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◆ A PLEA for funds for Russian relief has been made to the active chapters and to the officers of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity by the Rt. Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, A, presiding bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church, who is aiding the fund.

"I am informed by the national office of Russian War Relief that \$25 will rehabilitate a wounded Russian soldier, that \$100 will buy 20 pounds of sulfa drugs, and \$500 will purchase a field operating tent," Bishop Tucker said.

"We are all proud of Pi Kappa Alpha's record in the field of public service," Bishop Tucker added. "I believe that the members of our Fraternity would be glad to carry on the traditional generosity of Pi Kappa Alpha by making a contribution to Russian War Relief."

At the request of National President Hickman, Executive Secretary Hart sent out letters to all active chapters in interest of the fund.

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BETA KAPPA fraternity has merged with Theta Chi, the new organization taking the latter name.

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## Letters

### Liked September Cover

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

This morning, when THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND came, I certainly had a great thrill to see my picture taken with the portrait of my father, Founder Robertson Howard, on its cover. I feel very honored.

All the members of the family are very proud of my father and are asking me for copies of the magazine. Mrs. Luke truly got a wonderful likeness.

Whatever we did in the way of helping her or the Fraternity has been a great pleasure.

ISOLINE HOWARD GILBREATH,  
Bethesda, Md.

— II K A —

### Abandon for Duration?

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

I note that the Supreme Council has authorized a second traveling secretary, and is attempting to meet wartime problems.

Every active member of the college Greek-letter social fraternity should now be in the service of his country. Instead of trying to protect the organizations as they now exist, you should be recommending that these fraternities be abandoned until after the war.

The active members of college social fraternities are usually men 18 to 24 whose

services are needed and needed badly in the armed forces. Therefore it is incumbent upon you fraternity officials to furnish this manpower and furnish it quickly. If we should lose this war there will be no more fraternities. Therefore we have everything to gain and nothing to lose by these men enlisting in the armed services.

Instead of putting on another secretary, you should instruct your National Secretary to protect the property owned by these fraternities as much as possible, and begin urging these men to offer their services to their country.

These statements are not made in haste, as you know my interest in the past in college social fraternities, but in these critical times I feel the American Way of Life is at stake, and the social fraternities in colleges throughout the country could furnish probably 50,000 young men, 18 to 24, immediately.

Fraternalty yours,  
AMMON McCLELLAN, AH,  
Captain, Air Corps,  
Public Relations Officer,  
Tyndall Field, Fla.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Army, the Navy and the Marine Corps not only offer reserve status to college and university men to continue their studies, but deferments are provided for students to complete their work in certain courses to be fitted for the specialized requirements of modern war tactics.

— II K A —

### Bond Still Holds

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

Even though I have not been in contact with Pi Kappa Alpha since the spring of 1941, I have not lost the feeling which binds us all together.

I was a member of Tau chapter and SMC in 1941. Today I received my copy of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND and when I receive this fine publication, the more I feel the loss of I I K A associations. Gamma-Eta chapter at Southern California is the nearest chapter and as yet I have not had the opportunity to visit it, but I hope to do so soon.

At present I am at San Bernadino, Calif., unassigned and attached to the 11th Station Complement. Have been in the Air Force 10 months and am awaiting orders to report for the officers' candidate school.

Will there be chapter news in the next issue?

WILLIAM T. CONLEY, T, '41,  
Air Force Advanced Flying School,  
Victorville, Calif.

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## The Values of Fraternity Membership

◆ THE VALUES of fraternity membership are manifold and varied: Fraternity membership promotes the social development of the man, makes him a congenial and understanding creature. It creates a spirit of *noblesse oblige*, a sort of "I am my brother's keeper" feeling. Such membership fits a man for life, by teaching him to recognize both the virtues and faults of himself, as well as others. Lastly, an appreciation for scholarship and development of the intellect is a benefit to be derived from fraternity membership.

COOKSEY DODSON, Pledge of Eta.



◆ DR. GEORGE SUMMEY, for 73½ years a member of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity and three times National Chaplain, was made Honorary National Chaplain for life at impressive ceremonies Nov. 7 in Eta chapter house, New Orleans.

A Pi Kappa Alpha longer than any other living person and believed to have been a fraternity man longer than any other living man, Dr. Summey received the commission from National President Roy D. Hickman in the presence of a large assemblage of active and alumnus members and friends.

SMC Leonard King gave Dr. Summey a gold key in behalf of Eta chapter.

The day's events began with a buffet supper which was attended by alumni and parents of members and pledges. The chapter house was attractive in new carpets and decorations, provided by the Mothers' Club.

SMC King introduced President Hickman who reviewed the life of Dr.

# Dr. George Summey

## A ΠΚΑ 73½ Years

By T. TODD REBOUL

*Eta*

Summey and spoke of his work for the Fraternity. After receiving the scroll, Dr. Summey replied with an address which is printed in full on another page of this issue.

In a recent letter to Executive Secretary Hart, Dr. Summey said "I love the Fraternity and am proud of the honor it has bestowed upon me." He also recalled "At both the El Paso and later New Orleans conventions and at the

last district meeting in Dallas, I had the honor and privilege of making special addresses to the brethren assembled."

The patriarch of the Fraternity had laudatory words for Eta chapter, too. He said: "I wish to testify to the beautiful manner in which the chapter in Tulane University has received and honored me. A few months ago it had a special reception and banquet in my honor. Only a few evenings ago I was its special guest at the house in a series of 'rush' receptions. It is a fine body, of highest rank in the university as well as in Pi Kappa Alpha dom."

Dr. Summey was born June 3, 1853, in Asheville, N. C., of substantial Scotch-Irish stock. As a young man, he attended Davidson College where he was the first initiate of Beta chapter, the second chapter established by the Fraternity.

Being graduated with distinction, he answered the call to the ministry and enrolled at Union Seminary, then located at Hampden-Sydney, now at Richmond, Va.

He was licensed by Mecklenburg Presbytery in 1872 at 19 years of age and for 43½ years he served as pastor in various parts of the south, including Bolivar, Tenn.; Covington, Ky., Graham and Burlington, N. C. His most notable pastorates, however, were at Purity Church, Chester, S. C., and the Third Presbyterian Church, New Orleans, remaining 25 years with the latter church.

But Dr. Summey possessed more than pastoral gifts. For 24 years he was president and professor of colleges, including 11 years as president of Southwestern Presbyterian University, then at Clarksville, Tenn., but now at Memphis. For 13 years he was professor of theology at Austin Theological Seminary, Austin, Tex. He was trustee and on the executive committee of Davidson for many years.

He holds a record for attending the Presbyterian General Assembly. Twelve times he has been elected a commissioner and 18 times he has been a visitor. In 1925 he was elected to the highest office—moderator.

For 12 years he was chairman of the assembly's Permanent Judicial Commit-







tee and for three years he was on the committee of Revision of the Confession of Faith. For 12 years he was on the administrative committee of the Federal Council of Churches and was vice president of the council for one term.

He represented the Presbyterian Church of the United States at the World Alliance of Presbyterians at Aberdeen, Scotland; Montreal, Canada, and Boston. Twice he was delegate to the Canadian Presbyterian Church.

Southwestern and Davidson both conferred upon him honorary degrees of Doctor of Divinity and Doctor of Law.

At one time he edited the *Southwestern Presbyterian*. He founded and was managing editor of the *Presbyterian Quarterly*. He was co-founder of the *Presbyterian and Reformed Review*.

He also was co-author of "A Brief Statement Drawn from the Standards."

## Dr. Summey Said:

Text of Dr. Summey's speech accepting from National President Hickman the commission as Honorary National Chaplain of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity follows:

Mr. President and beloved members Eta chapter:

Accept my most hearty thanks for this manifestation of your fraternal spirit, for the warm reception you have given me today and on many other occasions of late, and on the gracious manner in

*Dr. Summey receives the commission as Honorary National Chaplain from Captain Hickman. At left is a group which gathered at Eta's chapter house for the presentation. SMC Leonard King, Dr. Summey and Captain Hickman are in front.*

which you have been the agent of the Supreme Council in investing me with the honor and insignia just bestowed upon me.

Through you I accept this testimonial delivered to me for the Supreme Council, and express to you and it the deep appreciation with which I receive the honor which has been placed upon me in designating me Honorary National Chaplain of our beloved Fraternity.

This is the crowning feature of a long life spent in our brotherhood. March, 1869, more than seventy-three and a half years ago, witnessed my initiation, the first of Beta chapter at Davidson, into this brotherhood.

For several years I have been, in initiate life, and long outliving our





*Dr. Summey, then 84, places a pledge pin on his son, Dr. George Summey, Jr., at a district convention in Dallas in 1938.*

Founders at the University of Virginia, the "patriarch" of the Fraternity. As such, many tributes of interest and affection have been brought me. Amongst these I would especially place the kindness shown me by Eta, and the numerous manifestations of loyalty and love shown me by Beta-Mu, of the University of Texas, of Austin, under shadows of whose house I have lately spent nearly fourteen years. The kindness of these chapters has touched me deeply as well as justified my pride!

With no less pride and interest I recall the three terms in which I had the privilege as serving as Grand Chaplain, embracing the years 1909, 1920, and 1929.

Of these, two stand out with peculiar interest. One of them, that of 1909, was of that memorable year in which the Fraternity launched out into the wider area of its territory, giving its privileges and bonds to and began to be national instead of sectional and to assume its now splendid proportions, from sea to sea and from the lakes to the gulf.

The other was that of 1920, the General Convention of which was held, like that of 1909, in New Orleans. None who participated will ever forget its outstanding feature. Two years had elapsed without a General Convention, because of the great war.

The Convention wished to pay tribute to the memory of its brethren who had fallen in that mighty conflict. So, in the Elk's Hall, crowded to capacity,

with all the fraternities and sororities of Tulane University present, and large formally led troops from the Army and the Navy, and a host of alumni IKA's, a great Memorial Service was held. With song and prayer and speech, the assembled host paid its loving tribute to the heroes of the First World's War.

It was in that great meeting that an incident occurred that stirred every heart. It was when the presiding chaplain, seeing a lovely woman in weeds, at about the center of the hall, with a little under-two-years old boy by her side, stepped down and took the child by the hand and led him to the platform and then held him in his arms!

The multitude, which was singing the special memorial hymn which Arbuckle had composed, almost stopped its song and went to weeping! For everybody



*Dr. Summey as he appeared as Grand Chaplain in 1929.*

knew that the boy was the child of the beloved Joe Ward. Joe had given his life to his country! The whole scene was significant of the honor which our brotherhood places upon its patriotic sons. May our many brothers who are now serving with equal loyalty in the present global war come back to us in safety!

As appropriate to the appointment with which I am honored today, I cannot better indicate the character and type of our great Fraternity than by briefly telling of one phase of its life. Most of you know of its career in the worlds of statesmanship, letters, science, military life, business, and art. A chaplain can better understand and tell of its accomplishments in the religious world.

Growing largely, in its first three or four decades, out of the roots of that sturdy company of brave, hard-headed, big-minded men who made Scotland the home of freedom and morality and rigid adherence to conscience and principle, it has remained true to its mission and its standards. It has seen men chosen out of its ranks to be leaders of the Christian hosts of our land.

Methodists, Episcopalians, Disciples, Presbyterians, Catholics have found men amongst us whom they have gladly put at the front. Five bishops, five moderators of General Assemblies, half a score of presidents of church colleges, innumerable theological professors have led the activities of their great bodies.

It was a striking and thrilling scene that took place a few years ago. It was in Christ Church, the cathedral of the Episcopal Diocese of Louisiana. It was in the presence of the hundreds of delegates from the nine dioceses which composed a Regional Synod, bishops, noted preachers, leading business men. One of your own IKA men was addressing the august body.

When somewhat playfully he turned to the presiding bishop and said, "We are brother IKA's."

Bishop Darst sprang from his chair, dashed across the platform, and warmly gave the Fraternity grip to the speaker! And the whole assembly broke into loud applause!

The Fraternity is composed of that kind of men. May it never forget this or lessen the force of its testimony! Religion is at the root of all true character and worthy accomplishment. It is "the one thing needful!" May our splendid body hold to it with all possible tenacity and admiration and helpfulness! Such is the prayer, and such is the ardent wish of your Honorary National Chaplain.





COL. LEROY HODGES

◆ APPOINTMENT of Lt. Col. Leroy Hodges, II, of Richmond, Va., as National Alumni Secretary to succeed Maj. Howard B. Arbuckle, Jr., B, has been announced by the Supreme Council.

The change was the second major shift in personnel of the Council this year which has been necessitated by the military service of its members. Capt. Leo A. Hoegh, FN, resigned earlier this year as National Secretary, and Maj. K. D. Pulcifer, BH, who is now attached to Selective Service headquarters in Washington, was named in that job.

Major Arbuckle, a member of the Davidson class of '28 and an attorney by profession, has had an active career in the fraternity, but found it necessary to resign his place on the Council because of the press of work in the office of the Provost Marshal General at Washington. He won the Alumnus Beta-Phi trophy as the most representative undergraduate in the fraternity for the session 1926-27 and served as district president for North and South Carolina before appointment as National Secretary.

His successor, Colonel Hodges, likewise was most active in Pi Kappa Alpha and in the public service of the State of Virginia before going to Washington early this year for active duty with the Ordnance Department. At present, however, he is regaining strength at his home in Richmond from an illness

# Col. LeRoy Hodges Succeeds Arbuckle On Supreme Council

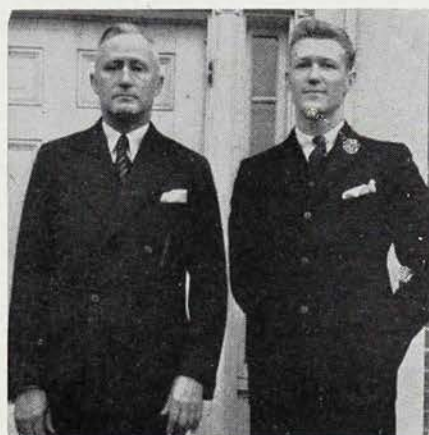
which caused him to be placed on the Army's inactive list in August.

National Executive Secretary Freeman H. Hart said all members of the Council joined "in a real regret over Howard's feeling that he must resign."

Willard Russell Johnson, Z, president of District 8 embracing some chapters in Tennessee and Kentucky, was forced to resign this fall because of the press of business. He has headed the district for nearly a year.

The Council at the same time sought a successor to Lt. Guy A. Borkey, of Richmond, president of District 4-A, who has been forced to relinquish his loyal work with the Fraternity for the duration of the war because of service overseas with the Air Force. Borkey's resignation had not been formally placed with the Council in early November, but he was aiding in the selection of a substitute leader.

Colonel Hodges is a former managing director of the Virginia Chamber of Commerce, in which post he had a large part in the industrial development of Virginia in the 1920's and 1930's.



Colonel Hodges and his son, LeRoy Hodges, Jr., both members of Pi chapter, were pictured in front of the chapter house at Washington and Lee in 1935. The younger Hodges is now an ensign in the Naval Reserve.

In addition he has served in various State posts and was State Campcontroller in the administration of Governor Price, instituting various fiscal reforms for which he won editorial acclaim. He left this position to work with the Army in Washington in ordnance, a subject on which he is an authority.

His textbook *Postwar Ordnance*, published in 1923, was the first book in this field by a National Guard officer to win endorsement of the War Department's Chief of Ordnance.

He is co-chairman with Major Pulcifer of the Fraternity's Diamond Jubilee Commission.

His enforced inactivation has proved irksome to Colonel Hodges who would rather be putting his long studies in military science to the use of his country, but he has obeyed physician's orders to rest at home. He finds consolation in the fact that his son, Leroy Hodges, Jr., II, '35, is now serving actively with the Navy as an Ensign in the routing office at Cristobal, Canal Zone. Before joining the Navy the younger Hodges was associated for several years with Dibrell Brothers, a tobacco firm, at Danville, Va.

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## Dr. Tolley Honored

◆ DR. WILLIAM P. TOLLEY, AX, newly-inaugurated chancellor of Syracuse University, was elected president of the Association of American Colleges at a special meeting in Philadelphia on Oct. 29.

The association includes every college and university in the United States. The meeting, usually held in January, was called earlier this year to discuss problems of the colleges in wartime.

Dr. Francis P. Gaines, president of Washington and Lee, was elected vice president. The principal speaker, Dr. Edmund Day, chancellor of Cornell, directed his remarks to the part colleges and universities will play in winning the war.





DAVID A. HURT

◆ LT. COM. DAVID ALBERT HURT, I, of Pounding Mill, Va., commanded the submarine *Perch* which the Navy listed as presumably lost in the western Pacific. It was last reported in the Java Sea.

Commander Hurt, at 38, was a veteran of the Navy. He attended Hampden-Sydney and Bethany colleges before his appointment to the Naval Academy where he graduated in 1925. His first assignment to sea duty was aboard the U. S. S. *Raleigh* and he was transferred to submarines in 1928 and assumed command of the *Perch* in May, 1939.

His submarine, which was listed as lost a month after it was overdue, was the fourth U. S. submersible ticketed by the Navy as lost or missing since the war began. The three previous ones were the *Shark*, also reported overdue in the western Pacific; the *S-26* which was sunk in a collision off Panama, and the *Sea Lion*, which was demolished at Cavite in the Philippines.

Commander Hurt, who was the son of John B. and Ollie Gillespie Hurt, was a native of Southwest Virginia—a region which Pi Kappa Alphas tend to call their own because of the number of members who have come from that area. He last "got home" in May, 1939.

His last shore leave was spent as an instructor in electricity and mathematics at Annapolis, and his wife and three sons resided there when the Navy announced loss of the *Perch*. They left Manila last year.

The *Perch* was a comparatively new vessel. Built by the Electric Boat Company of Groton, Conn., it had a length overall of 300 feet, six inches, a beam of 25 feet, one inch, and a designed displacement of 1,330 tons. It normally carried a crew of 50 men.

# SUBMARINE COMMANDER Missing,

◆ FIVE Pi Kappa Alpha lieutenants have died in plane crashes recently, two on foreign soil and in action and three in mishaps on the continental United States.

One was a former member of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

They are:

Henry F. Hawkins, O.

Luther W. Cartwright, Jr., AE.

Arthur M. Hughes, Jr., FA and FA.

William H. Robinson, Jr., FQ.

Jean Delano Jackson, FT.

## Lieutenant Hawkins

◆ 2ND LT. HENRY F. (CHICK) HAWKINS, O, a flight instructor with the Army Air Forces, was killed in September in an airplane crash near Craig Field, Selma, Ala. He was formerly with the Royal Canadian Air Force from which he transferred to United States service this year.

Chick, who was 21, was the son of Dr. Thomas M. Hawkins, a dentist of Richmond, Va. He graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in that city and then entered the University of Richmond with the class of '43. He played intramural football and baseball before leaving school in 1941 to join the RCAF and get his flight training.

Last June he transferred to the USAAF and stopped off in Richmond to visit his family and fraternity mates at Omicron who enjoyed the French accent Chick had picked up in Canada. Commissioned a second lieutenant, he was stationed at the Columbus Army Flying School, Columbus, Miss., and was a flight instructor there when killed.

Military funeral services for him were held at Monument Methodist Church in Richmond, with military honors being accorded by a detail from the Richmond Air Base. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery in that city.

In addition to his father, he is survived by a sister, Miss Virginia Frances Hawkins, and a brother, Thomas M. Hawkins, Jr., U. S. Navy.

## Lieutenant Cartwright

◆ LT. LUTHER W. CARTWRIGHT, JR., AE, was killed Sept. 27, in making a forced landing at Linthicum Heights, Md., in a BC-1-A Army plane of which he was pilot.

Born Oct. 13, 1919, at the United States Naval Station at Tutuila, Samoa, he was graduated from St. Petersburg (Fla.) Junior High School and Lee High School, Jacksonville, Fla.

He received his degree in mechanical engineering from North Carolina State College in 1940 and also attended Georgia Tech and Johns Hopkins.

Shortly after receiving his degree, he entered the Army as an aviation cadet and in March, 1941, was commissioned a second lieutenant.

Among survivors are his father, Coast Guard Lt. L. W. Cartwright, Sr., stationed at Baltimore.

The young lieutenant was buried Sept. 30 with full military honors in Arlington Cemetery.

## Lieutenant Jackson

◆ LT. JEAN DELANO JACKSON, FT, pilot of a fighter plane, was killed in action Sept. 5 in the Solomon Islands area, the War Department recently informed his mother, Mrs. Alberta C. Jackson, of Tulsa, Okla.

With an early bent toward being a "great surgeon," Jean chose petroleum engineering when he entered Tulsa University. His college days were interrupted by periods of employment and in March, 1941, gave up college work and enlisted in the Air Forces.

He went to Ryan Field, San Diego, Calif., for his primary training, Moffett Field, Calif., for his advanced course



JEAN DELANO JACKSON



# 5 Fliers Killed

and received his wings at Mathers Field, Calif., on Oct. 30, 1941.

Volunteering his services for the Philippines, he sailed a month after graduation and was heard from only once until March, 1942, when he telephoned from Australia.

While in the Philippines he was shot down and three weeks later he had negotiated a long trip through the jungles to return to his base.

Jean was a favorite of his sister, Patsy, a coed at Tulsa U. She has a photo of her brother on the wing of his plane which he had named "Pat."

Mrs. Jackson is one of IKA's most loyal mothers. She gave the chapter its service flag and is the only gold-star mother represented.

"When Jean called from Australia, he inquired of his friends at the IKA house and asked to be remembered to them," Mrs. Jackson said in a letter to THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND.

"One of the strongest attachments to his college life was his membership in the Fraternity. He had a definite purpose in desiring a membership. He talked to me many times about the Fraternity, and always said it covered everything worthwhile. He said one had to be a good student, of good character, and an understanding brother. Jean loved each member with a deep devotion, and was happy when he learned I had presented the chapter at Tulsa with a service flag.

"I take personal pride in being a mother of a member of Pi Kappa Alpha;

and although our earthly relationships are severed, I shall always feel a great love and special consideration to a young man whom I know to be a member of so worthy a group."

## Lieutenant Hughes

♦ LT. ARTHUR M. HUGHES, JR., FA and FA, was killed in action Oct. 14 in the Australian war zone, the War Department informed his parents, the Rev. Arthur M. Hughes, pastor of West Side Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. Hughes, of Ridgewood, N. J. The Rev. Mr. Hughes is a veteran of World War I, serving overseas as a chaplain with the 37th Division.



ARTHUR M. HUGHES, JR.

In the last letter received several months ago from the 24-year-old flier, he said he was flying an Army bomber and had taken part in raids against the Japanese forces in New Guinea.

He described one raid in particular in which he bombed Japanese troops marching along a road and related the vigorous existence of he and his associates in the Australian bush country.

Lieutenant Hughes' bomber was named "Dumbo" after the movie cartoon created by Walt Disney, Mrs. Hughes' cousin. Earlier dispatches said "twelve little bombs" were tucked about "Dumbo" representing as many missions successfully accomplished. Six were on successive days.



WILLIAM H. ROBINSON, JR.

Born in Camp Sheridan, Ala., he attended public school at Mansfield, O., and was graduated in 1936 from the Ridgewood High School. He entered Lehigh University and two years later transferred to Alabama. He joined the Army Air Forces in July, 1940, and was graduated from Kelly Field nine months later.

Immediately after Pearl Harbor, Lieutenant Hughes was a member of the patrol force on the Pacific Coast. He later saw service in Hawaii and Australia.

He is survived also by a brother and two sisters.

## Lieutenant Robinson

♦ LT. WILLIAM H. ROBINSON, JR., FO, was killed May 12, 1942, when the plane he and four other officers on a routine flight crashed and burned near Paine Field, Everett, Wash.

He enlisted in the Air Forces in mid-1941 and received his primary training at Jones Field, Bonham, Tex. After his basic work at Randolph Field, he was commissioned April 29 at Lubbock, Tex.

"His fraternity associates meant a lot to him," Lieutenant Robinson's mother wrote. "He told us that his roommate at Randolph Field, Jay White, was a IKA. He was flying in England the last time we heard of him. We are much interested in Robby's friends and in everything that he cared for."

Lieutenant Robinson is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson, Coral Gables, Fla.



HENRY F. HAWKINS



# AFTER 18-19 DRAFT, THEN WHAT?

◆ ALUMNI and undergraduates are awaiting the answer to the question—What will be the effect of the 18-19 year old draft on the college fraternity system?

One university president, Dr. Raymond A. Kent, of the University of Louisville, was quoted recently as saying that higher education in the United States has enlisted for the duration, that it had neither been conscripted or confiscated—or devastated.

Recent dispatches from Washington tell of the plan announced by Representative John J. Sparkman of Alabama, and a Pi Kappa Alpha, whereby college laboratories and equipment will be used to train young men who are in the service in subjects which the service requires of its officers.

If, beginning Jan. 1, the Army and perhaps other branches of the service call up for active duty both members of the enlisted reserve and draftees, does this constitute the funeral march for college fraternities?

The uncertain atmosphere which beclouded college environment immediately following Pearl Harbor has been replaced by much more than a blueprint of righteous indignation. If the present high morale of Pi Kappa Alpha chapters has any especial significance, it is that however long and difficult the struggle may be in the months ahead, the challenge of the dictators and of decreased enrollment will be more than matched by the American offensive.

With each chapter house visited, less is heard of fraternities as usual, while each day more is heard of fraternities unusual.

Far from contemplating dissolution for the duration, the genuinely absorbing theme of the majority of groups is "How Best to Mobilize the Chapter to Promote the War Effort?"

As never before in this college generation service and sacrifice are in the ascendency.

A year ago 55 of Pi Kappa Alpha's 80 chapters reported 987 pledges, or an average of 17 pledges for each group. Incomplete returns for this year at the National Office, confirmed in wide visitation by both the Executive Secretary and the Traveling Secretary, show 47 chapters pledging 947 men for an average of slightly more than 21 men a unit.

Thus if the average is maintained in the fraternity generally, at least 1,600

By CHARLES L. FREEMAN  
*Traveling Secretary*

college men have accepted the Shield and Diamond this school session.

But numerical strength is but one measure of our ability to meet war problems. Chapter budgets are being revised to take into account all fixed charges for the year. Financial surpluses are being set aside for the emergency to assure protection of chapter houses. Expenses for social affairs are being shaved in keeping with an era of saving for defense and autoless transportation.

Very happily there is a realistic recognition of our world-wide problems—with a society whose every move is at an unprecedented pace.

There is substantial evidence tending to show that college men are taking scholarship much more seriously than in years of peace. This has been reflected in Pi Kappa Alpha chapters with a marked uptrend in scholastic attainment.

No one would advocate war to improve our economic order and our colleges, nevertheless daily there are signs that from the present conflict will emerge an America tougher mentally, morally and physically—one by-product of the new discipline.

## A New Statement of Principles

◆ WE, AS MEMBERS OF SIGMA CHAPTER OF Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, realizing the gravity of the war in which we are engaged and the need for every American to make such changes and adjustments in his private life as are necessary that each might make the greatest contribution towards the war effort, have examined ourselves, as a college fraternity, with a critical eye and are convinced of the following:

That man is by nature a social creature with a basic desire for companionship with his fellow man, and to the college student this urge for fellowship is best satisfied by membership in a fraternity.

That college men, as always, must continue to learn those lessons in practical living which are not taught in any classroom, and that fraternities can best supply this form of education which includes the art of mixing and "getting along" with others, loyalty to a common cause, the development of qualities of leadership, and all of the advantages to be gained from a close brotherhood of men of like character and ideals.

That under wartime conditions, the present college students and those new ones to come will be more serious minded, will be working harder and longer at those studies which will best equip them to serve their country, and as a result will have less time for outside activities including fraternities as they are now.

That fraternities, in many instances, have placed too much emphasis on activities outside the classroom to the detriment of the student's scholastic efforts, and where this is true a fraternity has little justification for existence in these trying times.

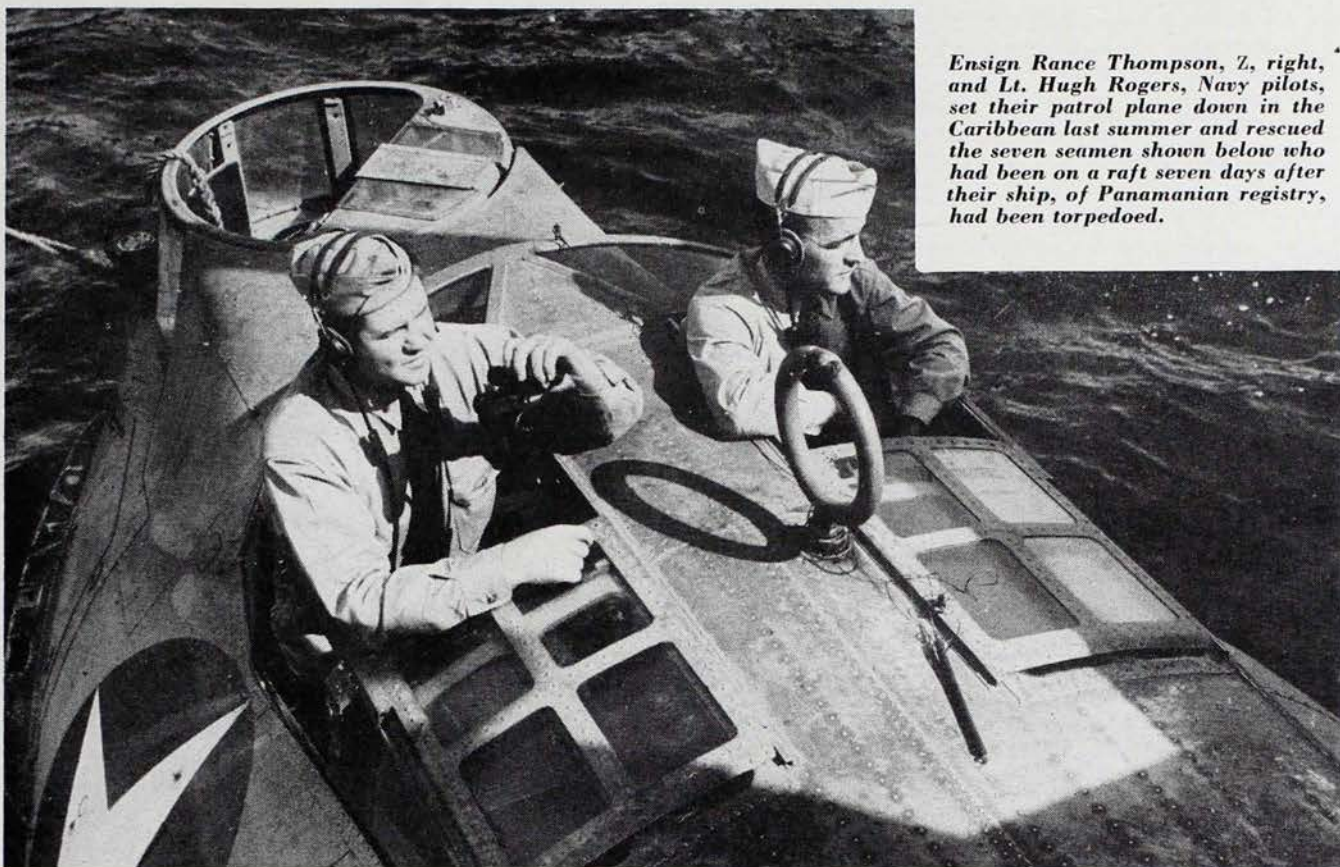
That in the present emergency, college fraternities in order to justify their continued existence, must "convert" just as every business, organization, and every individual has or soon will be doing, and that such a "conversion" would best be brought about by a modification, or elimination where necessary, of many of their present pursuits, especially those relating to social functions, campus politics, interfraternity competition, and any other activity which would tend to take too much of a student's time from his books.

That fraternities must return to fundamentals and the primary aims of their founding fathers, and must place new emphasis on the principles of fellowship and the brotherhood of men of common interests and ideals.

"We believing the above to be true, have determined on a new course of action, embodying the above changes and with a resulting decrease in individual expenses. With the motto of "Fellowship, Scholarship and Character" nailed firmly to our masthead we are determined not only to survive the present crisis, but to do all of those things we can to train our members to take their proper place in our country's greatest struggle and the peace to follow.

SIGMA CHAPTER,  
PI KAPPA ALPHA FRATERNITY,  
By R. R. TIPTON, *President*.





*Ensign Rance Thompson, Z, right, and Lt. Hugh Rogers, Navy pilots, set their patrol plane down in the Caribbean last summer and rescued the seven seamen shown below who had been on a raft seven days after their ship, of Panamanian registry, had been torpedoed.*

## *Dangerous Sea Fails to Daint* **Rescuers of 7 Seamen**

◆ ENSIGN RANCE A. THOMPSON, Z, '40, was co-star in the thrilling rescue by a Navy patrol plane of seven seamen from a raft in the Caribbean last summer.

Rance, who is known to his townsfolk at Norton, Va., as an "All-American boy" of fine character and disposition, was co-pilot of the plane which sighted the sailors and brought them to safety. Lt. Hugh S. Rogers, of Miami, Fla., was in command of the plane.

The seamen were members of the crew of a vessel of Panamanian registry which was torpedoed. They took to the raft and floated on it for seven days until sighted by Rogers and Thompson, who were winging over the Caribbean on lookout for submarines and for survivors.

The sea was choppy and the two pilots were advised by their commanding officer ashore to use their own judgment as to whether to attempt the dangerous rescue. However, they per-





formed the delicate job, and the seven survivors, several of whom were youngsters, were jolly well glad to get around some coffee and orange juice in the plane.

Ensign Thompson, who was graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1940, is a son of W. M. (Mac) Thompson, an employee of the Norfolk and Western Railroad. He played football at Norton High School and then attended the universities of Alabama and Tennessee.

He enlisted in June, 1941, and soon got into naval aviation, training at Anacostia. He came home last Christmas to visit his mother. When Pres Atkins, O, '09, wished him "luck" in his flying career, Rance responded, "I will need all the luck I can get; if not, you will read something about me in the newspapers."

Atkins read about him the newspapers all right, although it wasn't what Thompson had envisioned.

He is now doing patrol work off the northeastern United States.

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## Serenading Revived By Gamma-Kappa

By **GEORGE SEEL**  
*Gamma-Kappa*

◆ **GAMMA-KAPPA CHAPTER**, in an attempt to revive an old custom which has fallen into neglect by the fraternity men at Montana State College, recently serenaded the sorority girls of the campus.

Serenading was often discussed and as often postponed for one reason or another. Finally, at a chapter meeting several months ago, the bull was taken by the horns and a date was set for the chapter to air its vocal chords.

Practice sessions were called nightly from 9:30 to 10 p. m. Social Chairman Roger Robertson obtained copies of the sororities' favorite songs.

Then on May 19 serenaders visited Chi Omega, Kappa Delta, Alpha Omicron Pi, Pi Beta Phi, Alpha Gamma Delta and Hamilton Hall, residence of freshman girls. In addition to sorority songs, the repertoire included *Dream Girl of I I K A*, *How'd You Like to Love a I I K A* and *Down in Old Virginny*.

The serenade was well received, and as there was no casualties from thrown objects, the chapter already is planning serenades this year.

## Jack Donaldson

# Toast of Tulsa

By **JACK MURPHY**  
*Gamma-Upsilon*

◆ **MOST** talked of I I K A in Oklahoma is Jack Donaldson, the young man who distinguished himself in the service of his country on Bataan and in Australia. Donaldson has been decorated twice and is an Air Corps ace. He has bagged five Jap planes.

Donaldson returned to the United States recently, spending 15 days with his wife in Tulsa. He reported to Mitchell Field, New York, at the end of his furlough. While in Tulsa the famous I I K A was the toast of the town,

being feted by the Chamber of Commerce and various other organizations.

At the Chamber of Commerce banquet Donaldson completely stole the show. President of the National Bar Association was scheduled to speak, but declined to deliver his address after hearing Donaldson tell his story in simple words.

Donaldson described such adventures as diving toward the ocean at 600 miles per hour with five Japanese Zero planes firing bursts at him.

"I'm lucky to be here," said Donaldson as the audience broke into wild applause.

## E. C. Ivey Joins Golden Chapter Circle

◆ **A GOLDEN MEMBERSHIP** certificate has been presented to Edwin Clark Ivey, II, '96, retired business man of Lynchburg, Va. He was taken into the chapter at Washington and Lee University when William N. Briscoe, II, '92, was a student there, and Brother Briscoe recalled the date well enough to point out the fact that Brother Ivey was due the Golden certificate this fall.

A Golden certificate was presented last year to Brother Briscoe, whose home is at Knoxville and who has written the general office that things are continuing to go well at Zeta chapter.

Brother Ivey, whose home is on Court Street in Lynchburg, is retired after a successful business career in that city. He has three sons.



*William Tayloe Murphy, I, banker and state legislator, was appointed state treasurer of Virginia several months ago by Gov. Colgate Darden, Jr.*

## Dr. Blanton Heads Alumni Fund Drive

◆ **DR. H. WALLACE BLANTON**, I, '12, was general chairman of Hampden-Sydney College's third Alumni Fund campaign which was conducted this fall. A well-known physician of Richmond, Va., he is a former president of the Hampden-Sydney Alumni Association.

A brother, Dr. Wyndham B. Blanton, I and A, has won wide recognition for scholarly authorship in the field of medical history.

A third Pi Kappa Alpha, P. Tulane Atkinson, I, '07, is treasurer of the Alumni Fund and of Hampden-Sydney College. He is a former Grand Secretary of I I K A and one-time editor of *THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND*.



# TYPE FACES

## IKA Is Rated as Expert in Field of Calligraphy and as Illustrator of Books

♦ AT 38 YEARS, Warren Chappell, O, is an expert in those fields of art and craftsmanship which lie directly between the writing of a book and the actual printing job. He has won distinction as a designer of type and as an illustrator of books.

Subscribing somewhat to the old Chinese proverb which says one picture is worth a thousand words, he believes that it is the illustrator's task to take up where the author leaves off, to add to the picture the writer wishes to present.

Recently he has been reaching an audience of approximately 500,000 American homes with work done at his studio-home at 54 West 53d Street, New York. He did the title page and binding for Simon and Schuster's edition of Tolstoy's *War and Peace* which was distributed to thousands of families this year as a "dividend" by the Book-of-the-Month Club.

This IKA also does much of the book planning for The Reader's Club, an organization specializing in large distribution of already-published books which are deemed worthy by Clifton Fadiman and fellow critics of reprint-

ing for a larger number of readers than they originally had.

This club, in some of its own promotion work, has described Chappell as "a famous type-designer, calligrapher, illustrator" and "creator of books which are 'collectors' items' for collectors who know what they are about."

Among these "collectors' items" might be the volumes of the University of Richmond yearbook, *The Web*, which Chappell designed and illustrated before he graduated from that school in 1926. He might smile at that idea, because, although he had been determined from the age of 14 to draw, he tends to regard his four years at the university in his home city of Richmond as a sort

of cooling off period before the real problems of study were met and tackled.

He really got into his career his first year at the Art Students League in New York with recognition of two points: first, that learning to draw may be the work of a lifetime, and, second, that an illustrator should know the craft of printing well enough to use it, rather than just talk about it. That led him into work in type designing, based on the ancient art of calligraphy.

Calligraphy has nothing to do with a crystal ball or messages from another world. Roughly defined, it is the business of fine penmanship or lettering. It is an art of very practical importance



*A self-portrait of Warren Chappell is at right. Below are pages from type sample books.*

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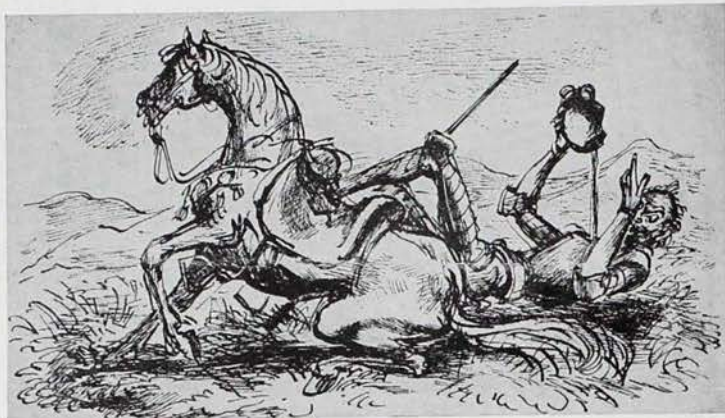
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PRESENTING A NEW MEMBER

OF AN IMPORTANT FAMILY

*Lydian Cursive*





**This illustration from "Don Quixote," done by Chappell, helped make the book one of the Fifty Best Books of 1929.**

to such large corporations as the American Type Founders whose principal function is to furnish the printing trade with type which will attract the eye in advertisements, in books and in other printed matter.

For the A.T.F., Chappell created the Lydian family, sans-serif alphabets which Gerry Powell, typographic director of the A.T.F., says have won unquestioned success and "steadily increasing popularity." The design, which Chappell named for his wife, Lydia Hatfield, was introduced in 1937 with the Lydian and the Lydian Italic, followed the Lydian Bold and Lydian Bold Italic in 1939 and the Lydian Cursive in 1941. On these, he draws royalties.

A fellow IKA, Mark Lutz, newspaperman-critic of Richmond and Philadelphia, said the Lydian lettering "is generally conceded to possess amazing vitality and freshness. It is especially praised from the utilitarian side, because of its legibility in mass and its highly individual display qualities."

Chappell had realized while in the Art Students League that he needed first-hand practical information about printing. So he spent part of his time designing at the Strawberry Hill Press and then in 1928 entered on a three-year stretch as a typographer with the Tribune Company for which he designed some promotional advertising. It was at that time that he married Miss Hatfield who had attended Westhampton College, a part of the University of Richmond.

During this period Chappell collaborated with Charles Locke in illustrating Swift's *The Tale of a Tub*.

In 1931 he went to Offenbach-am-Main, Germany, to work in the studio of the late Dr. Rudolph Koch, whose establishment was the most famous typographic workshop on the Continent. The only American artist ever accepted up to then by the German master, he designed and cut type punches until the spring of 1932.

After returning to New York, he was made an instructor in the Art Students League. He opened a studio where for several years the principal work was in lettering and typographic design. In his spare time he wrote *The Anatomy of Lettering* which was chosen as one of The Fifty Best Books of 1935 and which was called by Stanley Morrison, a British authority, "a great advance on anything that has come out of the United States."

In that year he went to Colorado Springs to work with Boardman Robinson at the Fine Arts Center, instructing in graphic arts and assisting in life drawings. He returned to New York a year and a half later to reopen his studio and concentrate on work as a book illustrator.

He designed and made a few hundred illustrations for the *Junior Classics*, a ten-volume collection of the outstanding literature for children before getting to the illustration of trade books and a number of privately printed books.

He illustrated *Don Quixote*, Nordhoff and Hall's *Doctor Dogbody's Leg*, the Hermitage Club's edition of *Connecticut Yankee*, Saroyan's *Three Plays*, Maxwell Anderson's *Eleven Verse Plays*, and *Peter and the Wolf*.

He probably prefers the 50 drawings he did for *Connecticut Yankee*. He saw in Twain's great work something more than just a "funny book," and sought to carry out his thought that the illustrator can pick up where the author leaves off.

His illustrations compare, in the opinion of Lutz, with "the best of the fine old French engravings. A modern-day Jacques Callot, Chappell has filled his drawing pen with a great deal of imagination, wit and charm and wielded it with abundant technical skill, variety and freedom."

## Miss Annie B. Martin, IKA Sister, Dies

◆ THOSE familiar with the history of Pi Kappa Alpha will remember that during the second decade of the Fraternity, or back in the eighties, the Fraternity had a definite program for adding sisters to the various chapter rolls. At one time there was a strong move on foot to establish a sister branch of the Fraternity.



**Miss Martin**

During this period several chapters actually pledged and initiated certain loyal members of the gentler sex into some of the rites of the Fraternity. This, of course, was not a full-fledged initiation, but it did include giving the sisters a certain grip which is still preserved in our initiatory ceremony.

Among the sisters so initiated was Miss Annie Belle Martin of Hampden-Sydney, who died recently at the age of 77 at her home near Hampden-Sydney, Va. Through all the years she was most loyal to the Fraternity, and through the years insisted on all good Pi Kappa Alpha's using the sister grip in shaking hands with her. It can be truly said of her that she loved Pi Kappa Alpha with an abiding love.

The following facts in her life will be of interest to the Fraternity at large. Miss Annie Belle Martin was born Oct. 5, 1864, at Brownsville, the daughter of the Rev. Stephen Taylor Martin and Isabella Brown Venable Martin. Her father was captain of Martin's Battery of the Confederate Army and was a widely-known Presbyterian minister. Her mother, Isabella Brown Venable, was the daughter of Abram Watkins Venable, a member of the United States House of Representatives and also of the Confederate Congress.

Miss Martin was educated at the University of Virginia and at Cornell University. She had been an outstanding teacher, widely-known and greatly beloved through the South. She served on the faculties of Talladega Seminary, Alabama; Stonewall Jackson Institute, Abingdon, Va.; Lewisburg Seminary, Lewisburg, W. Va.; and had been principal of the Dublin Grove Classical School, Pulaski County, Va.

Miss Martin was a member of College Presbyterian Church, Hampden-Sydney.



♦ A SCHOLARLY contribution to American history is Freeman H. Hart's *The Valley of Virginia in the American Revolution*, which has recently come from the University of North Carolina Press at Chapel Hill.

A book primarily for historians, the volume paints with finely selected detail the picture of economic, religious and political life in the famed Valley in the years immediately around the American Revolution, from 1763 to 1789. And in the picture are some humorous lines drawn from the frontier records by the Fraternity's National Executive Secretary, who has a fondness for dry and salty wit.

Even without these lighter touches, the book has appeal to closer critics of historical writings because Hart has hewn right to his source material to get a picture unchallengeably correct and one which shows the frontiersman as a very human person—busy with his trade, beset by his debts as well as by the English home government and the Indians, and very interested in what his government was going to do for him.

The Valley played an important part in the American Revolution. It was settled by hardy Scotch, German and English and was loyal to the cause of independence. As historian Hart says, "it can rightly claim an important place in the history of the American people."

George Washington began his career there. It furnished four major generals to the Revolution, as well as companies of riflemen. It was strong for ratification of the Constitution. As the years went on, the Valley became a fertile granary for the Confederacy and saw McCormick invent his reaper.

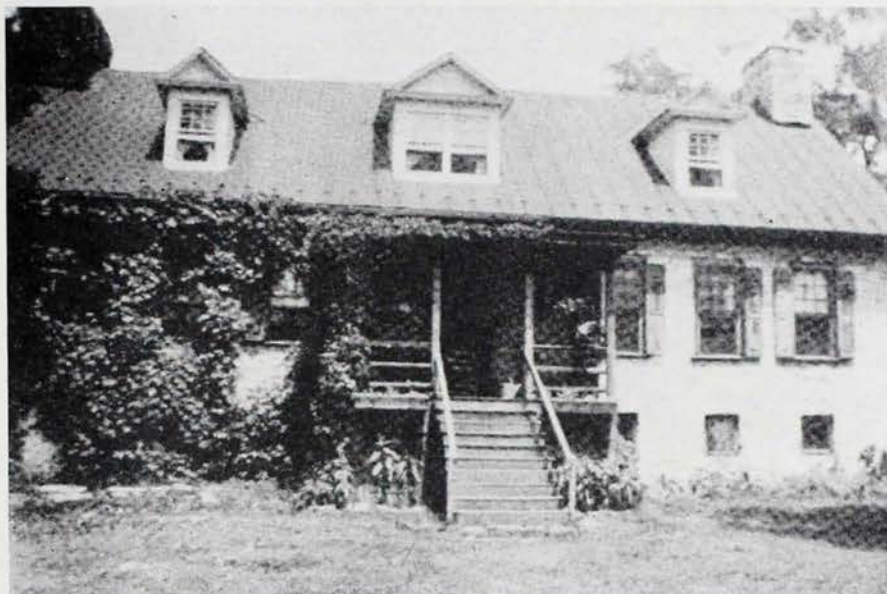
The bibliography of Hart's book shows how exhaustively he delved into hundreds of manuscripts, county records, source books, old newspapers and yellowed letters to get into it the condensed accuracy which will be one of its strongest points with scholars. Some single sentences, he has admitted, required two or three weeks of part time work. The bibliography (citation of all sources) covers 21 of the volume's 223 pages.

The author found in Augusta County judgment books of 1764 the case of cattle herder Crow whose herds had a mysterious way of increasing in size as he drove them north to the Philadelphia and Winchester, Va., markets. To a frontiersman who took up the matter with him, Crow complained, "You are like to make me a cattle thief." The reply was, "I never called you a cattle thief, but you took my cow."

He notes at several places the activities of the "Grenadier Squaw," the

*Hart Lifts Veil from*

# Valley of Virginia



*Traveler's Rest, near Martinsburg, Va., was built in 1773 by Gen. Horatio Gates, here of Saratoga. Below is a physical map of the Valley of Virginia.*



sister of a Shawnee chief, who thus fleetingly appears as a sort of Revolutionary-day Pocahontas in that she acted as an emissary between the whites and Indians. Hart's biggest job, of course, was to throw away a big part of his notes before he drew the first draft of his history, but it can be hoped he didn't throw away those on the squaw. She would be worth a book in herself, as also would that nigh-sainted Virginian, Patrick Henry, on whom Hart is an acknowledge, but still mum, authority.

Some of the heaviest work on *The Valley of Virginia* was done while Hart was professor of history at Hampden-Sydney and before he began his preparations for the Fraternity. The book was more than ten years in the making.—W. S. L., JR.

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♦ LOREN MOZLEY, BA, '27, acting head of the department of art at the University of Texas, won first prize in the Fourth Texas General Exhibition with his oil painting, "Fishing Equipment."

The prize, a \$100 war bond, was given by the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts. The show was held in San Antonio.



# Williams Returns On Gripsholm

◆ FRANK S. WILLIAMS, AI, former commercial attache at the American Embassy at Tokio, was among the 1,451 passengers who returned to the United States from Japan and the Orient on the diplomatic exchange ship *Gripsholm*.

He came home with Ambassador Joseph C. Crew and the rest of the Tokio embassy staff by way of Lourenco Marques, Portuguese East Africa, arriving at New York Aug. 25. This group left Yokohama June 24 on the *Asama Maru*, a Japanese liner, which brought approximately 500 Americans from the Japanese empire to Lourenco Marques where they and 1,000 others who had come from Occupied China on the Italian liner, *Conte Verde*, were exchanged for Japanese from this country.

Mr. Williams, who has spent more than 30 of his 54 years in the Orient, first established himself at 4748 Reservoir Road, N. W., Washington.

A native of Fannin, Miss., and a graduate of Millsaps College in 1910, he served as a teacher, business man and diplomatic officer after going to Canton Christian College, China, to be professor of chemistry in 1911. He was stationed at various times at Soochow, Shanghai, Bangkok, Singapore, and Tokio. At Tokio for the last ten years, he had the ranking of counselor and secretary in the diplomatic service when Japan opened the war.

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## Harrison Named To Railroad Post

◆ ARTHUR W. HARRISON, O, '29, has been appointed general commercial manager for the State of Virginia by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company.

His career with the company began after his graduation from the University of Richmond, and he became manager of the company's exchange at Hampton, Va., in 1933. He was subsequently manager at Portsmouth, Va., and in 1939 was promoted to district commercial manager for the C. & P. in Southwest Virginia, with headquarters at Roanoke. In the past few months he has been in Washington engaged in company work connected with the war effort.

He also is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa and Alpha Psi Omega, honorary societies.



Jack



Mac



Joe



Jerry

## 4th Creamer Son Is Pledged I I K A

◆ "A PROUD mother of four I I K A's" is Mrs. Maude H. Creamer, of Rowe, N. Mex., whose fourth son, Jerry, was pledged by Beta-Delta at the University of New Mexico this fall.

Including Jerry, three have been students at New Mexico, and the fourth at the University of Nebraska.

The oldest, C. M. (Mac) graduated from the New Mexico school of engineering in 1935 and has been for the past four years with the Standard Oil Company in Venezuela, most recently at Caracas. He planned, however, to join the Navy.

Jack Creamer attended the University of New Mexico from 1934 to 1937 and is chief investigator for the WPA in Santa Fe, N. Mex. He is married.

Joe varied from his other brothers by attending in 1939-40 the University of Nebraska where he was pledged by Gamma-Beta. He has been in training as a paratrooper at Fort William Henry Harrison at Helena, Mont.

Jerry, the youngest of the brothers, signed with a Naval Reserve officer training unit at the University of New Mexico.

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✧ DANIEL T. OERTEL, of Los Angeles, former National Treasurer, has been appointed to a post with the War Production Board in Washington. He was in the investment banking business in Los Angeles.

## Chapter Eternal

THE REV. RICHARD LUCIUS LYON, AII, '29, pastor of the Baptist Church at Union Springs, Ala., died Sept. 16, 1942. He had conducted two revival meetings during the summer and was in a weakened condition when stricken with typhus fever which induced heart failure.

At 32 years, Brother Lyon was one of Alabama's promising young ministers and an outstanding citizen of Bullock County. He was active in civilian defense and taught Red Cross first aid courses all over the county. The flag was flown at half-staff on the post office and other public buildings in Union Springs during the funeral services conducted at his church by Dr. Frank Tripp and F. M. Barnes.

He was a Bachelor of Arts from Howard College and a Master of Theology from the Southern Baptist Seminary at Louisville, Ky. After his graduation from the seminary he took the pastorate at Union Springs and held it until his death. During his tenure many members were added and a total of \$15,000 was raised above the regular budget of the church to remodel and beautify it.

A number of ministers from other parts of the state attended the funeral services at Union Springs, and he was buried in Tuscaloosa beside his father with Masonic rites.

The *Alabama Baptist* said: "The characteristics of his life which made him so eminently useful would be explained by the words adaptability, kindness, friendliness and willingness. He was adaptable and pleasing, kind in his approaches to all people and willing to do anything for the furtherance of any good cause."

ALFRED CHARLES NUSSMEIER, BΦ, '30, power engineer, died in Evansville, Ind., Aug. 4, of injuries received while testing a motor. He had been ill for three years, and, as a member of his family put it, "a more patient fellow was never born."

Nussmeier, whose home was at 1912 East Mulberry St., in Evansville, took his degree in electrical engineering at Purdue before service with the Southern Indiana Gas & Electric Co. as a power engineer.

DR. ROBERT BAGLEY CRALLE, JR., I, '23, a physician, died at his home in Farmville, Va., on Sept. 26 after a short illness.

After his graduation from Hampden-Sydney College, he attended the Medical College of Virginia at Richmond, 1926-30. He practiced medicine for a few years at Drakes Branch, Va., before moving his office to Farmville.

Funeral services were held at the Farmville Presbyterian Church, of which he was a member, and burial was in the Farmville Cemetery. His mother, Mrs. Eva W. Cralle of Farmville, survives with two sisters who are Mrs. Dr. W. Herman Bell of Hampden-Sydney and Mrs. Earl H. Carter of Farmville.

LYMAN C. HIGDON, T, was killed in August in a cave-in while working in a tunnel for the Tennessee Valley Authority.

He was generally regarded as the toast-master of the chapter. He had been chosen rush captain for fall rushing and junior representative for the Interfraternity Council.

He was vice president of the junior class, a member of the varsity boxing team, and a member of the Sophomore Dance Committee.



# 5 Chapters Win Scholarship Prizes

◆ THE Fraternity has given the greatest number of scholarship plaques this year since the plan offering awards to all chapters leading their campuses was instituted several years ago.

In the September issue of *THE SHIELD* AND *DIAMOND* it was announced that Alpha-Iota at Millsaps and Gamma-Epsilon at Utah State has won the awards.

As the averages reached the National Office after the deadline of the September issue, it was determined that three other chapters has finished first. They were: Alpha-Tau, University of Utah; Alpha-Phi, Iowa State College, and Delta-Alpha, George Washington University.

"It may well be that there will be two or three others because these reports come in rather slowly," said Executive Secretary Hart.

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## I I K A Survives 2 Naval Disasters

◆ SMITH HALFHILL, AK, of Minden Mines, Mo., aerographer, second class, in the Navy, survived the sinking of two ships by Jap planes in the furious battling off Java. An inflated jacket kept him afloat through both duckings.

He was a member of the crew of the 11,050-ton aircraft tender *Langley* and was on the gun watch when the ship was attacked and sunk by Japanese air-men.

When the *Langley* started sinking—and not until then—did the crew leave. They were picked up by a warship and later transferred to the 5,400-ton tanker *Pecos*.

Other Jap airmen appeared and subjected the *Pecos* to a four-hour bombing, finally sinking it. The raiders were driven off and another warship picked up the survivors of the two American ships and took them to an Australian port.

Before enlisting in the Navy more than two years ago, Brother Halfhill was a student at the Missouri School of Mines. He graduated from the school of aerography at Lakehurst, N. J., in May, 1941, and was stationed on the carrier *Yorktown* and *Indianapolis* before going on the *Langley*.

He is married to Miss Rosalie Gann, of Cherokee, Kan., and on last word was stationed at a West Coast base. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Halfhill.



*Bert Chope, Σ, leader of the crack Vanderbilt University band, is shown here with Miss Jain Nichols, also a Vandy student, who was sponsor of one of the football games. Chope, from Louisville, Ky., was initiated this year.*

## Wickard, Chandler Daughters Married

◆ HIGH RANKING government officials were among the guests at the wedding August 22 of Miss Elizabeth Jane Wickard, KKT, daughter of Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard, BΦ, and Mrs. Wickard. Miss Wickard was wed to Ensign Harry Robert Bryant, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Bryant, of Dallas, Tex. Both the bride and groom were graduated at Purdue. Among the guests were Vice President Wallace and Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Cordell Hull.

Miss Wickard has been engaged in advertising work in Indianapolis for the last two years.

Miss Marcella Chandler, daughter of Senator Albert B. Chandler, K and Ω, and Mrs. Chandler, and Capt. John P.

Gregg, United States Ferry Command, Long Beach, Calif., were married September 20 at Los Angeles. Miss Chandler attended Margaret Hall in Versailles, Ky., her home town, and Stephens College, Missouri.

Mimi Chandler, 15-year-old daughter of Senator Chandler, has been awarded a seven-year motion picture contract by Paramount. She was given a screen test while in Hollywood for her sister's wedding.

She attends Margaret Hall School.

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## Letters

### Reserves More Space

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

The chapter liked the September issue and we all hope to be able to take up more space in future issues by sending in more copy.

HOWARD W. IRVIN, BA,  
 University of Pennsylvania.

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### Likes Magazine

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

I have a life subscription to THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND and I look forward to the issues with a great deal of pleasure for I find them most interesting.

DAVID J. HARKNESS, Z,  
 Assistant Field Director,  
 Camp Livingston, La.

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### Appreciates Fraternity More

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

One can truly appreciate now, the value of a fraternity, even after such a short time away from them.

I believe if every undergraduate could realize what they should mean in later life, everyone in each chapter would strive harder for the organization if possible.

DAN B. LEYERLE, AN,  
 466 Milverton Blvd.,  
 Toronto, Canada.

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### Wants More Chapter News

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

Beta-Eta feels that more space should be devoted to chapter news dealing with the most active of the IIKA members in school now.

JIM COE, BH, '45,  
 University of Illinois.





Top, from right to left, Barbara Stratton, Knoxville, Zeta's Sweater Queen; Sue Erwin, and Peggy Roberts. SMC Charles Herd and Katherine Wiseman talk at right. In the group, from left, are Ruth Anne Koontz, T. F. Burroughs, Jr., Lois Stumps, Henry McBride, Gertrude Ewell, Sam Arnold, Lorene Bryan, and J. R. Burchfield.



# Shell Scientist Finds Interest In Own Land

♦ MANY PERSONS are of the opinion that a collector of natural history specimens must travel to remote parts of the world to find new and interesting forms of plant or animal life. To my way of thinking this is not true, as one can discover just as many and interesting new things in the "back yard" of our own vast expanse of country.

I proved this during three summers spent in the field collecting land and fresh-water snails and other natural history objects for the Carnegie Museum. These delvings into science found me wandering over the old hills of the Allegheny Mountains in West Virginia and Pennsylvania and scaling the steeper and comparatively younger Rocky Mountains in Utah and Colorado.

Zoologically speaking, and with special reference to the land snails, West Virginia can be regarded as a transitional zone between the northern and southern faunal groups. Many of the southern forms of snails that have developed in North Carolina and Tennessee have migrated northward along the New River into West Virginia; this river has its origin in Ashe County, North Carolina. Certain northern snails have wandered as far south as the northern tier of counties in West Virginia. It was for the purpose of studying this southern and northern migration of snail life, and also to make a complete collection of the molluscan fauna of West Virginia, that I went to West Virginia, which had been sadly neglected conchologically, except for a few sporadic collections made from 1856 until 1935.

One very interesting spot visited was Cranberry Glade, a few miles west of Marlinton, in Pocahontas County, reached by climbing over the Cranberry Mountain. This glade is formed by the Cranberry River within a U-shaped bowl outlined by the Black, Cranberry and Kennison mountains. Cranberry Glade is situated at an elevation of 3,400 feet and the mountains which surround it rise from 1,000 to 1,500 feet above it. On the other side of these mountains the elevation drops to approximately 1,950 feet, along the Greenbrier River.

The glade contains 250 to 300 acres of deep, wet soil, overgrown in some places by a thicket of shrubbery and carpeted elsewhere with lichens, mosses and sedges. The borders are fringed with alders, hollies and other shrubs.

By **GORDON K. MacMILLAN**  
*Gamma-Sigma*

Some of the plants found here are the remnants of the last glacier, as they are not found in any other section of this part of the country south of the bogs and marshes of northern Pennsylvania. This is also true of the tamaracks and the wild rosemary, or marsh holly rose. The thickets around the glade are a poor habitat for land snails and those found here are thin-shelled due to the acid condition of the soil.

Although prohibition has been repealed for nearly ten years, many mountaineers of the middle and southern Appalachian Mountains still manufacture their own corn liquor. Their stills



*Gordon K. MacMillan was graduated from the University of Pittsburgh in 1930 and since that time has made many expeditions as conchologist at Carnegie Museum. He has written several books and monographs, chiefly on his discoveries of microscopic snails.*

are hidden in the dense woods of the mountain sides and in deep and sheltered ravines. We apparently passed near one of these hideouts on one of our collecting trips. As we journeyed up a valley in search of snails and other types of animal and plant life a woman called out hoarsely; this was followed immediately by a loud report and then the air around us was filled with buckshot. We wasted little time in leaving

that region, as the kind of shells we were looking for did not fly.

If we believed all the tales related by natives of West Virginia, we would be very gullible indeed, and perhaps even frightened enough to refrain from wandering through the woods. According to their stories, the trees are literally dripping with rattlesnakes and copperheads and these "varmin" are lurking in every nook and cranny. With these stories in mind I was prepared for the inevitable, supplying myself with a snake-bite outfit and a thick pair of leather gloves. However, my method of collecting the land snails, which is far from being quiet, frightened these reptiles away, so that I never encountered any of these poisonous reptiles, and it was not necessary for me to wear the gloves when I rolled over the logs or pulled stones from their deep holes. It took the botanists, called "weed pullers" by the natives, to find the snakes.

During the winter months the dozens of bags containing the samples of forest loam that had been collected the previous summer were sifted; from the sifted material the minute snails were picked out under a binocular microscope. These were then separated, identified and catalogued. Two summers in the field netted us a total of over 15,500 specimens of molluscan life, distributed among 31 genera and 127 species and subspecies. Of this number 10 species had never before been collected or reported from West Virginia.

In 1938 nearly four months were spent in West Virginia collecting in 19 counties in which no collecting had previously been done or from which only small collections had been obtained. Most of the time that year was spent in camping. After one week of this gypsying we would move to another locality, usually in some other county, to scour that area for mollusca and also for insects, reptiles, amphibians and the smaller mammals. At night, on a folding table with the aid of a gasoline lantern, I cleaned the larger snails and separated the smaller ones from the alcohol in which they had been killed. Of these, the more commoner forms were identified and then placed in small shell vials. The larger forms, after having been dried, were placed in tobacco tins or pill boxes.

That year we brought back to the Carnegie Museum over 19,000 specimens and nine new records were added for the state, including two species not



only new to the state but also new to science.

A longer trail, however, led to the next adventure in collecting, in the Uinta Basin in Utah. At Vernal we established headquarters, living in two rooms in a small stone house, with and among neighborly Mormons. From this point we went into the field on collecting trips of one to two weeks' duration, pitching our tents and cooking and eating our meals in the open, either in the higher elevations of the Uinta Mountains or on the lower levels of the Uinta Basin. What material had to be prepared at the end of the day was done, as best as possible, at each camping place during the twilight hours or with the aid of a flashlight; the rest of the material was left for our return to Vernal.

In contrast to West Virginia with its forested hills and mountains seldom rising above 4,000 feet, the greater part of Utah lies above that elevation; main summit of the mountains attaining heights of 10,000 to 13,000 feet. The Uinta Mountains is the only major range stretching in an east-west direction in the New World. Collecting land snails in the basin was done at an elevation beginning at about 7,500 feet, at which elevation aspens were growing, and continued up to a little more than 10,000 feet. Above this the trees became scarcer until timber line was reached at 11,000 feet. At elevations lower than 7,500 feet no snails were found, as semi-desert conditions prevailed. However, snails were found at lower elevations and on the bottom of the basin in the canyons and among the stands of willows, aspens, water birches, cotton woods and the smaller shrubs and bushes growing along water courses and irrigation ditches.

One of the interesting little animals to be found in this part of the country is the horned toad, in reality a lizard. This animal has the habit of shooting a stream of blood from his eyes as a means of defense and perhaps of frightening its enemies. I was more than once a target when I attempted to pick up one of these reptiles, but in most cases they would scurry out of sight under some low juniper bush or small cactus.

Throughout the Uintas there are a number of mountain parks. One visited by us was Paradise, at an elevation of more than 10,000 feet. Here a branch of Whiterocks River had been dammed, creating a large reservoir, which supplied water to some of the towns to the south. North of the reservoir, a terminal moraine, formed by the recession of a glacier during the last ice age, and consisting of huge boulders and blocks of



*Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, B.F., and Mrs. Wickard pause at the St. Louis Union Station between trains en route to Mexico City where Secretary Wickard spoke at Inter-American Agriculture Conference.*

stone, held back the drainage of springs, making many small pools and ponds. In the grasses and sedges growing in the shallows along the margin of these ponds we collected small mussels, called "fingernail clams," because of their shape and extremely small size.

Climatic conditions of the Rocky Mountains have been such as to prevent the land snails from developing and forming into as many diverse species and varieties as in the East, but the number of individuals, however, is equally large. The 9,500 specimens that were collected throughout the Uinta Basin during our summer trip were distributed among only 10 genera and 26 species and varieties, none of which were unique or rare to that state or that section of Utah.

When a summer's work is over, we send our material back to the laboratory. Here we work upon it during the winter. Only then is it possible for us to tell more definitely the success of our summer's work and to be assured that

the hours in the field were spent beneficially. As greedily as the pirates of old gloated over their loot of silver and gems do we gloat over the "gems" of our field trips.

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◆ SERVICE MEN in or passing through Chicago are especially invited to the weekly luncheons of the alumni group there. The club meets each Friday at Harding's, in the Fair Store, State and Adams Streets.

The group is still seeking names of I I K A's in the Chicago area to complete its list of all members of the Fraternity eligible for membership in the alumni chapter.

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THEY took off their shoes and danced down Auburn way. Upsilon chapter entertained rushees, faculty alumni, members, and pledges with a picture show party, a morning dance, steak fry, and barefoot dance at the house as part of the week-end rushing program early in May.



# Southern Football Official Says GRID PLAYERS CAN TAKE IT!

◆ THE OLD mountaineer peered intently into the room. Seeing a young fellow lacing his football shoes, he stepped in. Calmly lighting his pipe he inquired "Are you the feller that's going to run this heah ball game this evenin'?"

The object of the question replied "Yes, sir, I am supposed to be the referee." There followed in rapid succession questions regarding the home, the business, the relations and acquaintances of the official.

After about 15 minutes of such conversation the old mountaineer reached for a tobacco pouch in his hip pocket and exposed a most formidable looking six shooter.

Turning to leave he remarked "Young feller, ah don't know what yo've heard about us mountaineers but we'uns are just plain ordinary folks. Yo' treat us right and we'll take care uv you and if you don't treat us right we'll still take care uv you."

I'll never forget those next thirty minutes before game time. One young official was tempted to end his officiating career almost before it started. This was in the middle twenties and in the 17 football seasons that have passed I have seen many feet cross those white lines.

Inquiries about the old gentleman revealed that he was the grandfather of the captain of one of the teams and a fire-eating football and baseball fan. Fortunately for all concerned, the old timer's team, led by his grandson, won the ball game handily 32-6 but the incident showed plainly that while football might be just an afternoon's diversion for many people, it was serious business for a few!

One thing that I have learned—as a whole the American public is mighty fair minded and tolerant. American boys are fundamentally honest. I well remember one game where a fumble occurred on the side lines. Six men were fighting for the ball. Who last touched that ball before it went out of bounds, I could only guess. Seeing that I was momentarily stumped, one of the players said to me "That man touched the ball last, Mr. Referee." Believe it or not, it was his opponent!

Every year some people break into print or on the radio denouncing football. They condemn the entire structure—the players, the coaches, the offi-

By RUMSEY B. TAYLOR

*Alpha-Lambda*

cials and the game itself. While I have no intention writing a brief for the game of football I think that 95% of these self appointed critics are all wet and cannot back up their criticism with fact.

It is undoubtedly true that some boys play football who have no business playing because of a lack of physical development, of size or play when they shouldn't. Yet it is unfair to condemn a great game that has given much to the American boy because of these exceptions.

From the angle of the official—I have enjoyed everyone of my 17 seasons as an official. I have made some of the finest friends any man ever had among the players, the coaches, my fellow officials and Mr. John Public. Of course that man John Public gets under your skin once in a while—particularly when the wolves begin to howl.

A couple of years ago I took my nine-year-old son to a big ball game. During the game I had to call a holding penalty on the offensive team on the 15-yard line that called back a touchdown. Well, if you ever had forty thousand people call you a crook, a robber, a Blind Tom with all the appropriate

◆ RUMSEY BARNES TAYLOR, AA, a successful Princeton, Ky., lumberman, top-flight Southern football official and former district officer of Kiwanis International, took part in many campus activities while at Georgetown College.

*He was a member of Alpha Delta Sigma, editor of both the student newspaper and the yearbook, was on the honor roll, a member of the male quartette and the band, was head cheer leader for three years and was elected most typical student.*

*He married Miss Eleanor Campbell in a campus ceremony. They are the parents of four boys.*

*As a football official, in 17 seasons of calling the plays, he has "graduated" to the big game. He umpired the Georgia Tech-Notre Dame game, the Kentucky-Alabama tilt, and many others in the South in the last two years.*



RUMSEY B. TAYLOR

adjectives you know what came out of those stands!

The youngster on the sideline got a big kick out of hearing his Dad get the "razz." The next day we were on our way home and stopped in another city for lunch. As we came out of the hotel coffee shop three men who had been present at a game in which I had officiated two weeks earlier stopped us and proceeded to tell me how cock-eyed I was on an interference penalty I had called in that game. As we drove on towards home this youngster suddenly came out with "Dad, you're getting better. Yesterday there were forty thousand calling you a crook and a robber and today there weren't but three."

Football is the most intricate game played by American boys. As a whole the crowd knows very little of the rules, violations and penalties. They watch the boys carrying the ball and seldom see what is transpiring among the other 21 men on the field. Ofttimes when an official calls back a run because of a holding penalty the run would never have been made had not some offensive back held that defensive end and illegally prevented him from breaking up the play.

This past year an official called back a beautiful run back of a punt and the crowd broke into howls. On three previous punts the end of the kicking team had been going down like a house afire and stopping the safety man in his tracks. This time the tackle playing opposite this end just reached over and placed his hand across the instep of the end and held him there long enough for the safety man to break away. Certainly the team was not due the long yardage because it would never have been made had not the end been held on the line of scrimmage.

Plenty of people have howled to high Heaven about the "men in white" getting paid big fees for looking at the



same game that it costs them money to see. They fail to consider the hours of studying those rules, the time spent in trying to keep legs and wind in shape, the cost of equipment, laundry bills and most of all—the loss of time from business. Actually, I do not know of a single official in football who ever made enough out of it to live comfortably even through the football season. The activity costs most of us money.

But strange to say, there are not many officials who won't be out there again next year ready to go. Why?—Because we love it! During football season we forget the fact that we are crowding those years when the cleats will have to be laid away. We live with the boys and coaches, share their thrills and disappointments. We see boys develop into men. We see boys give their best under fire and come through with colors flying. For three months in the year we are boys again. We associate with coaches and officials with whom and against whom we played in earlier years. We like to think that we have a little part in preserving a great American game for the boys of tomorrow.

What the future of American collegiate athletics will be I do not know—but one thing is certain. We have thousands of American boys in better physical condition, boys who have been taught the virtues of team play and loyalty to a cause, boys who have had to make decisions out there on the football field when the going was tough. As for me, I had rather risk the judgment of a chap who has been tried under the fire of the gridiron when bigger things came along later in life—and the enemies of the old U. S. A. will find that they can dish it out in no uncertain terms.

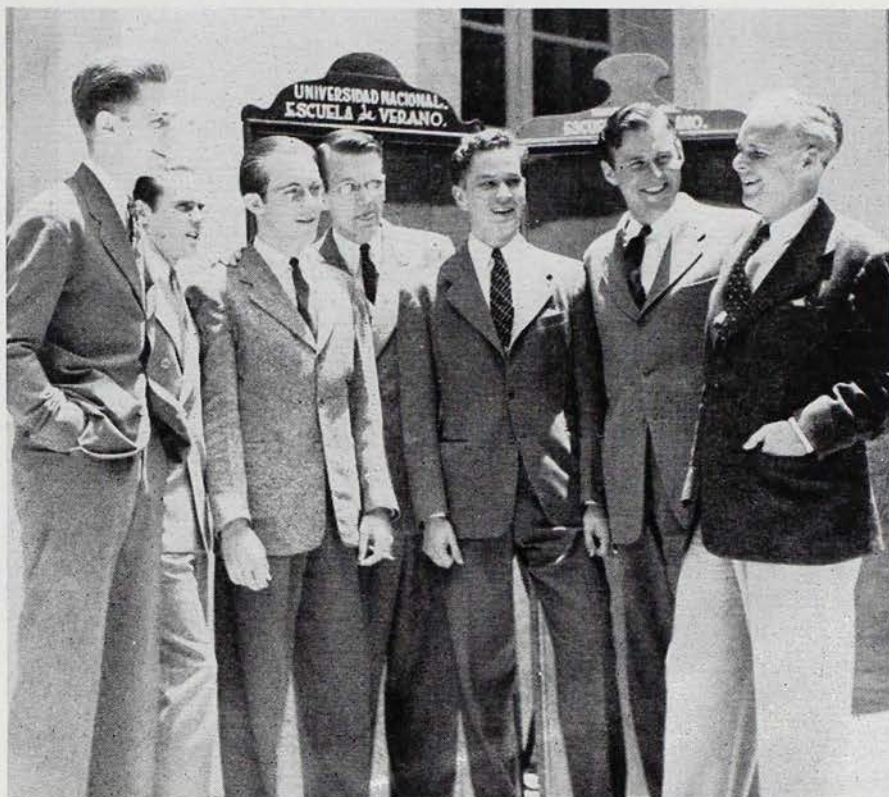
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## D. R. Cowles Heads Textbook Institute

◆ DUDLEY R. COWLES, T, president of D. C. Heath & Company, Boston publishers, has been chosen president of the American Textbook Publishers' Institute.

Cowles and 27 other textbook publishers met in New York to form the committee to "study and seek to reach a constructive solution of all problems having to do with the use of textbooks as the tools of learning."

The organization grew out of a survey of textbook problems undertaken in 1940 by New England publishers.



*Winners of the National Extempore-Discussion Contest sponsored by Nelson A. Rockefeller, Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs in the patio of the National University Summer School in Mexico City, are from left: Ted Groenke, De Pauw; John Lewis, Stetson; Joe Sterling, Oklahoma; Tom Klink, Pacific; Jim Rathbun, Northwestern; Jack McCombe, Syracuse, and Dr. Alan Nichols, Southern California, director of the contest.*

## Debate Winner Studies In Mexico

By K. R. KIDDOO  
Gamma-Rho

◆ JIM RATHBUN, '44, newly-elected SMC at Gamma-Rho, returned to his classes from a full summer in Mexico, where he traveled and studied at the National University's Summer School under the sponsorship of Nelson A. Rockefeller, Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs.

Rathbun was one of six college men declared winners among 25,000 entrants from 352 colleges and universities in the United States in the National Extempore-Discussion Contest. The contest, managed through Coordinator Rockefeller's office, had as its theme: "How Can We Best Implement the Good Neighbor Policy?" The \$1,200-expenses-paid trip to Mexico was awarded to each of the six national winners.

The contest was concluded May 14 when the finalists appeared over a nation-wide Blue Network hook-up on America's Town Meeting of the Air.

Rathbun, in addition to winning this contest as a sophomore, was victorious in three out of four oratory contests during the year. He won the coveted

Kirk prize of \$100, topped 14 competitors at the annual University of Iowa Invitational Tournament, and became national champion of Delta Sigma Rho, honorary speech fraternity. In addition to these individual events, he was second affirmative speaker on the Northwestern varsity debate team which tied for top honors in the Iowa tournament and Big Ten competition.

The summer trip included three weeks of travel to such famous places as Guadalajara, second largest city in the Republic of Mexico; Acapulco, picturesque Pacific seaport; Fortin, famous for tropical flowers and Merida, capital of Yucatan. The latter trip, which included study of the Mayan ruins at Chichen-Itza and Uxmal, was made by Pan-American Clipper from Mexico City.

Rathbun, past-president of Phi Eta Sigma, freshman scholastic honorary, and member of Purple Key, junior men's recognition society at Northwestern, will, in addition to presiding over Gamma-Rho's affairs this year, continue his forensic activities and serve as night editor on the *Daily Northwestern*.



## Union Chieftain Declares Public Is "Third Party"

◆ PAUL GRIFFITH, BT, is a union man with unorthodox ideas. He believes that unions are wrong whenever they forget the third party—the public—in any dispute between capital and labor.

He has recently been re-elected president of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, an independent union of 200,000 members which was organized in 1937.

Remaining aloof from entanglements with such groups as the A.F.L. or the C.I.O., Griffith has as his organizational model the four railroad brotherhoods. He reasons that if locomotive engineers, firemen, brakemen and conductors can get along as well as they have by keeping their organizations within the limits of the railroad industry, the telephone worker would be well advised to follow such example.

Griffith, the unusual union leader, is even willing to admit that a strike or a union can be wrong. The union is most likely to be wrong when it forgets the third party and the third party, the public, should come first in order of importance, he says. This is especially true with respect to an industry engaged in essential public service such as the telephone business.

There should never be a strike in a public utility industry, Griffith says. This, of course, does not waive the right to strike. But he feels that the interest of the public is so paramount, that there should be arrangements made whereby any possible differences between labor and management can be fairly and surely mediated without the necessity of a walkout which would do grave injury to an innocent bystander.

A charter member of Beta-Upsilon, Griffith was graduated from the University of Colorado in 1922 and went immediately to Chicago where he has since been employed by Western Electric Company and the Illinois Bell Telephone Company. Nine years of that time he has been a union official.

In January, 1941, he was named as a member of the Labor Advisory Committee to the Defense Communications Board.



OWEN COOPER

## IIKA Selected Research Chief For Farm Bureau

◆ OWEN COOPER, IO, has been named director of organization and research for the Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation which has headquarters in the Bridges Building at Jackson, Miss.

Cooper, who is 34, also has been active in public housing work, having been secretary of the Mississippi Association of Housing Officials and a special consultant for the United States Housing Authority.

He was graduated from Mississippi State College in 1929 and later took an M.A. degree at the University of Mississippi and an LL.B. at the Jackson School of Law. During his college days he engaged in debating, in YMCA work, in track and in dramatics.

He has continued to retain his liking for public speaking which proves useful in his church and civic work. A deacon in his own church, he has been president of the Mississippi Baptist Conference of Pastors and Layman.

He also is a member of Blue Key, Alpha Zeta and Pi Gamma Mu.

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PHI DELTA KAPPA, national professional education fraternity, has amended its constitution to open its membership to other than the white race. The chapters voted 67 to 20 to repeal the clause limiting membership to white males.

## Biologist Tells of War Horrors On Burma Road

◆ GORDON EDWARD SMITH, Z, associate biologist of the Tennessee Valley Authority on loan to the United States Public Health Service as an entomologist, is now Capt. Gordon E. Smith with the United States forces in India.

He left New York February 16 to go to the Burma Road area with a joint United States and Chinese medical mission to guard the health of those building the Burma Road. But the Japs interfered.

A recent letter to his parents in Paris, Tenn., follows in part:

"We saw San Juan, P. R., Recife, Brazil, then crossed the Atlantic 2 degrees south of the equator. After 31 days crossing, we had a look at real African Negroes. We stayed one night in Logos, Nigeria, and twelve days later were in Lashio, our destination.

"The afternoon we took off from Calcutta, Lashio was being bombed. We delayed departure for two or three hours trying to get radio contact with the field. When this failed we took off anyway. Three hours later we saw the Burma Road. It was getting dark and we could not contact the field. We finally found it and landed—dodging bomb holes. The Japs had paid them a visit that afternoon and destroyed, among other things, the radio.

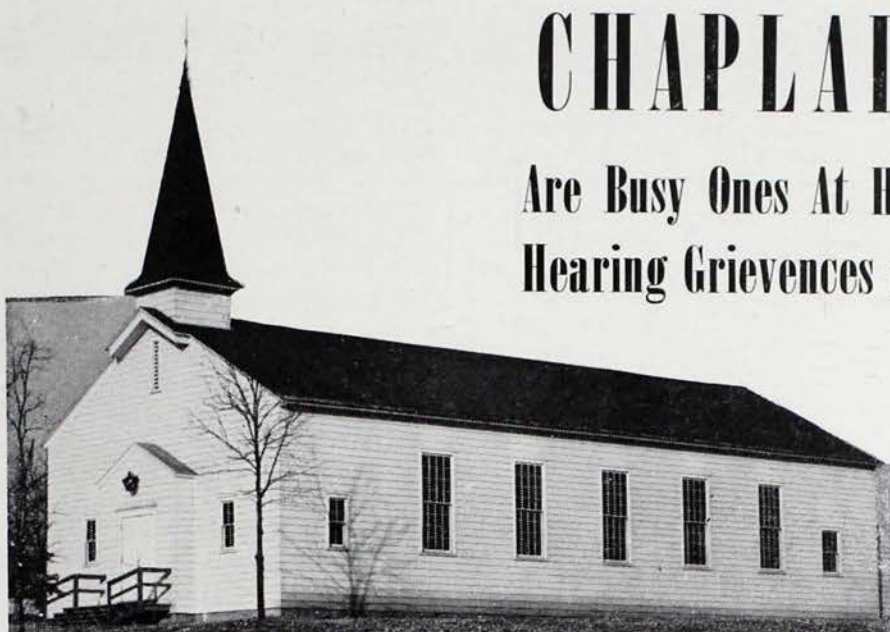
"We had actually gotten to work and had settled down for a long year's work when the Japs slipped in the back way and ran us out.

"You could see a wrecked truck every 50 yards out of Lashio and dead bodies all along the road. I picked up a skull in the middle of the road as a souvenir of Burma Road.

"The Japs caught up with us at Pooshan and dropped bombs in the crowded streets, killing about 2,000. I had been gone from town about an hour when they came. I had started on a three-day trip to evacuate two of our men trapped down the railroad and broke a spring on my jeep. I came back and saw the burning ruins of Pooshan and pieces of bodies scattered about.

"Returning to my party, we continued on and reached Kunming a week later and flew to India, near Mt. Everest."





# CHAPLAIN'S DAYS

## Are Busy Ones At Home or On Battlefield Hearing Grievances and Confessions of Men

*One of the Army's chapels designed for use by the three faiths—Protestant, Catholic and Jewish. Below is Major McCaskill and a typical scene of a religious service at an Army post.*

♦ THE TITLE "Chaplain," the word being derived from the Latin capellanus, had its origin in the capa, or capella of St. Martin of Tours. Tradition tells us that St. Martin gave half of his military cloak, capa, to a beggar at the gate of Amiens and wrapped the remaining half about himself as a cape. It is also a legend that this cape became a relic preserved by the Kings of France and taken with them as a talisman when they went to war. The tent in which this sacred relic was sheltered, and in which was likewise held the mass, or divine worship by military chaplains, became known as a Capella, hence Chapel. Later the same name was applied to the oratory, or any place where this sacred relic was enshrined and where divine worship was held, and the custodians of the place and relics, and celebrants of the ceremony were called Capellani. In all periods of history from medieval days to the present the Military Ecclesiastics were given a prominent place as a necessary part of

**By MAJ. RALPH E. McCASKILL**  
*Theta*

the staff of a Military Commander. Even Robin Hood had his miscreant Friar Tuck.

The Chaplaincy in the United States had its inception during the War of the Revolution when General Washington

*Chaplain McCaskill, Division Chaplain of the 3d Armored Division, Camp Polk, La., better known as "Bayou Blitz Division," began his Army service eight years ago at Fort Screven, Ga. Then he served at Fort Sherman, C. Z.; on the Army transport "Republic" which took him to New York, the West Coast and Hawaii, and Fort Bragg, N. C., as post chaplain.*

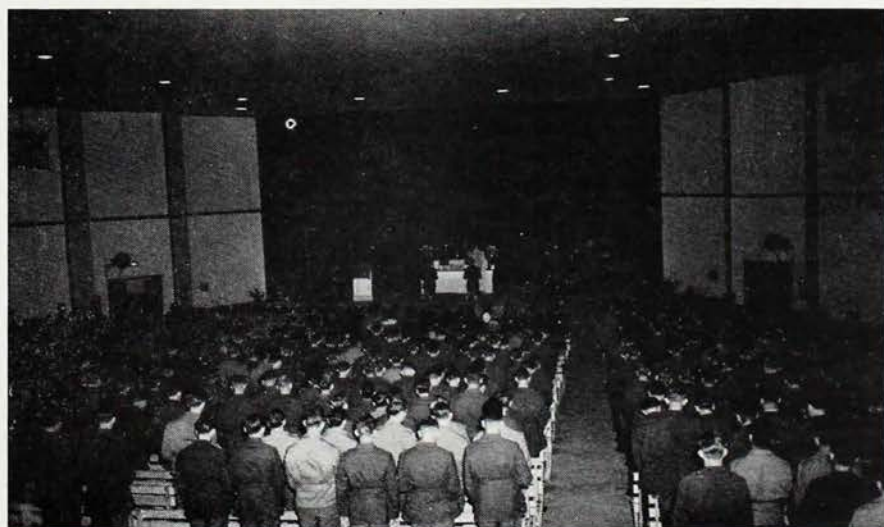
*He has 14 chaplains attached to his office, including Robert Alston, AA.*

*Of the "Bayou Blitz Division" he said: "This Division is truly wheeled lightning because with our tanks and motorized equipment we can strike hard and fast and will never have to strike in the same place twice. It won't be necessary."*

issued the first call to colors for the American Ministers of the Gospel. Many of the best known Ministers of the Revolutionary War period took their turn with troops at the front, or ministered to those in the hospitals or prisons.

Although the organization of the United States Army dates from September 29, 1789, it was not until the Act of March 3, 1791, that the Office of Chaplain received actual recognition as an integral part of the armed forces of the country. And Chaplains have taken an important part in the military history of our country, serving faithfully in peace and war.

Just what are the duties of a Chaplain is a question in the minds of a great number of people. His first duty is to perform the office of a minister, priest or rabbi, whichever the case may be, as the Army recognizes only three faiths—Protestant, Catholic and Jewish. Thus in performing his first duty he relieves his Commanding Officer of the responsibility of providing for the re-





ligious worship and activities of the Command. The Chaplain serves on the Staff of his Commanding Officer in an advisory capacity on all matters pertaining to religious activities. Also many matters pertaining to morale, welfare and recreation are well taken care of by the Chaplain.

In the eyes of the enlisted men the Chaplain is the man to whom they may bring their trials and tribulations, petty grievances and confessions. A good Chaplain will be found among the men. They love him, place their confidence in him. To his back they may call him by some nickname. I have been referred to as "Reverend," "Father," "Holy Joe," "Sky Pilot," and "Rabbi." My official name though, is "Chaplain."

Since December 7 the interest in the religious activities in the Army has steadily increased. It is true the Army has increased and millions of young men now swell its ranks. The War Department recognizes the fact that religion should play an important part in the lives of these men and has made provisions for a very strong Corps of Chaplains which has grown from 150 Regular Army Chaplains to over 2,000 in the Army of the United States.

## DOLLARS FOR *Religion in Shoes*

◆ THEY'RE raising another monument down Birmingham way to "Religion in Shoes."

That is another way of saying that a memorial fund of \$10,000 is being raised to commemorate the life and work in the Birmingham Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of Dr. James A. Bryan, for more than 50 years pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church there.

In 1920, Dr. Bryan was voted Birmingham's first citizen, an honor he held until his death in January of this year. He was, for many years, City Chaplain by vote of the City Commission. In 1927 the city of Birmingham sent him to Palestine as a token of love and esteem. In 1935 a monument was erected to him without his knowledge, honoring years of sacrificial service he had rendered to Birmingham.

He has been termed by Dr. Hunter T. Blakeley, president of Queen's College, Charlotte, in his book by the same title, "Religion in Shoes." Dr. Bryan was beloved by all races and

creeds because of the labor of love he bestowed on Birmingham. He was a man of prayer, usually on the street, sometimes at the expense of traffic in the middle of the thoroughfare.

Chairman of the committee to raise the \$10,000 to carry on the work of Dr. Bryan is the Rev. Harold J. Dudley, I, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. A member of the committee is the Rev. P. Cary Adams, I, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Mr. Dudley, teacher, coach and professional baseball player before he entered the ministry, had a wide variety of interests while in college as well as since his graduation.

Born July 7, 1902, at Richmond, Va., he was graduated from John Marshall High School in Richmond in 1921, from Hampden-Sydney in 1925 and from Union Theological Seminary in 1929 with a BD and this year with his ThM.

On the campus he won letters in baseball, football and basketball, captained baseball and basketball, editor of the weekly student newspaper, debate team, president of the Athletic Association, and was a member of Tau Kappa Alpha, Sigma Upsilon and Omicron Delta Kappa. He was awarded the poetry prize and received, in 1924, the first time presented, the E. G. Gammon Cup for character, scholarship and athletics.

For the last 12 years, the Rev. Mr. Dudley has devoted much time to young people. At one time he served the Boy Scouts as Cubmaster, Scoutmaster and Skipper of Sea Scouts. In 1939 he had 100 boys under his leadership in Kinston, N. C.

In 1925-26 he coached and taught at Woodberry Forest School. In 1926 he played professional baseball with the Syracuse team of the International League and was the property of the St. Louis Cardinals except on Sunday. He played semi-pro baseball while pastor at Kinston.

At Kinston he was largely responsible for building the \$25,000 colonial church edifice, another at Snow Hill, N. C., costing \$8,000, and the third at Jason, Green County, N. C., costing \$3,000. All were built on the policy of "pay-as-you-go."

The Rev. Mr. Adams, who was graduated at Hampden-Sydney in 1921, served several years as president of the Presbyterian Junior College at Maxton, Ala., before accepting the Birmingham pastorate.

## Set Pace At Mississippi State



Barnhill



Brickell



Dinas



Lyerly

By **SIDNEY BURNS**  
*Gamma-Theta*

◆ GAMMA-THETA CHAPTER is justly proud of its outstanding student leaders on the Mississippi State campus. The chapter has long been a source for student leaders and present members are upholding that reputation.

SMC Johnny A. Dinas was recently elected president of the YMCA. He is a member of Scabbard and Blade, ODK and Blue Key, and various other campus organizations.

William A. Lyerly is the incoming business manager of the college paper, *The Reflector*. Lyerly has served in

various capacities on the paper, is a member of Blue Key, and is an outstanding student in the school of agriculture.

L. A. Barnhill, newly-elected vice president of the Student Association and chairman of the Dance Committee, is also active on *The Reflector*. Barnhill is a member of Blue Key and is an undergraduate manager of the Maroon football team.

Carey M. Brickell, past SMC, is president of Blue Key and is an outstanding student in the school of business. Brickell is a member of Chi Lambda Rho. He served as advertising manager on *The Reflector* last year.





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◆ FOUR campus leaders at the University of Alabama who also are among the mainstays of Gamma-Alfa are SMC Foster Etheredge, William Schuessler, James Davis, and Carl Morring.

Etheredge, a senior in arts and sciences, is president of the Interfraternity Council, a member of Rho Alpha Tau, Druids, Quadrangle, Philomathic Literary Society, Scabbard and Blade,

and executive committee of the YMCA. He was captain of the baseball team and plays football and basketball.

Schuessler, senior in commerce, is business manager of the *Corolla*, university yearbook. He is a member of the Cotillion Club, Spirit Committee, and Jasons.

Davis is president of Alpha Epsilon Delta, honorary pre-med society and the YMCA. He also is a member of Omi-

cron Delta Kappa, Jasons, Druids, Philomathic Literary Society, and Phi Eta Sigma.

Morring, assistant business manager of the student newspaper for two years, has been outstanding in speech work. He is a member of Tau Delta Tau, Tau Kappa Alpha, National Collegiate Players, Jasons, Philomathic Literary Society, Quadrangle, and Scabbard and Blade.

## IIKA Solves Mystery of Fall of Eben Emael

◆ SOLUTION of one of the greatest mysteries of World War II, the fall in 36 hours of Eben Emael, the Belgian fortress considered impregnable, is explained for the first time by Lt. Col. Paul W. Thompson, FN, in August issues of the *Infantry Journal* and *Reader's Digest*.

When the 1,400 officers and men in keystone to the Belgian defense line fled out of the subterranean fastness and surrendered, the world clamored for an explanation. Immediately the cry "secret weapon" went up. But Colonel Johnson points out that it was not a new "secret weapon" but the revolutionary use of an old one that turned the trick.

The fortress occupied a commanding position on a plateau near the Meuse River and the Albert Canal, controlling approaches to both. Ultramodern in design, it was flanked by a score of lesser forts scattered over an area of a mile square.

Deeply imbedded in native rock and connected by a series of deep tunnels, each work had large guns for distant action and machine guns for close-up fire.

But the Germans had been perfecting squads of heavily armed assault troops, developed toward the end of the last war. They were familiar with details

of Eben Emael and probably experimented on a full-scale replica.

At dawn May 10, 1940, the Nazi war machine crossed the defenseless borders of the Low Countries and by nightfall a demolition battalion had reached the base of the plateau upon which was Eben Emael. Dive bombers had been attacking since noon and during the night parachutists were dropped in the immediate vicinity and established radio contact with the battalion.

With the first rays of light May 11, the engineers began working their way up the plateau for the climatic operation: the assault. To protect their advance, anti-tank and anti-aircraft guns attempted to put out the "eyes" of the fort. Chemical troops blinded adjacent supporting works by smoke. Infantry consolidated the gains.

The engineers moving up the hill resembled walking arsenals with the potato-masher type hand grenades sticking out of the tops of boots and from between the buttons of the blouses. Each carried a seven-pound package of TNT and was armed with either a carbine or a sub-machine gun. Others carried 20-foot "charge-placing poles" which looked like elongated bricklayer's hods. Still others carried flame throwers.

Blasting their way through barbed wire and up to the side of the works, the flame throwers opened up against the embrasures. The engineers fused-up their TNT and used it against sensitive parts, embrasures, doors, ports, turrets and joints.

In a few minutes the TNT made itself felt. Here and there an embrasure went out of action, or a turret was jammed. As the Belgian guns were silenced, the engineers redoubled their operations. Early that afternoon the great fortress fell to a band of men armed with seven-pound sacks of TNT, not a new weapon but a highly effective use of an old one.

Colonel Thompson, attached to the Office of Chief of Engineers, Washington, was graduated from West Point in 1929 and took postgraduate work at the University of Iowa and Tulane. In 1935 he went to Germany on a scholarship given by the American Society of Engineers. During 1937 and 1938 he served as American observer with the Engineer Corps of the German Army.

Colonel Thompson is author of *Modern Battle* and *What the Citizen Should Know About the Army Engineer*, both published this year by W. W. Norton, and *Engineers in Battle*, just published by the Military Service Publishing Company.



# Symphony Author Is O. P. A. Rent Chief

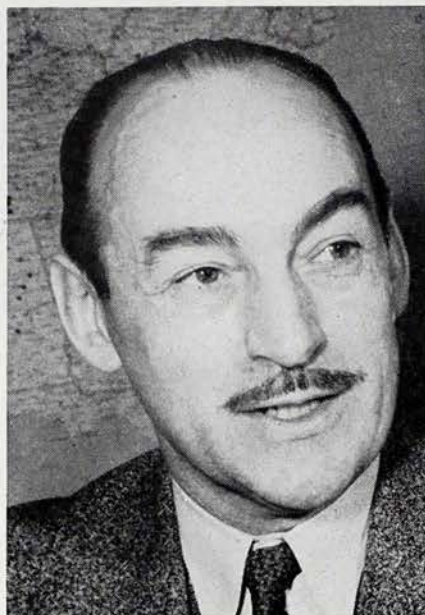
◆ DIRECTOR of the Rent Division of the Office of Price Administration is Karl Borders, K, who lives on Route 1, Upper Marlboro, Md., where he finds a little time from his duties to engage in his hobbies, gardening and carpentering.

Born in LaRue County, Kentucky, Dec. 19, 1891, he was graduated from Transylvania College with an A.B. degree in 1913, received a B.D. from Union Theological Seminary, New York, and did graduate work at Columbia and University of Chicago.

At Transylvania, he was first editor of *Crimson Rambler*, the student newspaper, was a member of Lampas, Boars Head, Book and Bones, Student Council, Glee Club and took part in dramatics.

While at Transylvania, Borders wrote *The Pi Kappa Alpha Symphony* which was used in *The Garnet and Gold Guide*, the Fraternity's new pledge manual. It follows:

"To have ever at heart the best interests of my fraternity; to foster a feeling of helpful brotherhood; to be true



KARL BORDERS

and honest with my brothers and all my other associates as well; to be in no sense a snob; to be loyal to my college

and to advance her good name in whatever way I am able; to place class standing before social position; to merit the confidence and esteem of my instructors; in my private life to be pure and noble; to commit no deed which will bring shame to my fraternity; in my life's work to be as true, as honest, as loyal, as pure, as worthy—in short, to be a man, in the best sense of the word, and thus fulfill the highest ideals for which Pi Kappa Alpha must ever stand."

He has since served as a missionary in Manila, was a chaplain in the Navy, did social settlement work in Chicago and famine relief in Russia, was a University of Chicago lecturer, did administrative work in the WPA and was executive assistant of the NYA before going with the OPA.

Some of his other interests have been Community Chest, director of Friendship House Social Settlement; American Society for Public Administrators and National Association of Housing Officials.

He is married and the father of two children.

## Picnic Given by Twin Cities Alumni

◆ THE Twin-Cities Alumni Chapter of St. Paul and Minneapolis gave an outing and picnic in August at the summer home of Harvey Kruse. The feature of the day was a ΠΚΑ Kiddie Revue, given by children of members of the alumni group.

A letter from Capt. Craig Mattice, BX, who is with the armed forces in

Ireland, was read. He had received a letter from the alumni group written last Founders' Day.

Those present included ΠΚΑ's Alrich, Rue, Henry, Johnson, Templeton, Friedheim, Winkenwerder, Wangstad, Sanson, Hagemeister, Forseth, Hahnen, Echolm, Kruse and Sanger, wives, children and friends.



◆ CLEVERLY designed invitations were sent out for Alpha-Phi Air Raid Party, February 22. A drawing of the house brightly lighted was on the front and a woodland scene on the back portraying an Iowa State Blackout—two forms under a blanket.

The inside of the program gave a list of "What to do in an Air Raid" and at the bottom had the following "Flash":

"The Italians have reached the peak of perfection with their modern parachute troops. A plane carries 15 men: 1 pilot, 1 co-pilot, 1 navigator, 1 radio man, 1 parachute jumper and 10 men to push him out."

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◆ GAMMA-XI CHAPTER won a \$250 prize offered to the campus group for the best essay on "The Use of Washington Lumber Products." The West Coast Lumberman's Association sponsored the contest last summer. ThC Raymond Harris and IMC Carl Henry wrote the essay which won the prize. A large number of fraternities participated.





*Ed Tait, IΣ, who received the Omicron Delta Kappa award as Pitt's outstanding senior, is a second lieutenant in the Coast Artillery Corps at Fort Eustis, Va. His name is engraved in the Senior Walk, the symbol of leadership, scholarship, and character. For 18 years the names of outstanding seniors have been carved there. He was a 2.5 student, president of the student governing body and business manager of the magazine.*

## War Parley Held By Cleveland Club

◆ THE FIRST Pi Kappa Alpha War Conference was held June 8 in the Beta-Epsilon chapter house, 2069 Abbington Road, with Roy G. Engstrom, first SMC of the chapter and now president of the alumni organization, presiding at the dinner meeting.

Plans were made to keep a roll of all Cleveland IKA's in the service and to see that they get news of the home front. Engstrom recalled one of the highlights of his experience during World War I was the day he received a 10-page letter from a IKA classmate.

"Although we were close friends in college, it took a war to open his heart and really say what this friendship really meant to him," Engstrom related.

Engstrom, secretary of the Cleveland Association of Building Owners and Managers, was recently elected president of the associated secretaries of the national association. He is one of the youngest secretaries in the group.

In addition to his business, Engstrom ranks near the top in command of civilian defense activities in Cleveland.

## Leroy Weed

# TOP-FLIGHT MILER

By EMILE PETER  
*Gamma-Eta*

◆ LEROY WEED, IΠ, co-captain of the University of Southern California track team for 1942, has proven himself one of the top distance men of the country, having won 13 consecutive races this year at one and two miles before closing his college career.

At graduation exercises, he was awarded a medal as the outstanding senior athlete of the year.

Running in the 1,500-meter race in Triborough Stadium, June 20, in the A.A.U. finals, he finished second to Gil Dodds, of the Boston A.C., in one of

the most spectacular events of the meeting. Dodds' time in the metric mile was 3:50.2.

In collegiate competition Weed's most outstanding performance was winning the two-mile race in the thrilling time of 9:04.6 to beat Berkeley. It was the fastest outdoor time of the year. In the same event against California, he won by 20 yards at 4:19.

His record for the year also includes:

First in the mile against Occidental College-City College, 4:23; first in the mile to win the Call-Bulletin trophy, 4:25; first against University of California at Los Angeles, 4:16.5 (meet record); first in mile at Long Beach Relays, 4:15.8; first in two-mile against Olympic Club and University of California, 9:17; first in two-mile at Pacific Association meet, 9:04.6; first in mile (4:17.3) and first in two-mile (9:37.4) against Stanford; first in mile at Fresno Relays, 4:15.1; first in S.P.A.A.U. mile, 4:15.2, and first in P.C.C. mile, 4:15.1.

Weed also made a Bovard Field track record in the  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile in 3:02.6 and the two-mile mark of 9:14.1.

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LEROY WEED

## Keller's Brush Boosts Army Fund

◆ THE 150-page publication of art, information and advertising containing the program of the National A.A.U. Track and Field Meet for benefit of Army Emergency Relief, added some \$75,000 to the fund. The program was handled by the Don Spencer Company and Lon Keller, AX, was art director.

Keller's drawings appear on thousands of football programs each fall. One of his illustrations appears on the cover of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND this issue.

Of the program Keller said "Most of my work consisted of laying out with the only illustrations being the spot action figures. We had to sell the advertising and produce the book in a little over two weeks, so there wasn't time to do much."



# SERVICES CALL MORE IIKA's

◆ MORE and more members of Pi Kappa Alpha join the armed forces and an increasing number are scattered to the four corners of the world taking part in the global struggle.

Lt. Guy A. (Jake) Borkey, president of District 4 (now 4-a) for several years, expected to go overseas with an Air Force unit in November. He was employed with the Virginia Electric and Power Company at Richmond before receiving his commission earlier this year. He trained at Herbert Smart Airport, near Macon, Ga., and at the Adjutant General's School at Fort Washington, Md., before moving on to the port of embarkation.

Thomas M. Beaird, BO, former National Secretary of Pi Kappa Alpha, was commissioned a captain in the Army Air Corps. He completed his training at Miami Beach and was assigned to the Sacramento Air Depot as his first permanent assignment.

To accept the commission, Beaird took a leave of absence from his duties as executive secretary of the University of Oklahoma Association and as manager of the Oklahoma Memorial Union.

Maj. Bruce Parsons, AF, who has been assigned to Headquarters, Sixth Service Command, in Chicago since last May, received his orders for overseas this fall.

Parke S. Rouse, II, '37, Virginia newspaperman, was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve in October and reported to Harvard University for his preliminary training.

Rouse, whose home is at Newport News, Va., studied journalism at Washington and Lee University and was with the *Newport News Times Herald* before joining the staff of the *Richmond Times-Dispatch*. He covered state capitol offices for the *Times-Dispatch*, as well as proceedings of the Virginia legislature.

Capt. M. R. Winters, FX, has changed his address to 3105 Ninth St., Wichita Falls, Tex.

Glenn S. Osborne, AF, has been commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve and was stationed in October at the Naval Air Transport Office, U. S. Naval Station, at Miami.

Jimmy Clarke, O, '39, is now a second lieutenant with the Army Air Corps at Columbia, S. C. He did radio work with a Richmond, Va., station before joining the service.

Pvt. Ralph L. Hatch, IT, with the Headquarters Detachment, D.E.M.L., Camp Carson, Col. To him any news of the fraternity and its brothers will be "as welcome as rain in a dry country."

Caius Monroe Rowlett, BK, is enrolled in the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School at Athens, Ga. He took a pre-med course at Emory University and completed his CAA primary training at the University of Florida. Successful completion of his work at Athens will send him to one of the Navy's primary flight centers, then on to advanced instruction and finally an operational base.

Two other IIKA's enrolled in the Athens Pre-Flight School are Edgar Luke Jones, Jr., AE, and William C. Warner, ΔA.

James Linwood Peters, O, has been at the Naval Training School at Notre Dame, but indicates that he has a more permanent address at Richmond, Va.

Fred E. LeLaurin, H, received his commission as second lieutenant when graduated Sept. 25 from the Quartermaster School at Camp Lee, Va.

Kermit Edward Nietzel, BE, is at Chanute Field, Ill., in officer training in the Aeronautical Engineering Corps.

Robert A. Armstrong, FP, is in the 773d Military Police Battalion, Fort Ord, Calif.

Ben Glasgow, Δ, Memphis insurance executive, has been commissioned a lieutenant, senior grade, in the Navy.

Edward L. Kirkpatrick, Jr., Σ, has been graduated and commissioned a second lieutenant from the Medical Field Service School, Carlisle, Pa.

Robert N. Fleming, AN, '39, has reported for officer training at Fort Sill, Okla. Also at Fort Sill is Lt. Flake McHaney, AN, '38.

William R. "Butch" Holland, T, '38, was with the Army Air Forces "somewhere in England."

Whereabouts of five members of Gamma-Lambda chapter were reported in the Oct. 30 issue of *The Gamma-Lambdian*. They were Lt. Howard M. Connor, '40, commanding a platoon of Leathernecks in Guadalcanal; Edward B. Annett, '41, at Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H., training for a commission in the Navy; Lt. (j. g.) William E. Fry, '41, stationed at Dahlgreen, Va.; Lt. Robert I. Felch, '41, at Fort Benning, Ga.; Lt. Harry W. Jones, Jr., '41, 5th Armored Division, and Lt. (j. g.) A. Maxwell Padgett, at the Naval Supply Depot at Norfolk, Va.

John Harvey Herd, BT, was awaiting call to enter the Army Air Forces as an aviation cadet with the photographic section of the ground crew.

Theodore Q. Lempertz, BE, '28, a Hollywood photographer before entering the service, has been transferred from the Fleet Air Photo Laboratory, Naval Air Station, San Diego, to the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla. Before going to Hollywood, Lempertz was a newspaperman and was on the staffs of *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, *Detroit Free Press* and the Paris, France, edition of the *Chicago Tribune*.

Before he left San Diego, Lempertz found on the USO bulletin board there the name of Pi Kappa Alpha Alfred L. V. Ingram, Recruit Depot, Marine Corps Base.

Ensign Loren Hickerson, FX, former alumni counselor of that chapter, is stationed at Fort Schuyler, N. Y.





In his role as company commander, William Neutzel, BΦ, (1), shows two bluejacket recruits at the United States Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., how to don their leggins. Neutzel enlisted as a chief petty officer in the physical fitness program.

Pvt. J. F. Malone, BΘ, (2), is studying airplane mechanics at Sheppard Field, Tex. He was formerly assistant executive secretary of the Fraternity.

Wayne E. Downing, IT, (3), studied for his pilot training at the Air Force Advanced Flying School at Mission, Tex.

"Fireball" Frankie Sinkwich, AM, (4), All-America halfback, has become a Leatherneck. The Youngstown, O., flash, who was featured in three pages of pictures in a late October issue of "Life," here receives the oath from Maj. R. S. Pendleton, head of the Marine Corps recruiting station in Macon, Ga. Sinkwich will train at Quantico, Va.

Joseph Lambuth Harris, IX, (5), apprentice seaman, displays a happy smile while reading a letter from home. He was in training at Camp Kidd, Balboa Park, Navy Training Station, San Diego.

Three members of Alpha-Eta meet at Tyndall Field (Fla.) Gunnery School. From left are Capt. Ammon McClellan, public relations and billeting officer at Tyndall Field; Col. Edgar R. Todd, Stuttgart Field, Ark., who was supervising delivery of planes, and Pvt. Sam D. Nelson, of the Tyndall Field public relations office.

Lt. Donald R. Carson, FN, (7), former flight instructor at Randolph Field, is commander of a squadron of dive bombers in training at Waycross, Ga.

J. Leland Gourley, BΘ, (8), is congratulated upon receiving his commission as second lieutenant in the field artillery by his uncle, Herbert H. Scott, president of District 14, who also is director of the University of Oklahoma Extension Service. Lieutenant Gourley received his training at Fort Sill, Okla.

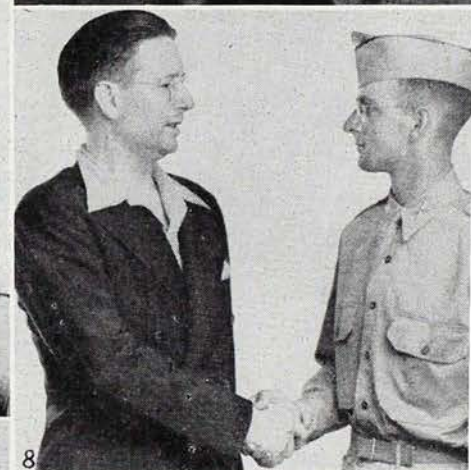
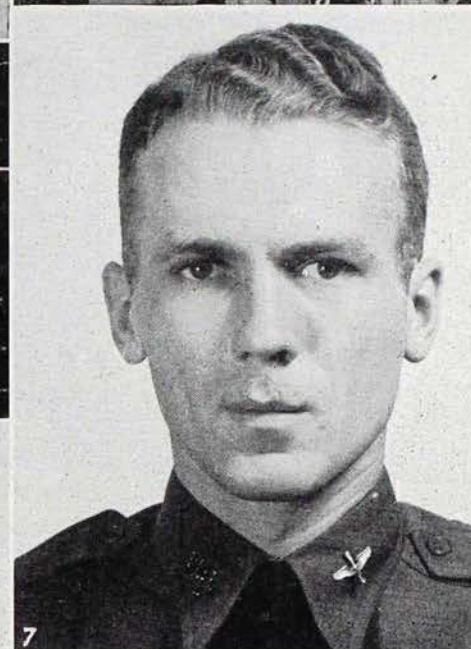
Maj. David M. Cox, K, (9), recently was appointed assistant chief of surgical service at Keesler Field, Miss.

Capt. Walter B. Smith, AΞ, (10), was graduated recently at the Judge Advocate General refresher course at Washington, D. C. He was chosen to deliver the Oration for the class at graduation exercises. He was sent to the Presidio of San Francisco.

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#### AT LEFT

Four IIKA's at Minter Field, Calif., are from left: Pfc. Charles Anderson and Pvt. Sam Dallison, both of Gamma-Gamma; Lt. Ardene Sanders, IT, and Lt. John C. Coleman, AT. The commissioned officers are flight instructors while Anderson serves in the public relations office and Dallison in the supply section.





# Chapter's Alumni Secretary Job Called Toughest

By DR. ROBERT A. GREENE

Alpha-Zeta

*Dr. Greene, a member of the faculty of the University of Arizona, is a former District President and more recently Alumnus Counselor for Gamma-Delta chapter.*

◆ ONE OF THE most important, and yet the least appreciated—not to say the most often neglected—of the chapter offices is that of alumni secretary.

We cannot emphasize too strongly the importance of a close relationship between the members of the undergraduate chapter and its alumni.

In most cases, the difficulty lies within the chapter itself. The alumni secretary should be interested in chapter affairs and in the former members of the chapter. It must be admitted that the alumnus himself is often as dilatory or negligent as the alumni secretary. Usually, however, the members of the active chapter do not realize that the alumnus, in his struggle for existence, is facing an entirely different situation than those who are still in college.

An alumnus, unless he fortunately be located near enough to his Alma Mater to permit frequent visits, soon loses contact with his chapter in direct relationship to the rapidity with which his own friends and schoolmates complete their academic work. Soon the time comes when these friends are gone, and then ends the major interest of the alumnus—unless interest can be fostered by the chapter.

The alumni secretary is the "liaison officer" between the chapter and its alumni. Few chapters realize that their own alumni could and would render valuable assistance if called upon. Usually, however, these demands are made only in case the financial affairs of the chapter are in a bad condition, which brings out another false assumption

on the part of the chapter: That every alumnus leaving college is immediately employed at a handsome salary, and at once is placed in the position of being a financial benefactor to the chapter.

Unfortunately, this ideal situation seldom exists. Most alumni have met the obligations they incurred while active members, but few are willing or financially able to assume the obligations incurred by others.

The chapter should be conducted primarily by, and always for, the best interests of the chapter. Most alumni have the same opinions, and realize that those offering too many suggestions regarding chapter affairs soon become *persona non grata*. On the other hand, consultation with alumni might frequently save the active members considerable embarrassment—financial and otherwise.

The alumnus has his responsibilities to the chapter, and in many cases does not discharge them as he should. However, I feel that the burden of the responsibility rests with the active chapter, and particularly with the alumni secretary.

Few alumni secretaries keep their record books up to date. This is well shown by the difficulty in preparing the fraternity directory and the history.

As alumni, we have our responsibilities, and most of us will take our share of that responsibility for any lack of cooperation with the chapter. On the other hand, the alumni should contribute to the prosperity of the chapter without intervention in the affairs of the chapter. The responsibility of fostering such a relationship, in my opinion, however, rests largely with the chapter and especially with the alumni secretary.

## IIKA Teaches Pupils To Be Good Neighbors

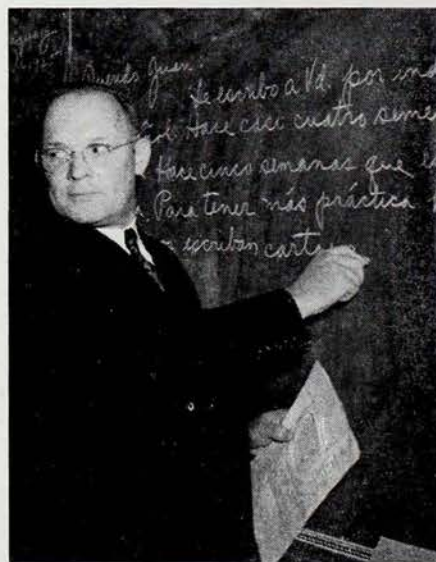
◆ PRACTICING the Good Neighbor policy is nothing new to the students of Lakewood High School at Cleveland. They've been doing it for about 25 years now—every since Donald A. Paine, BE, realized Spanish was a modern language of great importance to the people of the United States.

In those years some 6,000 boys and girls have attended his classes and have gone out into the world with a better working knowledge of the language and of the social, economic, political, educational and cultural background of the Latin-American countries.

The current class is enrolled as members of the Foreign Friends Club, sponsored by the Cleveland Press. As members they correspond with Latin-

American pen friends. Some of the letters received recently told of a German submarine within sight of the Cuban shores. Interesting letters came through a few years ago after the Chilean earthquake.

"I believe that correspondence is the most powerful friendly weapon in the hands of democracies today to keep alive international goodwill and understanding during the war," Paine said. "And on such goodwill and understanding should be based the kind of peace that must come after the war."



DONALD A. PAINE

## Kentuckians Hold Annual Outing

◆ THE SECOND ANNUAL summer get-together at Butler State Park was held by IIKA's living in North Central Kentucky and their wives. A chicken dinner and various outdoor sports were on the program.



Those attending left to right, are Bob Ison, Bernhardt Bauer, William Gentry, Hunter Pipes, Harry Dickerson, Powell Cline, Edward R. Taylor, Alfred Minish, and V. P. Sanders. All were members of Alpha-Lambda except Sanders who was initiated by Omega.





At the Beta-Kappa "Victory Party," when scrap metal and rubber were collected, are from left: Edna Trenton, IMC

Carleton Lawson, Marion Quisenberry, Pledge Harry Davis, Martha Davis, and SMC Bill Holt.

## Fraternity House Set-Ups Studied on Two Virginia Campuses

◆ THE administrations of the University of Virginia and College of William and Mary have promised to study the fraternity house set-ups at Charlottesville and Williamsburg, Va., before acting on Virginia Gov. Colgate Darden's recommendation that such houses be eliminated from both campuses.

The Governor in September told the William and Mary board he expected to recommend to the Virginia Legislature in 1944 "that fraternities and sororities be not allowed to maintain separate establishments as living and meeting quarters." The board at the time accepted the proposal as "a policy to be put into effect as soon as practicable" (SHIELD AND DIAMOND, Sept., 1942). Later it appeared this would not be done hastily.

Dr. John E. Pomfret, a IKA who came from Vanderbilt to become president of William and Mary in mid-September, said after he had been on the ground about two weeks that an inquiry into fraternities and sororities at Williamsburg would be made this year and a report made to the spring meeting of the board.

This, he said, would cover the question of "whether the financial obligations of membership in fraternities and sororities are so severe as to debar any appreciable proportion of students from membership." Also, "as to whether the existence of fraternity and sorority houses on this campus might, in the future, result in the creation of sharp social cleavage between fraternity and non-fraternity men."

A similar investigation is planned at the University of Virginia whose board

of visitors has not yet acted on Governor Darden's idea.

A ten-man hearing board, headed by Judge A. D. Barksdale, of Lynchburg, Va., was appointed in late October to get the viewpoints of students, alumni and the fraternities and to present its report to the University board not later than Feb. 1, 1943.

In addition to Judge Barksdale, the ten-man committee includes two other alumni of the University, four students and three faculty members. The student representation is equally divided between fraternity and non-fraternity men.

The hearing board probably will report directly to a committee of the University board headed by E. R. Stettinius, Jr., U. S. lend-lease administrator.



## Permanently Pinned

LT. ROBERT H. CHERNEY, T1, of Portland, Ore., and Miss Betty Fryer, Oswego, Ore., Sept. 25, 1942, at 14th Regimental Chapel, Camp Robinson, Ark. A reception followed in the officers' club. Lieutenant Cherney is a member of the Fraternity's Pledge Training Committee. At home: 221 Olive, Park Hill, North Little Rock, Ark.

JOSEPH EISENMAN, T1, '41, and Miss Eileen Arrington, Sept. 22, 1942, at Fromberg, Mont.

ENSIGN ALBERT JOEL USHANA, BH and TP, of Chicago, to Miss Darlene Trout, Chicago, summer, 1942. Ensign Ushana, after receiving his commission at the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station, has been assigned to the Naval Air Base at Kansas City as instructor.

LT. (j. g.) GORDON RAMSIE, BT, USNR, and Miss Mary Helen Ferrell, July 18, 1942, at Charleston, W. Va.

ENSIGN DAVID HUMPHREYS JONES, T, USNR, of Morristown, N. J., and Miss Ann Elizabeth Read, of Lexington, Va., in Lee Memorial Episcopal Church at Lexington, with the Rev. Edwin Bethea officiating. The bride is a daughter of Col. H. M. Read of Virginia Military Institute and Mrs. Read, and attended the College of William and Mary where she was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Ensign Jones attended Morristown Preparatory School and finished William and Mary in 1941. They were at home in Cambridge, Mass., where Ensign Jones was in training.

CPL. FRANK BECKHAM POWERS, Z, Army Air Forces, and Miss Ann Elizabeth Sutherland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goodwin Sutherland, Oct. 6, 1942, at Church Street Church, Knoxville, Tenn.

LT. HARRY E. HEATH, JR., T1, and Miss Audrey Joan Cass, AXQ, University of Texas, Oct. 20, 1942, at Memorial Christian Church, Tulsa, Okla. Lieutenant Heath, who is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., is with the Chemical Warfare Service. He was president of Gamma-Upsilon during his senior year at Tulsa and later was connected with the National Broadcasting Company in Chicago before entering the Army.



LT. HEATH AND MRS. HEATH



CPL. KORING AND MRS. KORING

CPL. LOUIS F. KORING, JR., A2, '40, of Cincinnati, who has been stationed at Fort Warren, Mass., and Miss Rouella Bendick, of Providence, R. I., June 1, 1942. In October they were making their home at the Myles Standish Hotel, 30 Bay State Road, Boston. Corporal Koring was in charge of the post exchange at Fort Warren. Educated at the University of Cincinnati, he was vice president of East Kentucky Coal Sales, Inc., of Cincinnati before being inducted in April, 1941. He trained at Fort Eustis, Va., before transfer to Fort Warren.

BARTON ALLAN McCURM, BK, and Miss Ada Nation Cordes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Herman Cordes, of Decatur, Ga., were married Sept. 13, 1942, in the little chapel of the Glenn Memorial Church, Atlanta. McCrum attended pre-medical school at Emory University for three years and is now a student at the Emory Medical College. He will go on active duty with the Navy in two years, holding present rank of ensign in the reserve. At home: 231 3d Ave., Decatur, Ga.

ENSIGN HOWARD IRVINE, T1, USNR, and Miss Betty Kay Daughton at Cedar Rapids, Ia., Aug. 26, 1942. At home: 17 North "I" St., Pensacola, Fla.

BENJAMIN L. HUMMEL, T1, '40, and Miss Sylvia Langensiepen, Sept. 5, 1942, at Bethlehem, Pa. At home: Lancaster, Pa.

LT. ROBERT C. ENGLE, T1, and Miss Alyce Lerch, of Bath, Pa., summer, 1942. At home: Berwick, Pa., where Lieutenant Engle is assigned to Ordnance Corps.

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## Precious Packages

TO EXECUTIVE SECRETARY FREEMAN H. HART, I, and Mrs. Hart, a daughter, Jean Blanding Hart, Sept. 16, 1942, in Atlanta. The newest Hart has four brothers.

TO HOWARD G. HARTMAN, B11, '34, and Mrs. Frances Caldwell Hartman, XQ and national president of the Mothers' and Wives' of I I K A, a son, Burr Caldwell Hartman, Oct. 30, 1942, at Milwaukee. The proud father immediately wrote to his chapter for a pledge pin for his minister to place on the fledgling at the time of baptism.

TO HARRELL SIMPSON, AZ, '38, and Mrs. Simpson, a son, born Sept. 26, 1942, in

Little Rock, where the father is deputy prosecuting attorney for the Northeast Arkansas District.

TO A. WELBORNE MOISE, BA, and Mrs. Moise, a son, Richard Welborne Moise, Oct. 13, 1942, at St. Louis.

TO RAYMOND X. GRUENINGER, BA, and Mrs. Grueninger, a daughter, Margaret Elizabeth Grueninger, Sept. 13, 1942, at Kirkwood, Mo.

TO H. R. HILDRETH, T1, and Mrs. Hildreth, a daughter, Anna Beverly Hildreth, Sept. 20, 1942, at Anniston, Ala.

TO WILLIAM JACKSON DILLON, JR., AZ, '32, and Mrs. Lucille Cate Dillon, ΔΓ, a son, William Jackson Dillon III, Oct. 8, 1942, at Ada, Okla. "Bill" has a five-year-old sister, Diane.

TO PAUL E. HAYGOOD, T1, '34, and Mrs. Haygood an eight-pound boy, Paul Meriwether Haygood, Oct. 30, 1942, at Baton Rouge, La.

TO JOSEPH C. NELSON, JR., Ω and K, and Mrs. Betsy Wilson Nelson, a daughter, Sandra Elizabeth Nelson, Sept. 16, 1942, at Evansville, Ind.

TO JOHN HARVEY HERD, BT, '36, and Mrs. Herd, a son, Harvey Tevis Herd, Sept. 21, 1942, at Midland, Tex.

TO CAPT. FRANK E. HEIKKILA, T1, and Mrs. Heikkila, a seven-pound girl, Lois Eini Heikkila, at Cooper, Tex., Oct. 12. Captain Heikkila is now stationed at Camp Maxey, Tex., in command of the 102d Signal Company.

TO RUSSELL B. WITTER, T2, and Mrs. Witter, of 153 Franklin, Bloomfield, N. J., a girl, Marcia Lynn Witter, at Mountside Hospital, Montclair, N. J., Sept. 28. Little Marcia weighed eight pounds, five ounces, and a novel poetical announcement of the birth said "Dad was excited that eventful day—he rushed like mad and did not delay."

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## Chapter Eternal

MAURICE D. ORTEN, AK, professor of economics at the Missouri School of Mines and Alpha-Kappa's faculty adviser for a number of years, died at a St. Louis Hospital Sept. 24 after a prolonged illness from a sinus infection. He was 46.

He had been a real friend of Alpha-Kappa and one largely responsible for making it possible for the chapter to have their present house. The chapter plans to hang a plaque to him.

Born at Marshfield, Mo., April 20, 1896, he was graduated from Drury College at Springfield in 1919, and did post-graduate work at Washington University, St. Louis, and Columbia. He joined the faculty of the School of Mines in 1924 and was made professor of economics in 1935.

He is survived by his wife.

JAMES GUSTAVE BATSON, B11, '42, died unexpectedly July 30 of a lingering kidney ailment after he had enrolled for the summer term of the school of medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. He took his Bachelor of Science degree at Penn last spring.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Batson, 3502 Hamilton St., Philadelphia.



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## District No. 1

### Bettors Scholastic Record

RENSSELAER — Gamma-Tau, though only seven years old, has rapidly risen from a small group to one of the top organizations on the Rensselaer campus. This year the chapter has maintained its high standards of social, fraternal and scholastic positions.

During the summer, the house, though closed actively, provided quarters for the seniors who were working in the speed-up program. These seniors will be graduated in December. Among them are many men who have held big positions on the campus. However, the incoming juniors are making up for this great loss.

On the sporting front, Gamma-Tau has four men on the varsity football squad and one man on the varsity soccer squad. Edward Haller, Charles Horsfall, William Porter, George Mohn, and Lyance Littlejohn have all helped to make a name for the house athletically. Interfraternity sports have brought out some good teams from the chapter in volleyball, cross-country, and track.

When the interfraternity averages came out this fall, it was found that Gamma-Tau had maintained and even bettered our former scholastic record which had long been the pride of the chapter.

In connection with the services, the chapter is also doing its part. In the present graduating class we have Fielder Beall, Robert Casey, and Ernest Derks, in the Army Air Corps; Charles Stiles, Robert Vosteen, and Warren Cornell, in the Navy Specialist Corps; Russell Buchanan, in the Army Signal Corps.

Howard Phillips has been taken from school to take a course at M.I.T. in meteorology. Upon completion of this course, he will be commissioned in the Army Air Corps and will receive his degree from Rensselaer. All these men will be commissioned second lieutenants or ensigns upon graduation in December. Most of the undergraduates are in the services or

have applied for admissions, which makes the house 100 per cent for Uncle Sam.

Individually, members have also made names for themselves. C. Horsfall has been nominated for the highest office in the school, president of the Union, and Edward Haller is vice president of the senior class. Among the undergraduate classes, we have placed men in high office.

In social activity, the house has played an increasingly important part in campus events. This fall, during interfraternity week-end, the house held one of the larger pre-ball dances. This big event has been supplemented throughout the season with house "vic" dances.—Robert G. Keester.

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### Cornell House Remodeled

CORNELL—During the summer members of the Beta-Theta chapter attending the summer session at Cornell redecorated and remodeled the house. Much painting and replastering was done on the upper floors and the floor was refinished in the dining room at the first of the summer. Members of the house who returned early in the fall redecorated their rooms, painted the first floor and installed new furniture and fixtures.

Beta-Theta pledged six new men at the beginning of the year. They were: Robert Wadhams Thomen, M.E., '46; Robert George House, M.E., '46; William Floyd, E.E., '46; William Oscar Bilharz, M.E., '45; George Bechtel Rittenhouse, A.E.M.E., '46, and Ralph Hansen, Arts, '44.

Cornell is a training center for the Naval Reserve Corps, and many ex-college men are trained in Diesel engineering, communications, and many other allied subjects. Four IKA's from other schools have been attending these courses, and Beta-Theta has entertained them with a dinner and Vic Dance. They are: Ensign G. Ellis, Jr., USNR, BO; Ensign R. L. Frazer, USNR,

BA; Ensign G. K. McMurren, USNR, II, and Lt. (j. g.) J. S. Lavin, USNR, AH.

The Vic Dance was held on the week-end of the Penn State game, and was well attended by members of the house and the ensigns at Cornell at that time.

The chapter has participated in the Cornell week effort to a great extent. A contribution was made to the scrap campaign during the summertime. All of the members are participating in the University athletic program, taking part in the Commando course and other related activities.

The chapter itself is participating in interfraternity athletics, having a football team out on the field. More than that, most of the members of the house are entering the Army or Naval Reserve this fall. William H. Morewood, SMC, served as an ensign in the USNR during the summer, and at present is on inactive duty in order to complete his engineering training. Many members of the house who graduated last year are serving in the Army at this time.—Harrison Parker.

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### Dr. Hart Visits Beta-Pi

PENNSYLVANIA — Dr. Freeman H. Hart, National Executive Secretary, made Penn's campus one of his October stops. He spoke confidently of future fraternity life, assuring the chapter that the war made fraternity bonds stronger than ever before. Most of the fellows met Dr. Hart for the first time, and all were impressed by his interesting, good-humored, personal manner.

Beta-Pi's redecorated living room made its debut at the first fall house dance Oct. 17. The formerly gray and maroon-trimmed ceiling now sports walnut beams, matching the paneling and contrasting nicely with the cream ceiling and sidewalls. These new decorations had plenty of competition, too, from some of Philadelphia's and Penn's prettiest girls. But the most popular of



all was House Manager Pete Fedi's broom. Take it from us, fellows, that broom dance really packs 'em in!

Bob Shoemaker, '45, spent a good part of the summer creating an object d'art to match the new decorations. The result is a lively scene from Faust painted on a canvas four and one-half feet by two and one-half feet. A real masterpiece.

Alumni Committee Chairman Bob Jones has arranged open house for all alumni and friends immediately after all of Penn's home games. District President John F. E. Hipple has welcomed many of the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter at these coffee hours.

The class of '42 dedicated in the chapter room on Oct. 20 a memorial plaque in remembrance of James Gustav Batson, '42, who died suddenly on July 30, 1942. The plaque expresses the sentiments of all the Beta-Pi brothers who knew the strong, cheery personality that was Jim.

Clyde Newmann has been appointed an ensign in the Naval Reserve, and will enter the U. of P. medical school next year. Bob Jones has enlisted in the Army Air Corps Reserve.

Paul Canizzaro is regularly heeling for the band managerial and *Record* photographic editorship. Russ Hubbard is now assistant track manager. Ed McDade is one of manager Bob Jones' golf heelers. Hank Stoeckert, a regular band member, has been chosen as a junior business manager of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*.

SMC Bill Young is captain of the lacrosse team, and a lieutenant in the ROTC. Lee Marshall has been appointed Interfraternity Council representative. Pete Fedi is a member of the Sophomore Vigilance Committee, and secretary-treasurer of the Boxing Club.

Russ Mecouch, editor of the *Rushing Handbook* and chairman of the committee on Illegal Rushing, is in the chorus of this year's Mask and Wig show, Paoli local. Russ Krantz, assistant editor of the *Record* and member of the Penn Players, is in the cast, playing Countess Lavoris.

Among those training at Harvard for the Naval Reserve are Richard S. Merriam, '42, and William Adshead, '41.

Cpl. William B. Borrows, '43, will soon return here from Portland, Ore., for a two-week furlough. He hopes to leave later on for the Air Corps.

Former SMC, Lt. Charles J. Utt, '42, dropped in at Beta-Pi for the week-end of Oct. 27. He returned to Fort Benning, Ga.

Capt. Geoffrey Dolman, '41, former SMC, is with a mechanized unit at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Edward Lawson, '43, is studying with the Army Air Forces for a job at bombardier's position.—*Russell W. Krantz, Jr.*

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## Bike Squad Formed

LEHIGH—Five new pledges were accepted by Gamma-Lambda Sept. 19. The pledging dimaxed participation in Lehigh's annual Freshman Week, which was bigger than ever this year as more than 600 freshmen entered the university, the largest freshman class ever.

Hindered by almost no transportation facilities in the form of cars, Gamma-Lambda formed a bicycle unit which is something new on the campus. Nearly a dozen bicycles helped the lack of automobiles, gas and tires to be forgotten.

The highlight of the rushing season was the annual Freshman Week dance. A cellar

converted into an unusual dance floor and the finest girls Bethlehem has to offer helped make this a huge success. A banquet the night of the pledging ceremonies in honor of the new men brought the week to an end.

The new men are Colin MacFadyen, Staten Island, N. Y.; Richard N. Strasburg, Williamsburg; James M. Christie, Paterson, N. J.; Donald M. Oldroyd, Allentown, and John MacLaughlin.

MacFadyen and Strasburg have reported for football practice and are now active members of the "J.V." squad, the usual freshman team having been discontinued.

Gamma-Lambda has started off the new season with continued interest in all of the campus activities.

Five members are active in the advanced ROTC course, three just newly-appointed. They are: John J. Hucker, '43, captain; Joseph F. Bonin, '44, platoon sergeant; Richard Gottschall, '44, sergeant; N. Clarke Applegate, '44, top sergeant, and E. Warren Bowden, '45, sergeant.

Richard W. Davis, '45, is practicing with the cheer squad and is active in the glee club.

The senior, junior, and sophomore wrestling managers are all I I K A's. They are: John J. Hucker, Richard Gottschall, and Richard W. Daive.

Two Gamma-Lambdians serve the school on the staff of the university paper, the *Brown and White*. They are: Stephen Hart, '43, and E. Warren Bowden.

Lehigh sports are also wide open to I I K A's, and many report they will turn out for various sports as the season rolls around.—*E. Warren Bowden.*

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## Study Plan Set Up

RUTGERS—A program of supervised study was started at Alpha-Psi chapter with the beginning of the fall semester. Fred Davey set up the program which is anticipated to increase the chapter's scholastic standing.

Alpha-Psi opened the restricted, yet eventful, fall social program with a house party Nov. 7 after the Lafayette game which was Homecoming week-end. Nov. 19 marked the date of the combined Junior-Senior dance and Freshman-Sophomore house party. A house party for all was held Nov. 20, where something new at Alpha-Psi presented itself; a novelty swing band composed of Thomas Ward, drums; Pledge Robert Weidman, piano, and Pledge Andrew Wood, trumpet, entertained with a lively jam session.

The members this year are engaged in a well rounded program of extra-curricular activities. On the football team are veteran Nick Dennis calling signals, Pledge Andrew Caruso at right half, and Pledge George Brown at pivot slot.

Robert Byram is president of the junior class, and Fenwick Ritchie is the junior song leader. Charles Quade, Michael Orecchio, and Eugene Gonzalez, members of last year's freshman wrestling team, are expected to fill vacancies in the varsity. Joseph Quade is junior wrestling manager.

Pledge Andrew Wood took second place in the intramural cross-country meet in which Alpha-Psi took third place. Don Van Nest, Charles Quade, Frederick Davey, Frank Billington, Pledge James Clayton, and Joseph Quade also placed in this event. At present Alpha-Psi is tied for the lead in

the intramural football tournament, and also is expecting to do well in the intramural basketball event.

The basketball season is still in its infancy, yet Stan Beran and Al Glowacki, outstanding performers of last year's freshman team, are now pacing the varsity in practice sessions. SMC Richard Geller is a member of the honorary junior society, Scarlet Key.

Keeping pace with the military program, Alpha-Psi has three of its members in the advanced ROTC course. They are: Robert Byram, Harris Morrison, and Thomas Ward.

Alpha-Psi is as usual taking a major part in the glee club with Edwin Price, Fenwick Ritchie, Philip Bewley, and Pledge Robert Weidman as members.

All graduates of last year are in the armed services. George Thomas is in the Quartermaster Corps of the Army, William Tremmel and Al Schaffel are now earning their wings. Philip McHugh left school to do likewise. John Dargin and Walt Coon also left school and are in Officer Candidate School, and in Medical Detachment respectively. Many of the members in school at present are enlisted in various reserve programs and all expect to be in one of the services some time in the near future. Aviation seems to be the dominant choice of Alpha-Psi.

Reports from alumni show increasing interest both in the armed services and in matrimony. Ray Herbert, '41, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Signal Corps recently and was transferred to California and married soon thereafter.

Joseph Fedor, '41, first lieutenant, ground crew, A.A.C., was married soon after being transferred to Florida. William MacGlenon, '40, first lieutenant, Infantry, and William G. Scott, '41, first lieutenant, U. S. Marine Corps, trod the primrose path to matrimony not long ago, and James Gutzwiller, '41, has announced his intention of following in their footsteps.

Pfc. John E. Pilecki, '41, Coast Artillery, paid the house an unexpected visit last month while on furlough preparatory to entering Officer Candidate School at Fort Davis, N. C. Brother Pilecki had just returned from six months on active duty in Hawaii, and his stories of activities in the Islands and in the Army in particular did much to hearten the men who expect to see service before long.

Fall initiations were held Oct. 27 at which time Philip Bewley, Absecon; Stanley Beran, Bogota; Alfred Glowacki, Jersey City; Michael Orecchio, Fairview, and Nicholas Dennis, Philadelphia, Pa., were initiated.

Fall elections were held with the following results: SMC, Richard Geller; IMC, John Walklet; ThC, Donald Van Nest; SC, Joseph Quade; MS, Eugene Gonzalez; MC, Charles Quade, and house manager, Robert Byram.

Pledging is moving nicely under the leadership of John J. Walklet. James Conneran, Dunellen, and James Clayton, Redbank, both sophomores, were pledged recently.—*F. Eugene Gonzalez and Fenwick Ritchie.*

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## Semester Opens Late

NEW HAMPSHIRE—Because of the late opening of the university this fall, Gamma-Mu chapter did not start the college year until Oct. 12.

Brothers Dowst, Cram and Kennett, and Pledge Kazienko returned to the house



during Freshman Week and did some painting. By the time the remainder of the members returned, the house was cleaned and ready for use.

All of last year's senior class are either in the armed forces or defense work. Brothers Ainsworth and Anderson are lieutenants in the Signal Corps. Brother Hurley is a corporal in the Air Force. Brother Berry is a lieutenant in the Amphibian Branch of the Engineers. Brother Whitaker is a lieutenant in the Coast Artillery. Brother Rollins is now a lieutenant in the Air Corps and Brother Honkala is a private in the Air Corps. Brother Dodge is an engineer with the General Electric Company.

Brother Widger, one of last year's seniors, returned to the university this fall to do graduate work, but soon enlisted in the Air Force and is now studying at M. I. T.

The war has affected our chapter greatly. There is not a member in the house who is not a member of some reserve branch of the service or enrolled in the ROTC course at the university. Some of our members and pledges of last year have already left. Raymond Chase, '44, is in the Air Force. Bruce Clark, '44, has been drafted, and Pledges Nareau and Honkala have enlisted.

Because of crowded dormitories at the university this year, Gamma-Mu took in a

transfer student at the beginning of the year. We feel quite fortunate in having him with us. His name is Roberto Franco, and his home is Colombia, South America. Bob's father is connected with the Colombian Diplomatic staff.

Dr. Freeman H. Hart visited the chapter unexpectedly and caught SMC Dowst and ThC Nylander unawares. Both were in old clothes working around the house. All members enjoyed the visit very much.

The biggest event of the school year so far was University Homecoming. Brothers Whitaker and Berry were the only members to return to the house for the day. Both are stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass.

John Marr, Roger Trachy, Norman Reed, John Stowell, Hector Chartrain, and Frank Gram are enrolled in the advanced ROTC course. James Tennant is a member of the ROTC band.

The rushing season has not started as yet, but Gamma-Mu chapter is looking forward to a most successful season. In spite of the war, the university admitted the largest freshman class in its history.—*James L. Tennant, Jr.*

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### Enlist in Reserve Units

SYRACUSE—Six men, initiated Oct. 15 by Alpha-Chi chapter, bringing the number of

active members to 17, were: William Schanbacher, '43; Theodore Duver, '45; Dominic Rossi, '45; Henry R. Hoy, '44; Gerald Frege, '45, and Harold Callaghan, '45.

Alpha-Chi found much rejoicing in Syracuse's defeat of Cornell, for not only did the Big Orange keep its record unblemished, but brought to this chapter, as a result of a wager with the Beta-Theta's of Cornell, a long sought deerskin.

Cornell week-end was set aside as Homecoming Week. Many alumni, their guests and Cornellians, trekked back to the house after the game to enjoy the buffet supper.

Although the immediate brothers in the house as yet have not been called into the armed services, this is not so of the graduates of '42. Bill Schutt, last year's SMC, and Ed Donaldson, both serve as second lieutenants in the Army. Phil DePumpo now attends Northwestern University in the capacity of a Naval Reserve student. Leo Canale, fullback of last year's Orange, now drills in Fort Bragg, N. C., as a private in Uncle Sam's Army.

The majority of active members have enlisted in the various branches of the reserves and await the decision of their headquarters to learn when and where they will serve in the nation's war effort.—*Hal Callaghan.*

## District No. 2

### Many Active in Military

CARNEGIE TECH—Robert Slesseman was named cadet colonel of the ROTC. Brothers Gregorius and Lindstrom were named captains, and Brother Fry, first lieutenant. In Scabbard and Blade, Beta-Sigma has over one-third of the newly-pledged men. They are: Brothers K. Ferrell, J. Nichol, R. Rendleman, and C. Wood. Pledges J. Corbett and R. Dumm were also pledged. To top off I I K A's contributions to the military trends of the present day, But Himmler built a "jeep" which won the design trophy at the Fall Carnival Sweepstakes. The "jeep" was then used for the Annual Military Ball decorations.

George Hoppel was named vice president of the Art School Senate, and Derek Martin the vice president of the Art School Junior Class.

Beta-Sigma's social calendar has included the hayride, which this year was held at North Park; a tea dance, for the three Margaret Morrison Carnegie College sororities, and a breakfast after the military ball. Pledge John O'Meara was in charge of the breakfast.

Football is the word around the house now, for the team has won four straight games to date and is pointing to the school championship. One more victory is needed for the league leadership, then the play-

offs with the other two league leaders. Beta-Sigma is the only undefeated, untied team in any of the three leagues.

Spirit this year has been at a high pitch and is demonstrated by the "senior ducking" which was held a short time ago. Although the seniors had strength in size and numbers the underclassmen carried out the event with great success.

Beta-Sigma climaxed the first summer session with very successful rushing season under the leadership of Dan Lindstrom and Bob Slesseman. By Sept. 5, 24 men were pledged including two men from last year. Eleven are house men and the remainder town men.



Beta-Alpha's doorway at the pledge dance is shown above. At left, George Lauer, BA, enters. At right, Miss Irma Winter greets Ensign Cosby, BH, right, and another ensign.





During the shortened rush week we held an orchestra dance at the fraternity house and on the final day, a picnic at a country lodge. These events lended well to the rushees as well as the brothers in obtaining a cross-section of character, personality and type of fellows we had around. Art Wetzel was named pledgemaster.

New pledges are: Don Armour, Ernest Allen, Art Campbell, Bud Cochran, Engle Conrow, Richard Dumm, John Euwer, Paul Evers, Bob Graham, John Greene, John Gregorius, Jack Hackler, Bob Jones, Bob Kelly, Harry Lindahl, Paul Moore, Stanley Pyzdrowski, Harry Ransom, Irving Ross, Richard Roy, Jack Russell, Jack Sherwood, Millard Stewart, and Peyton Thomas.

One of Beta-Sigma's founders, Paul Jones Moore, now has a son pledged in this chapter.

The social highlight of the summer session was a formal directed by Chairman John Richards. It was a very smart affair being started off with a dinner at which our ex-president, Bob Riesacher, was presented with a key for his fine work by President Ward Duchene. An orchestra dance following this rounded out a very enjoyable evening for every one concerned. —R. L. Shoff.

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## Summer Problems Solved

PENN STATE—The summer semester which the college introduced this year has made a complete change of rushing tactics necessary at Penn State. In previous years it has been the practice to establish close contact with rushees during the summer by having the SMC travel to numerous cities to interview high school graduates who are possible pledge material. The freshmen were required to come to college in the fall one week before regular classes began, and this, too, gave good rushing opportunities while the frosh were getting acclimated. This summer, however, the situation was entirely different.

Lists of registered frosh came from the registrar's office only a short time before the men, themselves, arrived. Some contacts were made through the high schools from which records of transcripts could be obtained. Many men had their first contact with fraternities as they arrived on the campus. It was here that the competition was excessive as 47 fraternities battled over a freshman class only one-third of the normal size. IKA pledged several good men with little difficulty. The chapter house is now filled to capacity with 40 men.

Dick Hemphill, after playing full time in every freshman lacrosse game for Penn

State last spring, stepped into\* varsity lacrosse in the summer semester, which was the beginning of his sophomore year, without a break in his stride.

John McCall and Warren Stuebing used lacrosse as a means of keeping in top notch condition for the cross-country season.

The visit of Traveling Secretary Charles Freeman was very much appreciated. He has given us a realization of the scope and ideals of the Fraternity of which we were much less conscious before and has given us a much more concrete contact with the national. His suggestions for improvement of the chapter were being put into use even as he left.

Frank Hoffman is the new SMC. Jack Prichard is IMC. Sam Patterson is ThC, and Harold Machamer is house manager.

This summer's pledge dance was considered the most successful dance the house has had for years. The good times were contributed to the informal atmosphere and the Social Chairman Don Fisher's good planning. The Pirate Dance theme gave much in the way of decorations; old trunks and lanterns taking a major role. There was a treasure hunt in a near-by field during intermission, led by William (Captain Kidd) Emmons. The treasure consisted of jewelry for the girls and cigarettes for the members.

The classes are now well balanced with the new additions of this last rushing season. The freshman enrollment was large and we, therefore, had a good group of men to pick from.

New pledges are: William Harrison Voris, Milton; Arthur Latshaw Simmers, Pottstown; Alfred Roger Tobias, Tremont; Robert John Trexler, Cresson; William Herbert Bingham, McKeesport; Harold Jacob Hershey and Lewis Edwin Markle, Edgewood; Charles Taylor McClelland and Richard Hoover Owen, Mt. Lebanon; Robert William Kaithern, Philadelphia; George Frederick Dietz, Lock Haven; Stanley Pomictor, Wilkesbarre; Walter Hays Grimm, York; Frank Joseph Mathias and Quentin McLay, Carnegie; Arthur Jacob Martin, Pittsburgh; Donald Kessel Knoll, Hershey, and Robert Edward Meed and Roger Louis Strayer, Erie.

Bob Kaithern will probably make the swimming team and Frank Mathias is out for football. Harold Machamer is the new business manager of the *Froth*, the college's humor magazine and Bob Schooley holds down a post on the senior editorial board of the *Collegian*, the daily newspaper. Schooley was also editor of the *Freshman Handbook* or *Bible* and is a member of Sigma Delta Chi.

Dick Wamsley, Ken Payne, and John Pittenger are in advanced ROTC. Henry Meyers and Hylton Brown were initiated into Pershing Rifles. Tilghman and McClelland are active in class politics. Charles Lockwood is in Druids, Dick Hemphill is in Friars, and John McCall is also in Druids, all are athletic honoraries. Emmons is in Players, a dramatic society; he also has taken an intramural wrestling title for the last two seasons. George Roy is leader of a campus orchestra.—William E. Kennedy.

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## Sweeps Pledge Honors

PITTSBURGH—Gamma-Sigma moved into the coveted position of the campus leader when 41 men were pledged during rush week.

This broke all existing records on the campus and doubled the amount of men pledged by any other fraternity.

Pledges: James Pearson, J. Fred McWilliams, Richard Smith, Charles Watson, Richard Nowe, Frank Marmarose, Robert Brown, Samuel Little, Gordon Markle, Wade Hurrell, Fred Bey, James Rees, Albert Goodison, Ralph Gilpatrick, William Zoller, Samuel Springer, John Wood, J. Robert Loughney, Paul Lambert, William Stickel, David Edgar, Richmond Brock, Joseph Mueller, Reed Carlson, Robert Burford, John Simpson, Howard Kuhns, Thomas Fisher, Lester Dunmire, George Hawker, Robert Mild, Charles Mosca, Edward Stuart, Edward Saunders, David Huber, Robert Hoffman, Samuel Devey, Alex Mosley, Howard Coburn, Walter Nearhoff, and William Allen.

On Nov. 1, the chapter held its annual election of officers. The following were elected: SMC, Ralph Wilde; IMC, Robert Smith; ThC, Dean Machett; SC, Howard Walther, and house manager, Lloyd Carlson.

Robert Verklin was recently made a Druid, honorary sophomore activities society. Bob also was chairman of the most successful Soph Hop in years.

A Hallowe'en party held at the chapter house started what promises to be the most successful social season of this chapter.

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## Better Grades Sought

WEST VIRGINIA—A program to improve scholarship in Alpha-Theta chapter was continued this year after considerable success was made last year.

Several men were lost to the armed services, but despite this loss the chapter remains active in all campus activities.

# District No. 3

## Shier Heads Alpha-Rho

OHIO STATE—Alpha-Rho held its fall election Oct. 12 which resulted in the election of Edwin Shier as SMC, succeeding Jackson B. White. Other officers include Robert Crider, IMC; Robert Whitehurst, ThC; James Unger, SC, and Robert Pranke, historian.

Last spring at the district convention, Alpha-Rho received the plaque for having the best all-around chapter in District 3.

Summer activities included the painting of the house by the chapter. Several dances were held, one of which was in honor of eight Army and Navy officers who were living at the chapter house.

General improvements are being planned by the active chapter. Plans for a basement lounge have been drawn up and are to be carried out the fall quarter. The lounge on the main floor is to be redecorated by the neophytes during the coming week of informal initiation.

Three actives have transferred this quarter from other chapters. They are: Jim Stearns and George Foltz from Delta-Beta, and Holden Wilson from Beta-Sigma.

Alpha-Rho experienced an unusually successful rush week this season, pledging 27 men, which brings the enrollment of the chapter to approximately 60 men.

An extensive social program has been planned for the coming year. Football

dances, pledge parties, and hayrides opened the fall social season. The outstanding event of the fall quarter was Pi Week, Nov. 8-14.

This celebration was adopted as a district holiday at the last district convention, held at Gamma-Omicron. The highlights of Pi Week are the "Pi"e" eating contest, "Pi"e" presentation to all of the sororities on the campus, a smoker, an exchange dinner with a sorority, the Pi formal, and the burning of the Pi. Other social events for the autumn quarter include Dad's Day, Homecoming festivities, pledge parties with various sororities, exchange dinners, and unique house dances.

This season finds Alpha-Rho well represented in many activities. Charles Sibley,



Bob Jones, and Don Ink are members of the *Sundial* staff; Jim Pierce and Alton Rinier are on the *Makio*; Bill Wise and Eugene Backey play varsity polo, with Kenneth Badke on the freshman team and Sam Krum freshman manager; Robert Reed, fencing; Bill Foureman, varsity track, and Jack Doudna and Richard Stucker, freshman football.

Don Williams, Robert Pranke, Robert Jones, and Edwin Shier are active in men's glee club; Jack Van Etten, student senate; Robert Jones and Holden Wilson, Quadrangle Jesters; Robert Whitehurst, Pershing Rifles, and Hayes Gantt and Shier, radio activities.

Eight members and two pledges have entered the armed forces. They are: Thomas Hutt, William Devaney, John Halotta, and William Schultz of last year's graduating class; Robert Owens, Harris Slusser, David S. Cook, William Toomey, and Pledges Malcolm Van Guy and Owen Bruck. Pledge Dan DeLong has received order to report in November for active service in the Army Air Forces.

Twenty-six men are living in the chapter house at the present time. Because of the rapid growth of the chapter, an annex has been provided, housing sixteen men. It has turned out to be a marvelous success.

The Mothers' Club is planning Sunday evening dinners for the chapter, to be followed by bingo and dancing.

New pledges are: Eugene Backey, Jack Connelly, William Wise, Vernon Hoverman, Winfield Barnes, Alton Rinier, Donald O'Brien, Jack Mills, Jim Hecox, Donald Harter, Gene Sturm, Robert Matson, Herb Sibley, Leonard Frantz, Donald Williams, Jim Pierce, Richard Stucker, William Leach, Jack Doudna, Jack Van Etten, Jim Fletcher, Richard Colley, Harold Jones, John Stevens, Kenneth Badke, Robert Rundell, James Arnold, William Zahner, Dan DeLong, Glenn Ertell, Ray Berry, Sam Krum, Bill Sheets, Jim Stevens, Ted Sliwa, and Bob Worstall.—George Foltz.

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### "Lil' Abner Party" Given

WESTERN RESERVE—Beta-Epsilon has had quite a few social events this fall, two of which were exceptionally successful. One was a hayride and the other a "Lil' Abner Party" which was highlighted by a "Sadie Hawkins Day" race.

Seven men were pledged during the fall rushing season. Former SMC Means has been called to active service by the Army Air Forces. Brother Peabody is now SMC.

The house recently has been re-decorated by the members with the assistance of Bob Hetzler, FO.

James Ames, pledge, was a candidate for president of the freshman class.

### Dr. Egger Greets Pledges

VIRGINIA—With the returning of 26 members to school, Alpha has just completed a successful rush season with the pledging of 11 new men. On the last night of rushing a rush party was held from 10:30 until 2:30. The next day, Sunday, bids were issued. Dr. Rowland Egger, former AC at Alpha, and Mrs. Egger helped greet the new pledges. After a short talk by Dr. Egger members and pledges joined together in supper.

### Active at Homecoming

UNIVERSITY OF OHIO—Highlighting the fall program for Gamma-Omicron was the Homecoming week-end, Oct. 23-25. The chapter cooperated fully with the university to make this one of the biggest homecomings in recent years.

A large float was entered in the annual parade, held before the Ohio-Ohio Wesleyan football game Saturday morning. This float, built upon a four-ton truck, depicted the part of every citizen, farmer, doctor, educator, merchant, and laborer in pulling together with the armed forces for victory and peace.

Open house Friday and Saturday nights afforded the present I I K A's and the "old grads" opportunity to become acquainted or to renew old friendships. After a banquet dinner Sunday the alumni injected the spirit of former years into the group by means of inspiring talks.

Other fall week-ends were enjoyably spent at weiner roasts, a Hallowe'en party, and open houses.

It was not all play and no work for the I I K A's, however, for they succeeded in renovating the house, painting the upstairs hall, and re-finishing the dining room. President John Irvine has been the leader in house work.

Taking a prominent part in campus activities have been Edward Zednik, varsity end on the football team; Pledge Alfred Trudeau, active in campus dramatic productions, and Edward Merry and Pledge Walter Evans, members of the university band.

Oct. 11 four men were initiated into the bonds. They were: Garrett M. Ross, Wheelersburg; Robert Glen Sayre, Zanesville; Donald Lee Miller, Lima, and Theodore Conover, Westfield, N. J.

The rushing committee, composed of John Irvine, Lee Cavin, and Steve Kadar, with the help of the chapter has succeeded in forming a pledge class of 14 men. They are: Harry H. Brown, Bridgeport, Conn.; Jack Collie, Canton; John Sigmann, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Richard Freeman, Cleveland; James Mariner, Youngstown; Edward Stupak, Bridgeport, Conn.; Alfred Trudeau, Bridgeport, Conn.; Robert Schminkey, Willoughby; Walter Evans, Cleveland; Bill Hambell, Zanesville; Jack Callahan, Bridgeport, Conn.; Richard Kessel, Mansfield; Richard Johnson, Wheelersburg, and Elmer Beil, Wheelersburg.

Officers: SMC, John Irvine; MC, Steve Kadar; IC, Ermil Preston; ThC and house manager, William Smart.—Theodore Conover.

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### Alumni Aid Rushing

CINCINNATI—Twenty-two select freshmen were pledged by Alpha-Xi chapter at the conclusion of rush season which was high-

lighted by a party given at the hunting lodge of Dr. E. Strachley, one of the chapter's most active alumni members.

Under the leadership of Doug Hoge, pledge master, the pledges are progressing rapidly. Elections have been held and the pledge officers are doing good jobs fulfilling their duties. Several outstanding speakers have addressed the pledges, the last being Arthur S. Postle, dean of men.

Homecoming day, the day of the Georgia game, was a field day for I I K A.

Three I I K A's, including Frank Sinkwich, starred for the Georgians. Verne Ullom, AΣ, scored the first touchdown for the Bearcats.

Alpha-Xi added another trophy by being adjudged winner in the fraternity and sorority float parade.

After the game, members, their dates and visitors had buffet supper at the chapter house. Among alumni attending were: Ralph Yeager, Harold Nieman, James Van Horn, Bruce Zimmerman, Harry Ballman, and Lt. Milton Pickle.

The pledge formal was held Nov. 14.—Ray Roush, Jr.

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### "Baby Chapter" Pledges 9

BOWLING GREEN—Delta-Beta, the Fraternity's newest chapter, pledged nine upperclassmen during the first semester and laid plans for the cream of the freshman group which are pledged in the second semester.

Those pledged were: Robert Whitman, John Richwine, John Baker, Don Bechtel, Dall Mitchell, Harry Schendle, Bert Fleitz, Duanne Kidwell, and Dean Morgan.

The chapter stood out in Homecoming festivities Oct. 30-31. The house was decorated in a patriotic theme and members of Commoners, the local, were initiated into the Fraternity. A dance followed the football game.

Dad's Day at Bee Gee found Delta-Beta active again. A dinner at the house for members and dads and a smoker preceded the trip to Miami, O., for a football game.

In the service are Edward Horvath, Howard Dunipace and Francis Ruth, all in the Army, and Hugh Nott and Marcus Hanna, in the Navy.—James Sullivan.

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### Pledge Visits Chapter

WITTENBERG—Pledge Bill Powers, who is on furlough from England where he is in the armed service, visited Gamma-Zeta chapter recently. Eldean Kissell, '42, is in the Coast Guard. Clarence Allen Armstrong, '42, was last reported at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Officers are: John Sommer, president; Bernard Koch, vice president; Henry Gulmi, secretary, and Robert Bussabarger, treasurer.—Bernard Koch.

## District No. 4

The new pledges are: Labron McIvor, Lynchburg; Richard Allison, Garden City, L. I., N. Y.; Bill Day, Richmond; Ted Stanley-Brown, Washington, D. C.; Doff Daniel, Beckley, W. Va.; Densil Warden, Beckley, W. Va.; Bob Egan, Bryn-Mawr, Pa.; Ed Lowman, Lynbrook, L. I., N. Y.; Dan Russell, San Antonio, Tex.; Fenton Brown, Staten Island, N. Y., and Larry Burrow, Little Rock, Ark.

With intramural athletics getting under way, Ralph Scott has been made manager

and he expects to put a winning team on the field this year.

Ralph Scott and Scott Rawlings were awarded intermediate honors at the University Convocation ceremonies this fall. SMC Cave has been elected to the University Athletic Council. Cave is varsity pitcher on the University of Virginia baseball team.

Brother Bill McIlwaine, O, has transferred to the University of Virginia.



## Pledge Training Changed

RICHMOND—Rush season was officially opened Sept. 20 by a party given for the rushees at Forest Hills Park. The following Wednesday a dance was held, and despite the drop in freshman enrollment, the chapter easily obtained its quota of good pledges.

The chapter has changed its pledge training course to include regular classes in IKA knowledge, as well as the former individual study of the near-by chapters, and history of the Fraternity.

Omicron was saddened by the death, Sept. 20, of Lt. Henry F. Hawkins, USAF. The chapter attended the funeral *en masse*, acting as pallbearers. "Chick" was killed in an airplane crash near Selma, Alabama. He had been stationed at Columbus, Miss., as an instructor. He was the chapter's first casualty of this war.

"Swede" Erickson is once more playing end for the Richmond varsity eleven, which recently defeated Camp Pickett's team 27-0. "Swede" starred last year, and seems certain to once again, although basketball is his first interest.

Campus politics are jumbled as yet because of the collapse of the party system last year, when the Cooperative Party swept the board, electing all of its candidates, two of whom were IKA's. New parties are to be formed through the use of a lottery, each fraternity choosing by lot to which it will adhere. The Interfraternity Council sponsored this novel method of restoring the balance of power on the campus.

Ed Luttrell is still drawing covers for *The Messenger*, the university's monthly literary magazine. He has been art editor and is now a member of the University's Board of Publications.

The first real wartime scholastic year brings a number of changes to the Richmond campus. For one thing there has been established here a basic school for the training of naval pilots, which creates a new "college" within the university. Too, there are certain changes of curriculum to meet new conditions and prepare men for the armed forces, as well as the general tendency toward a year-round course of study and general acceleration is making the three-year graduate a wartime norm.

Social events of the year, those of both chapter and university are to be simplified and made less formal and more inexpensive in accordance with the trend of the times. War economy is being adopted by Omicron for the duration.

The beginning of the year saw the addition of a pool table to the chapter's game room. This was a popular and welcome change from the ping-pong and other facilities already present, with the result that only the early comer can get within cue distance of the table.

Visitors: Dick Dunipace, ΔB; Fred Stevenson, ΔA, and Bob Quincy and Bill Taylor, T.—*Jack Gordon.*

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## Peden Makes Fine Record

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY—Iota chapter wound up the school year of '42 with a bang! Our most outstanding man, James Gwyn Peden, '43, Canton, N. C., may well be termed Hampden-Sydney's outstanding man as

well as the Fraternity's. Among the numerous other offices and honors, he was elected president of the Student Body and president of the Student Council.

Two of the three men who were taken into ODK in the spring initiation were Thomas A. Combellick, '43, Towson, Md., and William S. Trinkle, '42, Roanoke.

The honorary sophomore society, Phi, initiated Allan Lee Fox, '44, Danville, and Walter D. Shields, '44, Farmville. E. M. Chitwood, Jr., '44, Wytheville, was elected president of the honorary freshman society; Seven and One-half. Freshmen A. W. Jeffreys, South Hill, and L. E. H. Brandon, Danville, were initiated. Those admitted to the scientific fraternity, Chi Beta Phi, were Combellick, Eugene Bebeau, '44, Schoolfield, and E. M. Chitwood.

Bebeau was elected to the Student Council and E. M. Chitwood was elected to the student affairs committee.

Combellick, who was also outstanding in his accomplishments, was elected president of the student finance board and editor-in-chief of the *Kaleidoscope* for the second term.

Walter Sprye, '43, Schoolfield, was elected president of the Athletic Association and co-captain of the baseball team.

The pledge party, which was not held at the first of the year as usual was given May 3 in the form of a picnic at Goodwin Lake. The affair was a grand success and complete in every way except—by some misunderstanding the chaperones went to Bear Creek instead.

Iota received the intramural championship cup by winning football (captain, Combellick), Basketball (captain, W. M. Engle, '42, Towson, Md.), tennis (captain, J. C. Dunlop, '42, Charlottesville), and track (captain, E. F. Jesse, '42, Cleveland).

Hampden-Sydney had its first summer session this year but the fraternities were not actively organized. Among those playing varsity softball this summer, the IKA's have five berths: E. M. Chitwood, Jr., shortstop; Combellick, first base; K. A. Schuster, '44, Fords, N. J., left field; H. L. Newbill, '43, center field, and W. C. Sprye, pitcher.—*W. H. Wysor.*

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## Pledge Season Opens

WILLIAM AND MARY—With rushing season opening late in November, Gamma stood excellent prospects of becoming the undisputed fraternity leader on the campus this year by pledging a goodly number of desirable freshmen.

Gamma lost six men last year—three by graduation and three to the armed services.

Twelve men are living in the house and two are in dormitories. Some assurance of maintaining that number has been acquired by the entrance of practically all being enrolled in the reserve service programs.

The house occupied at the beginning of the semester is the best located of all the fraternity houses and should enhance our rushing program. It is spacious and near the dormitories.

The touch football team is enjoying considerable success, sharing top honors with only one other untied and unbeaten team.—*Bill Harrison.*

## Pi Pledges 17 Men

WASHINGTON AND LEE—Getting off to an excellent start this year, Pi is once again one of the most prominent houses on the campus, a leader in membership, politics, athletics and social events.

Despite the great decrease in the number of rushees, Pi was second among 17 fraternities in the number of pledges received during rush week. These are: Austin Scudder Callaway, Westfield, N. J.; Stephen Girard Earle Cooley, Greenville, S. C.; Sidney Mathias Baxter Coulling III, Tazewell; James Preston Fisher, Jr., Crewe; Wade Hampton Haislip IV, Logan, W. Va.; Samuel Laird Harman, Tazewell; Richard Challice Hayden, Jr., Manassas; William Agnew Howland, Lexington; James Gordon Kincheloe, Fairfax; James Alexander Ottignon, Ridgefield Park, N. J.; George Ben Stott, Suffolk, and Albert Harold Woodruff, Cocoa, Fla.

Pi has once again gained numerous positions of prominence on the campus. These include: Thompson Crockett Bowen, Jr., president of freshman law class; Eastham Waller Dudley, president of glee club, and James Caleb Stanfield, president of Troubadors and of Pi Alpha Nu, honorary society.

Pi has also placed men in all of the prominent social organizations of the school. At the head of this list is Leo James Signaigo, Jr., president of spring dances. In addition, Laird Harman and Bill Howland have been elected to White Friars, William Alexander Davidson and James Elliott Hubbell McCauley to Pi Alpha Nu, Edwin Joseph Gorman and William Burris Bryan to the Cotillion Club, and Clarence Eugene Ballenger to the "13" Club, all of which are honorary social organizations.

On the social calendar of Pi the annual Christmas house party has been set for Dec. 5.

Pi has also gotten off to a splendid start in athletics, and has already established a strong bid for the intramural championship. Pi has reached the finals in intramural football by defeating its five opponents by huge margins, and there is little doubt that it will capture the championship match. The outlook for varsity basketball is very bright indeed, particularly so since Pi supplies these three regulars, who will furnish the nucleus of the team—Captain Leo Signaigo, Clarence Ballenger, and Bill Bryan.

Pi's finances being in excellent condition with a large surplus, numerous improvements have been made in the house. The living room has received new furnishings, the bar room and lounge have been completely paneled, and in general the house is in beautiful condition.—*Sidney Coulling.*

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## Wins Scholarship Plaque

GEORGE WASHINGTON—Delta-Alpha has notified National Headquarters that the chapter was first in scholarship which entitles us to a scholarship plaque.

The chapter was honored recently by a visit from Executive Secretary Freeman H. Hart. A dinner was given at the chapter house for Dr. Hart and District President Sam McCart. Maj. Charles K. Dunn, alumnus counselor, is a frequent visitor at the house.



## District No. 5

### Starts Bond Buying Program

DUKE—Alpha-Alpha has inaugurated a bond-buying program which has received wide acclaim on the campus. Other fraternities are expected to join the program.

Richard Paige, '43, from Coral Gables, Fla., presented the idea to the chapter. Every member and pledge contributes 25 cents weekly to the fund with which war bonds are purchased. All fines levied by the chapter are also turned over to the fund. The bonds are held in trust for the chapter. In addition to helping the war effort, a program of this kind, if carried on for a number of years, can help immeasurably the financial position of the chapter.

A rush party was held October 4 for the purpose of rushing transfer students. Rushing of freshmen does not take place until the second week in February.

The annual Homecoming celebration on Oct. 31 was very successful. An open house and a cabin party, in addition to a regular university dance, made the week-end a gala occasion. Visitors on the campus admired our unique Homecoming display.

Kempton Jones is president of the Men's Student Government Association, the highest student position on the campus. Jones is attempting to increase the value of this organization to the students. He has set up a student senate whose membership is composed of representatives from all the dormitories and houses. The plan seems to be meeting with success.

Clarence KeFauver, SMC, is president of the Men's Panhellenic Council. This council is the fraternity organization on the campus. KeFauver is also business manager of the university band.

Frank Ruark is president of the glee club and is the accompanist for the songsters. Ben Smith is president of the Pegram Chemistry Club and manager of the wrestling team.

The following men, who graduated last year, are now in the service: Robert Ross, Robert Ackerman, Charles Booream, Theodore Tuke, Edward Braswell, Frank Taylor, Henry Wilson, and Robert Barnett.

Victor Vogel and William Montgomery entered the service during the summer and failed to return to college.—Edward C. McGimsey.

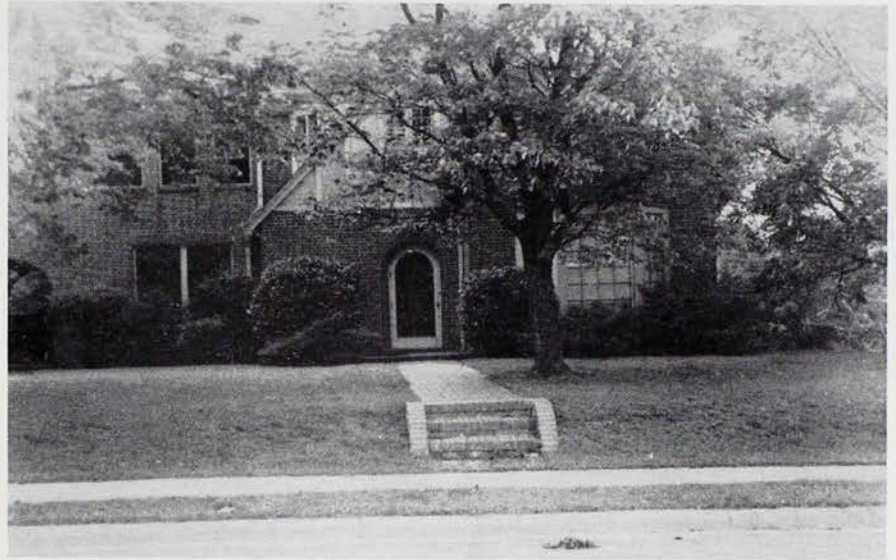
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### Beta Elects New Officers

DAVIDSON—Beta was hit especially hard by the Selective Service and had to reorganize its entire group of officers.

J. Frank Neill was elected president on the call of Joe E. Martin into the armed forces. R. L. Brinson was elected vice president and Ross L. Parks treasurer. Brinson also retained his post as Panhellenic representative for the chapter.

After new elections, the chapter proceeded with plans for Rush Week. Rushing was very successful this year under the direction of Rush Chairman Charles B. Brockmann, and the chapter is proud to announce the pledging of the following: Harold Rhudy, '46, Greensboro; Sid Bost, '46, Statesville; William Warlick, '46, Statesville; Holt Ardrey, '43, Greensboro; John Dunlap, '46, Charlotte; Tommy Campbell, '46, Blacksburg; H. M. Raynal, '43, Statesville; Grover Ingram, '46, Barium Springs; Billy Johnston, '46, Statesville; Gwynn Fletcher, '46, Barium Springs; Eade Ander-



*When the Government placed a finance school at Wake Forest College, quarters of the fraternities were taken for soldiers. So Gamma-Phi rented this house and enjoys the finest chapter house on the campus.*

son, '46, Horseshoe; M. W. Wester, '46, Henderson; Robert Stroup, '45, Wilmington; Dick Parrish, '46, Barium Springs; Bill McCall, '46, Barium Springs; Jim Siske, '44, Greensboro; Louis Rogers, '45, Concord; Jack Pracht, '46, Nashville, and Billy McClintic, '46, Farmville, Va.

An initiation was held recently at which time the following were taken into the chapter: Leonard White, '45, Greensboro; Robert Stroup, '45, Wilmington, and Joel Moye Anderson, '45, New Bern.

A banquet was given by the chapter to celebrate the Homecoming. Guests included Jack Abels, '41, High Point, former president of the chapter; Rosser Clark, '44, Greensboro, now in civilian pilot training at Chapel Hill, and Edwin Shewmake, '41, Davidson, also in civilian pilot training.—Sam H. Henderson.

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### New House Leased

WAKE FOREST—With the coming of the Army Finance School to Wake Forest, Gamma-Phi chapter, along with chapters of four other nationals, found itself deprived of living quarters. For several years the five groups had occupied "fraternity row," a dormitory divided into five sections.

The chapter signed a lease for the former home of Dr. Herbert M. Vann, professor of anatomy in the medical school.

IIKA had again emerged on top, for the new quarters exceed any fraternity house ever on the Wake Forest campus. The 14-room home, including three baths, a ping-pong room, and a card room in addition to the chapter room, houses 23 men.

After a somewhat prolonged rushing season Gamma-Phi pledged 18 men, including six upperclassmen. Included in the group were one student who had already obtained an assistantship in chemistry through outstanding work as a summer school freshman, and several who showed signs of promising athletic and extra-curricular futures. All but four of the group are North Carolinians.

They are: Ernest W. Boyette, Jr., '46, Kinston; Jack F. Canady, '44, Wilmington;

Frederick G. Chamblee, '43, Spring Hope; William F. Dougherty, '45, New Brunswick, N. J.; Walter T. Foreman, Jr., '46, Charlotte; Albert Handley, Jr., '46, Goldsboro; James A. Jennings, '46, Petersburg, Va.; John N. Lasater, '46, Durham; Ray L. Lingle, '45, Monroe; Esie L. Miller, Jr., '46, Hickory; Ralph Lee Moore, '46, Raleigh; Fletcher V. Pate, '46, Goldsboro; Clyde R. Potter, '46, Belhaven; Robert H. Shackelford, '46, Kinston; Edward M. Stanfield, '46, Pinetops; Christy Walker, '46, New River; Donald R. Wells, '45, Fort Pierce, Fla., and Charles Greene, '45, Washington, D. C.

Under Pledgemaster Sam Behrends the group has begun its training course using the general outline provided in the new and excellent *Garnet and Gold Guide*.

This group, combined with the active returning membership, brings the present total of the lodge to 40, which is slightly in excess of the average size of fraternities on the campus.

Furman Kenneth Biggs is SMC since W. E. Gavin joined the Army. He is stationed at Fort Bragg. William Pemberton Hinson is IMC.

With a rotating display of Uncle Sam and the Wake Forest Demon Deacon emerging from a forest followed by porters bearing a slain Jap and a dead Clemson tiger, the chapter captured second place in the annual Homecoming decoration contest.

The lodge, as well as the remainder of the campus, is congratulating Brother Sam Behrends on his recent selection to *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges* and to ODK, national honorary leadership fraternity, and Brother Russ Perry and Pledges Don Wells and Bill Dougherty on their recent football performances for the Deacons. These three played the leading role in the recent Wake triumph over V.M.I., as well as in previous games.

Gamma-Phi also has leaders in debating, literary society work, basketball, dramatics, all three of the local publications, honorary societies, and band and glee club.

With its eyes on the intramural cup, the chapter football team, under Coach Bill



Behm, has already marched over the local Sigma Phi Epsilon and Sigma Pi elevens and seems to be the strongest in years.—*Sam Behrends.*

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### 3 Transfer to Tau

NORTH CAROLINA—Tau chapter has received three transfer brothers, initiated four new men and formally pledged 18. These additions to the chapter bring its total to 47 men.

The transfer brothers, all coming from Gamma-Phi, are Moke Williams, Cliff Mills, and Lawrence Clark.

The newly-initiated men are Bob Aird, Wint Capel, Jarvis Cartwright, and Milt Harding.

The new pledges are Carl Clark, Smith Weaver, Arthur Thomas, Jr., Ted Wall, O. C. Scarborough, Bill Storey, Bobby Myatt, Charlie Adams, Alex Brock, Carlyle Morris, Lee Parker, Roland Fields, Charles Heartfield, Warren Pope, Bill Emanuelson, Bruce Beaman, Bill Merritt, and Henry Simpson.

I IKA is again well represented on the Carolina gridiron this year. Craven Turner, a junior, is playing his second year as a "bang-up" end on the first string. He has played outstandingly in every game thus far, and there is much properly based talk about his becoming All-American.

Hugh, better known as "Shot," Cox plays first string quarterback for the Tar Heels. The results of his performances have also been notable this year. "Running Johnny" Pecora, outstanding quarterback for the past two years, is just getting back into the game due to injuries suffered earlier in the season. Sam Arbs plays fullback. On the freshman team are Bill Storey, playing halfback and Bob Myatt, tackle.

Homecoming, the week-end of Oct. 17, was a big affair. The week-end officially began on Friday evening and lasted through Sunday. Every hour of this time was filled with real entertainment, consisting of luncheons, buffet suppers, dances and the like. Among the visitors was Executive Secretary Freeman H. Hart.

George Robert Dawson of Savannah, Ga., on leave from Savannah's Public Health Department to do work in the Graduate School at U.N.C., is now at the house.—*Glenn E. Bogasse.*

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### Win Pageantry Cup

NORTH CAROLINA STATE—Alpha-Epsilon recently added another cup to its collection—a trophy won in a campus pageantry contest.

Executive Secretary Freeman H. Hart visited the chapter in October.

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### Collier is "Super-Senior"

PRESBYTERIAN—In a recent "Superlative Election" at Presbyterian, Mu's Bud Collier was named "Super-Senior" by being elected best all-round, best athlete and best physique. Bill Dent was voted most popular and most friendly.

Due to a Panhellenic Council ruling, no fraternity was allowed to be active during the summer quarter. When the winter quarter rolled around, however, I IKA started off with a bang by giving the first rush social of the year. Girls from near-by towns were "imported" for the affair. A week later, a smoker was given for prospective pledges. Due to an increase in students in school this year, Mu is expecting a larger number of pledges, which will sign up later.

I IKA class officers are: Senior class—President, Billy Dent; vice president, Jim

Collier; secretary-treasurer, Bill Dean. Junior class—Vice President, Cecil Breareley; secretary-treasurer, Jack Dent.

Billie Dent is president of the Panhellenic Council and a member of Blue Key along with Jim Collier who is alternate captain of the football team.

Officers: Jim Collier, SMC; Cecil Breareley, IMC, and Jack Dent, ThC. Bob Lynn is alumnus counselor.

Lester Coleman, from Columbus, Ga., has recently been initiated.

All I IKA seniors are cadet officers in the ROTC.

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### Xi Pledge on Tokio Raid

SOUTH CAROLINA—Billy Farrow, former pledge of Xi chapter, has received nationwide acclaim for his part in the raid on Tokio which was led by Brig. Gen. James M. Doolittle. Lieutenant Farrow's plane was forced down on enemy soil and he is now held by the Japanese.

Farrow was cited by Paramount News as a "minute man of the war." He is in line for a Distinguished Service Cross.

Rush week was successful and eight men, all outstanding in their high schools, were pledged. They are: John Glominski and James Glominski, Spartanburg; Jim Stephen, Pacolet; Donald Vaughn and Jim Wilburn, Union; Ernest Davis, Liberty; Bill Bradford, Columbia, and Charles Cushman, Navy Yard.

Plans are being made for the semi-annual formal which will be the social event of the spring.

Alumni in the service include G. C. Kirby, Jr., Clarke McCants, Dan Gibbs, Billy Douglas, Carl McElween, Billy Allen, and R. G. Scarborough.—*Jim Harmon.*

## District No. 6

### Leads Campus in Pledges

GEORGIA—Alpha-Mu completed a successful rushing season by pledging 19 men, and for the second consecutive year led the campus in the number of pledges. This year the lead was shared with another fraternity.

Features of rush week were two buffet suppers, attended by large groups of men and their dates. The pledges include John Terrel Akins, Nashville; William W. Christian, Orlando, Fla.; Lanier Andrews Cobb, Athens; Eugene Borders Daniel, Athens; Robert Darden, Hogansville; James Kenneth Griffith, Athens; R. Frank Johnson, Columbus; R. F. Jones, Blythe; Michael Kashinka, Pittsburgh, Pa.; John Montgomery, Nashville; Andrew Pesbach, Campbell, O.; Walter Price, Athens; Wilson Robbins, Binghampton, N. Y.; John Spratling, Hogansville; W. H. White, St. Simon's Island, and J. N. Williams, Monroe. Three others have been initiated.

Initiates include T. William Cone, Brunswick, S. C.; Wilson P. Darden, Hogansville; Harold B. Hodgson, Athens; R. Frank Johnson, Columbus; William R. Spratlin, Athens; Edwin R. Weeks, Savannah, and Max Tyson, Cairo.

Three members of the chapter are on the football squad. They are Frankie Sinkwich, spark plug of the Bulldog eleven,

All-America last year and captain of the team this year; Pledge Dick McPhee, starting fullback, and Pledge Norman Harrison, substitute wingback.

Pledges Griffith, Kashinka, Pesbach, Montgomery, and White are on the Bull-pup squad roster.

James Williams, Edwin Kenny, Darwin Fender, Geavy Griffith, and George Melton have entered the Army. Ray Caton, Harold Tiller, and George Galloway have gone to the Navy. The Marines have claimed Tom Rogers and Horton Greene.

The social season was opened with a luncheon at the chapter house the day of the Georgia-Furman game. Both members and pledges had dates for the occasions. An open house for cadets of the Georgia Naval Pre-Flight School followed. The platoon was commanded by Ensign Bob Suffridge, Z. Thirty coeds were on hand to meet the cadets.

Sinkwich was given a surprise party and a large cake by the chapter on his twenty-second birthday anniversary.

The intramural football team, captained by Erwin Wall, has won two games, tied one and lost one.

New officers are: Henry Cobb, SMC; Elbert Wooten, IMC; John Youmans, SC; Warren Shuman, re-elected ThC; Roger Simmons, MS, and Ed Weeks, MC. Council

representatives are Wall and Harold Devane.

Wilson Darden is in the Gridiron Club, ODK, Demosthenian, International Relations Club, Biftad, and Phi Eta Sigma.

Devane is a Demosthenian and a member of Gaffau Club.

Henry Cobb is in the Marketing Club, DeMolay, and Infantry Club.

Warren Schuman was recently taken into Gamma Sigma Epsilon, national chemical society.

Roger Simmons won his freshman numerals on the basketball team. He also is a member of Alpha Phi Omega, national scouting society and is a corporal in basic military.

John Youmans is in the Glee Club, Forestry Club and Cavalry Club. He was on the all-intramural softball team last year.

Bob Painter is in the Music Club and Glee Club. A piano major, he also is a corporal in basic military.

Spratlin and Robbins will soon complete their advanced ROTC courses and enter the Army. Darden, Cobb, Youmans, Wilkes, and Pledge Spratlin have another year in the course.

Miss Anna Mae Pryor, ΔΔΔ, one of the six most beautiful coeds as the result of a



yearbook contest, has been chosen sponsor for the fall quarter.—Roger Simmons.

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### Andre Wins High Honor

MIAMI—The entire chapter is proud of one of the charter members of Gamma-Omega, Lt. David C. Andre, who has been named the year's outstanding naval aviation cadet.

Ensign Ray Reiner, another of Gamma-Omega's men in the service, is attached to the Naval Station at Key West.

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### Annual Possum Hunt Held

GEORGIA TECH—The annual possum hunt, an established custom of Alpha-Delta, was held Nov. 21 the week-end of the Georgia Tech-Florida game. Brothers from Beta-Kappa, Alpha-Mu, and Alpha-Eta attended.

Alpha-Delta pledged 21 men during the summer and rush week. Those pledged were: Raymond Jesse Bates, '45, Dalton; Webster Burn, '45, Charleston, S. C.; Malcolm James Gesner, '45, Atlanta; Robert Hartman, '45, Athens; Norman Dean Schanche, '45, Atlanta; Charles Donaldson, '45, Cleveland, Tenn.; Ben Hugh Eubanks, '45, Atlanta; Paul Heitzer, '45, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Walter John Hopton, '44, Atlanta; George Luke Lane, '45, Pittsburgh, Pa.; William Cunningham Laverty, '45, Princeton, Ky.; James Reed, '45, Old Hickory, Tenn.; Frank Othaniel Weaver, '45, Atlanta; Clifton Waller Whitmore, '45, Miami, Fla.; George Newton Wilson, '45, Atlanta; Thomas Lauren Corwin, '45, Newark, N. J.; Bryan Robert Ellis, '45, Kingston; Robert Frederick Swenson, '45, Brewster, N. Y., and Nelson Hocking, '45, Martins Ferry, O.

Alpha-Delta chapter, through the efforts of Kenny Sessler, has completed a new game room which adds very much to the attractiveness of the house.

New officers are: Ralston Woods, SMC; Reuben Thorton Savage, IMC; Charles Hungerford Parks, SC; Robert L. Branner, ThC; John Pleas Smith, MC; Harold Montague, historian, and John Quinton Bulard, MS.

### Pipe Shortage No Bar

ILLINOIS—In spite of priorities on lead pipe, and the competition of 53 other national fraternities, Beta-Eta managed to salvage 25 pledges out of the annual free for all on the Illinois campus. Because of the effect of the war, only 15 of the expected 30 returned to carry the chapter through rush week.

Following a recently adopted Beta-Eta tradition, the families of the entire chapter were invited to the family picnic the following week-end. What with the baldness of tires and the eminence of the forthcoming gasoline rationing, the turnout was far better than expected.

The pledge dance was the first Beta-Eta social function of the current year, being ably handled by the new freshmen. The follow-up feature was a hayride the next week.

Ken Cheeley, outstanding center of the Fighting Illini, has played his last football game for the Orange and Blue. An old head injury received in the Minnesota game

Two rush parties were held during the past rush week which proved a real success with a group of Atlanta girls helping out.—John Q. Bullard.

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### Rush Period Successful

EMORY—Beta-Kappa has just completed the most successful rush period in its history. As a result the following were pledged:

Clyde Anderson, Atlanta; Tom Atkins, Atlanta; Frank Bowers, Albany; Austin Dean, Atlanta; Matthew Ellis, Calhoun; Carl Oliver, Atlanta; Clifford Proctor, Sanford, Fla.; G. C. Lee, DuPont; Arthur Miscally, Atlanta; Roy Hubbard and Olin Freeman, both of Atlanta; Leonard Horton, Decatur; John Thurman, Atlanta; Richard Campbell, Rockmart; E. L. Curtiss, Douglas; Frank Parrigin and Bob Chisnell, both of Atlanta; James Swearingen, Cordele; Ernest Martinez, Atlanta; Harry Davis, DelRay Beach, Fla., and Joe Duncan, Tavares, Fla.

Joe Duncan, Roy Hubbard, and Olin Freeman have already been initiated, along with an old pledge, John Williams.

A successful rush party was held last summer in the form of a Victory Party. All guests bought defense stamps or brought scrap metal for admission. The chapter gave an old automobile as its gift to the war effort. More than a ton of scrap metal was collected and over \$100 in defense stamps were sold.

The chapter was host to National Officers attending the Supreme Council meeting at a buffet supper, given in their honor during July.

Harlan Sisk, E. L. Robinson, and Waring Milam have joined the service.

Beta-Kappa is also represented in many of the campus activities by the following men:

Bob Weaver and Don Spicer are members of the glee club. Spicer is also a member of the varsity swimming team.

Obie Lawson, Wilan Wilson, Henry McNeely, Spicer, Charles Yarn, and Johnny Morgan are all members of the football teams of their respective classes.

Bill Holt and Quillian Hamby are members of the varsity debate forum. Hamby

and Weaver are also members of the Emergency Hospital Unit, located on the campus. Holt and Weaver are chapter delegates to the Interfraternity Council.—William M. Holt.

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### Political Offices Won

FLORIDA—Alpha-Eta has good basis to look forward to a prosperous and prospective year. In number of pledges it ranked along top with other fraternities.

The chapter has always been the foremost chapter in political affairs on the campus. This year it carried politics even to its pledge class by electing one of its pledges, Pledge Jack Fleming, president of the freshman class. Also outstanding in politics was Mac Christie, who was chairman of the Dixie political party, the majority party.

Other honors to come to Christie were his appointment as secretary of organizations and his recent naming to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Other members prominent in campus political life this semester are Bill Champ- lin and Frank Pittman, both recently elected to the executive council and honor court, respectively. In addition to being elected these two members were appointed by the president of the university to represent the student body on the faculty committee on social affairs.

Two pledges, Bill Goodloe and Bill McCutcheon, were runners-up in the intramural boxing matches while members Bill Champ- lin, Mac Christie, Walter Crews, and Harry Fiquette brought honors in ping-pong. James Marr and Eugene Floyd are outstanding debaters of the chapter and have thus far won all debates and are expected to be winners or runners-up.

On the week-end of the annual Georgia-Florida game in Jacksonville, Alpha-Eta gave one of its noted social affairs in Hotel Windsor. The other major outstanding social affair for the chapter will be the "Dream Girl" week-end to be held the week-end of Nov. 21.

Pledge officers for the forthcoming year are Jack Fleming, president; John Angel, vice president; Sidney Lanier, secretary, and Harvey Snively, treasurer.—Frank Pittman.

## District No. 7

last year has reoccurred and made his playing this year impossible. Although he will no longer wear the Illinois uniform, his knowledge of the game and experience are not lost to the Illini. He is now employed on the coaching staff as an assistant line coach. Cheeley has won two letters in football and had been praised repeatedly by Bob Zupke for his remarkable defensive play. Other lettermen in the house include Wrestler Lukas, Fencer Jobson, and Golfer Weise.

Beta-Eta's men in the armed services overseas are: Cpl. Art Kerchner, '44; Lt. Ralph Wilmot, '40, and Lt. Hap Zettler, '40.

In this country are: Ensigns Thorntén Price, '42; Ralph Chase, '41; Dan Park, '41; Lloyd Shafer, '41, and Rush Wright, '42.

2nd Lts. Dick Knowles, '42; Jack Oliver, '42, and Ed Smaltz, '41.

Naval Reserve training—John Nussbaum, '42; Don Britton, '42, and Jay Newsam, '43. Flying Cadet Bob Stebbins, '42.

Beta-Eta shares the views of the leaders of the nation's armed forces by looking

ahead to a successful year. Thanksgiving vacation was abolished at Illinois, and the students will return from the Christmas vacation Dec. 29, leaving the New Year's Eve problem. It will be solved by a dance at the chapter house; something new in Beta-Eta's history.—Jim Coe.

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### 6 Initiated by Beta-Phi

PURDUE—Beta-Phi announces the initiation of Harris William Baker, Williams- ville, N. Y.; Gene Edwyn Gatt, Princeton; Alfred Carl Dumrose and Charles Albert Muller, Tuckahoe, N. Y.; Roy Henry Kirk, Chicago, and Paul Herman Noffke, Indianapolis.

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### Gamma-Rho Pledges 22

NORTHWESTERN—Gamma-Rho opened another year of scholastic, extra-curricular, and fraternity activities on the Northwestern campus with Rush Week Sept. 14-20.

In competition with 19 other national fraternities, Gamma-Rho showed a record



of 22 pledges at formal ceremonies at the week's end.

Pledged at this time were Dick Davis, Howie East, Don Cunningham, Warren Hesler, Joe Novotny, Marbry Norton, Nels Jensen, Dave Milligan, Ed Wood, Jack Sullens, Jim Southard, Henry Ghering, Wallace Pon, Art Koblish, Bernie Knauer, Bob Moran, Bill Young, Tony Bartnick, Bill Hollopeter, Bob Haring, Oral Kozeny, and Fred Nelson.

Milligan was elected president of the pledge class, with Novotny, vice president and freshman council representative, and Hollopeter, secretary.

Gamma-Rho, while relinquishing a number of men to the armed services, still numbers over 50 men, including pledges and actives. Jim Rathbun is SMC for the fall term, with Karl Irvin, vice president; Roger Lengnick, secretary; Ed Luter, house

manager and treasurer; Bruce Guelich, pledge trainer, and Jay Taylor, social chairman.

In intramural sports, under the direction of Fred Pohlman, intramural manager, Gamma-Rho currently leads in League I touch football. The record shows three victories and one scoreless tie in four games played. Outstanding on the IKA team are Art Serfling, Fred Pohlman, Bob Overholser, Max Ralph, and Steve Kopcha. The Ralph-Overholser passing combination has drawn considerable attention, as have Serfling's end runs.

In the annual pajama race, this year given a war manpower twist with the addition of an obstacle course, the Gamma-Rho relay team was fifth among 16 fraternities entered. The team was composed of Oral Kozeny, Kermit Kramer, Dick Davis, and Bob Haring.

## District No. 8

### Zeta Member Honored

TENNESSEE—William F. Blackwood, past SMC, South Portland, Me., is a new initiate of Scarrabeau, top U-T senior honorary society for men.

Invitation is by unanimous consent of members, and is issued only to men who, in their three previous years at Tennessee, have displayed pre-eminent character, leadership and scholarship.

Newly-elected officers are: SMC, Charles F. Herd, liberal arts senior, of Sparta; IMC, John R. Burchfield, business administration senior, of Sevierville; ThC, Sam M. Arnold, business administration junior, of Sparta; SC, William H. Reeder, Jr., pre-medical sophomore, of McMinnville; MS, Thomas F. Burroughs, Jr., liberal arts junior, of McMinnville, and MC, Henry B. McBride, engineering sophomore, of Centerville.

New initiates are: Lester E. Brew, Auburn, N. Y.; Charles H. Harty, Nashville; Robert H. Paschall, Waynesboro; Rex R. Perry, Winchester, Va., and William H. Reeder, McMinnville.

Zeta's annual "Autumn Ball" was presented Oct. 16 in U-T's Alumni Memorial Auditorium—the first formal dance of the school year.

War-time restrictions on decorations permitted only a 12-foot IKA crest on the stage and an illuminated replica of the badge in the rear of the auditorium.

Special IKA no-break at the "Autumn Ball" was the *Dream Girl of IKA*, arranged by Pledge Jack Hurt of Chapel Hill, former arranger for Fred Waring and piano soloist over 50,000-watt WFAA, Dallas.

Chaperones included University President James D. Hoskins, Z, and Mrs. Hoskins; Mrs. F. M. Massey, wife of U-T's late Dean of Students; Dr. Ruth Stephens, associate professor of history and political science and a frequent chaperone at Zeta's social affairs, and Miss Frances Johnston, assistant registrar and composer of the *IKA Sweetheart* song, dedicated to Zeta chapter.

The IKA sweater party, to which sweaters were worn by both boys and girls, received pictorial attention in both Knoxville daily newspapers. Barbara Stratton of Knoxville was selected "Sweater Queen."

Rush parties, house dances and picnics have also been presented as the opening portion of the well-filled IKA social program for the year.

The IKA pledge class of 35 is surpassed in size by only four out of U-T's 15 national

fraternities. Pledge officers include J. B. Beasley, president, Franklin; Bill Davis, vice president, Martinsville, Va.; Joe Robertson, secretary, Tullahoma, and Doug Gunn, treasurer, McMinnville.

Zeta's service flag bears stars for the 80 initiates known to be on active duty with the Army, Navy and Marines, with many more as yet unreported. More than 90 per cent of Zeta's servicemen are officers, ranging from second lieutenant and ensign to lieutenant colonel and the late Lt. Com. W. J. Galbraith.

Following in the footsteps of Bob Suffridge, Z, All-America guard and the nation's top lineman, is Pledge Jimmy Meyers of Madison, W. Va. Holding down first string position, he is rated as one of the best tacklers and most consistent guards on recent Volunteer teams.

Highly publicized Pledge Lawrence (Red) Zontini of Whitesville, W. Va., is a spectacular wingback who gives promise of living up to the record of George (Bad News) Cafego, Z, All-American. Receiving as much praise for his blocking and tackling as he has for his ball carrying, he scored two of the Tennessee touchdowns which helped upset Fordham 40-14.

Transfers to Zeta this year include William Hamilton Parks II, Nashville, from Sigma, and Harold R. Rowland, Cawood, Ky., from Kappa.

Zeta played host to 16 members of Alpha-Xi chapter on Nov. 7 when the University of Cincinnati played Tennessee at Knoxville. Tennessee won 34 to 12.

The IKA bowling team stands second in U-T interfraternity competition, with 13 games won and two lost. Team members are Howard Valentine, Les Brew, Enoch Blakely, Pledge Tom Banks, and Pledge J. B. Beasley.

MS Burroughs, university organist, is publicity director of the \$64,000 USO War Fund Campaign in Knoxville. In addition to writing newspaper and radio publicity, he produced a half-hour "USO Star Parade" broadcast over WBIR from the stage of the Tennessee, Knoxville's number one theatre, on Nov. 16. The program included vocal soloists, chorus, orchestra, organ, and drama.

Pledge Thomas Edward Taylor of Chattanooga is this year attending the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis. At U-T he was pledged to Pershing Rifles, military society, and completed his freshman year in engineering.—*Thomas F. Burroughs, Jr.*

Socially, Gammo-Rho has averaged a house party every two weeks since school opened. Taylor has been in charge, while special assistance and direction by Quent Brown has been utilized in choosing themes and carrying out arrangements. Included among these parties were a costume Hallowe'en affair, a "Commando Crawl," featuring a specially-constructed maze through which all guests passed, and the annual party with pledge class entertainment.

Opening rushing, now in progress, is this year under the chairmanship of Bill Briggs, junior transfer from the chapter at the University of New Mexico.

On the basis of progress thus far this year, Gamma-Rho looks forward to another successful season on the Northwestern campus.—*Kaye Kiddoo.*

### Wins Football Tourney

GEORGETOWN — Alpha-Lambda won the intramural football tournament. The team was undefeated and scored 101 points to their opponent's 8. The team was composed of varsity football men as the college had no team this year.

Men on the team were Norman Wittkamp, captain; Rex Miller, quarterback; Lucian Lee, Bill Burklew, Reeves Fulton, Dick Mitchell, A. C. Moreland, Sam Kibbey, Charles Hoskins, Bill Findt, Jimmy Donovan, John Brown, Thomas Asher, Ishmael Centers, and Frank Horn. The team was coached by Norris Wilson, who is now enrolled at Iowa Naval Cadets Pre-Flight Training School. A farewell party was given for the coach. The chapter gave him a IKA ring.

Rex Miller, SMC, is president of the senior class and treasurer of the Panhellenic Council. Norman Wittkamp, IMC, is vice president of the Panhellenic Council and a member of the Round Table and president of the "G" Club.

The chapter gave a Homecoming dinner for the alumni Nov. 17. This was the inauguration of the new college president. Executive Secretary Hart was a guest.

Ensign Dudley Searce visited the chapter Nov. 2. The chapter has ten actives and ten pledges. Prof. Carl Fields is faculty advisor and Kenneth Gillaspie, alumni advisor. Rex Miller, SMC; Wittkamp, IMC; Moreland, ThC, and Rhodes, SC, are the officers.

Lucian Lee, Jr., Owensboro, a basketball letterman, and James Donovan, Georgetown, have been initiated.

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### War Stamps Purchased

VANDEBILT—In order to do our part toward the war effort each member has pledged himself to give a sum each month for war savings stamps. All of this money will be used to establish a loan fund for some deserving student or it will go into the chapter treasury.

Sigma concluded a successful rush week with eight pledges. They are: Edwin Adams, Marion, Ky.; Will T. Adams, Cedar Hill; Wilbert Choep, Louisville, Ky.; Joe Bill Clement, Marion, Ky.; Wreath Gathright, Clearwater, Fla.; William Hankins, Atlanta, Ga.; Ernest Jernigan, Corning, Ark., and Thomas Parrish, Trimble.

Three tea dances and one steak fry have been given this fall. One of the tea dances



was given by the actives honoring the pledges.

Activities of some of the chapter members and pledges include: C. P. Brocato, president of the International Relations Club; R. R. Tipton, vice president of ODK and captain of the wrestling team; Edmund Turnley, Owl Club; Will Adams, Ace Club; Wilbert Choje, head drum major of the Vanderbilt Band, and Wreath Gathright, Student Christian Association Freshman Cabinet, Gargyle Club, and the *Commodore* staff.

The chapter officers are: R. R. Tipton, SMC; C. P. Brocato, IMC, and Edmund Turnley, ThC.—*Thomas Parrish.*

### New House Mother Honored

ALABAMA POLY—Mrs. John E. Hill, newly-elected house mother was honored with an open house on Sunday, Oct. 4. Those included in the receiving line with Mrs. Hill were Bob Snow, SMC; Bill Gordon, IMC, and Dr. C. R. Sanders, faculty alumni. During the afternoon approximately 100 guests called.

On Oct. 10, Upsilon introduced to the Auburn campus the "zoot suit" party. The house was decorated with signs resembling those of a roadside tavern and the brothers wore zoot suits.

The freshmen put on a skit imitating some of the upperclassmen, and the rest of the party was spent with the brothers and pledges vieing for top honors jitter-bugging. Punch and sandwiches were served at the make-believe bar.

Newly-elected officers are: SMC, Bradford Clopton, senior in architecture from Columbus, Miss., member of Blue Key and Scarab, honor societies; IMC, Walter Terry, chemical engineering senior from Huntsville; McMillan Feagin and Bill Sherling were re-elected ThC and house manager, respectively.

Pledges: Dan Bailey, '46, Huntsville; Zig Banks, '46, Andalusis; Clarence Burch, '46, Dublin, Ga.; James Calloway, '46, Greenville; Joe Crenshaw, '46, Greenville; Henry Crawford, '45, Abbeville; William Davidson, '46, Atlanta, Ga.; Davis Gante, '46, Andalusia; James Gibson, '46, Bessemer; Eugene Griffiths, '45, Pensacola, Fla.; Lee Head, '46, Lafayette; Leslie Kirkpatrick, '46, Montgomery; Felix McKinney, '46, Huntsville; Blake McMullen, '46, Gurley; George Morton, '46, Montgomery; Ben Risher, '46, Selma; Walter Roark, '46, Birmingham; Henry Steindorff, '46, Greenville; Henry Wright, '46, Mobile; Milton Smith, '46, Hueytown; Robert McCormick, '46, Montgomery, and Clifford Holcomb, '46, Birmingham.

Initiates: Forrest Dyke McCulloch, '46, Huntsville; Charles Worrell Jackson, '46, Birmingham; Lemuel Hiram Bryant, Jr.,

### Armed Forces Claim 23

TRANSLYVANIA—Twenty-three members of Kappa chapter failed to return to school this year because they had gone into some branch of the armed service. Thomas William Chawk, a pledge of 1941, who now is in the Signal Corps, was initiated Oct. 24.

Of 30 men pledged at Transylvanian by four national fraternities, 11 accepted the IKA pledge pin. One of the pledges is Don Matthiesen, Glendale, Calif., president of the freshman class.

Howard Lynn Smith, Harlan, a junior, was initiated Nov. 2.—*Clyde Russell.*

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'46, Birmingham; Malcolm Clifton Davenport, Jr., '46, Greenville, S. C.; Alexander Holmes Smith, '46, Madison, Fla.; Donald Robert Henderson, '46, Millers Ferry, and Ralph Elkin Jennings, '46, Lafayette.

Travelling Secretary Charles L. Freeman visited the chapter recently.—*Jack Berry.*

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### Alpha-Pi Pledges 19

HOWARD—Alpha-Pi announces the pledging of 19 men in an excellent rushing season. The chapter also is in improved financial condition.

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### House Open in Summer

ALABAMA—For the first time in its 18 years of existence, Gamma-Alpha held its house open during the summer and operated on a fraternity basis. The chapter was fortunate in having 38 men return for the summer term. Fourteen men were pledged during the summer.

It is a tradition for Gamma-Alpha to have many campus leaders, and this year proved to be no exception. SMC Foster Etheredge is the new president of the Interfraternity Council. Bill Schuessler is business manager of the *Corolla*, university yearbook. Jack Bean is president of two campus organizations—St. Pat's Association and Jaxons, senior mens' leadership society. Gamma-Alpha has both the president and vice president of ODK. Toxey Sewell is prexy and James Davis vice president.

Cadet ROTC appointments include the following: Bean, cadet colonel; Perry Hubbard, cadet major; Etheredge and Charles McKay, cadet captains; Felix Treadway and Schuessler, cadet first lieutenants; Roy Greene, Macon Roberts, Jack Avery, Toxey Sewell, Arthur Hardegree, Max Hudson, Neil Metcalf, and Tom Rast, cadet second lieutenants.

A picnic and house dance were given in July and the chapter was host at a weekend rush party in August.

The intramural sports program for the summer included softball, tennis, golf, ping-

### Dr. Hart Visits Omega

KENTUCKY—Executive Secretary Freeman H. Hart visited Omega chapter in November and conferred with several of the alumni in Lexington.

Dean T. T. Jones recently announced that University of Kentucky fraternities must show they have sufficient funds if they want to operate their houses. He pointed out that departure from the campus of many fraternity men to enter the armed forces already had forced several Greek-letter organizations to close their houses or dining rooms.

pong, and volley ball. Gamma-Alpha participated and made an excellent showing in all of these.

Officers: SMC, Etheredge; IMC, Max Hudson, ThC, Sewell; SC, Roberts; MS, Norris Wimberley; MC, Greene; alumni secretary, Tom Rast; historian, Clark Fuller; rush chairman, Bob Piper, and social chairman, Jack Avery.—*Macon Roberts.*

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### Delta Second in Rushing

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN—Delta placed second in rushing this fall on Birmingham-Southern's campus with 16 pledges. Two of these pledges, Wendell Simmons and Charles Britt, have been tapped by Omicron Delta Kappa this fall, no other fraternity having more than one.

Four of the six campus executive councilmen are also among Delta's new pledges. They are: Leland Enzor, Billy Price, Charles Britt, and Wendell Simmons.

Outstanding activities men in the chapter are: Rex Windham, feature tenor soloist and president of the choir, secretary of Mu Alpha, and Interfraternity Council; Charles Britt, president of Kappa Phi Kappa, vice president YMCA, vice president Chi Sigma Phi, secretary Religious Council, chairman men's division executive council, and *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*; Wendell Simmons, president senior class, president Toreadors, treasurer executive council, Theta Sigma Lambda, and *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*; Emmett Gibbs, president Theta Sigma Lambda and treasurer Toreadors; Leland Enzor, president Baptist Student Union and executive council of Chi Sigma Phi; Homer Ellis, Interfraternity Council, Eta Sigma Phi, and Intramural Council.

The chapter recently held an informal dinner in honor of Dr. J. Allen Tower, the chapter AC, who is leaving soon for the Army Air Corps. Those present other than active members, pledges, and their dates, were faculty alumni, and National President Roy D. Hickman.—*Homer Ellis.*

## District No. 10

### Chapter House Enlarged

MISSOURI MINES—Due to an extra large group of active members and pledges this year, Alpha-Kappa now has two annexes holding in all 15 persons. These are operated by the chapter as part of the chapter house.

The annual informal pledge dance was held Oct. 9 at the chapter house, with music provided by the Varsity Orchestra. Among those present were several members

of the school faculty and many out-of-town dates. This dance is given each year by the chapter in honor of the pledge class.

Initiation was held Oct. 1 for four men, followed by a midnight dinner at which each new member gave a short speech. The initiates were: Leroy W. Fuller, '45, St. Louis; Wayne F. Mueller, '44, Jefferson City; Don Le Pere, '44, Belleville, Ill., and Herman F. Schalk, '45, St. Louis. The initiation of these men brought the chapter roll up to 22 men.

Last summer the chapter house was kept open for those members who attended the summer semester. Meals were not served. A rushing party was given Aug. 7 in the chapter house. It was attended by many prospective pledges who were entertained by all the members able to leave their work, etc., to come. The party was called one of the most successful ever held.

During the weekend of Sept. 25 and 26, ten members went to Westminster College at Fulton to examine the Highlanders, a



local club which is interested in joining a national social fraternity. Several members spent the night at the Alpha-Nu house at the University of Missouri, Columbia.

**Pledges:** Walter Weber, Jack L. Oberrieder, Bernice C. Wagner, Carl B. Davis, Harry W. Kuhn, Don L. Litzelfelner, Robert C. Kreutzer, Teddy R. Wolfarth, and Richard Sartorius, all of St. Louis; Richard D. Smith and John D. King, University City; Robert L. Hammelmann, Matt L. McCaskill, and Walter C. Brown, all of Alton, Ill.; Raymond H. Russel, Knobel, Ark.; Milton Heimos, Lemay; Harry Adamson, Moberly; Richard L. Gibson, Eldon; Gene C. Smith, Kansas City; John W. Ehrlich, Fort Leonard Wood, and Al P. Barnbrook, Charleston.

**Honorary societies:** Robert Eck and Douglas Christiansen, Tau Beta Pi.

**Varsity candidate:** Carl Davis, football.

**Varsity lettermen:** James Glover and Don Le Pere, football; Joe Bush and Alfred Itterman, track.

**Class officers:** Matt McCaskill, president of the freshman class; Robert Eck, president of the senior class.

**Members in Advanced ROTC:** Douglas Christiansen, Willis Clark, Robert Ehrlich, Joe Bush, William Hillewege, and Jack Roemer.—William C. Powell.

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### Pledge Group Sets Record

MISSOURI—Thirty-two men were pledged by Alpha-Nu this year to lead the campus in pledge classes. Four members were initiated at the beginning of the semester. They were: Alfred Toma, St. Louis; Joseph Garvey, St. Louis; Richard Johnson, Kansas City, and Jim T. Miles, Columbia, who left immediately for the Army.

The chapter braved superstition by holding its annual Autumn Ball, Friday, Nov. 13. Black Cats, broken mirrors and prominent ladders featured the decorations for the affair. The Monte Carlo Party, campus-famed gambling party where stage money changes hands by the hundreds, is scheduled for the near future.

Selective service is cutting into the Alpha-Nu's in increasing numbers. Erv Gustafson, pledgemaster has left for the Marines. Ten other members are slated to leave at mid-year to join the armed forces.



**Inspecting a new pledge pin in front of the Beta-Lambda house are, from left: Robert Pieper, Robert Evans behind Robert Buhrman, George Trigg, and Robert Busking.**

To fill vacancies made by the war, Missouri's Panhellenic league is considering a plan whereby pledges with satisfactory grades may be initiated at the end of the nine-week period.

Officers of the chapter who will serve for the semester are: SMC, Arthur H. Baebler; ThC, Gene Rodemich; IMC, A. Roy Brock; SC, Roy E. Geers, and MC, Dick Q. Johnson.

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### Rushing Plans Changed

WASHINGTON—Summer rushing was conducted in much the usual manner as in the past with evening parties every two weeks. Regular rush week was shortened to three days and most of the parties were confined to the campus in keeping with the war effort.

Alumni gave us good support as usual. Fred Conrath and Bob McCann were particularly helpful.

Everyone at Beta-Lambda is especially enthusiastic over the quality of the pledge class this year.

## District No. 11

### Cornerstone Laid

SOUTHWESTERN—Frankie Sinkwich, AM, All-America football player last year and captain of the University of Georgia team this year, laid the cornerstone for Theta's chapter house here Oct. 9.

Sinkwich was in Memphis for the Georgia-Mississippi game when the cornerstone ceremony was held.

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### Eta Pledges Most Men

TULANE—Hampered by the lack of transportation and by the loss of many good men to the armed services, Eta nevertheless had a very successful rush week.

The house was cleaned, walls and floors were painted and the attic, which has been converted into a large dance floor, was waxed.

The rushing program consisted of afternoon tea dances, stag parties, and formal evening dances. Twenty-five men were pledged, the highest number on the campus. Last year, too, IKA led the campus in the number of men pledged.

The new pledges are: Robert Buhrman, Robert Evans, Robert Busking, Todd Forsyth, Morry Logue, Donald Brueggeman, Gordon Orear, Carl Herman, John Kern, and Robert Schatz.

A modified program for rushing after rush week has been adopted as many good men are overlooked during rush week. Recent rushing seems to be meeting with considerable success.

On Oct. 19 a War Service Honor Roll was dedicated at Washington University. The roll contains the names of 1,400 former students, alumni, and faculty members and is enclosed in an oak frame on the front of Ridgley Library. Special guest speakers at the dedication included Lt. Johannes Woltjer of the Netherlands, Sub-Lt. Richard Miles, a member of the Royal Navy Voluntary Reserve, and Wing Com. Scott Malden of the RAF. At the present time the Beta-Lambda chapter service flag contains 36 stars. Recent graduates who are in training for commissions include Harry Steinmeier with the Marines at Quantico, Va., and Gus Dailey in the Naval Reserve.

The chapter is inaugurating a policy of frequent inexpensive record dances at the house on week-ends. Plans are under way for our annual Thanksgiving Day Break-fast Dance which is one of our biggest dances of the year.

Before rush week a couple of actives got into the paint and decided to do the kitchen over. It wouldn't have been so bad if they would have stuck to one color. Fire engines don't come any redder than the border around the kitchen. Mary, the Negro cook, likes it.

Todd Forsythe is president, and Bob Busking is vice president of the new pledge class.

Traveling Secretary Charles Freeman recently visited here recently and gave us many helpful suggestions, sound advice, and encouragement.

Don Stocker was elected secretary to Lock and Chain.

John Koehler received sophomore honors.

Ottmar Grebe was elected alternate representative to the Panhellenic conference to be held at Kansas State College.—Robert N. Saveland.

The men who will lead Eta this year are: SMC, Leonard King; IMC, Daniel Verges; ThC, John Fanz; SC, William Owen; MC, Roswell Kimball, and MS, Todd Reboul.

Robert Parker is the commander of the Naval ROTC battalion, while John Roberts is on the battalion staff. George Burgess is the commander of the second company, which won the company competition last year and so is now the color company. Allan Lill is the commander of the Drum and Bugle Corps. Eta has more boys in the Naval ROTC than any other two fraternities combined.

The student handbook, *The Wave*, which is published primarily for orientation purposes for freshmen, was edited by Daniel L. Verges. The business manager of the student newspaper, *Hullabaloo*, is Leonard King, who is also the chairman of the Business Press Division of Southern Federation of College Students. William C. Owen is associated editor of the yearbook, *The Jambalaya*, and Lawrence Zeringer and John Fanz are assistant editors of this publication.

The Intramural Council, composed of 12 outstanding men, plays a vital role in the athletic activities of the students. Eta has seven men on the council. They are: George McCaskey, director; John Fanz, William Owen, Earnest Miller, Arthur Foss, William Browning, and Roswell Kimball.

**Class officers:** Freshmen engineering president, Alan Robinson; junior commerce president, John Fanz; senior engineering vice president, Daniel Verges; secretary-treasurer college arts and sciences, William Maginnis.

**Varsity candidates:** William Maginnis, football; Frederick Guedry, baseball; Leonard King and John Carraway, debate.

**Pledges:** Elroy Citron, '46; Frederick Ebel, '46; Arthur Foss, '45; Paul Jensen, '46; Roy Johns, '45; William Kellner, '46; Bradford Kelly, '46; Earnest Miller, Jr., '46; Joseph Ranna, '45; Edward Randolph, '46; Alan Robinson, '46; Robert Reinhardt, '46; William Tucker, '46; H. J. Williams, Jr., '46, and George Stewart, '46, all of New Orleans; Herman Boese, '46, Fort



Lauderdale, Fla.; William Browning, '45, Daytona Beach, Fla.; Aldon Cooley, '46, Slidell; Leonard Dodson, '45, Blytheville, Ark.; Leonard Kennedy, '46, Lake Providence; David Loveman, '46, Gadsden, Ala.; Max Michael, '46, Washington, D. C.; Walter Michael, '46, Washington, D. C.; Robert Wakefield, '46, Port Gibson, Miss., and Guyton Watkins, '45, New Iberia.—*T. Todd Reboul.*

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### New House and House Mother

LOUISIANA STATE—Alpha-Gamma began the school year in a new house at 423 State St., and a new house mother, Mrs. Verdie Gomez.

Sam O. Wood was elected SMC; Billy Johnson, IMC; Eugene McMillan, SC; David B. Means, ThC, and I. C. Kirkland, house manager.

The chapter welcomed a new brother, John Gianacopolos of Norwich, Conn., who was initiated Oct. 9.

Alpha-Gamma then concentrated on rush week and pledged 16 men. They were: Murphy Walker, Winnfield; Robert Taylor Means, Gloster; Billy Umstaedter, Milburn, N. J.; Lewis Thomas, Shreveport; Billy Brown, Homer; Robert H. Smith, Homer; Rudolph Norris, Shreveport; J. Arian Thedy, New Orleans; John Smith, Shreveport; Leonard I. Eversull, Bunkie; Ellis Williams, Winnfield; Frank Dayton, Jonesville; Charles David, New Roads; Turner Veidt, New York, N. Y.; Edward Deitrich, New Orleans, and James Pugh, DeRidder.

The annual black and white formal was held Nov. 13 in the L.S.U. Gym Armory. Billy Johnson was chairman of the dance committee which was composed of Jerry Sandkaut, Revell Rogers, Richard Penn Boyd, and J. Arion Thedy.

Alpha-Gamma has 16 men living in the house and 25 eating meals there regularly. L. C. Kirkland has proven an able house manager and is showing that by wise management wholesome meals can be served at a minimum of expense even though the food situation is growing serious.

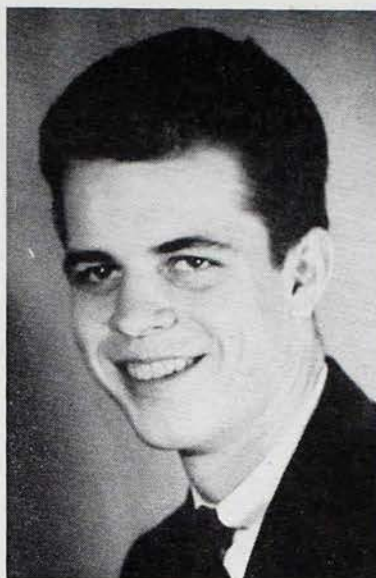
The chapter was honored with a visit by Traveling Secretary Charles Freeman, who passed many helpful suggestions to the officers and members. Brother Freeman spent much time with Brother Charles Guy, an alumni of Alpha-Gamma and President of District 11-b.

All members and pledges of Alpha-Gamma are either in an enlisted reserve or the L.S.U. Reserve Officers Training Corps, which is rated by the War Department as being the third best unit in the country. Billy Umstaedter is a sergeant in the ordnance branch of the cadet corps. Edward Dietrich is cadet captain of the colorful Company H, Infantry. This company is outstanding not only for its top ranking military record, but also for its unusual accomplishments. H Company being the only military unit on the campus to have a company published paper and company band.—*Eugene McMillan.*

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### Scholar Gets Degree

LOUISIANA POLY—Harbert Marshall was selected as the salutatorian of the spring graduating class with a 2.875 average out of 3. Gamma-Psi was exceptionally proud of Marshall's scholastic achievement because he received his degree in chemical engineering which is the most difficult course offered. He consistently led the chapter scholastically and also the entire list of fraternity men on the campus.



**Mirl Whitaker, AI, is editor of Millsaps annual, "Bobashela." Whitaker is a senior.**

In addition to his studies, the entire campus felt his mark. He was president of the Engineers' Association and the president of Delta Alpha Rho, honorary engineering society. He was also vice president of Tau Chi Sigma, honorary chemical society and a member of Gamma Epsilon, honorary scholastic society. He was active in all sports and was the No. 1 man on the tennis team.

His quiet unassuming manner, and genial personality made him one of the best liked figures on the campus. He is employed in the Humble Oil Co. research laboratory at Baytown, Tex.

Gamma-Psi is well represented in the armed forces. Of the active members returning to school in the fall most of those who are in the draft ages are already enlisted in one of the reserve corps. The Marines claim the largest number having W. G. Smith, pledgemaster; James Phillips, ThC, and Henry Monaghan, SMC. In the Navy is Ed Clark, who is enlisted in the V-7 class, and the Air Force claims Bob Holliday.

Among our recent alumni in the Air Forces are: Benjamin McLure, William Andreola, Billy Trimble, Tommy Nicholson, and Walter Berg. In the Army are: Harold Gilbert, ex-SMC, Oscar Barnes, and W. E. Odom. In the Navy's V-7 is Haynes Harkey, ex-IMC.—*Henry Monaghan.*

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### Alpha-Iota Pledges 17

MILLSAPS—Alpha-Iota led all other fraternities on the campus again this year in pledging. The 17 who were pledged Sept. 19 are: John Baas, Hazelhurst; James Cox, Jackson; Don Detwiler, Winter Park, Fla.; Gale Fant, Minter City; Lane Foster and Wyatt Harris, Chicago, Ill.; Jere Harrison, Jackson; Jack Jackson, Decatur; Bob Juraschek, Chicago, Ill.; Bobby Mantz, Brookhaven; Ray Moore, Jackson; Charles Rhea, Holly Springs; Collie Smith, Sardis; William Weathersby, Jackson; Martin White, Jackson, and Dick Wright, Jackson. Five men were pledged during the summer.

The annual pledge banquet was held at Edwards Hotel, Sept. 19. Several prominent alumni were present including Roy Clark, former ThC; Charles Murry, former SMC,

and Davis Haughton, former ThC. Each pledge gave a brief talk on becoming a Pi Kappa Alpha pledge. Also present at the banquet was National Pledge Training Chairman Harvey Newell.

Alpha-Iota copped another scholarship plaque last year by attaining the highest scholastic average among the four fraternities at Millsaps. Five of these plaques now hang from the walls of the chapter house.

Buddy Wofford, IMC, was elected president of his class for the third consecutive year. Wofford is a junior.

Two new men were initiated into Alpha-Iota at the conclusion of pledging Sept. 19. They are: Clay Miller, Jackson, and Jack Hiwiler, Knox, Pa.

This year, Alpha-Iota remains active in extra-curriculars. Mirl Whitaker, senior, is editor of the *Bobashela*, Millsaps annual; Jack King is business manager of the *Purple and White*, and James Holder is business manager of the purple-robed Millsaps singers. Several members are now participating in debate tryouts.—*Duncan Brackin.*

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### Holds Many Honors

MISSISSIPPI—Gamma-Iota opened the year, before rush week, with 35 actives and 10 pledges, having honors in all fields of extra-curricular activities.

These included Percy Johnson, president of the Interfraternity Council; Ted Morris, business manager of the *Rebel*; Mimms Mitchell, executive council; Jimmy Van Deventer, business manager of the yearbook; Hoke Stone, vice president of the law school; Dick Lord, president of the senior law class; four members of ODK; eight members of Ole Miss Band, and two members of Pi Kappa Pi.

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### Active During Summer

MISSISSIPPI STATE—Gamma-Theta chapter, active during this summer, is having a unique experience in that they are confronted with practically a continuous job of rushing. Mississippi State, like most colleges and universities, is operating on an accelerated program which makes a very active summer rush plan necessary.

The chapter enjoyed a rush party on Choctaw Lake during the week-end of Aug. 22. More than 120 members, pledges, rushees and their dates attended and took part in the swimming, boating, dancing and the other amusements.

The main success of the party lay in the fact that so many rushees attended and showed signs of a very enjoyable time. Gamma-Theta is looking forward to a very good and very successful rush week this fall.

At the beginning of the summer semester a rush week was conducted and Gamma-Theta pledged 11 men. The enrollment of freshmen was comparatively light and Gamma-Theta feels fortunate in getting these 11 men.

The men pledged are: Walker Jones, Jr., '46, Philadelphia; Esse Davis Langston, '45, Philadelphia; Prentis C. Alexander, Jr., '46, Bay Springs; T. J. Wilkins, '46, Brooksville; John Ross Nicholson, '46, Glenn Allan; Thomas J. Kirk, '46, Benton; Richard Sidney Topp, '46, Clarksdale; Robert John Westover, '46, Waynesboro; Walter Lee Bourland, '46, Amory; Basil Echles, '46, Clarksdale, and John Stott, '46, Greenwood.—*Sidney Burns.*



## District No. 12

### Beta-Xi Rents House

WISCONSIN—Beta-Xi chapter after a year in which the membership did not increase greatly, but a year which showed a financial gain, started the school year with a plan which should strengthen it further.

With the demand for housing in Madison it was difficult to find suitable quarters. However, a red brick house, attractively furnished has been rented at 223 West Gilman.

Brothers Curtiss, Smith and Quandt, with Pledges Dismeier, Radel and Schroder will form the nucleus of the chapter which has already made rushing plans and had six men ready for pledging when school opened.

Alumnus Brother Ken Corlett is active in aiding the chapter.

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### Summer Activity Reported

IOWA STATE—The Alpha-Phi chapter house was kept open all summer, although no meals were served. The critical times made the summer enrollment larger than ever before. There were 20 men in the house last summer, and from them we got a championship intramural baseball team. Bill Tietz was the star pitcher.

The chapter had a late spring rush week in which several men were pledged who came back after summer vacation, and helped with the regular rush week. In the week preceding school this fall, 18 new men were pledged and since then several more men have been pledged. The house is filled to capacity with ten more men than it has ever had before.

Ralph Rieke, a junior veterinary, is a member of the Cardinal Guild. Jerry Jorgenson is the president of the sophomore veterinary class. Phil Chamberlain is a member of Tau Beta Pi, engineering honorary society; captain in the ROTC, in the

Scabbard and Blade, and was chosen a guard of St. Patrick for the Engineer's Ball.

Eldon DeWall, ThC, is the senior intramural manager. Pete Winders is assistant secretary of the Interfraternity Council. Warren Bower is a member of the *Bomb* editorial staff, and Bill Jacus is business manager of *Sketch*, the campus literary magazine.

A hayride was held Oct. 24. After the ride, the group came back to the house for refreshments and dancing. Everyone donned overalls and straw hats for the annual barn dance on Oct. 31.

The parlor got a new set of furniture this summer, the kitchen was refinished, the back yard leveled and seeded, and the living room rug cleaned.

Initiation was held Oct. 18. Eight new initiates are: Edward Benz, Melvin; Ernie Bicek, Tracy, Minn.; Ralph Rieke, New Ulm, Minn.; Pat Moore, Batavia, Ill.; Ferrell Puckett, Mt. Vernon, Ill.; Douglas Randall, Miles City, Mont.; Robert Snyder, Douglas Center, and Norman Ward, Anthon.

The last year's men who are now in the service are: Bill Parish, James Martin, Charles Kupka and Chester Peek in the Air Corps, and Wm. Tuttle, John Janssen and Charles Chunglo in the Army.

The house has purchased an American flag, and a Pi Kappa Alpha flag to put in front of the house.—Wallace Voreck.

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### Rushing Is Limited

IOWA—Summer rushing at Gamma-Nu was rather limited due to the rules of the Interfraternity Council. There was to be no money spent by the Fraternity for rush trips. Expenses which were allowed were those incurred for mailing purposes and folders.

## District No. 13

### Information Inspiration

DENVER—Lt. (j. g.) Clarence B. Ogden recently sent greetings to Gamma-Gamma chapter from Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H., where he is attending the U. S. Naval Training School.

"I have discovered four other ΠΚΑ's here and we're all set to finish in November preparatory to taking our places with the United States Fleet. I read the September issue of *THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND* and was very much interested in the splendid job being done by other brothers who are in the service of our country.

"We've a hard job ahead of us, and being permitted to occasionally hear what the others are doing certainly gives an added inspiration."

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### Moves Into New House

KANSAS—Beta-Gamma moved into a new house with the opening of the fall semester at Kansas. The house at 1409 Tennessee was redecorated completely on the interior by the members of the fraternity. The outstanding feature of the new residence is the large study rooms.

Traveling Secretary Charles Freeman visited Beta-Gamma during rush week and aided in a successful rushing period. The following 12 men were pledged: Robert Hunter, Lawrence; Dale Caudle, Coffeyville; Bill Coomes, Coffeyville; Kenneth Johnston, Peru; Donald Seed, Leon; Eugene

Swenson, Clay Center; Jack Wills, Coffeyville; Henry Haworth, Lawrence; Emerson Hazlett, Lawrence; James Ludes, Salina; Raymon Bird, Albert, and Willis Beyer, Gridley.

Two men were initiated by Beta-Gamma at the first of this year. They were Lawrence Hickey, Jr., Coffeyville, and Warren Hodges, Lawrence.

At present seven men of Beta-Gamma are enrolled in ROTC, three are in the Army Enlisted Reserve, four in the Navy V-7, two in V-5, and another in the Army Air Corps Reserve.

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### Chapter Paper Started

COLORADO—Closer and better contact with alumni was started last year with the establishment of the chapter paper, *The Beta-Upsilon News*.

Sunday night steak fries were popular social events after the outdoor fireplace in the backyard was completed.

Plans are being made for the annual Christmas party.

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### Rush Season Successful

KANSAS STATE—Alpha-Omega's rush season was highlighted by the pledging of 22 men. Traveling Secretary Charles L. Freeman and prominent alumni gave valuable assistance.

Fall parties have consisted mainly of jam sessions held at the chapter house im-

mediately after home football games. Members, dates and guests danced to the music of Matt Betton's orchestra.

Officers: Kenneth Rice, SMC; Arthur McFadden, IMC; David Campbell, SC, and Robert Christmann, ThC.

Initiates: John Shupe, Ford; Eugene Patterson, Ford; Wilbur Mansfield, Lucas; Harold Mason, Vermillion; Willard Allen, Wichita; Clarence Sargent, Wichita; Gerald Carr, Wichita, and Lawrence Adece, Belleville.

Pledge officers: Karl Funk, president; Robert Hall, vice president, and James Otto, secretary.

Pledges: Jack Bell, Perry; George Fleming, Oakley; William Funk, Abilene; Scott Graham, Altamont; James Gransberry, Wichita; Robert Hall, Merriam; Edward Hawkins, Osawatimie; Billy Houlton, Hazelton; Lawrence Houlton, Abilene; Norman Minks, Greensburg; Glenn Mitchum, Mission; James Newlin, Hillsboro; James Otoo, Riley; Richard Patterson, Ford; Willard Plumb, Wichita; Robert Quinlan, Perry; William Rigler, Wichita; Benton Sigsbee, Dodge City; Keo Snook, Ford; Don Vickers, Abilene; Bernard Weller, Montezuma, and Clyde Wilder, Wichita.

Honorary societies: Kenneth Rice, Sigma Tau and Eta Kappa Nu; Arthur McFadden, Alpha Kappa Psi, and Robert Christmann, Scabbard and Blade.—Eugene Patterson.



## District No. 14

### Purposes Outlined

OKLAHOMA—The purpose of Pi Kappa Alpha at the University of Oklahoma is to fit its men in mind, in body and in spirit for a successful life.

To do this, a two-fold program is undertaken: (1) scholastic training, and (2) social training.

Its men are taught how to study—the experience of the older men being always available.

Beta-Omicron's house, near the heart of the campus is always a scene of wholesome social activity.—*Lewis Bond.*

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### Pledges Set New Record

OKLAHOMA A. & M.—Gamma-Chi went through rush week with a huge success, pledging the most men in its history. Pledges are: Kenneth Boyd, Earl Harmon, Bill Malchi, Jim McFerron, Randal Salmon, George Sante, Bob Powers, and Jim Voelkers, all of Oklahoma City; Wayne Burk, Dale Brown, and Don Miller, Enid; Bob Ayres and Don Locke, Eufaula; Bob Wilde, Broken Arrow; Evan Karnes, Beaver; Dean Johnson, Waketa; Clifford Buzard, Tulsa; Jack Tubb, Guthrie; C. R. Apitz, Wichita, and Ed Lynch, Wewoka.

The chapter house was painted throughout and new lighting fixtures for the downstairs installed. A complete new set of dining room chairs were added.

Gamma-Chi gave its annual Pow Wow Nov. 13. Its first Dream Girl was announced. Ed Davenport, SMC, pinned Miss Newell Ann Wright, XΩ, at the beginning of the year.

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### Sweep Political Positions

ARKANSAS—Allying with the New Deal party in campus politics, Alpha-Zeta chapter has won a majority of the political positions. At the first student senate meeting of the year Dick Metcalf, IKA president was appointed chairman of the social committee by the Student Senate. Appointed at the same time was another IKA, Jack Holt. He is to serve on the social committee with Metcalf.

The IKA dream girl, Pauline Harper, ΔΔΔ, was appointed to serve on the same committee. The committee is responsible for the social calendar this year. They are to arrange dates for all organizations to have their social functions for the following year. G. Leggett was appointed to serve on the publications board next spring.

Amid the usual cheers and boos that accompany the freshman election every year, Bob Gosdin, IKA pledge from Little Rock, was elected president of the freshman class. Gosdin was nominated by another pledge, Vance Mills of Augusta.

One of the biggest honors on the campus was given to Jim Trimble, who was elected president of Phi Eta Sigma, honorary organization for five-point freshman men. Trimble had the second highest grade point average on the campus last year.

New chapter officers are: Jimmie Denton, MC; Robert L. Smith, Jr., MS; F. B.

Kirby, alumni secretary, and Charles Lane, challenger.

Co-captains of the 1942-43 Razorback squad, Robert Forte and Clayton Wynne are IKA pledges. Seniors and veterans of three years' service, these men are leading the squad to a higher position than they held last year. Also in the lineup are Wallace Martin and Pledges Herman Lubker, George Rucker, Ben Jones, Charles Lively, Edd Hamilton, and Bill Muncy.

Hershel Wells, BK, ThC last year, has transferred to Alpha-Zeta.

Pinned: Wallace Martin to Frankie Ann Coldren, KKP. Harold Holt to Audrea Yoe, KKP.

Honorary societies: James Trimble, Phi Eta Sigma.

Class officers: Bob Gosdin, freshman president, and Wallace Martin, sophomore senator.

ROTC officers: Dick Metcalf, captain, Infantry.

Recent initiates: George Armstrong, Carey Ashley, Jimmie Denton, Shuler Gamble, Lawrence Gregory, Grover Glenn, Julian Harris, Elbert Hiller, Jack Holt, Bill Holt, J. B. Johnson, Frank Beverly Kirby, Charles Lane, Gene Leggett, Wallace Martin, Roger Mast, Harold Measle, Dick Metcalf, Milton Phillips, Freddie Reinmiller, Robert L. Smith, Jr., Joe Stinson, Jim Trimble, Hershel Wells, Calvin W. Dickson, and T. R. Wilson.

Pledges: Alex Curtis, O. L. Dailey, Edward Dobbs, Louis Feltz, Sonny Gardner, Bob Gosdin, Joe Hale, Harold Holt, M. D. Johnson, Donald Jones, T. H. Jordan, Joe Martin, Vance Mills, Otis Parham, James Pence, Frank Shelton, Ralph Smith, William Stovall, Marion Griffin, Ed Robinson, Bill Plaster, J. D. O'Hara, Sam Ratcliff, Horace Procter, Gene Cloninger, Jack Jackson, Louis Walters, Ed Hamilton, Bill Muncy, Joe Bryant, Charles Lively, George Rucker, Herman Lubker, Clayton Wynn, and Jim Scurlock.—*Robert L. Smith, Jr.*

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### IKA's Grab Spotlight

TULSA—IKA's lead in every field at the University of Tulsa.

Every member of the starting backfield of the University of Tulsa football team is a member of Gamma-Upsilon. The Golden Hurricane, Missouri Valley Conference and Sun Bowl champions last year, is headed for another great season and much of their success is due to the brilliant play of IKA's.

IKA backfield starters are Glenn Dobbs, tailback; Bobby Dobbs, fullback; Dewey Ericksen, blocking back, and Cal Purdin, wingback. Purdin is Gamma-Upsilon prexy and Dobbs is vice president.

The intramural football team made a good showing, finishing second in the league race. Lambda Chi Alpha, the winner, edged the IKA's, 7-6, in a thrilling battle. A play-off will be held, giving IKA a good shot at the title.

Jack Murphy served as editor of the campus newspaper, *The Tulsa Collegian*, for six weeks but resigned because of other duties. Murphy is a full-time employee

of the *Tulsa Daily World* as a staff sports writer.—*Jack Murphy.*

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### Best Rush Week Reported

TEXAS—Beta-Mu experienced one of its best rush weeks in the history of the chapter. Twenty-nine men were pledged, representing all sections of Texas and several other states. Charles Binney was rush captain.

Pledges are: Hubert Braden, Tyler; Franklin Butler, Lubbock; Elton Brogdon, Arlington; Billy Davis, Stirling City; Robert Driskill, Fort Worth; Randal Eldrich, Austin; Eddie Feuille, El Paso; Harold Fischer, Austin; Robert Freeman, Union, Miss.; Joseph Gaulding, Austin; Ike Harwell, Burkburnet; Allen Humphrey, Dallas; Lem Johnson, Dallas; Don Julien, El Paso; Robert Looney, Austin; Ivan Elmer, Glade-water; Ed Lumpkin, El Paso; Bruce Lynn, Alice; Richard Moore, Fort Worth; Eugene Morris, Henderson; John Parker, Center; A. C. Lloyd, Alice; Kenneth Ruble, Bertram; Jimmy Scott, Austin; Tommy Shires, Dallas; Gardner Smith, Paducah, Ky.; Milner Thorne, Lubbock; Stanley Woodward, Arlington, and Karl Hall, Terrell.

The officers for this semester are: Frank Lyons, SMC; Sam Long, IMC; Arthur Kelly, SC; William Adams, ThC, and James Freeman, pledgemaster.

Mac Umstatt was recently elected to the Judiciary Council of the university. He received more votes than any of the other candidates running for any office. This shows the popularity of Pi Kappa Alpha on the campus of the University of Texas. He also was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.—*Jack Perry.*

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### Off to Flying Start

SOUTHERN METHODIST—Starting the year by pledging several good men, that revived interest of the chapter like a shot in the arm, Beta-Zeta was off toward a successful year financially, socially and scholastically.

The touch football team dropped a heart-breaker to Phi Delta Theta by a 0-6 score, came back to win 12-7 over Kappa Sigma and, through over-confidence, lost the third game to Delta Chi, 0-13, and had one more game to play. A win meant a tie for second place in the league.

The following men were pledged: Fran Jones, A. L. Harkins, Jim Bollman, Jim Wilson, Ben Stradley, Milton Thomas, John Raborn, Jimmy Busch, and J. Altus Sheffield. Thomas is president of the pledge class. Other officers are: Raborn, vice president; Busch, secretary, and Sheffield, treasurer.

Feeling that this year's pledges represent the hope of the chapter, every effort is being bent toward pledge training. Pledge meetings are held every Monday night and the history of the fraternity is being taught as it has never been taught before. A constructive and informative course of the history of the fraternal system in America is being taught with special emphasis on the ideals and history of Pi Kappa Alpha.—*Jay Vickers.*

## District No. 15

### Semester Opens Early

NEW MEXICO—Freshman Week opened Aug. 18 under the new university program of completing the semester before the Christmas holidays. Beta-Delta fared well

in rushing under the new rules. Each rushee was required to visit each house at least twice.

Donald Loken, honorable mention on the All-IKA team for two years, has been

accepted by the Naval Air Corps. Eugene Vivian, pledge, is in the Navy. Richard English and Bob Dial also are in the Naval Air Corps. Frank Hash is with the Quartermaster Corps of the Army. Vincent



Brunelli is training for a commission in the Marine Corps, and Wilfred Brennan soon will get a commission in the Army.

Two alumni have accepted positions with the University of New Mexico. Lewis Martin, former SMC and widely known amateur golfer, is professional at the new \$50,000 university course. Stephen Reynolds, '39, is superintendent of heating and

lighting in the college of engineering.—*James Noble.*

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## 12 Men in ROTC

ARIZONA—Fifteen men were pledged by Gamma-Delta in a successful fall rushing season. Twelve men are senior officers in the ROTC.

# District No. 16

## Scholarship Record Grows

UTAH—Alpha-Tau can now boast of a scholarship record that borders on the legendary. Eight consecutive years leader in the interfraternity scholarship competition. The walls of the house are now covered with plaques and the fireplace mantle with cups.

The year's biggest "blow-out" and the most looked-forward-to party on the campus, the annual "IIKA Bowers Party," was held Oct. 30 at the Forest Dale Clubhouse.

Les Hewlett, Les Paxton, and Pledge Jack Clegg all contemplate marriage in the near future. A reception for Paxton and Miss Helen Richards, the future Mrs. Paxton, was held at the fraternity house Nov. 4.

The chapter does not have a service flag, rather a service men's plaque, listing the names of all brothers doing their part for Uncle Sam.—*Kenneth Sundwall.*

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## Lee Heads "Kid Party"

UTAH STATE—Newly-initiated members of the Gamma-Epsilon chapter are Leland Graham, Vernon W. Carlson, John O. Anderson, A. Bert Caseman, Kenneth G. Lee, and J. Carl Hylton. Lee's first active assignment was chairman of Gamma-Epsilon's annual November "Kid Party." With Stayner Thompson and Carl Hylton as assistants, the "short pants and skirts shindig" was a big success.

IIKA's at Utah State boast of consuming the best group of pledges that were taken

Niel Doutrick, former SMC, left the university after he enlisted in the Air Forces. New officers are: SMC, Bob McNally; MC, Bill Hall, and ThC, John Van Denburgh.

Joe Rabb was initiated Oct. 23.

Jack Earhart, past SMC and Phi Beta Kappa, and Pledge Dick Greenfield enlisted in the Marine Corps.—*Bob McNally.*

in on bid day held late in September. From 34 pledging, Jack Christenson, freshman student, was elected pledge president; Floyd Bishop, vice president, and Robert Preston, pledge secretary. Other new pledges are: Sterling Hayward, Paul H. Sharp, Francis Norr, William Capener, Fred H. Tingey, Edward Pike, Reid Nielson, Cordell Lundahl, Norman Lee, and Stanley L. Hanks.

Theo Hymas, Parker Fronk, D. Gordon Redd, Bob Terry, Bob Welch, Glen C. Terry, Melvin Meyer, Gene Clark, Oral Lamb Ballam, Alfred L. Chambers, Quinn Eskelson, Ray Forman, Glen Mehr, Ned Oyler, Dale Goodwin, Malcolm Jeppson, Linden Seamons, Don J. Smith, Marian Richards, Allen C. Rozsa, and Fred Williams.—*Ray A. Lutz.*

# District No. 17

## Moses Heads Gamma-Eta

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Officers of Gamma-Eta chapter are: SMC, Llewellyn B. Moses; SC, Joe Barry; IMC, C. Robert Stevens, and ThC, Robert R. Rockwell.

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## Pledge Group Doubled

CALIFORNIA—Summer brought many changes in faculty, student body, and university activities in general. Previously only a few hundred students had been in attendance during the summer months. This

year a majority remained in order to speed up their education in compliance with the government's programs.

Near-by shipyards have caused such an influx of workers as to make the housing situation terrible, but on the other hand it gives chances to many. Men who had previously considered fraternity life too expensive now find that it is well within their means. Consequently Alpha-Sigma has pledged 26 men to date, an increase of 100 per cent over the averages for preceding years.

Among them are many outstanding students and athletes. Three rank high among honor students in their field. Keith Winton has already established himself as first string center on the Frosh football team. Ed Hennessey was rated one of San Francisco's All-City High School basketball players last season. Bob McAnaw and Ray Mitchler were track and football men, respectively.

Alpha-Sigma announces the initiation of Lehman F. Woodside and Joe Caate. Woodside was initiated for Delta-Alpha.—*Jim Bell.*

# District No. 18

## Montana Enrollment Drops

MONTANA STATE—Montana State College opened Sept. 28 with an enrollment 17.6% below last year. Dr. A. L. Strand resigned to take the presidency of Oregon State College. W. M. Cobbleigh, dean of engineering, has been named acting president.

The registrar reports Gamma-Kappa had the highest standing in scholarship for spring quarter with an average of 80.25.

New pledges are: Kenneth Humphries, Malta; Don Thorson, Great Falls; Arthur Roach, Chester; Bob Crow, Kalispel; Dave Brooks, Columbia Falls; Rolly Bowen, Fairfield; Dick Isaacs, Kalispel; Dave Lane, Deer Lodge; Bob Johnson, Marmarth, N. Dak.; Don O'Neil, Livingstone; James and Jack Peterson, Great Falls; Bob and Jack Roadarmel, Three Forks, and Howard Skillinberg, Homestead.

Robert Thompson has made arrangements to continue in his work in chemistry at one of the larger Eastern universities.—*George Seel.*

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## Roblin Stars on Gridiron

OREGON—Gamma-Pi chapter completed one of its most successful rushing periods

this year with 17 men wearing the IIKA pledge pin on the Oregon campus.

Pledges are: John Tasnady, Wally Staley, Dale Rosenberry, and Win Kelker, all of Portland; Dick Finnell and Frank Carroll, Ashland; Dean McKay, Larry Reed, Jack Fleck, and Jim Hodges, all of Klamath Falls; Creston McNeal, Glendale; Dick Eismann, Grants Pass; Tony Klobas, Bend; Russ Smeltzer, McMinnville; Dick Schwan, Pendleton; Bob Gurley, Whittier, Calif., and Walter Moore, Redwood City, Calif.

This large pledge class coupled with 27 returning men fills the house to capacity.

Initiates: John Todd, Portland; John Gilbertson, Seattle, Wash., and Don Bozarth, Eugene.

L. Brooks Ragen visited the chapter in October on behalf of the Portland alumni and is making arrangements for closer cooperation between actives at Gamma-Pi and near-by alumni.

Elections for house officers were held Nov. 2 to fill the vacancy left by James Harrison who is being married. Robert Wiley, past pledgemaster, was elected president and Kenneth Lawrence was appointed assistant pledgemaster.—*Kenneth Lawrence.*

## Pledge Dance Date Set

WASHINGTON STATE—Gamma-Xi's annual pledge dance will be held Dec. 4. Plans are going forward to insure its success.

The summer rushing program was carried on very effectively with 13 men pledged. They are: Sam Erwin, Wayne Adams, Rolland Adams, Jay Atherton, Jim Moser, Jim Ferris, Red Smith, Melvin Cole, Jackson Fleming, Harry Slagle, Harvey Shipley, Roy Defenbach, and Charles Ludwig.

Gamma-Xi is again active in intramural sports, social functions, rallies, as well as all other campus activities.

Glen Lorang, PE, '42, is now teaching several radio courses, as well as continuing his duties at Radio Station KWSC, at Washington State College.—*George Goldsberry.*

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## War Hits Chapter Hard

WASHINGTON—Beta-Beta was hit hard by the war and only a few actives returned to school.

Traveling Secretary Charles L. Freeman visited the chapter in November.



# UNDERGRADUATE CHAPTERS WELCOME YOU

The number following chapter name is the district in which located. Where P. O. Box is given use that for mail. First name given is of SMC. AC indicates alumnus counselor.

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**GAMMA**, 4, William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va. IKA House, Harry D. Cox, 221 Richmond Rd., AC, Dr. J. E. Pate, William and Mary College.  
**DELTA**, 9, Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, Ala. IKA Room on Campus, Birmingham-Southern College, W. H. Ellis, AC, Ben Englebert, Birmingham-Southern College.  
**ZETA**, 8, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn. IKA House, 1305 W. Clinch Ave., Charles F. Herd.  
**ETA**, 11b, Tulane University, New Orleans, La. IKA House, 1470 Joseph St., Leonard King, AC, Dr. Arden Howell, 1430 Tulane Ave.  
**THETA**, 11a, Southwestern University, Memphis, Tenn. IKA Chapter Room, Ryce Russum, AC, J. M. Buck, Plough, Inc., Box 262.  
**IOTA**, 4, Hampden-Sydney College, Hampden-Sydney, Va. IKA Lodge on Campus, James G. Peden, AC, P. Tulane Atkinson, Hampden-Sydney College.  
**KAPPA**, 8, Transylvania College, Lexington, Ky. IKA Room on Campus, Willis C. Milton.  
**MU**, 5b, Presbyterian College, Clinton, S. C. IKA Room on Campus, James G. Collier.  
**XI**, 5b, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C. IKA Room on Campus, S. T. Roach.  
**OMICRON**, 4, University of Richmond, Richmond, Va. IKA Room on Campus, Oscar E. Luttrell, Jr., Box 198, AC, M. D. Nunnally, Jr., 900 E. Broad St.  
**PI**, 4, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va. IKA House, 106 N. Main St., L. J. Signaigo, Jr., AC, Clayton E. Williams, W. & L. Univ.  
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**TAU**, 5a, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N. C. IKA House, H. B. Hatch, Jr.  
**UPSILON**, 9, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala. IKA House, Bradford Clopton, Box 470, AC, Dr. C. R. Saunders.  
**OMEGA**, 8, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky. IKA House, 216 E. High St., Sam McElroy.  
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**ALPHA-GAMMA**, 11b, Louisiana State University, IKA House, 3236 Louisiana Ter., Baton Rouge, La., William F. Umstaedter.  
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**ALPHA-ZETA**, 14a, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark. IKA House, 418 Arkansas Ave., A. M. Metcalf, AC, Henry Warten, 407 Main St., Joplin, Mo.  
**ALPHA-ETA**, 6b, University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla. IKA House, Walter M. Turner, AC, Dr. U. S. Gordon, First Presbyterian Church.  
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**ALPHA-LAMBDA**, 8, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky. IKA House, 455 E. Main St., Rex J. Miller, AC, Prof. Carl R. Fields.  
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**ALPHA-XI**, 3, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, O. IKA House, 2437 Clifton Ave., Richard L. Hoffman, AC, Phil R. Heil, N. W. Nat'l Life Ins. Co., 528-31 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Cincinnati, O.  
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**BETA-DELTA**, 15, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N. M. IKA House, 600 N. University, George W. Hammond.  
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**BETA-THETA**, 1, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. IKA House, 17 South Ave., Wm. Henry Morewood, AC, Rev. E. T. Horn, 111 Oak Ave.  
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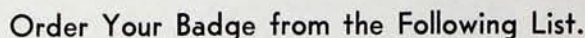
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