday 12:15 P.M. Hotel Olds.

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis—Rutherford F. Burr, Jr., 3040 S. Lyndale Ave. Phone, Regent 7421. Fourth Wednesday, 12:15 P.M.

MISSISSIPPI

Clarksdale—R. E. Bobo, Jr. Meetings two times each year Founders Day, Fall.

Jackson—Jack McLarty, Kroeze-McLarty Co.

Tupelo—J. M. Thomas, Jr., P.O. Box 416. Called meetings.

MISSOURI

Columbia—Edmund M. Brown, M.F.A. Insurance Co.

Fulton—Harvey S. Clapp, 307 E. Sixth St. Called meetings.

Kansas City—Donald Hueben, 621 N. 17th. Friday noon, Hotel Continental.

Springfield—Lester L. Cox, 1739 S. Natl. Blvd. Luncheon first Thursday, Hotel Moran, 12 Noon.

St. Joseph—Jack Van Cleve, 2244 N. 22nd St. Last Friday, Robidoux Hotel.

St. Louis—John H. Leutwiler, Mo. Research Laboratories, Inc., 2109 Locust St., St. Louis 3, Mo.

MONTANA

Helena—Michael E. Donovan, 1028 Stuart St. Third Thursday, Montana Club Rathskeller.

Missoula—John F. Patterson, Jr., 304 S. 5th E. 12 Noon Mondays, Palace Hotel.

NEBRASKA

Lincoln—Robert J. Glenn, 2210 Woodcrest Ave.

Omaha—John R. Barton, 1010 First Natl. Bank Bldg. 12:15 Noon, first Monday, Omaha Athletic Club.

NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque—Robert B. Stephenson, 9116 Candelaria Rd. N.E. Las Cruces—Southern New Mexico—West Texas—Co-Secretary Don Strode, c/o Diamond Gravel Co., Las Cruces, N.M. First Thursday every month, 7:15 P.M. at El Paso.

NEW YORK

Buffalo—Roger Gross, 209-A Kenville Rd., Buffalo 15, N.Y. New York—Clem Paxson, 2400 Sedgwick Ave., New York 63. Chamber of Commerce Bldg., 4th Fl., 65 Liberty St. 1:00 P.M. Friday (except first Friday every month, then 12:30 P.M.).

Rochester—G. E. Schuman, 26 Morningside Park. Monday, 12:15 P.M. Hotel Sheraton, 55 St. Paul St.

Syracuse—Harry B. Reddick, 905 Walnut Ave., Meetings 2nd Monday Noon, Schraft's Restaurant, 418 S. Warren St.

OHIO

Akron—R. C. Davis, 1002 Berwin St. (10). Luncheons, Friday noon, University Club. Called business meetings.

Athens—Ralph Clark, Congress Apts. #1. Five meetings per year on call of committee.

Canton—Norman E. Jackson, 2411 Ivanhoe N.W. Luncheon, first Tuesday, dinner, second Monday, 6:30 P.M., Hotel Onesto.

Cincinnati—Porter P. Lowry, 5622 Whitney Pl., Cincinnati 27. Luncheon alternate Saturdays, Hotel Metropole, and 6:30 P.M. first Thursday October to May, Ohio Theta house.

Cleveland—Marshall Dyer, 2581 Berkshire Rd., Cleveland Hgts. 6, Ohio. University Club, 3813 Euclid Ave., 12:15 P.M. every Friday.

Columbus—Ralph Warne, 23 N. 4th St., Columbus 15, Ohio. Tuesday Noon, University Club, 40 S. Third St.

Dayton—Kenneth R. Oliver, 4083 Renwood Dr., Dayton 9. Meeting, second Wednesday, 6:00 P.M., Sept.-June, Pappy's Kitchen Klub, 5200 N. Main St.

Mansfield—Harold A. Bruce, c/o The Ohio Brass Co., 380 N. Main St.

Ross County—Harold W. Cruit, 190 W. 2nd St., Chillicothe, Ohio. Sept. 15 and March 15, Fox Farm Inn, 6:30 P.M.
Toledo—Kenneth Coffman, 3718 Elmhurst Rd. (13). Tuesday at Noon, Dyer's Chop House.
Youngstown—Sidwell Evans, 7489 Hitchcock Rd., Youngstown 12, Ohio.

OKLAHOMA

Bartlesville—Warren L. Felton, 1356 Johnstone Ave. 1st Tues. 12:00 Noon, Y.W.C.A. Dining Room.
Enid—Jack Bowers, Box 1349. 12 Noon, second Tuesday, Oxford Hotel.
Oklahoma City—Grady Harris, Box 1655, 2nd Tues. of each month.
Tulsa—Jack F. Cozier, 2125 E. 22 Pl. 12 Noon, second Tuesday, Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Fourth Tuesday 6:30 Dinner, Danner's Cafeteria, East Room.

OREGON

Eugene—Roger Wiley, 1355 L St., Springfield, Ore. Third Wed. each month, 6:30 P.M., Eugene Hotel, 1472 Kincaid St., Eugene, Ore.
Portland—Don Lane, 3035 S.W. Slope Drive, Portland, Ore. Portland Chamber of Commerce, 5th & Taylor, Thursday at 12 Noon.
Salem—Paul Heath, Rt. 6, Box 567. Third Mon. of Jan., May, Sept., Oct. and Nov.

PENNSYLVANIA

Franklin County—James P. Wolff, 206 E. Second St., Waynesboro, Pa.
Harrisburg—Harold L. Child, 329 Paxtang Ave. Luncheon every Wednesday at 12:15 P.M., Mezzanine Pickwick Room, Harrisburger Hotel.
Johnstown—
Lehigh Valley—Hugh Sivell, 1516 Dale Lane, Bethlehem, Pa. Meetings annually.
Philadelphia—Dr. H. F. Boerner, Jr., 1930 Chestnut St., Philadelphia 3, Pa. Every Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Adelphia Hotel Grill, Chestnut St.
Pittsburgh—Robert W. Richardson, 1731 Oliver Bldg. Noon, Friday, Child's Restaurant in Park Bldg., Fifth Ave. and Smithfield St.
Scranton—Frank E. Dietrick, 829 Richmond St. Last Friday, 12 Noon, Scranton Club, Mulberry and N. Washington Ave.
York—First Wednesday, 6:00 P.M. Colonial Hotel.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Sioux Falls—Darrell Boyd, 1905 S. Walts.

TENNESSEE

Memphis—Henry Stratton, 1081 Audubon Rd. First Friday, 12:15 P.M. Lowenstein's private room.

TEXAS

Amarillo—Robert Cairns, 103 S. Pierce St., Amarillo. Amarillo Club, 112 W. 7th. Last Mon. of each month.
Beaumont—Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co., Broadway at Mariposa.
Corpus Christi—Edmund P. Williams, 126 Southern. 12:15 second Monday, Plaza Hotel.
Dallas—Robert H. Wallser, 801 Davis Bldg. (1). 5:15 P.M. First Tuesday each month, Vick's Restaurant.
Ft. Worth—Walter E. Jordan, 625 Ft. Worth Natl. Bank Bldg. First Wednesday, Noon. Blackstone Hotel.

Galveston—William H. Gehring, 1828 Bayou Shore Dr., Galveston, Tex.
Houston—Howard E. Young, 432 First National Bank Bldg. Called meetings.
Lubbock—E. W. Williams, Jr., 4514 21st St.
Pernian Basin—Midland, Tex. Haygood Hendry, Sohio Petroleum Co., Rankin Highway.
San Antonio—Evans Wyatt, 317 Lilac Lane (9). 1st Mon. 12:15 P.M. The Manor House, 1122 N. St. Mary's.
Texarkana—J. Trevor Caven, Box 149. 12:15 P.M. second Wednesday each month. Coffee Cup.
West Texas-Southern New Mexico—First Thursday every month at 7:15 P.M. Hotel Cortez Mirror Room, Carl M. Olsen, 3722 Frankfort St., El Paso.

UTAH

Salt Lake City—Reid G. White, 838 5th Ave., Tuesday, 12:15, University Club, 2nd Tuesday, 136 E.S. Temple.

VIRGINIA

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WASHINGTON

Ellensburg—Stan M. Thomas, Rt. 3. March, June, Sept. and Dec.
Seattle—William T. Jacobson, 1111 Dexter Horton Bldg., Seattle 4, Wash. 6:00 P.M., first Thursday at College Club.
Spokane—J. T. Peterson, 611 Old Nat'l. Bank Bldg.
Tacoma—Edward M. Lane. Second Thursday each month, 6:00 P.M., Top of the Ocean.
Walla Walla—Joseph Bassett, 1494 Francis.

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Kanawha Valley—Richard F. Sterling, Box 334, Charleston 22, W.Va. First Wednesday, Ruffner Hotel.

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WYOMING

Laramie—Eugene Flippen, 1503 Rainbow. Second Mon. Noon, Chef Cafe.

HAWAII

Honolulu, T.H. (13) Dr. Grover H. Batten, Suite 369, Young Hotel Bldg. 12 Noon third Wednesday, Lau Yee Chai, Kalakaua and Kuhio Aves., Waikiki.

CANADA

ALBERTA—Calgary—J. L. Holman, 225 Superior Ave. Called meetings, Glencoe Club.
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BRITISH COLUMBIA—Vancouver—John L. Roberts, 570 Seymour St. 12:15 P.M. First Wednesday, Alcazar Hotel.
MANITOBA—Winnipeg—C. Irving Keith, 612 Avenue Bldg. Second Wednesday, 6:30 P.M. St. Charles Hotel.
NOVA SCOTIA—Halifax—Robert Merchant, 34 Bellevue St. Meetings at chapter house on call of President.
QUEBEC—Montreal—D. S. McGibbon, Crabtree & McLaughlin, 201 Notre Dame St., W. Montreal, Que., Can. Called meetings.

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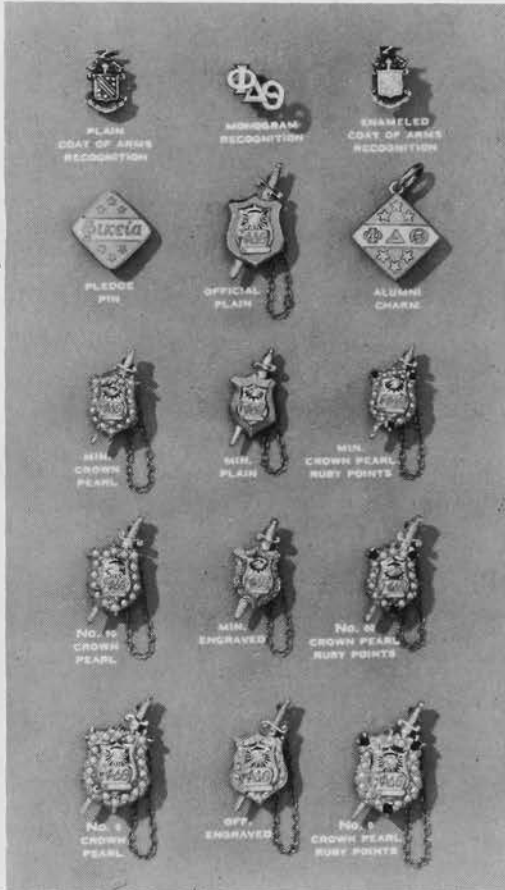
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