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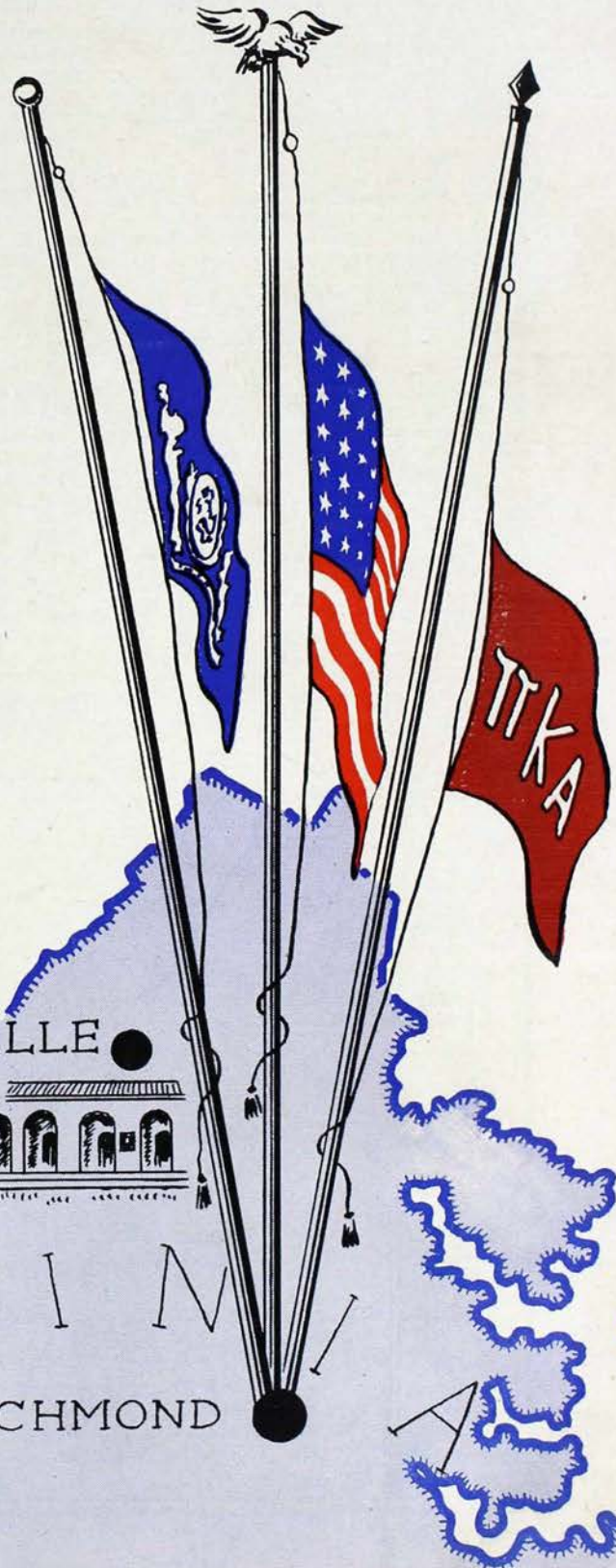
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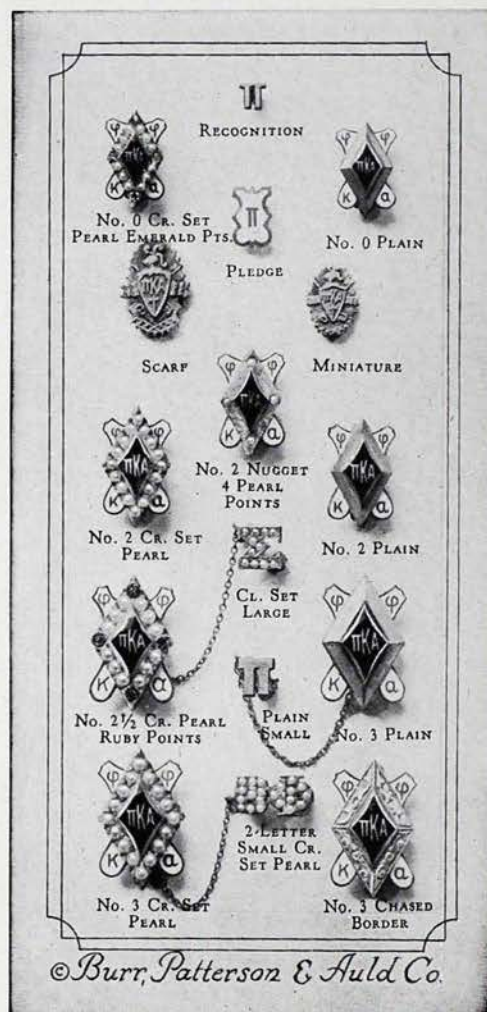
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Letters

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

I'm afraid that I don't know much about the present activities of the Fraternity because it's been many months since I have seen a copy of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND. However, my wife promises to start forwarding it on to me. (The magazine can be sent directly to men overseas.)

I have been overseas for several months and at the present time my address reads "Somewhere in Belgium." Before coming to this country, I was in France for many weeks and, fortunately, got an opportunity to make one quick visit to Paris where I saw, for the first time, all the world-famous landmarks. Even in these times Paris is still a lovely and wonderful city.

Here in Belgium, life has been pretty miserable—not even the red clay hills of Georgia can get as muddy as the plains of Belgium. But we're in inside quarters now and life is much more agreeable. I'm in an M. P. outfit—the soldiers' "favorite branch of service"—doing town patrol and guard duty and encountering many new and interesting experiences every day.

CPL. LELAND H. WILLIAMS,
JR., BV.

Somewhere in Belgium.

— IKA —

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

You are to be congratulated on the splendid October issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND! I have always been proud of our official publication and every issue further amplifies this feeling. Despite the inevitable difficulties which the war has placed upon your job each SHIELD AND DIAMOND seems better than the last.

RAY ELIIS, Editor,
Gamma-XI Newsletter.

— IKA —

EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

May I take this opportunity to congratulate you on the fine job you are doing with THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND. It is, by far, the best fraternity publication that I have seen and I have had many compliments from members of other fraternities who have seen my copy.

WALTER I. KNOX, B. '22,
Richmond, Va.

— IKA —

◆ TEN PAGES of military and civilian exploits of Pi Kappa Alphas are already in type for the next issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND. Special articles for the April number will include one on the work of Capt. J. C. Ruddock, AΣ, chief of medical services of the Naval Hospital at San Diego, the observance on the 75th birthday of President Hoskins, Z, of the University of Tennessee, "Once We Were 10," a thrilling story of a Flying Fortress, written especially for THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND by Capt. Sam Turner, AH, "1,000 Hours Under the Sea," by John Maloney, ΔA, about Constance and Wesley Mueller, he of ΓA, which appeared in the *Saturday Evening Post*, and "Fortune in Box Tops," the story of Raymond Morgan, AΣ, Hollywood advertising genius.

— IKA —

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◆ NATIONAL OFFICERS' PAGE ◆

To: All Active and Alumni Chapters

THIS is a special plea to all Pi Kappa Alphas to rally for Founders' Day around March 1 and make the occasion this year something of a memorial service for the two hundred or more Pi Kappa Alphas, including National Alumni Secretary Hodges, who have made the supreme sacrifice in the present conflict. If you have not done so, I hope you will make every effort to observe Founders' Day even though there are only a few who can be counted on to be present. If you have the prospect of a large enough gathering to make it worthwhile I suggest you write the National Office for the possibility of getting an outside speaker.

With every good wish to each of you,

Roy Hickman BA

To: All District Presidents, Alumnus Counselors, SMC's, and Other Chapter Officers.

State of the Fraternity

The news continues good from the National Office. Thus far the Fraternity at large is having an even better year than last year. The dozen chapters that have gone back into their own houses seem to be getting along nicely with the good prospect of breaking even financially even though the numbers are not up to pre-war levels.

As you will note from the list of initiates published in this issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND hundreds of men are still finding in Pi Kappa Alpha the best there is in friendship and the ideals of the Fraternity are probably meaning more to them than even the pre-war period.

Reporting

We would like to continue to put in a plea that chapters make the regular monthly financial reports required by the Constitution even though you are collecting and spending very little money. It saves all of us lots of embarrassment when initiations are reported promptly. If you have elections be sure to send the S. C. 3 Report just as soon as possible after the election. Both National Editor Taylor and the National Office will greatly appreciate your continuing to send war news and clippings of Pi Kappa Alphas both in and out of the service. A large number of chapters are getting up news letters. Both the National Office and the National Editor are grateful for copies of these.

Prospects for 1945

As indicated in a circular letter recently the prospects for Pi Kappa Alpha continue good for the coming year and particularly for the post-war period. If any chapter needs help in rushing or in other ways we hope you will write to the National Office for possible suggestions and rush material. If you have other problems we would like to try to help in so far as we can. Letters from chapters are always welcome and we try to answer them just as promptly as possible.

With kindest personal regards to each of you,

FREEMAN H. HART
Executive Secretary.

To: All Members

The "IKA War Bulletin," a three-column, four-page news sheet which was circulated to all members of the Fraternity not receiving THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND, was well received in many quarters.

Probably the most enthusiastic yet the most representative of the responses which swelled the War Memorial Fund and added names to THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND mailing list, came from New Guinea:

The letter began:

"Greetings from 'Somewhere in New Guinea.' The October issue of the IKA War Bulletin was forwarded from my home and was very glad to receive it." The writer was Maj. Theron S. Parmelee, Alpha-Tau, general manager of student activities at the University of Utah when called into the service Jan. 12, 1942.

Once a district president, he resigned that office when he became connected with the University. Mrs. Parmelee, an Alpha Chi Omega, and Dick, a junior in high school, live in Salt Lake City.

Continuing, the letter said:

"Some of us oldtimers are back in the service again, and am sure that whether we are youngsters or are on the graying side that we still like to get news from our Fraternity.

"Am submitting herewith the information card and enclosing a postal money order for \$28.75 to cover the life subscription to THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND and also enough to purchase a War Bond for the Memorial Fund.

"You may send the magazine to my home address . . . don't know when I will get back there to read them but in the meantime my high school youngster may enjoy reading about our fine Fraternity.

"My Fraternity ring has helped me to meet several IKA's overseas, and as I have been over here now for nearly two years you can realize what it means to meet another brother in the bonds."

J. BLANFORD TAYLOR
National Editor.

Memorial Fund Goal \$250,000

TO HONOR the 12,000 brothers now in the armed services and their 200 dead and missing, Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity will open a campaign on Feb. 22 to raise \$250,000 for a War Memorial, it was announced by Maj. Roy D. Hickman, national president. The drive will end Dec. 7, 1945.

Major Hickman announced that the War Memorial Fund would be supervised by the fraternity's trustees: Milo Warner, Toledo, O., chairman, past national commander of the American Legion; Fletcher D. Richards, New York, president of Campbell-Ewald Company, and A. E. Paxton, New York, manager of McGraw-Hill Company's publications, *Engineering News-Record* and *Construction Methods*. Fund director will be Harold E. Rainville, Chicago.

United States Senator Wayne Morse, Oregon, was appointed chairman of the Committee on Site, with the other members being Gov. Clarence W. Meadows of West Virginia, Mayor W. Cooper Green of Birmingham, Ala., Lynn Waldorf, Northwestern University head football coach, and Chancellor W. P. Tolley of Syracuse University.

Mrs. Courtney H. Hodges, Atlanta, Ga., wife of the commanding general of the American First Army, has accepted



HAROLD E. RAINVILLE
War Fund Director

the chairmanship of the Women's Auxiliary Committee.

Congressman John J. Sparkman, Alabama, is chairman of the Alumni Committee. Other committee heads are John McCann, Pittsburgh, Taxes and Legal Affairs; Donald Bean, Chicago, Equipment; Herbert Helsing, Washington, D. C., Construction; Dr. Freeman H. Hart, Atlanta, Fraternity History; Col. Franklin S. Forsberg, commanding officer of *Yank*, History of World War II; Robert Lynn, Clinton, S. C., Interfraternity Cooperation.

The War Memorial Fund campaign is urging each of the fraternity's 30,000 members to contribute a \$25 war bond to the fund.

J. Harold Johnston, New Brunswick, N. J., and Rainville, after serving with Richards from July to December last year in setting up the fund and reorganizing the work of the trustees, both resigned in January. Johnston said he resigned because of the pressure of personal affairs and his unwillingness to handicap the campaign by being unable to devote sufficient time to his office to make it a success.

Following a conference with Executive Secretary Hart and National Counsel John L. Packer, an agreement was worked out whereby Rainville will devote his entire time for the remainder of the year to directing the War Fund drive.

AS THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND goes to press, 15 committees are in the process of being appointed and a general announcement is being prepared for distribution to the members of the fraternity. A number have already accepted chairmanships.

Paul E. Crider of the Ohio State Uni-

versity School of Architecture has accepted chairmanship of the Committee on Architectural Design and is at work on sketches of the proposed exterior.

The committees where appointments have not yet been verified include: Committee on Dedication, Special Gifts, Gold Star Chapter, Undergraduate, and World War I.

Following completion of the committees, district chairmen will be appointed and there will be state and local chairmen as well as chairmen for each chapter, including those no longer active. In this manner it is hoped to reach every living alumnus of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity and enable them to participate in the fund to erect a memorial to those, living and dead, who are serving their country in this war, and to honor those who gave their lives and services in the First World War.

The trustees have set a goal of \$250,000 and while no contribution, large or small, will be refused they are asking

Pvt. H. J. Gordon, O, who entered the Army before completing his work at University of Richmond, is typical of the younger group of Fraternity men supporting the War Memorial Fund. From "Somewhere in Germany" he has sent several pieces of invasion currency as his contribution. A letter from Gordon is included in the Omicron Chapter Letter in this issue.



Maj. Theron S. Parmelee, AT, who is stationed in New Guinea, also a veteran of World War I, realizes the value of the Fraternity and not only sent a \$25 War Bond for the War Memorial Fund, but also an extra \$10 for a life subscription to *The Shield and Diamond*. His letter appears on the National Officers' Page.

that every member contribute a \$25 war bond, thus doing the double job of helping to finance the war and at the same time enabling the fraternity to create a fund with which to finance the memorial building. Gifts are tax exempt for the purpose of a library and museum open to the public.

Checks should be made payable to the War Memorial Fund, and bonds can be made payable to the War Memorial Fund of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity (not incorporated) and sent either to the War Memorial Fund headquarters at 11 South LaSalle Street, Chicago 3, Ill., or to the national headquarters at 771 Spring Street, N. W., Atlanta, Ga.

Milo Warner, AP, newly appointed chairman of the War Memorial Fund, expresses his views on what the Fraternity can do for the returning veteran on Page 7 of this issue of *The Shield and Diamond*.

Dr. Craig Munter

◆ DR. CRAIG MUNTER, BA, urologist, died Jan. 14, 1944, after a heart attack in his home at Fort Worth, Tex.

He was vice president of the Tarrant County Medical Society and had been editor of the bulletin of the organization for 12 years. He was a past secretary of the state medical association and had been medical examiner for the CAA for two years.

Dr. Munter was consulting urologist at City-County Hospital and was a member of the staffs of several hospitals. He held fellowships in the American Urologic Association and the American Medical Association.

He took his academic and medical degrees at the University of Nebraska and interned at St. Louis and Dallas. He was a Methodist, a Mason and a member of Alpha Kappa Kappa.

He spoke Spanish fluently and was deeply interested in the development of Mexico.



DR. CRAIG E. MUNTER

He is survived by his wife and two children, Martha Ann, 7, and Robert Craig, 3½.

Dr. Charles E. Raynal

◆ DR. CHARLES E. RAYNAL, M.D., a member of a famous Pi Kappa Alpha family and pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Statesville, N. C., died Dec. 1 at Longs Hospital there.

Dr. Raynal has held the pastorate for 35 years and for more than a quarter of a century had been an outstanding leader in civic life of his community. He was a writer and a close student of history.

The September 1942 issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND devoted a page to the Scott-Raynal-Long families boasting of 10 members of the Fraternity, all of Beta Chapter except Dr. Raynal. Since that time, Middleton Raynal, son of Dr. Raynal, has been initiated by Beta, as was his two other sons, Lt. Charles Ray-

nal, of the Army, and Capt. John Scott Raynal, of the Navy.



Dr. C. E. Raynal

Seminary after finishing at Southwest-ern.

Also surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret Mayo Raynal, and a daughter, Miss Margaret Raynal.

Born in Savannah, Ga., of French parentage, Dr. Raynal did graduate work at Princeton University and Princeton

John Francis Nooe

◆ JOHN FRANCIS NOOE, T, died at a hospital in San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 30, 1944. A beloved physician and surgeon of Boerne, Tex., he had practiced medicine there for nearly 50 years. For 35 years he was both surgeon for the Southern Pacific Railroad and health officer for Kendall County, Tex.

He was a member of the American Medical Association, an organizer of the Boerne State Bank, and a member of its board of directors at the time of his death. For many years he served as Democratic chairman for both his county and his district.

He saw 14 months service in World War I as operating surgeon at Kelly

Field, Tex., where he was a captain in the Army Medical Corps.

A student at the University of North Carolina in 1892-95, he served as Commencement Marshal in 1895, and was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He received his M.D. degree from the University of Texas in 1898 and interned in one of the hospitals in New York City before moving to Boerne to practice medicine.

Born at Wilkesboro, N. C., Nov. 24, 1872, he was the son of John and Sarah (Vannoy) Nooe. He married Miss Mary Hutchings on Oct. 17, 1900, who died on Nov. 7, 1941. A sister and several nieces and nephews, among them Dr. John Nooe Gardner, UNC '18, of Beaumont, Tex., survive.

General LeRoy Hodges

◆ BRIG. GEN. LEROY HODGES, II, national alumni secretary of Pi Kappa Alpha and an outstanding leader in Virginia's public affairs for two decades, died Dec. 18 at the Medical College of Virginia Hospital in Richmond, his home city. He was 56 years of age and had suffered from leukemia for at least two years.

General Hodges had distinguished himself in the fields of public finance, economics, public administration, and army ordnance, and was considered by many of his fellow Virginians as the state's foremost "civil servant" of the period between the two World wars; a man who worked for good government and particularly for business efficiency in government.

At the request of the Supreme Council of Pi Kappa Alpha he took over in 1943 the work of Alumni Secretary, although then under doctor's orders to take things quietly. This sense of responsibility and affection for the fraternity was typical of him.

He had been in poor health for many months and two weeks before his death was taken to the hospital where numerous blood transfusions were given him. Shortly before his collapse he had a visit from his son, Lt. Leroy Hodges, Jr., USNR, also of Pi chapter.

As a reserve officer and expert on ordnance, he was called to active duty with the War Department in July, 1940, but the order was soon revoked upon grounds of physical disqualification. He won another examination at Fort Monroe, Va., in February, 1941, and passed it.

He then began active duty with the Department in Washington in January, 1942, but was soon beset by leukemia and was placed on the inactive list in August, 1942. He had, in his own words, "withdrawn from everything" to serve his country, and his disappointment at being ruled out by his health, was keen.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Dec. 20, and burial was in Blandford Cemetery at Petersburg, Va. Dr. J. Gray McAllister, of Richmond, former national officer, was designated by the Supreme Council to represent it at the services.

A high Virginia state official in two different state administrations, General Hodges was largely non-political in his attitude toward public questions, but was discussed as a gubernatorial possi-

Chapter Eternal

bility by the state press within recent years. He was the first state director of the budget under Gov. Lee Trinkle in the 1920's and state comptroller under Gov. James Price, 1938-1942.

Between these two periods of state service, he was managing director of the Virginia Chamber of Commerce, from 1924 to 1937, and then for a year was director of the U. S. Bureau of Old Age Insurance. As managing director he was the guide to much of the present conservative industrial policies of the Old Dominion.

His ideas on industrialization of the South, penal reform and abolition of the poll tax, also were of influence in Virginia. Frankness, honesty, high intelligence and a progressiveness in public policy and planning were characteristics of this Pi Kappa Alpha who was termed by a Richmond editor "one of the most useful of Virginians."

In addition to his son, General Hodges is survived by Mrs. Hodges; a daughter, Mrs. Lee McLaughlin; and his father, Eli Blucher Hodges. His son-in-law, Lee McLaughlin, starred in football at the University of Virginia and with the Green Bay Packers before entering the Navy, in which he is now serving as a lieutenant.

Between 1916 and 1926, General Hodges was at varying times secretary

of the Virginia Commission on Economy and Efficiency (1916-18), military aide and secretary in charge of the budget to Gov. Westmoreland Davis (1918-22), director of the budget (1922-24), technical advisor to the Virginia Commission on Simplification of State Government (1922-23), and president of the Virginia Prison Board (1920-26).

He was a man who pressed for order and reform in government and as a fiscal officer was not content with routine financial management. Typical in this respect were attempts he made in 1938 to improve the bookkeeping of Virginia sheriffs and his attacks on the system of fees charged by county officers.

He was born July 12, 1888, at Tarboro, N. C., and spent his boyhood in Norfolk, Va. At 15 he entered the school of commerce at Washington and Lee for three years. This was followed by a couple of years railroad survey work in the United States and Mexico. He studied political economy at the University of Chicago and returned to Washington and Lee to study law. From the time he left school in 1910 until he became secretary of the Virginia Commission on Economy and Efficiency in 1916, he held a number of positions.

As managing director of the Virginia Chamber, General Hodges avoided dangers lying in attempts to "sell" the state to new industries. His program called



BRIG. GEN. LeROY HODGES

for the utilization of all of Virginia's natural and industrial resources, and the location within the state of new industries best suited to it, but did not encourage establishment of those which primarily sought cheap labor. "Slums and sweatshops must not be tolerated," he told Virginia's Social Science Association. "Wages must be fair and adequate to maintain a proper standard of living."

His military avocation was ordnance. He was commissioned a major in the ordnance department of the Virginia National Guard, Sept. 11, 1920, and was assigned as state ordnance officer. He was raised to the rank of lieutenant-colonel in the Guard and in the ordnance reserve of the U. S. Army in the 1930's.

In 1923 he published a book, "Post-war Ordnance," which attracted attention and commendation of high Army officers. He had some support in 1933 for the post of assistant secretary of war in the first Roosevelt administration.

He was retired from the Army with the rank of lieutenant colonel and was then appointed a colonel in the Virginia Guard. When he recently retired from active service in the State Guard he was promoted by Adj. Gen. S. Gardner Waller to brigadier general in the Virginia state militia, unorganized.

His honors included a title of officer of the Order of the Crown (Italy) and officer of the Order of White Lion (Czechoslovakia). He was a Phi Beta Kappa.



General Hodges, center, and Mrs. Hodges are pictured several years ago with Congressman Patrick

Henry Drewry at a reception given for Governor James H. Price and Mrs. Price.

◆ AT AN INFORMAL luncheon Dec. 4 at the Pi Kappa Alpha House in Knoxville, Tenn., three distinguished alumni were presented membership certificates in the Golden Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha.

The presentation was made by District President John U. Field of Lexington, Ky., to Philip J. Briscoe, William K. Hunter, and Fred C. Sienkecht, all of whom were initiated into Zeta Chapter in 1894.

The Golden Chapter is composed of men who have been faithful and loyal to their chapter for 50 years.

Alumni Counselor Frank Fulton announced the establishment of the Porter Memorial pin to be given to the pledge making the highest scholastic average each year.

District President John Field, of Lexington, Ky., left, makes Golden Chapter awards to Fred C. Sienkecht, Philip J. Briscoe and William K. Hunter, left to right, at Zeta Chapter House Dec. 4.



3 Join Golden Chapter

Achievement Award Nominations Being Made

◆ THE ANNUAL SEARCH for the Pi Kappa Alpha with the most outstanding record of the year has been started by the Chicago Alumni Chapter. To him or them will go the Distinguished Achievement Award, presented at the chapter's Founders' Day banquet.

Nomination blanks have been mailed to all chapters and to officers of the Fraternity. Individuals may use the accompanying coupon for voting, according to Arthur S. Bowes, chairman of the Committee on Distinguished Achievement Award. The nominations may be mailed to him at 823 S. Wabash Avenue, Chicago.

Last year the award was won by Maj. Carl E. Wuertele, of Denver, one of the Army's outstanding airmen of the Pacific.

Previous winners, not eligible for re-nomination, are:

- 1936—Senator A. B. Chandler of Kentucky (then governor).
- 1937—Lynn Waldorf, football coach of Northwestern University.
- 1938—Most Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, head of the Episcopal Church in the United States.
- 1939—Dr. John C. Ruddock—Medical Research.
- 1940—Dr. James D. Hoskins, president of the University of Tennessee.
- 1941—Honorable Claude R. Wickard, Secretary of Agriculture.

Milo Warner, then National Commander of the American Legion.

1942—Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, then Chief of Infantry, U. S. Army, now Commander of the First Army.

Dean Wayne L. Morse of the University of Oregon.

1943—Dr. John Lloyd Newcomb, president of the University of Virginia.

"War times create all sorts of new leaders," said Bowes. "Undoubtedly

there are many men in the Fraternity who are doing outstanding work in their chosen field and should, therefore, be recognized as nominees for the Distinguished Achievement Award made each year at the Chicago Alumni Founders' Day banquet.

"The committee chooses each year that alumnus who has distinguished himself during that year in his chosen field, whether that field be athletics, law, medicine, education, government, or the military field—or any other field in which the man is interested."

NOMINATION FOR IIKA DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT AWARD To Be Made at 1945 Founders' Day Banquet of Chicago Alumni Chapter

(Fill in and mail as soon as possible to A. S. Bowes, Chairman of Committee on Distinguished Achievement Award, 823 South Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.)

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Maybe THEY Have A Plan

By **MILO J. WARNER**, Alpha-Rho
Past National Commander, American Legion

♦ AT THE outset, the phrase "returning war veterans" is bothersome. We all want them back as soon as possible. They want to come back. But first they have a job to do and they want to do it, and we want to do everything possible to help them complete it 100 per cent. It is our desire that they, and we, helping them back home, completely defeat our enemies who started this war. So this phrase does not arouse, now, the spontaneous enthusiasm that it will when the job is done.

There is too much talk about post-war plans, and maybe too much time spent upon them, when some of that time could be better diverted to the direct war effort itself.

Brother J. Blanford Taylor, editor of *THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND*, has asked for a brief discussion on "What the Fraternity can do for the returning war veterans" from the standpoint of the active Chapters, the National Office, and also the alumni members.

We might divide this problem into two parts: first, let us discuss general principles and then, second, the practical application of administrative mechanics to these principles. This is a big problem, one on which a great deal of time and discussion can be spent, hence we can present in this article only a few broad general principles or policies.

In the first place we must avoid the danger of endeavoring to plan too much for the "returning veteran." Everybody seems anxious to make rather extensive and comprehensive plans for their activities and welfare after they come home; maybe these veterans will have some plans and ideas of their own—maybe they will be pretty good.

We should do everything we can to set up the groundwork and arrange the opportunities for the returning veterans, but we should not strive to set up the mechanics to regiment and classify them, and to control their activities, when they return.

It is roughly estimated that after the war there will be 17,000,000 of them who will have rendered some form of service in uniform in our armed forces. With their families, they will make up practically 25 per cent of the population of the continental United States, and, of course, a much higher percentage of the adult population, and, again, a still higher percentage of those in the age

brackets of 20 to 35. They will represent a composite of America at its best. They will be the cream of the country in age and, on the whole, in physical condition, and experienced in many things that others will never have experienced, and they will come back from countries that many of us have never seen and probably never will see. They will come back with intimate knowledge of those countries and their people. They will have matured greatly in the crucible of war, and they will have probably a better and truer sense of values and a proportion of things than will many of us who have stayed at home. True, they will have to readjust again to civilian life, but the great majority of them will be of the age period and with the youthful virility and resiliency that should enable them to readjust and give the whole country the benefit of their new maturity and their experience. There is too great a tendency, unconsciously perhaps, among most of us to get to considering them as a problem and as children who should be told what to do and what not to do. This is developing an entirely wrong approach. Rather should we develop the viewpoint that we should seek, and welcome, advice and suggestions from them and show them that we are seeking their advice and their help, and that we are simply offering our assistance to them in helping make this country for which they fought and for which many of them died, the country they want to make it.

The above are just a few of the things that we should keep in mind in our attitude toward the "returning veterans" in general. Let's state just a few as they may relate more specifically to the fraternity man or the returning veteran who may be a prospective fraternity man.

Undoubtedly they will not be much interested in fraternity rituals, hazing, or pledge discipline. This, of course, applies particularly to prospective members.

They will be inclined, no doubt, to run a bit by themselves. This should be expected, and treated accordingly. When they learn that we want advice from them, and that we respect their group psychology born of their war experience, they will quickly turn to and work their heads off for the over-all program of the Fraternity and the Chapter with which they may be affiliated.



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Turning now to the practical application of administrative mechanics to these principles, it is suggested that the National Office provide for an Assistant Secretary—a World War II veteran—to handle returning-veteran matters for members of the Fraternity returning to school, prospective members among the returning veterans and returning veteran alumni, and to personally contact the active and alumni chapters in regard to information covering prospective members and rehabilitation and job placements.

The alumni should be encouraged to develop strong local chapters and bring in and assist returning war veterans in re-establishing their roots in local communities.

The active chapters should endeavor to have those members who return to school, work with veterans taking advantage of educational benefits, and devote considerable attention to spanning any gap that might exist between the veterans and the younger members of the Fraternity who are non-veterans and following through with the alumni to insure that the veteran member or pledge secures full benefit of all privileges and opportunities which may be open to him.

In conclusion, it is urged again that we do not endeavor to spread out too thin or do too much, but rather confine the activities of the Fraternity to matters which should, and can, well-concern it, regarding returning veterans who are prospective members and who are members of the Fraternity either returning to school or alumni returning to civilian activities in their local communities. And, above all, let us avoid giving advice to these veterans. Rather let us seek advice from them.

Sparkman Tells of War Zone Tour



Representative John Sparkman, of Alabama, left, joins the welcoming party and chats with Senator Chandler, center, and Clements. Other members of the Pi Kappa Alpha

delegation are Senator Charles Andrews, of Florida, Representative E. C. Gathings, of Arkansas, and Representative J. Bayard Clark, of North Carolina.

By BRYANT LINE
Delta-Alpha Chapter

◆ REPRESENTATIVE JOHN J. Sparkman, FA, member of the House Military Affairs Committee which recently returned from a tour of the European front, was the principal attraction at a meeting of the Washington Alumni at the Delta-Alpha Chapter House on Jan. 13. With his usual entertaining style, Sparkman held the attention of the informal gathering for two hours as he recounted his experiences of the tour.

His narrative began with Thanksgiving Day when the party was preparing to board two transport planes for the trip across. Having been told in advance that the route would probably carry them through Newfoundland and over the North Atlantic, he said his colleagues had provided themselves with warm "long handle" underwear.

After being briefed on how to inflate a rubber life raft, transmit an SOS, inject morphine, and do other things that might arise if a forced landing became necessary, the party became a bit squeamish; however, it was when they were finally told that they would follow the southern route via Bermuda and the Azores that those wearing the aforementioned underwear began to squirm and scratch.

The first visit was in England. He gave a vivid description of his trips to the hospitals, warehouses, fighter bases

and bomber bases. He told of the great coordination that went into planning and executing the air raids on Germany. He described the methods by which downed fliers were rescued from the Channel, even though they had not been able to transmit their position when forced down.

From England a plane carried his group to Cherbourg and they retraced the steps of the peninsula campaign which followed D-Day.

Sparkman described the destruction at that great port wrought by the German demolition squads and Allied bombers, and praised the successful repairs made by the Allied engineers afterwards. He commented on the attitude of the na-

tives of Cherbourg who did not believe the terrible destruction caused by the Allied bombings was necessary. Many Frenchmen were killed in these raids, he said, because they had failed to heed prior warnings after losing faith in them because so many had failed to materialize into real raids.

After Cherbourg, they moved into the interior of France and into Paris. "Shopping in Paris is not what it used to be," said Sparkman, as he told how they were unable to find a beret in one of the largest department stores. The clerk told them frankly that the store had had none in stock for nearly a year.

From Paris the committee moved closer to the fighting front and arrived at Liege, known in those parts as "Buzz Bomb Alley." The Germans had been sending the V-1 and V-2 rockets over so regularly that the townspeople no longer paid any attention to them, said Sparkman. When the warning sounded, a native informed him that he could just wait about 2½ minutes and he'd see one, and sure enough, it trailed across the sky at the predicted time.

The only time to worry, he learned, was when the motor cut off directly overhead. You never knew whether the bomb would fall straight down or continue to glide. Once he said he heard a terrific explosion about a mile away, and when he asked about it, a townsman just replied: "A V-2."

Luxembourg, Verdun, Metz and Nancy were places listed in the committee's itinerary. Sparkman gave his impressions gained from interviews with Generals Bradley, Eisenhower, and Patton. He told of his contacts with the men in the field, what they were thinking. He said that "of the men he had talked with, those concerned with the future were worried about only one thing and that was whether they would be sent to the Pacific after the fighting on the European front was over. Their first concern now though is to get the war over where they are," he added.

After leaving the theater of action in France and Belgium, their plane headed for Italy, but the navigator decided that they could not make Naples, their destination, by 4 p. m., the deadline for landing at that place; so they landed at Marseilles for the night.

In Italy they visited Anzio and got an idea of the hell that had existed

Chandler for President

Senator Chandler has announced that he will seek the nomination as Governor of Kentucky in 1947 in order that he will have a better chance to obtain the nomination as President of the United States in 1948. Chandler, a candidate for the vice presidential nomination last year, found himself at a disadvantage by not having his own state supporting him although he had the support of many other delegations.



The Pi Kappa Alpha "delegation" in Congress welcomed two new members when the current term opened. They were Senator Wayne Morse, Republican, of Oregon, and

Representative Earle Clements, Democrat, of Kentucky. A fellow-Kentuckian and a fellow-member of Omega Chapter at the University of Kentucky, Senator A. B.

Chandler, right, shakes hands with Clements. Representative William Colmer, of Mississippi, left, and Representative Willis Robertson, of Virginia, look on.

there when the beachhead was established. In the eternal city, Rome, they were honored with a half-hour interview with the Pope in his private office. According to Sparkman, the Pope, who spoke perfect English, was a very real person; and, from the stack of papers on his desk, was apparently a very busy one.

Moving up the "Boot," they passed through Pisa and arrived at Leghorn, where General Clark met them with a real international Guard of Honor. During the following days, General Clark pointed out to them the intricacies of the Gothic line and showed them what the American and British armies were faced with in Italy. After four weeks of traveling the European theater, the committee was ready to return home. A short visit to Florence and then a hop across via Bermuda brought them back to Washington by Dec. 20.

On his return, Sparkman had a message to deliver. As a representative from Alabama, he had taken a particular interest in the Alabamians he chanced to meet on his trip. While in a hospital for Negro troops in Italy, he talked to a soldier named Orr who said he was from Alabama.

"What town are you from?" inquired Sparkman.

"Aw, it's such a small place, you wouldn't know about it," the Negro boy replied. "It's called Hartselle."

"I ought to know about it," exclaimed Sparkman; "I'm from there, too." And

he went on to inquire: "Do you know Madge Orr?"

"She married my ole man . . . I'm her stepson," the boy answered quickly.

"Well, she cooks for me in Washington," said John, once more amazed by the proof of what a small world this can be.



Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon and his daughter, Nancy, 13, arrive in Washington, D. C., with two of their saddle horses. They drove across country from their home, bringing their horses in a trailer.

Senator Morse also used the trip to feel the pulse of the nation as he made frequent stops to talk to filling station men, restaurant proprietors and other little business men.

15 New Chapter Houses in Post War Plans

◆ NEW HOUSES for 15 chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha early in the postwar period plus a refinancing of all existing loans held by the Chapter House Commission highlighted the discussions of a meeting in January of the commission in Chicago.

In attendance were Chairman P. D. Christian, of Atlanta, Herbert Miller, of Des Moines, and the new member, Ward Kief, of Seattle, connected with Securities Mortgage Company. National Counsel John L. Packer and Executive Secretary F. H. Hart also attended the sessions.

"The Chapter House Commission had a good meeting," Secretary Hart said. "The commission worked out plans to refinance all of the old loans and bring them up to date, modified the procedure in securing loans, simplified the petition forms and discussed the plans for postwar housing and the possibility of new houses on about 15 Pi Kappa Alpha campuses."

The loan fund has increased in the last three years from \$18,000 to over \$50,000, Hart added.

That the Fraternity is in excellent condition despite necessary curtailments because of the war was reflected in a recent statement by Secretary Hart.

"The Fraternity at large is having an even better year than last, figures at the end of December indicated. A number of chapters have gone back into their own houses and I believe will be able to make a go of the finances. A large number of chapters have money in reserve for postwar problems and the Chapter House Commission has made plans to help chapters build houses, or acquire houses, in those cases where houses are needed and particularly where a chapter has funds and alumni ready for the building program," Dr. Hart said.

He urged that active chapters continue their cooperation with the National Office in reporting promptly as "in reporting you are not so much reporting to the National Office as to other chapters. The reporting is the life blood, as it were, of Pi Kappa Alpha as a National Fraternity. The Executive Secretary merely acts as an agent of the chapters and the Supreme Council."

Wartime conditions have reduced the number of fraternity chapters since Pearl Harbor from 2,322 to 1,489 among 54 of the 60 member fraternities that reported to Dr. Gilbert Mead, president of Washington College, who presented his findings to the conference. This loss was 35.89 per cent, while the decline in un-

IIKA Above Average in Chapters, Members

dergraduate membership was from 58,320 in 1940-41 to 19,920 today, or 65.83 per cent.

But Pi Kappa Alpha's standing is far above the N.I.C. average. Where the chapter average dropped 39.85 per cent, IIKA losses were only 19 per cent. The N.I.C. loss of membership was 65.83, while IIKA lost only 39 per cent.

Postwar problems and discussions of how to meet them occupied the attention of the National Interfraternity Conference at its 36th annual session held at the Hotel Commodore, New York, Nov. 24-25, and attended by delegates of the 60 member fraternities, and the largest number of college and university executives in the history of the conference.

As a result of the various reports of committees and the discussions, a record number of resolutions were passed, most of which concern the problems of college fraternities in the postwar world.

It was recommended that fraternities

Andrews Slated for Chairmanship

◆ SENATOR CHARLES ANDREWS, AH, of Florida, is slated to become chairman of the Senate Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, it was reported recently on Capitol Hill.

The committee has jurisdiction over proposals for public buildings here and elsewhere and during the coming year is expected to consider proposals for extensive changes in the House and Senate chambers when conditions permit.

Senator Andrews now has before him suggestions for replacing the barnlike steel rafters that were installed in the House and Senate chambers to keep their ancient roofs from collapsing. In connection with these proposals it is suggested that modern indirect lighting and other improvements be made to the chambers.

Senator Andrews was a volunteer in the Spanish-American War, practiced law in his earlier career and also served as a circuit court judge in Florida and as assistant attorney general of the state before being elected to the Senate in 1936.

be permitted and encouraged to reactivate their chapters at the earliest possible moment, and that the universities, colleges, and local interfraternity councils be requested to cooperate with the fraternities and their alumni to that end.

The Postwar Planning Committee was requested to prepare and present a report covering specific problems resulting from postwar conditions, such as the return to the campus of ex-servicemen, the matriculation of mature men, and compulsory military training, and make specific recommendations for meeting the situations presented.

The committee was also requested to formulate a plan for alumni participation in chapter rehabilitation and to submit a report including concrete suggestions for action.

All forms of hazing involving mental or physical torture, including paddling, will be banned officially and absolutely by all colleges and universities throughout the country, and offenders, both individuals and organizations, will be disciplined if the request of the National Interfraternity Conference is followed. A resolution declaring such forms of hazing a menace to the welfare of educational institutions and the various organizations which are a part of the institutions, as well as to individual students, was passed unanimously.

It was voted that comity among members of the National Interfraternity Conference demands that no fraternity not already established on a campus shall take steps toward the installation of a new chapter on that campus until at least two years shall have elapsed after the conclusion of the war emergency, unless, in the opinion of the administration of the college, ample fraternity material is present on the campus to warrant such an addition.

Officers of conference for 1944-1945 are: Chairman, Verling C. Enteman, Delta Phi, Newark, N. J.; vice chairman, Maurice Jacobs, Phi Epsilon Pi, Philadelphia, Pa.; secretary, David A. Embury, Acacia, New York City; recording secretary, Hubert M. Poteat, Kappa Alpha Order, Wake Forest, N. C.; treasurer, J. B. Hillegass, Sigma Pi, Morristown, Pa.; educational adviser, Joseph A. Bursley, dean of students, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Executive Committee, members of the class of 1947 —A. Ray Warnock, dean of men, Pennsylvania State College, Beta Theta Pi; Dr. Gilbert Mead, president, Washington College, Chestertown, Md., Phi Gamma Delta; Ben. S. Fisher, Sigma Chi, Washington, D. C.

Meet Governor Meadows

◆ WHEN Clarence W. Meadows, II, took the oath of office in mid-January as Governor of the State of West Virginia, he and Mrs. Meadows became one of the youngest couples ever to occupy the stately red-brick Mansion in Charleston.

Governor Meadows, Attorney General Ira J. Partlow, P, and W. Broughton Johnson, AΘ, Senate leader, will be honored guests at the newly reorganized Charleston Alumni Chapter's Founders' Day dinner on Mar. 16.

Meadows has spent most of his time since graduation from college in public office and at the age of 40 has moved from a modest brown-shingled Cape Cod cottage in Beckley to the house set aside for the first family of the state. Mrs. Meadows, the trim, brown-haired new first lady, is only 32.

With them, the couple brought three children. Helen, 6, is attending public school for the first time. Susan is 2 and Nancy, Jr., as her mother calls her, is six months old. Mrs. Meadows' name before she was married was Nancy Ryals Massie.

Mrs. Meadows said she had given little thought to what her life as first lady will be like. She said that she just plans to "enjoy it," devoting as much time as possible to her family.

"With three active youngsters to look after, there is not much time for other things," she told Gay Pauley, reporter



Hand on the Bible, Clarence Meadows, II, takes the oath as Governor of the State of West Virginia as a large crowd looks on and thousands of others listen to the ceremonies by radio.

for the United Press. She added that because of war, most entertaining will be informal.

Both the Governor and Mrs. Meadows are conservative dressers. She prefers tailored, soft-colored clothes while he usually is attired in a double breasted grey or blue business suit.

Both are members of the Baptist Church and the Governor formerly taught a Sunday School class. The Governor, who arrives at his office promptly at 9 a. m., is quite a golfer. He has sev-

eral trophies won in amateur competition at the Charleston and Beckley country clubs. He also likes to hunt and fish. Mrs. Meadows, a native Virginian, likes fried chicken, while her husband prefers country ham cooked to a turn.

Governor Meadows is a graduate of Woodrow Wilson High School at Beckley, Georgia Military Academy and Washington and Lee University. He also attended the University of Alabama. He practiced law at Birmingham before returning to West Virginia where he was elected to the state legislature in 1930. Two years later he became Raleigh County prosecutor and then state attorney general in 1936. Later he was appointed judge of the Tenth Judicial Circuit.

Mrs. Meadows is a graduate of Clifton Forge, Va., High School and of Stuart Hall girls' school. She met Meadows in Charleston through friends while he was prosecuting attorney.

The Charleston Alumni Chapter meets the second Wednesday of each month at the Daniel Boone Hotel. In addition to an extensive Founders' Day dinner, the group plans to contact prospective pledges of the Charleston area.

Officers of the chapter are John H. Kisner, AΘ, president; Dr. Robert D. Ketchum, AΘ, treasurer; Robert Coleman, Jr., AE, secretary, and C. H. Yater, AP, and S. C. Hill, AΘ, members of the executive board.



Governor Meadows greets a long line of well-wishers at the reception following inauguration ceremonies. At Governor Meadows' right is Mrs.

Harold Petit, daughter of Former Governor Neely, and at his left in the white gown is attractive Mrs. Meadows.

♦ WAR HAS SEPARATED Gamma-Beta's famous, cheer-leading Nelson twins for the first time.

Howard Moore Nelson is a lieutenant colonel in the Finance Department, assigned to the War Department Office of Dependency Benefits in Newark, N. J. Harold F. Nelson is a major in the Quartermaster Corps, stationed in Ogden, Utah.

Between such inseparable twins as these graduates of the University of Nebraska in 1932, comparisons cannot be odious. Major Nelson would undoubtedly be the first to admit that his lieutenant colonel brother has the "glamour job" of the two. Colonel Nelson holds one of the most responsible positions at the ODB—that activity of the Office of the Fiscal Director, Headquarters, Army Service Forces—which administers family allowances and allotments-of-pay to 14,000,000 dependents of Army men and women.

"Get Em Paid!" is the significant slogan of the ODB coined by its director, Brig. Gen. H. N. Gilbert, USA, who also contributed "Keep 'Em Flying!" and "Wings Over America." How significant it is to "Get 'Em Paid!" is revealed in some of the ODB's astronomical figures—and in letters from soldiers overseas telling how their own morale is upheld by the knowledge that their loved ones are cared for.

Through Dec. 23, 1944, the ODB has disbursed \$7,226,960,346 in monthly payments on 7,120,388 accounts. As chief of the Class E Allotment Division, Colonel Nelson administers all of the 3,270,054 allotment-of-pay accounts, with disbursements, to date, totaling \$2,869,881,420. Under his direction are 30 officers and over 2,200 civilians.

These allotments-of-pay differ from family allowances in that they are voluntary deductions from the pay of the serviceman who may be anyone from GI Joe to five-star general. Family allowances, on the other hand, are limited to the enlisted grades and are made up by a deduction from the soldier's pay and a

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contribution from the Government. Both are administered on a world-wide basis and are considered as essential to military morale as chow itself.

True to the melting-pot tradition of America, Army men and women have dependents in 116 foreign localities who receive family allowances or allotments-of-pay. (The term "locality" is used rather than "nation" because sometimes, as in China and Italy, accounts may be in effect and payable in one part of the country and not in another.) When not payable, the money accrues to dependents' accounts in the United States Treasury. However, these 78,000 accounts make up less than two per cent of the ODB's gigantic business of disbursing over \$450,000,000 a month.

Touches of humor as well as pathos fill Colonel Nelson's busy day. He knows only too well that indecision is no prerogative of womankind alone. Amusing graphs of domestic accord or discord are often shown in changes of the amount of an allotment. One wife's allotment was reduced from \$100 to \$50, returned to \$100 and back again to \$50 with the little woman left holding the bag as this was written. Recently, Colonel Nelson's sense of humor reached a low ebb. One soldier tried to change his allotment six times in one month. In exasperation, the colonel had the six requests returned to the soldier's commanding officer with the notation: "Please have him make up his mind."

Hard-working officers like Colonel

Nelson are deeply touched by many informal letters of thanks they receive from dependents. This one, which recently reached Colonel Nelson, started formally enough, but ended as follows: "Thanking you for your cooperation. I remain—oh shucks—from one American to another, you people are doing a great job and can be everlastingly proud of it. We're all grateful."

For the responsibilities of his huge administrative job at the ODB, Colonel Nelson is singularly fitted both by education and civilian experience. After graduating in 1932, he continued doing graduate work in economics at Nebraska for two years, while his twin brother studied law. In 1935, they moved to Washington, D. C., to study law together at George Washington University, where they became members of Phi Delta Phi law fraternity and graduated in 1940. While attending law school, each began to work for the Government. Harold F. Nelson became associated with the General Accounting Office, and Howard Moore Nelson with the Commissioner of Accounts of the United States Treasury where he remained as special assistant until he was commissioned captain early in 1942.

His work for the Treasury was ideal training for his future position at the ODB. For two years he conducted original experiments in the use of new types of disbursing procedures. When the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act, under which the ODB functions, was first before Congress in the spring of 1942, Howard Nelson received his captaincy and was assigned to the War Department Office of the Chief of Finance. There he conducted further experiments in the use of some of the up-to-date business machines and procedures which

A partial view of one of four ODB's Class E allotment-of-pay branches. Each branch covers an entire floor. At right are some of the machines which make possible disbursements of \$450,000,000 a month in family allowance and allotments-of-pay.



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Lt. Col. Howard M. Nelson, right, is chief of the Class E Allotment division of the Office of Dependency Benefits. At left is his twin brother, Maj. Harold F. Nelson, Quartermaster Corps. To the right are the Nelson twins as cheerleaders at the University of Nebraska, featured on the cover of the February, 1931, Shield and Diamond.

were to play so important a part in the huge task of administering dependency benefits as described in the December 1944 issue of *Fortune*.

In laying the groundwork for the efficient administration of family allowances and allotments-of-pay, General Gilbert integrated many of the mechanized procedures worked out by Colonel Nelson and other Finance officers into the streamlined production system under which the ODB operates.

When the various agencies handling dependency benefits for the Army were merged in October 1942, Colonel Nelson (then a major) was transferred to the newly organized ODB as executive officer of the Fiscal Division. On Dec. 1, 1943, he became chief of the Class E Allotment Division.

At the ODB one of Colonel Nelson's most ingenious innovations was the introduction of the "double window" envelope, which reduced the time required for mailing the millions of monthly checks from many days to a few hours. Each check is numbered and tabulated on a master file. Until Colonel Nelson's invention was used no checks could be inserted nor envelopes be sealed until the last moment for fear circumstances of war might necessitate the withdrawal of certain checks. The extra window, which shows the check number, makes it possible to insert checks and seal envelopes throughout the month.

The now-military Nelson twins are the sons of Mrs. Jessie M. Nelson of 2117 D St., Lincoln, Neb.



District 5-a Meeting Successful

◆ A SECOND MEETING of representatives of chapters in District 5-a is planned for late April or early May, according to District President E. L. Miller, Jr. A highly successful meeting was held Dec. 3 in Chapel Hill at which all chapters except one sent representatives.

Late last November a call was put out by President Miller for a meeting of the officers of the active chapters in Tau Chapter House.

Tau Chapter had just moved back into its house after several years' occupancy as a dormitory by University of North Carolina students enlisted in the Naval Training program.

District 5-a covers the state of North Carolina and includes Beta, at Davidson College, Davidson; Tau, at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Alpha-Alpha, at Duke University, Durham; Alpha-Epsilon, at North Carolina State College, Raleigh; and Gamma-Phi, at Wake Forest College, Wake Forest.

Beta was represented by D. H. Lazenby, SMC; John F. McNair, III, SC; and Robert M. Hoffmann, historian. Tau was represented by Arthur H. Adams, SMC; William F. Kelly, IMC; W. A.

Dinsmoor, ThC; Richard B. Adams, SC; J. W. Johnston, Jr., MS; R. E. Salmon, pledge master; and B. H. Hudgins. From Alpha-Epsilon were Eugene Wade, SMC; Grady T. Tharrington, IMC; Clyde A. Dillon, Jr., ThC; and Charles G. Bingenheimer, SC. From Gamma-Phi came Livingston Johnson, IMC; G. S. Patterson, Jr., ThC; and James A. Jeffers, Jr. Officers of Alpha-Alpha were unable to be present.

Considering war conditions, attendance was excellent and the brothers present showed great interest. One chapter was lucky in being able to commandeer a car for transportation. Of the other two chapters who were represented by officers who had to come from a distance, one group traveled by bus, and the other "thumbed."

As this was not an official district convention, there were no formalities. After a short prayer by MS Johnston, and a welcome to Tau Chapter by SMC Adams, the group settled down to the main purpose of the meeting. This was to get acquainted with each other and to discuss the various duties and problems of chapter officers during the war period.

Shirley



Charles Nick, Gamma-Eta's war bond chairman, pins a Pi Kappa Alpha Sweetheart pin on Shirley Temple, Pi Kappa Alpha Bond Queen, at a luncheon in her honor at Town House. Clyde Lee, president of the chapter, looks on. Present at the luncheon which was held in the Terrace Room, were

alumni members of the chapter as well as representatives of the university. Below are shown from left, Ens. Bob Stevens, former president; Ens. Dorothy Smith, his fiancée; Dr. Catherine Beers, office of the SC dean of women; Miss Temple, and Francis Bacon, dean of men at SC.



◆ GAMMA-ETA chapter, with Miss Shirley Temple as their bond drive luncheon guest, topped all fraternities and sororities at Southern California in sales during the Sixth War Loan campaign and helped the university win over University of California at Los Angeles in a contest between the two schools.

The chapter bought a bond for the War Memorial Fund during the drive.

The week preceding the SC-UCLA football game in the Coliseum, students from the two universities canvassed Los Angeles selling bonds to any and all comers. One million dollars in bonds was set as the goal for each school, the deadline being the opening kick-off in the stadium on Saturday. A week later, it was announced that SC was the winner, well exceeding the two-million-dollar mark.

Within each school another contest was staged between sororities, fraternities, and dormitories. Pi Kappa Alpha, later declared the winner among the fraternities at SC, co-ordinated their bond sales with a luncheon in honor of Miss Temple who had purchased the first bond from IKA, in the Terrace room of the Town House. Miss Temple was elected Bond Queen of the fraternity, and Charles Nick, bond chairman for IKA, presented her with a fraternity Sweetheart pin.

Present at the luncheon were representatives of all the sororities and dormitories on the SC campus, as well as the dean of men and a representative from the office of the dean of women.

Following the luncheon the group went as a body to the football game where they were seated in a special reserved division of the SC rooting section. Later in the game, Miss Temple was escorted to the press box of the Coliseum where she addressed the crowd over the public address system on the purchasing of war bonds.

After the game she was escorted to the Pi Kappa Alpha house where she greeted friends at a special "open house." Refreshments were served to students and faculty members who attended.

IKA Bond Queen



Leaving the luncheon are, from left, Bond Chairman Nick, Miss Temple, Bob Roco, president of

the Gamma-Eta pledge class, Miss Shirley Hitz, Roco's fiancée, and Ben Chadwell, head committeeman

for the bond drive. Pi Kappa Alpha was winner over all other fraternities at SC in sale of bonds.

Alumni Support West Virginia Century Club

By R. I. BURCHINAL

Alpha-Theta Alumnus Counsellor

♦ MANY are the days and hours that members and committees have spent discussing how to raise funds with which to build a chapter house.

From these discussions have developed a number of methods of raising the amount required to represent the chap-

ter's equity in a building program. Although all the methods advanced have merit, it would seem that the state of mind, the financial ability to pay and the finding of a proper motive for giving, together with the amount of effort put forth in the solicitation are factors which will have a great deal of bearing upon the success of the undertaking.

Less than a year ago William R. Caskey, one of Alpha-Theta's most loyal alumni, invited in a group of interested alumni together with Dr. Freeman H. Hart to discuss a plan which might make it possible for Alpha-Theta to build a chapter house after the war.

The plan called for the formation of

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the Century Club, membership in which would be obtained by the contribution of \$100 or five series "E" war bonds. These contributions were to be listed as having been made to the Alpha-Theta Memorial Fund which made them deductible for income tax purposes.

The money will be used to erect a living memorial in the form of a chapter house in memory of those who have paid the supreme sacrifice in this war.

Some idea of how men in the service feel about the memorial idea may be obtained from letters. The first is from a corporal in the infantry who knows what it means to dig and live in a foxhole. Yet he managed to do without a few of the bare essentials during August and September such as cokes, movies, and trips to town to save \$100. He says:

"I know that with my \$100 and the few others that have been sent in a IKA house will never be built, but with 40 or 50 such donations I know we could never be stopped. I know that I for one am going to be plenty hurt if my 100 bucks doesn't receive a lot of company and I imagine the others feel the same. Ill never miss a couple of months pay as much as I would a house on our lot in Morgantown."

Another is from a sergeant who had just spent several nights in a foxhole on Leyte and who had just seen two Jap planes shot down too close to him for comfort. He says:

"There was no postal service available until recently so I couldn't get a money order to finish my membership fee. Here is my money order which will be my Christmas present to the gang and myself because we will enjoy the results of the Century Club."

Alpha-Theta Century Club has been in existence less than nine months and during that period of time has collected in cash \$1,800 and \$200 in bonds, making a total of \$2,000, which has been applied upon the purchase price of a lot costing \$2,200. These contributions have come from 25 members whose period of activity in the fraternity is fairly evenly distributed over the life of Alpha-Theta Chapter. With a total chapter membership of less than 200 this seems to be a fairly high percentage of response.

This program has set off the spark of enthusiasm necessary to make possible the purchase of a \$2,200 lot now practically paid for which will be the future home of the fraternity, and has given the men in the service some additional incentive to fight to protect one of the things that they cherish most among their memories.

The writer or any member of the committee will be only too glad to pass along to any other chapter any information or ideas which may be helpful.



J. N. Hale, BΦ, associated with Burroughs Wellcome & Company, of New York, since 1934 in the capacity of representative, southern district supervisor and assistant director of sales, has been appointed director of distribution for the company.

Wickard Included In 50 Notables

♦ SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE Claude R. Wickard, BΦ, is included in the 50 notable public men of wartime which forms a historical collection in the Smithsonian Institution in Washington.

The figures were made from life during the year by Sculptor Max Kalish from selections made by a committee headed by W. M. Kiplinger, Washington editor. The exhibit is known as "The Living Hall of Washington, 1944."

The collection includes President Roosevelt, Vice President Wallace, Chief Justice Stone, Admiral Leahy, General Marshall, Thomas E. Dewey and Wendell Willkie.

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Anderson in New Post

♦ HARRY C. ANDERSON, AΣ, has accepted a position as director of distribution for the A. B. Dick Company, of Chicago, following his resignation from the Globe-Wernicke Company, of Cincinnati.

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EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

We enjoyed the latest issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND very much. It really keeps us informed about our brothers everywhere.

L. ARTHUR WALTON, JR.
SMC of Gamma-Tau Chapter.

Dear

By CPL. DAVID ALEXANDER

Omega Chapter

♦ EVERY once in a while and sometimes oftener the newspapers and periodicals break out in a rash of letters from soldiers who consider themselves veterans addressed to their brothers or cousins or friends who are about to be drafted.

These letters are as full of good advice as an Eagle Scout is full of good deeds and most of them could be set to music with Sousa's "Stars and Stripes Forever" as the score. The lofty sentiments they express are laudable, but the letters are of very little practical value to the befuddled jokers who are about to make the big leap from civilian normalcy to GI confusion.

This column, therefore, is in the nature of a letter to our third cousin by marriage, J. Quigley Queeds, who was recently caught in the act by the chairman of his draft board as he was attempting to puncture his eardrum with a hatpin belonging to his Great Aunt Matilda.

Dear Quig:

So you are about to become a soldier, or a reasonable facsimile thereof? When you enter the Army there are several things you must remember so that you will not mar the proud escutcheon of the Queeds. Always keep in mind that you are a descendant of Q. Xenophon Queed who curried down Paul Revere's horse after the famous ride from Boston-town.

During your 21-day period of grace before you go to a reception center, get yourself a copy of "How to Win Friends and Influence People" and learn it by heart. Then apply all the lessons you learn, use all the charm you inherited from your great-grandmother, Pavlowavitch Queed, the ballet dancer, on three men in the Army.

These three men are your first sergeant, your supply sergeant, and your mess sergeant.

Always buy them beer at the PX. Give them the last three standard-brand cigarettes you own. Nominate them for the Three Men With Whom I Would Most Like to Spend the Duration and Six on a Rubber Life Raft. Learn to sew, and mend their socks. If you pick up any good telephone numbers in town communicate them to the three sergeants

Quig:

immediately. Share your food boxes from home with them, even if there is nothing but crumbs and wrapping paper left for yourself. Throw in a "Sir" occasionally when you address them, then laugh deprecatingly to show you know you've made a mistake. It isn't proper military courtesy, but they'll love it. During the early days of your military career you can even risk saluting them once or twice.

These three men can do more for you in the Army than Generals Marshall, Eisenhower and MacArthur.

The first sergeant is the guy with a voice and three rockers and a lozenge on his arm who sits behind a desk in the orderly room. He controls your GI life as effectively as Svengali controlled Trilby. At his whim you will do a maximum number of solo hours of KP or your time in the kitchen will be cut to a minimum. He can give you your pass or keep it in the rack. He can push through your furlough so that it will include Christmas or hold it up so that you won't even be free to celebrate Groundhog Day. He can slap you on the company books for being 12 minutes late in returning from a 10-day furlough or he can listen tolerantly to a story about missed trains and washed out bridges when you stagger in three days later. He is, in short, a guy you want to know.

The supply sergeant usually wears one rocker. His habitat is a place full of gas masks, blankets, GI shoes, musette bags, combat suits, pistol belts, gun racks, leggings, mattresses, rubber boots and other ill-assorted items. He lurks behind a counter that has no brass rail. He smokes one cigarette after another directly under a sign which reads "No Smoking." His standard greeting, uttered with all the affability of a chicken colonel who has just been slapped on the back by a drunken private, is: "Whatcha want?" Before you can answer, he states with finality: "We're out."

The supply sergeant is the guy who can give you a dress blouse that looks like a burlap sack that has been gnawed by hungry rats, or he can give you hard-finish O.D. that holds a press and sometimes even fits. He can issue you pants that sag in the seat until your derriere appears encased in a barracks bag or he can hand you strides deserving of the name of trousers. On salvage day he



Cpl. David Alexander, Ω, at his desk in the Public Relations Office of the Armored Center, Fort Knox.

Ky., offers advice to those about to become soldiers. The accompanying article appeared in Armored News.

can advise you to take back socks and mend them when they are nothing more than tops with ventilation for feet, or he can get you new socks for a pair perforated only by pin pricks. He is the man who can make you look like Sad Sack or a West Pointer on parade. Cultivate him.

The mess sergeant is also usually a one-rocker man. His face is often flushed from peering into steaming soup pots and his temper is shorter than a GI haircut. Whether it comes steak or comes beans may depend on his opinion of you and the other guys who mess with him. He is constantly on the prowl in his mess hall and he has a weather eye for second helpings. On the days it comes chicken he can put the surplus out or hold it in reserve as a snack for the cooks. He can put the pickle jar on the table or keep it in the pantry. He can put out the butter or use it for stove polish.

You will do a little job called KP in the Army. The mess sergeant can set you to washing pots and pans in red hot water that shrivels your hands to the wrists. He can make you G-man which has nothing to do with J. Edgar Hoover, but refers to garbage disposal and sends you back to the barracks with your ears full of coffee grounds, your hair plastered down with cooking grease and your anatomy festooned with slightly used cabbage leaves and spinach sprigs. Or he can give you the comparatively simple job of pushing a broom. Woo this man's friendship.

There are a few other things you will have to learn in the Army such as shooting guns and taking cover and digging foxholes. But the most important thing is to win these three men and influence them at any cost.

Your affectionate third cousin by marriage,

Cpl. D. Queeds Alexander.

♦ RALPH C. McDADE, Z, has been appointed to the faculty of Hiwasee College, of Madisonville, Tenn., to establish a department of rural life development. He is on leave from the Tennessee Valley Authority. He was at the University of Tennessee from 1923 to 1928.

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EDITOR, SHIELD AND DIAMOND:

You are doing one swell job, and we all do deeply appreciate it.

L. A. McCALL, JR., M,
Clinton, S. C.

3 Are Reinstated

♦ THE FOLLOWING reinstatements for financial delinquency have been announced by the National Office: Harry Richard E. Lothes, Alpha-Theta; Richard J. Dorman, Alpha-Iota; Malcolm J. Long, Alpha-Mu.

Beta-Mu Chapter extends its apologies to Pat D. Lowry who was expelled in error. The last issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND carried him as having been reinstated.



Capt. Warren M. Stuart, II, when serving in Africa, with a friend and



his number one boy at left and with a French officer at right.

Warren Stuart Wins Silver Star

◆ CAPT. WARREN M. STUART, II, who marched from Anzio to Rome, now is on the march to Berlin. He recently was awarded the Silver Star medal.

When a Third Division unit broke through the German lines late in November and pushed through the Vosges Mountains on toward the Rhine, it was Captain Stuart's company which led the break-through for the division. At that time he had been in continuous combat for 60 days.

Men and Events, the magazine of the Union League Club, of Chicago, told in the December issue how Captain Stuart and his men captured a German force commander and 52 Jerries on this jaunt. Captain Stuart's father, William M. Stuart, vice-president and general manager of the Martin-Senour Company, Chicago, is a member of the club.

Spearheading attacks is nothing new for Captain Stuart. His unit led the way when the Seventh division landed in Southern France. In mid-September the Associated Press reported that Captain Stuart had led his unit into the town of Vesoul, 30 miles from the Belfort Pass, the southwestern gateway to Germany. Here they met stubborn Nazi resistance in the form of tanks and self-propelled guns, but captured the city after beating off a counter-attack.

Captain Stuart reported that the Americans received a marvelous reception in Vesoul, with women and children passing out cookies and champagne and every Yankee getting kisses from the French beauties.

The prisoners were taken in a nine-hour surprise battle, press dispatches indicated. One of the Wehrmach's battle groups was forming for an attack. Americans of Company I, 15th Infantry Regiment, which is under command of Captain Stuart, began their infiltration just before daylight. They moved up a

ravine, turned up the reverse slope of the hill and by-passed the Germans, who were further up the ravine under cover of a woods.

A three-man patrol went ahead to reconnoiter the defenses of the granite fortress, Cleurie Quarry, where the Germans were concentrated. Moving into position, the Americans opened fire and when the firing ceased nine hours later, they were in control of the fortress in addition to having the 52 prisoners.

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His Mates Declare He Carries Horseshoe



LT. WALTER E. DORROH

◆ FIRST LT. WALTER E. DORROH, 17½, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dorroh, Crestview, Fla., won't say how he did it, but his flying mates at a 12th

AAF B-25 Mitchell base on Corsica suspect that he carries a silver-plated horseshoe.

For the 24-year-old twin-engined bomber pilot from Crestview has flown 54 combat missions over Italy and Southern France—and without a moment's trouble of any kind. Here's his record:

Though a veteran of many flak-defended targets, Lieutenant Dorroh flew his first 47 missions without collecting a single flak hole in his plane. On the 48th mission his bomber was hit four times, all in unimportant places.

He has flown medium bombers for 23 months, nine of them in combat, without a single accident. "The closest I came to trouble was a tire blowout one day," he recalls.

He has attacked Rome, Florence, Bologna, Rimini, gun positions on the French Riviera coast and rail bridges in the Po valley without having a single man on his crew wounded.

Though he has seen German fighters on occasion, formations with which he has flown have never been attacked.

Lieutenant Dorroh, who flies with the Mediterranean's oldest medium bomber group, has been awarded the Air Medal with eight Oak Leaf Clusters, and in addition wears the Distinguished Unit Badge with Oak Leaf Cluster, for the two presidential citations won by his group.

Refusing to attach any particular significance to his record, Lieutenant Dorroh sums it up simply with "I've just been lucky"—a statement with which other fliers in his group hasten to concur.

Lieutenant Dorroh is a graduate of Louisiana State University and worked in the Bank of Crestview prior to entering the AAF Jan. 16, 1942. Commissioned at Turner Field, Ga., he has been overseas a year.

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Majors Killed in Plane Crash

◆ FIRST OFFICER RAY R. MAJORS, 34, of Springfield, Mo., was killed Feb. 11, 1944, when an American Airlines transcontinental plane crashed into the Mississippi River near Memphis. Twenty-three other persons lost their lives.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Majors, he was graduated from Springfield High School and attended the University of Iowa before becoming a pilot.

He had been an employee of the airlines since December, 1942, after serving as an aviation cadet instructor at Stanford, Tex.

He also is survived by a brother and four sisters.

Bob McFarland Returns to Italy After Visit Home

◆ PINE ROOTS constituted the only fuel available for trains in North Africa immediately after the invasion in 1943. And the railroads could move only 250 tons of freight per day.

These facts were disclosed by Lt. Col. Robert M. McFarland, $\Delta\Delta$, former executive secretary of Pi Kappa Alpha, upon his return to his home in Atlanta after two years overseas.

Colonel McFarland went overseas with the Quartermaster Corps, where he was hectically engaged in obtaining supplies and seeing to it that they got to the front.

Apparently he did a good job, for he now wears the Legion of Merit award from the United States Army, and has been made an honorary member of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

"When you take into consideration the fact that an American railroad car will haul some 40 or 50 tons of freight, then you can realize what a problem it was to move freight on the African railroads," Colonel McFarland said.

"We had an immense stockpile of pine roots along the African railroad tracks. For a while these were the only fuel we had, but finally coal arrived from England, and with the addition of new railroad equipment, we gradually stepped up the flow of freight."

"But it was nearly five months after the invasion before we were able to haul all the materials needed to supply our forces."

Colonel McFarland arrived home on Christmas Eve, and has returned to the Italian theater.



Lt. Col. Robert M. McFarland, $\Delta\Delta$, received the Order of the British Empire from Lt. Gen. A. H. Gammell, Chief of Staff of Allied Force Headquarters in North Africa.

Parsons Receives Many Honors Abroad

◆ BRUCE PARSONS, $\Delta\Phi$, who had a successful insurance business in Chicago before he entered the service in February, 1942, and who recently was promoted to colonel, brought back many interesting stories of his two years in Africa and Italy.

The Sultan of Morocco cited Colonel Parsons for his work as president of the Allied commission for the security of the port of Casablanca.

Pope Pius received him in private audience.

Prince Umberto awarded the colonel the order of commander of the royal crown of Italy.

After several months with the general staff in the Sixth Corps Area, Colonel Parsons spent a year and a half in Africa as provost marshal of Morocco. Since last June he has been provost marshal of Italy.



COL. BRUCE PARSONS

Daughtrey Killed in France

◆ FIRST LT. A. JAMES DAUGHTREY, JR., O, was killed in action in France, Sept. 22, 1944. He was a resident of Richmond, Va., and a graduate of John Marshall High School. He attended the University of Richmond from February, 1932, to June, 1933. He was active in intramural sports. He entered the Army in February, 1941, and went to Africa in September, 1943. He served in the Italian campaign and participated in the invasion of Southern France.

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◆ THE BALBOA Little Theater, of which Subert Turbyfill, BO, is director, recently sent out invitations to its friends for the stage production of "Arsenic and Old Lace."

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◆ ROBERT LINDQUIST, BT, has been elected vice president of the American National Bank and Trust Company, of Chicago, and will continue his duties as advertising and publicity officer and personnel director.

Bomber Pilot Killed Over Germany

◆ LT. CARL M. HELEEN, FK, a B-17 bomber pilot, was killed in action over Germany, Sept. 13, 1944.

Lieutenant Heleen was born in Missoula, Mont., Jan. 9, 1917. He was graduated from Montana State College in 1940, with a degree in chemical engineering. In college he was active in fraternity, church, and professional organizations. After graduation he entered the employment of the Northern Pacific Railway. At the time of his enlistment in the Army Air Corps, Mar. 16, 1943, he was in the laboratories of the Boeing Aircraft Company in Seattle.

He was married in Seattle, Nov. 8, 1941, to Miss Elaine Johnson of Polson, Mont., who survives him, as do his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Heleen.

Lieutenant Heleen received his wings and commission Jan. 7, 1944, at the Marfa, Tex., airfield, and continued advanced training at Hobbs, N. M., and Rapid City, S. D., which he completed July 11, 1944.



LT. CARL M. HELEEN

Marine Corps Cadet Dies in Fall

◆ MARVIN FLETCHER ELLIOTT, JR., FH, was killed in a fall down the stair well of training quarters at Quantico, Va., a week before he was to receive his commission as second lieutenant in the Marine Corps.



Elliott

He was born in Fresno, Calif., and was graduated from high school there in 1938. He was active in athletics, receiving among his awards a gold football and a trophy for breaking the shotput

The accident occurred late at night Apr. 22, 1944. A sleep-walker on occasions, he apparently had taken the wrong turn and fell to his death over a third-floor bannister.

record.

He entered Southern California in 1938 and was a member of the Pan-American Club and the Screen Actors' Guild. He played in such pictures as "Hi Diddle Diddle," "Human Comedy," "Stage Door Canteen," "Crime Doctor" and "Yankee Doodle Dandy." He had the unique experience of seeing himself in a training film at Quantico which he had made while in California.

The commanding officer at Quantico wrote his parents:

"Your son had done excellent work in this school and would have graduated with his class and been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps on May 3d. He was very popular with his classmates and was highly thought of by his officers."

Military services were held in the Little Church of Flowers.

Gamma-Eta Adds Gold Stars to Flag

◆ FOUR additional gold stars have been added to the Gamma-Eta service flag, according to Mrs. Willis Warren Allen, president of the chapter's Mothers Club.

They are:

Lt. Sam Johnson, Army Air Forces, killed in a plane crash at Muroc Lake.

Bob Johnson, killed in action.

Larry Eburu, Marine Corps, wounded at Kwatjelaen and afterward, on July 4,

1944, was killed in action on Saipan.

Clyde Doyle, killed in South Carolina in January, 1945.

Lt. Bill Mayo, USAAF, was reported missing in action over Germany Dec. 31, 1944.

The death of Jeff Hooker was reported in last issue and the death of Marvin Elliott appears in this issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND.

Flight Surgeon Killed in Pacific

◆ LT. COMDR. JOHN W. FISH, K, a flight surgeon, was killed in action in the Pacific area, his mother, Mrs. D. R. Botkin, of Louisville, Ky., was informed by the Navy Department in December, 1944.

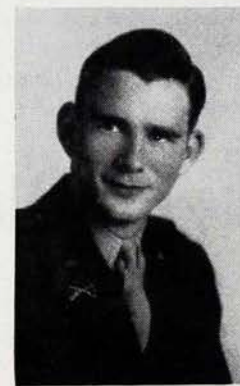
A graduate of Transylvania College, he also was a graduate of the University of Louisville Medical School and Tulane University where he completed his eye, ear, nose and throat study.

In addition to being on the staffs of several Louisville hospitals, he was a member of the American Academy of Medicine, the Baptist Church and the Kiwanis Club. He entered the service in March, 1942.

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Ohio Lieutenant Loses Life in France

◆ FIRST LT. JOHN M. FOX, FO, of Youngstown, Ohio, was killed in action Nov. 8, 1944, in France, the War Department informed his parents, Milton D. Fox, AP, and Mrs. Fox.



Lt. Fox

A graduate of South High School in 1936, he studied business administration at Ohio University. He was inducted in October, 1941, while a senior at college.

He was commissioned at Fort Dix, N. J., in April, 1942.

The following December at San

Diego he was promoted to first lieutenant.

He was a member of the Baptist Church. In addition to his parents, he is survived by a brother, a sister, a grandmother and a grandfather.

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Hussman Back on Job

◆ MAJ. WALTER E. HUSSMAN, AN, has returned to his duties as business manager of the *Texarkana (Tex.) Gazette and News* after 31 months of service in the Army, 10 months of which was spent in the Caribbean and European theaters as officer in charge of the publication of *Yank*. Although released from active duty, he continues in the reserve.

He Died A Hero.

Lieutenant Shaw Is Victim of Hari-Kiri Crazy Jap on Angaur Isle

◆ SECOND LT. ROBERT LEE SHAW, IT, son of Chet Shaw, managing editor of *Newsweek* magazine, and Mrs. Shaw, died a hero's death Oct. 25, 1944, on Angaur Island.

According to word received by his parents, Lieutenant Shaw was sleeping in a tent with several other officers when a Jap intruder entered. Shaw made a flying leap, knocked the Jap down and pinned his arms behind him. But the savage already had pulled the pin on the grenade and the blast took both of them. Two officers were wounded in the same tent and nine in a neighboring tent were injured.

The officer was buried the same day in a beautiful military cemetery with full honors. During the ceremony, the bulldozers hacking away at an adjacent air strip, silenced their motors as a mark of respect.

"The cemetery is near a new stone chapel and is surrounded by palms. The ocean is near; the breeze is cool; and it is peaceful there," wrote Lt. C. D. Griffith.

His version of the heroic death follows:

"There was nothing of which Bob really appeared to be afraid. He didn't believe in allowing fear to disturb him. When a single Jap soldier, having been seen and challenged by me in the early morning darkness, came running insanely into our tent firing a pistol, Bob, though abruptly awakened, nevertheless instantaneously summed up the situation and immediately, without having time to reach for his weapons, with no regard for his safety, leaped up and battled the intruder.

"The struggle lasted only a second; the Jap had his own peculiar advantage.

He apparently entered our tent only to commit hari-kiri. The grenade he used killed your brave son instantly and wounded a number of the others of us. It all happened very quickly—so quickly that I had barely got my carbine in my hand when the grenade went off."

Lieutenant Shaw enlisted as an aviation cadet while a student at Rensselaer and was called for training at Grand Rapids, Mich., on Christmas Eve, 1942. He received his commission in September, 1943, and went overseas in June, 1944. He served Gamma-Tau well during his years there and is the first member of that chapter to pay the supreme sacrifice in this war.

He also is survived by Second Lt. Richard Price Shaw, IT, a Thunderbolt fighter pilot recently stationed at Blue-enthal Field, N. C.



LT. ROBERT LEE SHAW

Crash Fatal to Bullock

◆ CAPT. TRUETT K. BULLOCK, FA, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bullock, of Tybertown and Columbia, Miss., was killed in an airplane accident in Sweden, the War Department announced in November, 1944.

He had completed his combat missions over Germany as a B-24 pilot and was engaged in transport flying with the Air Transport Command. He had received the Air Medal and two Oak Leaf clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

He also is survived by a brother, Wilbur Bullock, Jr.

Shumate Killed on Palau

◆ MARINE PFC. JAMES RAY SHUMATE, A9, of Marianna, W. Va., was killed in action Sept. 15, 1944, on Palau Island, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shumate, were informed.

He attended high school at Logan, W. Va., and Wytheville, Va., where he played football. After working in a mine, he entered the University of West Virginia in the fall of 1942.

He received boot training at San Diego and embarked Dec. 27, 1943. He was in New Caledonia, New Britain, New Ireland and Australia before the Palau invasion.



LT. SAMUEL B. MEYER, JR.

Glass Expert Dies In B-29 Test Flight

◆ SECOND LT. SAMUEL B. MEYER, JR., IT, of Fox Chapel, Pittsburgh, Pa., was killed July 2, 1944, in a routine training flight near Woodward, Okla., helping develop the B-29 Superfortress. The entire crew of 11 lost their lives.

A graduate of the University of Pittsburgh School of Engineering, he also held a degree of M. S. in ceramic engineering from Penn State. Before entering the service in February, 1943, he was employed at Glenshaw Glass Company, of which his father, Samuel B. Meyer, is president.

Lieutenant Meyer was trained in maintenance at the AAF school at Yale University and received his commission in July, 1943. He took his B-29 training at the Boeing plant in Seattle, graduating in October of that year. He went to Salina, Kan., Denver and then to Clovis, N. M.

Frank W. Preston, quoted in the *Bulletin* of the American Ceramic Society, said "the heir-apparent of the Glenshaw Glass Company and its best technologist, is gone."

He contributed a paper to the Society on opal glasses and turned down offers of research positions to join the Army.

Lieutenant Meyer also is survived by his mother, two sisters and a brother. Burial was in Mt. Royal Cemetery, Glenshaw.



MAJ. RUDOLPH F. BOSTELMAN

Plane Crash Fatal To Major Bostelman

♦ MAJ. RUDOLPH F. BOSTELMAN, BT, was killed Sept. 18, 1944, when a transport plane on which he was a passenger crashed on Mt. McKinley, 70 miles from Fairbanks, Alaska.

Commissioned in the reserve in August, 1942, he trained at Miami Beach, Fla., and was sent to Drew Field, Fla., where he was base legal officer and assistant trial judge advocate, hearing general court-martial cases involving the more serious offenses.

His Army work was particularly interesting to "Rudy" as he was a member of the law firm, Dempsey, Mills, Casey and Bostelman, of Chicago, when he entered the service.

Shortly after he was promoted to captain in June, 1943, he was sent to the Aleutians. Early in 1944 he was promoted to major. After 13 months on the islands, he was transferred back to the United States. He was on his way back to the states when killed. It was not until the latter part of November that a searching party was able to reach the wreckage and ascertain that all on board the plane had perished.

Born Dec. 29, 1905, in Chicago, he was the son of Dr. Rudolph D. Bostelman and Mrs. Bostelman. He attended the University of Colorado and the University of Michigan where he received an A. B. degree in 1926. He received his J. D. in 1930 from Northwestern. He was married to Miss Virginia Boes, who survives. Their children are John R., 4, and Jane Ann, 1.

Major Bostelman, who made his home at LaGrange, was active in church affairs. He was a member of Phi Alpha Delta and the Order of the Coif.

Major Swain Loses Life in Casablanca

♦ MAJ. ROBERT A. SWAIN, BM, was killed Dec. 11 in Casablanca, French Morocco, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Robert A. Swain, of El Paso, Tex. Details of his death were not immediately learned.

Major Swain was assigned to the Office of Strategic Services and was on a special mission by plane to the Far East.

He attended New Mexico Military Institute and the University of Texas. He received his bachelor's degree from Texas College of Mines and his master's in economics from George Washington University. In June, 1941, he received his doctorate in law from George Washington and was admitted to the District of Columbia bar.

Ordered to active duty in June, 1941, he remained with the Quartermaster until December, 1942. In November, 1943, he became depot liaison officer for the southern United States and served in that capacity until he joined the OSS.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Harry Swain, his wife and baby daughter,



MAJ. ROBERT A. SWAIN

ter, and a brother, Sgt. Harry Swain, who is on duty in Belgium.

Lt. Thomas P. Hunter Killed on Guam

♦ LT. THOMAS PITT HUNTER, BT, was killed on Guam July 21, 1944. With the 9th Marines, he had served on Bougainville Island prior to his death.

At the University of Kansas "T. P." was a distinguished letterman on Dr. Forrest C. Allen's Jayhawker basketball team and participated in two of the N.C.A.A. tournaments at the Kansas City Auditorium. He was a member of the "K" Club and a student member of the athletic board of which Dr. W. W. Davis (former National Historian of Pi Kappa Alpha) was the chairman.

Hunter graduated from the university in June of 1942 and went immediately to Quantico, Va., where he received his lieutenant's bars in November of the same year. He served on Guadalcanal and participated in many engagements for which he received several citations.

Dr. Forrest C. Allen has paid tribute to "T. P." in his Jayhawk Rebounds, a letter that he addresses to Kansas athletes all over the world. Says Dr. Allen: "Hunter was our outstanding pitcher in his senior year as well as excelling in basketball. This modest, clean, genteel and resourceful boy, beloved by every teammate and athletic adversary with whom he came in contact, was held in the highest esteem by all. He was buoyant, dominant, yet modest and self-effacing. How many times have I heard some of the boys after a hot game regale some official for either failure to call a foul

or by calling a foul that certain players did not think just. In the pitch of the excitement a forceful, kind voice would speak up and say, 'I didn't think he was so bad,' and immediately the tempest of words ceased."

One of his Marines, Cpl. Charles P. Loar, said: "I was one of T. P. Hunter's best friends. We were in the same outfit, and I was with Teep when he was killed. I guess that tale will be one of the unwritten stories of the war, but Hunter was a hero and a great guy. I guess a Marine isn't supposed to have much feeling but I've never known a finer person."

Lt. Klint Kanaga, who knew Hunter at the university and served with him in the South Pacific, has written: "Teep and I spent many nights in May, June, and July—just chewing the fat. T. P. was a great Marine and a real leader—his men were crazy about him."

A gift of \$100 to be used for a "living memorial" to Lieutenant Hunter has been made to the university by John Baldwin, BT. Dr. Allen is the trustee for this gift and with this fund as a nucleus other contributions are expected from fraternity brothers, classmates, and friends. Although no definite use of this gift has been decided upon, Dr. Allen has decided that it will be wisely spent for some worthwhile purpose—truly a "living memorial."

Marine Corps Colonel Killed on Tinian

◆ LT. COL. JOHN WHITE EASLEY, I, of Blairs, Va., was killed Aug. 2 on Tinian Island, the War Department notified his parents, Dr. Charles A. Easley and Mrs. Easley.

He had served in the Pacific with the Marine Corps for three years and had just recovered from a shrapnel wound in the leg received in the invasion of Siapan.

Colonel Easley's parents learned that a unit of the famed Second Marine Division was having trouble with a Jap machine gun nest. As the officer would not ask his men to do anything he wouldn't do, he moved forward to eliminate the position and was wounded fatally.

A graduate of Hargrave Military



LT. COL. JOHN W. EASLEY

Academy, he attended the College of William and Mary and the University of West Virginia where he studied law. He received his commission in the Marine Corps eight years ago.

On June 27, 1942, he was married to Miss Patricia Easley, of Hollywood.

Colonel Easley "always cherished and loved his Fraternity," his mother said. "In writing to his brother, Charles A. Easley, Jr., a surgeon with the 7th Army in France, he always described himself as 'your brother in the bonds.'"

— II K A —

L. L. McCULLOCK KILLED

◆ LACY LEE McCULLOCK, A2, was killed in action Feb. 3, 1943, at Henderson Field, Guadalcanal.

Gold Stars

SGT. JOE HARRIS

◆ SGT. JOE HARRIS, AZ, '40, was killed in action in France.

— II K A —

CAPT. JACK SHELL

◆ CAPT. JACK SHELL, AZ, '40, was killed in action in Italy.

— II K A —

LT. BERNARD O. REEVES

◆ LT. BERNARD OTIS REEVES, FI, was killed in a routine flight with the Army Air Corps, according to word reaching the National Office.

— II K A —

SGT. ROBERT MOORE

◆ T/SGT. ROBERT MOORE, AA, of Great Crossing, Ky., died convalescing from injuries, according to word received by the chapter in December, 1944.

— II K A —

PVT. CARL B. FATH

◆ PVT. CARL B. FATH, BA, 18, son of Walter H. Fath, superintendent of Meramec Farms, Valley Park, Mo., was killed in action Oct. 26 in France.

— II K A —

LT. COL. J. H. BOUSHALL

◆ LT. COL. JOHN HECK BOUSHALL, T, was killed in an automobile accident near a camp in Louisiana, according to word received several months ago by his mother, Mrs. J. D. Boushall, of Raleigh, N. C.

— II K A —

F/O CHAS. H. SLOAN, JR.

◆ FLIGHT OFFICER CHARLES HENRY SLOAN, JR., T, '42, was killed near Daytona Beach, Fla., Oct. 18, 1944, evacuating his plane from the hurricane. He was in the Air Transport Command.

— II K A —

LT. JOSEPH M. DULSKI

◆ LT. JOSEPH M. DULSKI, BE, Cleveland, air navigator, was killed in a bomber crash near Pueblo, Colo., Aug. 16.

Lieutenant Dulski enlisted in the air force in 1941. He was a graduate of West Technical High School, Cleveland, and Western Reserve University. He was active in intramural sports at WRU.

Surviving him are his wife, Irene; a son, Joseph, Jr.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dulski, and three sisters, Mrs. Sophia Heitz, Mrs. Eleanore Grezejka and Mrs. Julia Fabian.



LT. GEORGE D. STALLINGS

Mid-Air Collision Fatal to Stallings

◆ LT. GEORGE DRUMMOND STALLINGS, A2, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Henry Stallings, of Washington, D. C., was killed Aug. 6, 1944, in England when his B-24 collided in mid-air with another craft of the same type after returning from an operational mission.

He entered the University of Cincinnati the fall of 1942 and was called into service the following March, volunteering on his eighteenth birthday.

He received the Pi Kappa Alpha ring for being the outstanding pledge of the chapter. At a dinner Feb. 27, 1943, SMC Richard Hoffman said:

"I have great pleasure in giving the award of a ring to the pledge who was most outstanding during the last pledge period. There was close competition between four of the fellows, but we finally selected the one we felt was very outstanding."

"He is diligent—you can give him a job and he will get it done. He will stick by his guns until the job is over."

"We judge the men by their conduct both on and off the campus, their campus position and their conduct during probation week."

"It gives me great pleasure to present this ring to Brother George Stallings as the outstanding pledge of Alpha-Xi of Pi Kappa Alpha."

After training at Midland, Tex., Lieutenant Stallings went to England in 1943.

Mrs. Stallings received a letter from a friend, Dr. G. Drummond Robinson, of Cambridge, England, which said:

"Your beloved son lies at rest, facing the dawn in the beautiful United States Military Cemetery at Madingly, some four miles from this town of Cambridge. With him are his comrades who were involved with him in the accident."

Robert Houlette Killed in Germany

◆ PFC. ROBERT H. HOULETTE, 1P, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Houlette, Evanston, Ill., was killed in action in Germany Nov. 29.

A commerce student at Northwestern and a member of the University swimming team, Houlette enlisted in the ASTP and continued his studies at Virginia Polytechnic Institute. When this program was abandoned, Houlette was assigned to the 335th Infantry.



Houlette

One of the last letters from Houlette told of being in a small German village and having hot food for the first time in 30 days. He said that was one night he would really sleep. The next day he was killed.

He also is survived by a brother, Jack Houlette, and a sister, Betty Houlette.

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B-24 Pilot Loses Life In Philippines

◆ LT. ROBERT B. DAWKINS, JR., 1A, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dawkins, of Martin Dam, Ala., has been killed in action Nov. 8 in the Philippines, the War Department has notified his parents.

Pilot of a B-24, Lieutenant Dawkins had been on approximately 50 combat missions since he entered the service in August, 1942. In civilian life, he was employed with the Alabama Power Company at its Chickasaw steam plant near Mobile.

Lieutenant Dawkins was a graduate of Tennessee Military Institute before entering the University of Alabama. He also is survived by a sister, Mrs. J. E. Davidson.

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McCracken First Beta-Alpha Casualty

◆ LT. JOHN R. MCCrackEN is the first member of Beta-Alpha Chapter to pay the supreme sacrifice in the present conflict. He was killed in Northern France on Nov. 10, 1944, while serving with the 375th Field Artillery Bat-

alion of the 100th Infantry Division. Sometime in October he left for European service and had been in action only about three days when he was killed.

McCracken enrolled in the School of Commerce and Finance at the Pennsylvania State College in September, 1937. He was initiated Feb. 13, 1938. During his Senior year he was both SMC and IMC of the chapter.

After graduation in June, 1941, he was employed by the Remington Rand Company. In July, 1942, he enlisted in the Army and graduated from Field Artillery school at Fort Sill, Okla., Jan. 28, 1943. From there he went to Fort Bragg, N. C., and was fighting when he was killed.

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Siano Is Killed In Action in France

◆ CPL. JOSEPH C. SIANO, 1Σ, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Siano, was killed Aug. 30 in the operation which captured the important port at Brest, France.

A pre-medical student at the University of Pittsburgh, he enlisted in the reserve and was called into service June 22, 1943. He did his basic training at Fort Riley, Kan., and was assigned to an ASTP unit at the University of Pennsylvania.

When the ASTP was disbanded, he was assigned to an infantry unit and left the states May 1, 1944. After the battle of St. Lo, he was awarded the Expert Combat Infantryman badge for his work as No. 1 gunner of a mortar squad.

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Marine Officer Killed

◆ LT. JOHN EVANS, 1N, '41, Marine Air Corps, was killed last summer in the South Pacific.

One of the most active law students on the Iowa campus, he was editor of the *Hawkeye*, president of the Interfraternity Council, president of Gamma-Nu chapter, and elected most popular man on campus in 1940.

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Holtman Honored

◆ A PICTURE of Lt. (j. g.) Orvid J. Holtman, AK, county surveyor who was killed on D-Day at sea, has been hung in the office of the county clerk at the courthouse at Columbia, Mo.

The picture is an official U. S. Navy photograph.

Holtman received his training as a Navy Seabee at Fort Pierce, Fla.



NELSON and DOBBS

Poi Bowl Stars

By SGT. JACK E. KEENE
Beta-Beta Chapter

(Sergeant Keene, former sports editor of the University of Washington Daily, is now in Hawaii with an AAF unit.)

◆ THREE I I K A's, former All-Americans, took part in the Army-Navy "Poi Bowl" football classic in Honolulu in January. The Navy, victorious by 14 to 0, fielded a powerful aggregation of former college and professional stars led by Bob Suffridge, Z.

Starring for the Army eleven, which represented the Army Air Force, Pacific Ocean Areas, were Glenn Dobbs, 1T, and Jimmy Nelson, 1A. Dobbs captained the losing squad and played halfback; Nelson handled the quarterback assignment.

Dobbs put on an outstanding performance, completing half the 30 passes he hurled and punting 10 times for a 45-yard average. One of his quick kicks travelled 70 yards. This surprise punt came just two plays after the Army had halted a sustained Navy drive on the 6-inch line. On the first play, Dobbs snapped a forward pass from deep in his own end zone that was complete on the 12-yard line. This drew in the Navy secondary and set the stage for his tremendous quick kick.

Suffridge was forced from the game in the first quarter with a severe gash over his eye, but not until he had demonstrated why he is considered one of Tennessee's all-time gridiron greats.

Robert D. Lynn Chosen Assistant Executive Secretary

◆ ROBERT DEWESE LYNN, M., has begun his duties as assistant executive secretary of Pi Kappa Alpha and after a thorough study of the National Office will start a visitation of active and alumni chapters which will take him to every part of the nation.

For the last two years he was a member of the faculty of Presbyterian College at Clinton, S. C., where he virtually "grew up" with Mu Chapter. Before joining the faculty as a member of the Department of Economics and Sociology, he was in the insurance business in Clinton.

Lynn first came to the attention of the National Office as a possible official through the excellent job he did as counselor for Mu Chapter. His connection with Pi Kappa Alpha dates back to 1918 when at 5 years of age his parents moved to Clinton where his father became president of Thornwell Orphan age.

Lynn completed his elementary and high school education there and was graduated summa cum laude from Presbyterian in 1934. He served as ThC



ROBERT D. LYNN

and SMC while winning letters in track and basketball. He captained the net squad.

Other college honors included president of the Freshman Class, president of the Y. M. C. A., president of Blue Key and was cadet commander of the R. O. T. C. The following year he received his masters in social work from the College of William and Mary.

In 1934 he won the Alumnus Beta Phi award as the outstanding undergraduate of that year. He attended the Troutdale Convention.

A member of the Clinton Kiwanis Club and Chamber of Commerce, he has served as chairman of the Red Cross Chapter and a deacon in the First Presbyterian Church.

In June, 1941, he married Miss Evelyn McDowell, of Spartanburg, S. C. They have one child, Sara Frances, born Nov. 12, 1944. They are making their home at 605 Terrace Avenue, Atlanta.

Lynn's two brothers, the Rev. R. Matthews Lynn, minister of education, First Presbyterian Church, Houston, Texas, and Maj. Ross M. Lynn, overseas with an Army Ordnance unit, also are members of Mu chapter.

2 New District Presidents Named

◆ Two new district presidents have been named, the Supreme Council has announced.

They are:

Guyton H. Watkins, of New Orleans, president of 11-b.

Dr. Oliver Hodge, Tulsa, Okla., 14-a.

(Story and picture of Dr. Hodge to appear in April issue.)

Watkins is a junior in the college of law at Tulane University, having received his bachelor's degree in June, 1944. He was SMC of Eta last March and arranged the Diamond Jubilee for Dr. George Summey.

Born July 1, 1923, at Guyton Ranch, Levita, Tex., he spent the early years of his life in the oil fields of Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

For several months after finishing high school at New Iberia, La., Watkins was employed by J. Ray McDermott & Company, oilfield construction contractors and engineers, the company he now is employed by in New Orleans.

At Tulane he was editor of the *Wave*, Freshman handbook; treasurer and president of the Y.M.C.A., chairman of the Easter Sunrise Service, secretary-treasurer of the law school student body, member of the honor board, and is editor of *Urchin*, the monthly humor magazine.

He also is a member of Phi Delta Phi, is president of Kappa Delta Phi, and a member of the Student Center Council.

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◆ MORGAN E. WILLIAMS, AP, has joined the staff of the Sprague-Hathaway Studios at West Somerville, Mass., as vice president.



GUYTON H. WATKINS

Hodges Decorated; Lowe Gets Star

◆ LT. GEN. COURTNEY H. HODGES, Ψ, commanding general of the First Army, has been awarded an Oak Leaf Cluster to his Distinguished Service Medal, the War Department announced.

The award was for skillful generalship and outstanding leadership during the campaign in France last summer.

"The outstanding successes of the First Army under his direction demonstrate the high quality of the service of Lieutenant General Hodges to the United States of America," the citation said.

General Hodges received the Distinguished Service Medal during World War I.

Another member of Psi Chapter, Thomas Merritt Lowe, born in Buena Vista, Ga., was among the list of 78 colonels recently promoted to brigadier generals.

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◆ JOHN B. WILKINSON, T, died of a heart attack Dec. 22, 1944, at Louisville, Ky., where he had lived for 38 years. He was a Shriner and a deacon in the Highland Presbyterian Church. A native of Alma, N. C., he was 69 years old. He is survived by his wife, two sons, two brothers and two sisters.



Sgt. Orlando Howard Dodson, Jr., $\Gamma\Lambda$, and **Miss Sarah Ellen Schmidt,** ΔZ , Sept. 18, 1944, in First Methodist Church, Tuscumbia, Ala. A medley of Pi Kappa Alpha and Delta-Zeta songs were played. After 29 months in the Aleutians, Sergeant Dodson was sent to England with combat engineers. Mrs. Dodson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Schmidt, of Tuscumbia, is with the editorial staff of the Tri-Cities Daily and the Florence (Ala.) Times.

Precious Packages

To James Edward Wallace, ΔH , and Mrs. Lois Longeteig Wallace, $\Delta\Delta\Delta$, a son, James Edward, Jr., Sept. 21, 1944, at Charlotte, N. C. The future $\Pi K A$ has a sister, Mary Elizabeth. Wallace has been a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation since 1940 when he was graduated from the University of Florida.

To Ens. Wilfred E. "Peck" Sands, Δ , and Mrs. Mary Reed Sands, $\Pi B\Phi$, a daughter, Sandra Pricilla, Nov. 3, 1944, in Birmingham, Ala. Ensign Sands, USNR, is on an LSM and was on sea duty when the baby arrived.

To the Rev. Peyton Thurman, ΔA , and Mrs. Thurman, a daughter, Jane Bassett Thurman, Apr. 5, 1944, in Russellville, Ky.

To Ens. Douglas Rouse, $\Delta\Theta$, '38, and Mrs. Rouse, a daughter, Julia Ann, Sept. 18, 1944, at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

To Andrew H. Knight, ΔH , and Mrs. Knight, a son, Stephen Brooks Knight, Nov. 17, 1944, at Birmingham.

To Maj. J. R. Woodfill, BH , and Mrs. Woodfill, a son, Jared R. Woodfill IV, at Fort McPherson, Ga. Major Woodfill is now at the Presidio of Monterey, Calif.

To Lt. Albert Ushana, BH , and Mrs. Darline Trout Ushana, a daughter, Jeannie Marie, Feb. 19, 1944.

To Pvt. J. O. Edwards, BO , Seminole, Okla., and Mrs. Winifred Edwards, $\Pi B\Phi$, a son, Jerome Goddard Edwards, Aug. 6, 1944, at Oklahoma City. The youngster has a sister, Judith, 3 years old.

To Capt. Ray E. Slaughter, ΓP , and Mrs. Slaughter, a daughter, Dec. 30, 1944.

To Alex Shafer, Z , and Mrs. Shafer, a son, Alfred Martin Shafer.

To Clark Cole and Jimmie Mott, both of Delta-Alpha, sons. Both fathers out in the Pacific.

To Robert Lange, AK , and Mrs. Lange, a son, Frank Powell, in St. Louis. The Langes have a daughter, Carol Nan, 4.

To Lt. Roland "Speedy" Allen, ΓA , Sheffield, Ala., and Mrs. Allen, a daughter, December, 1944. They have a son.

To Gilbert W. Crosby, ΓM , 26 Parker Street, Sangus, Mass., and Mrs. Crosby, a daughter, Carolyn Ruth, Nov. 8, 1944.

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◆ **STEVEN KELLY LUTZ**, son of John G. Lutz, $\Delta\Phi$, and Mrs. E. Maxine Lutz, $\Delta\Gamma\Delta$, of Rockville Center, Long Island, died July 5, 1944, just after his fifth birthday, of infantile paralysis. Survivors include a brother, David John Lutz, 14 months old.

Permanently Pinned

Lt. Col. Charles Thomas Campbell, AP , of Crestline, Ohio, and Miss Marjorie Nina Brown, KKT , of Washington, D. C., were married Sept. 23, 1944, in Metropolitan Methodist Church in Washington.

Colonel Campbell is assistant chief of the machine records branch of the Adjutant General's Office with offices in the Pentagon.

Colonel Campbell is the son of Mrs. Virgie V. Campbell, of Crestline, and Mrs. Campbell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Charles Brown.

The bride attended George Washington University and was 1944 Dream Girl of Delta-Alpha Chapter. Her picture appeared in the July, 1944, issue of *THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND*.

After the wedding a reception was held



Lt. (j.g.) George E. Burgess, $USNR$, H , Tulane '42, to **Miss Lenore Williamson,** $\Pi B\Phi$, Newcomb College '45, at the Naval Chapel in San Francisco, Calif., in November. Lieutenant Burgess, who has been

in the Pacific since the spring of '42, home is in New Orleans. Mrs. Burgess, whose home is Pineapple, Ala., finishes Newcomb in February.

at the Delta-Alpha house for 250 friends and relatives. They left shortly afterward for Sea Island, Ga.

Lt. William F. Thieman, USNR, former SMC of Beta-Eta, and Miss Ann Mogford, on Nov. 25, 1944. The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mogford in Delray Beach, Fla. The former Miss Mogford is a graduate of Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla., where she was a member of Alpha Phi sorority. Lieutenant and Mrs. Thieman are living in Williamsburg, Va., while Lieutenant Thieman is stationed at the Naval Mine Depot, Yorktown, Va.

Lt. Larry W. Cantrell, USNR, BK, only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Cantrell, of Atlanta, and Miss Norma Snape, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil R. Snape, of London, England, were married in the Marylebone Presbyterian Church, London, in the fall of 1944.

The bride is in the British service with the WAAF, RAF, stationed in North Weald, Essex.

The bridegroom is an honor graduate at Emory where he was a member of the glee club. Lieutenant Cantrell is on the staff of Adm. William Stark, who attended the ceremony.

S/Sgt. James E. West, BH, and Miss Doris Andrews, of Philadelphia, July 1, 1944. Now a gunnery instructor at Rapid City, S. D., Sergeant West completed 25 missions over occupied Europe and won the Air Medal and three clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Lt. Ed Eveland, Jr., BH, and Miss Doris Jean Metzler, July, 1944, in Champaign, Ill. Bruce Barnes, FZ, and Miss Marjorie Vanderwater, AD, Jan. 1, 1945.

Capt. Charles Philip Swafford, Z, and Miss Mary Frances Lee.

Thomas Bell Shook, Z, and Miss Katherine Lucille Chesney.

The Chi Omega magazine reports the marriages of the following Pi Kappa Alphas and Chi Omegas: Joseph Argabrite, K, and



Ens. Robert W. Haverfield, AN, and Mrs. Betty Luker Haverfield, shortly after their marriage Sept. 14 at University City, Mo. Ensign Haverfield is now on sea duty. Mrs. Haverfield, a member of Gamma Phi Beta, was circulation manager of Industrial Medicine, a Chicago industrial publication.



Lt. Col. Charles T. Campbell, AP, and his bride, Delta-Alpha Dream Girl and the former Miss Marjorie Nina Brown, KKT, cut the wedding

cake with Colonel Campbell's sabre at the reception at Delta-Alpha House which followed the wedding.

Miss Elizabeth Steel Corbin, August, 1944; Pfc. Don Houck and Miss Frances Goodale, in Seattle, and Lt. Frederick Daniels and Miss Beth Johnson, June 18, 1944.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma magazine discloses that Ens. Gustav Wilde, FZ, USNR, and Miss Betty Ann Crede were married Sept. 16, 1944. They are living in Newport, R. I. The same magazine said Lt. Col. B. L. Baker, Q, and Miss Carolyn Varin were married July 18, 1944.

Charles Presh Yarn, Jr., BK, and Miss Edna Jane Hurt, Sept. 25, 1944, in St. Luke's Episcopal Chapel, Scottsboro, Ala. Yarn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Yarn and Mrs. Yarn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hurt.

Lt. Paul Edward Buettner, Jr., AZ, and Ila Jean Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Walker Carter, Oct. 20, 1944, in Trinity Episcopal Church, Appomattox, Ga. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Buettner, of Dayton, Ohio. Lieutenant Buettner is stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C., and they are living in Columbia, S. C.

Marine Lt. Sam Dowdy, AD, to Uvalda Cantrell, June 19, 1944.

Tim McCue, AD, to Elise Graves at University of Virginia, Jan. 13, 1945.

Capt. Maurice Feltz, AZ, '41, and Miss Edith Evelyn Rymal, at Lexington, Mass., November, 1944.

Lt. Charles Wayman, AZ, '42, and Miss Ann Ratcliffe, IIBF, at Corning, Ark.

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◆ BETTY LOU DeLAUP, 2, who died recently of lymphatic leukemia in New Orleans after a nation-wide search for blood donors, was the daughter of L. Talbot DeLaup, AI, and Mrs. DeLaup, of 2312 Audubon, New Orleans.

◆ PI KAPPA ALPHA ranked highest in active fraternity scholarship for the spring quarter at the University of Missouri with a grade average of 250.45 joints. Beta Theta Pi ranked second with 238.11 and FarmHouse ranked third with 230.37.

Alpha Tau Omega with 283.78 points ranked first of the fraternity pledges followed by Pi Kappa Alpha with 212.10 and FarmHouse with 200.05.



South, Southwest Dominate All-IIKA Team

By DILLON GRAHAM

Alpha-Eta Chapter

♦ SOUTHERN and Southwestern college chapters produced most of Pi Kappa Alpha's gridiron standouts of last fall and contributed eight of the eleven players selected on the fraternity's 1944 All-America football team.

From the standpoint of national prominence of individual performers, the past season was a poor year for Pi Kappa Alpha which in recent years had boasted of such All-Americans as Glenn Dobbs, Frankie Sinkwich, Jimmy Nelson, George Cafego and Bob Sulfridge.

IIKA's were important cogs in many winning machines but none caught the fancy of headline writers from coast-to-coast. Perhaps the highest ranked gridder of the fraternity was Tulsa University's center, Felto Prewitt. This 195-pounder was chosen as pivot man on the New York *Sun's* All-America and on the second All-America club named by The Associated Press.

Tulsa had another fine performer in Fullback Camp Wilson, a 6-foot-1, 200-pound battering ram, while an ex-Tulsa player, Bobby Dobbs, was a valuable back for West Point on the Army team that went unbeaten and whipped Navy in its closing contest. Prewitt, Wilson, Sam Gray and Ed Shedlosky led the Tulsa club that battled Georgia Tech in Miami's Orange bowl classic last New Year's Day.

Three of the 1944 selectees are repeaters from the 1933 Pi Kappa Alpha team—William Johnston, West Virginia tackle; Wayne Flanigan, Denver end, and the Army's Bobby Dobbs.

Paired with Flanigan on the flanks is Mike Schumchyk, a really fine end from Arkansas. The tackles are Johnston and Charles Johnson of Arkansas. Andy Kavounis of Presbyterian, on the second team a year ago, and Jack Sachse of Texas, are the guards. Sachse was a center, and an excellent one, but with Prewitt getting the nod for that spot Sachse had to be shifted to guard. The Texan was just too good to be left off the club just because there happened to be a Felto Prewitt around last season.

In the backfield, along with Tulsa's Wilson and Armys Dobbs, are Elmer Barbour of Wake Forest and Alton Baldwin of Arkansas.

It's a good ball club even though it may not quite measure up to some of the top all-star aggregations selected in the past from among the fraternity's players.

THE 1944 PI KAPPA ALPHA ALL-AMERICA FOOTBALL TEAM

Position	Name	School	Class	Height	Weight
*End	Wayne Flanigan	Denver	Senior	5-9	180
*Tackle	William Johnston	W. Virginia	Soph	6-4	185
Guard	Jack Sachse	Texas	Senior	6	202
Center	Felto Prewitt	Tulsa	Soph	5-11	195
†Guard	Andy Kavounis	Presbyterian	Junior	5-8	190
Tackle	Charles Johnson	Arkansas	Soph	5-10	265
End	Mike Schumchyk	Arkansas	Junior	6-4	205
†Back	Elmer Barbour	Wake Forest	Junior	6-1	195
Back	Alton Baldwin	Arkansas	Soph	6-4	189
*Back	Bobby Dobbs	Army	Soph	6-1	193
Back	Camp Wilson	Tulsa	Junior	6-1	200

*On 1943 First Team.

†On 1943 Second Team.

Arkansas, which fielded a pretty good ball club, landed three players on the team—Schumchyk, Baldwin and Johnston. Schumchyk, a New York City boy, has the unusual distinction of being named to the fraternity all-star team in his first season of football. He had played basketball but never tried the gridiron until this past season. In mid-

November, The Associated Press named him as lineman-of-the-week in its weekly review. Baldwin played safety for the Razorbacks and had a nice average on returning punts. Johnston is the club's heaviest player at 265 pounds.

The 1944 club probably has more

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Gerald Murphy, AA, left, a tackle on the All-IIKA Second Team for 1944, holds one of the polio vic-

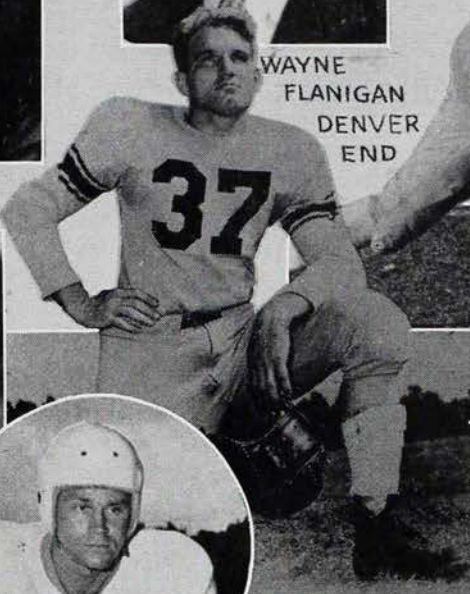
tims benefiting from a football game at Atlanta. The youngsters all wanted to hold the football.



ANDY KAVOUNIS
PRESBYTERIAN, GUARD



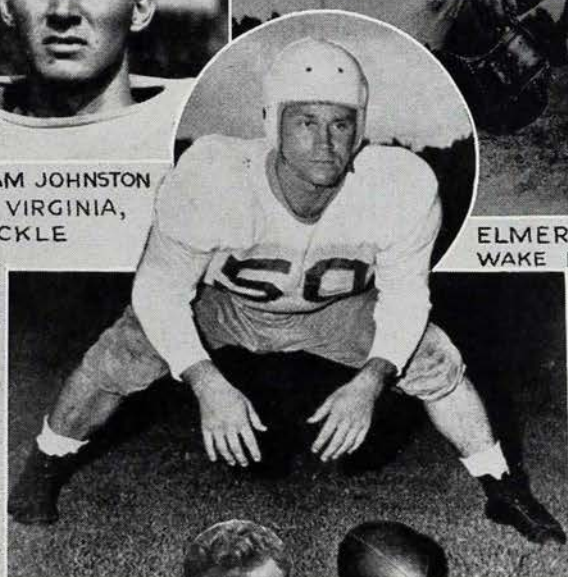
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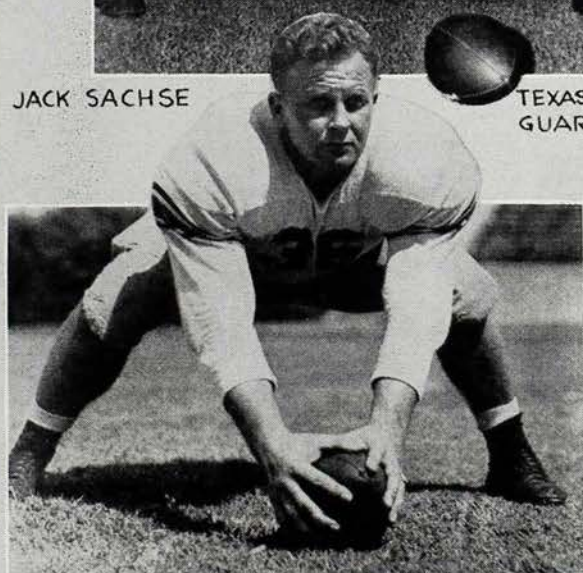


WILLIAM JOHNSTON
WEST VIRGINIA,
TACKLE



JACK SACHSE

TEXAS,
GUARD



FELTO PREWITT
TULSA, CENTER



BOBBY DOBBS
ARMY, BACK

CAMP WILSON
TULSA, BACK



CHARLES JOHNSON
ARKANSAS, TACKLE



ALTON BALDWIN
ARKANSAS, BACK



MIKE SCHUMCHYK
ARKANSAS, END

All-IKA Team

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height than any fraternity team previously selected with seven players over six feet and three of them reaching up to six-feet-four.

Barbour, ranked as one of the best blockers in the Southern Conference, was one of the key men on a fine Wake Forest team that won eight games and was beaten only by Duke University.

Dobbs was particularly effective with the Army Cadets in early season before injuries limited his playing time and enabled others of the fine collection of West Point ball carriers to get some of the late year calls ahead of him.

Sachse of Texas and Flanigan of Denver were team captains.

Wilson, the kingpin of the Tulsa backfield, was a nationally recognized star at Hardin-Simmons College before going to Tulsa.

There were a half dozen fine players among the pledge crop, athletes who

SECOND TEAM

Ends: Bill McKinley, Colorado, and John Bruno, Wake Forest.

Tackles: Gerald Murphy, Georgia Tech, and Jack White, Florida.

Guards: Wally Parkinson, Georgia Tech, and Marvin Conger, Arkansas.

Center: David Rogers, Georgia Tech.

Backs: Jack Houck, Georgia Tech; Ken McLean, Florida; Ed Shedlosky, Tulsa; Gene Hancock, Miami.

might well have made the all-star team had they been members and eligible. Among these were Garland Wolfe, Duke's rugged guard; Jim Walthall, a standout in the West Virginia backfield; Billy Ball, Auburn back, and Harold McRainey, North Carolina State tackle.

This is the 16th annual team selected from the fraternity's players. Last fall I selected an All-Time All-IKA team from among those named in previous years. It listed Wesley Fesler of Ohio State and Pete Smith of Oklahoma at ends; Bo Russell of Auburn and Max Kimberly of Montana State at tackles; Bob Suffridge of Tennessee and Tom Pacetti of Wisconsin at guards; Gomer Jones of Ohio State at center and, in the backfield, Glenn Dobbs of Tulsa, Jimmy Nelson of Alabama, George Cafego of Tennessee and Frankie Sinkwich of Georgia.

I'm willing to let that gang stand as the all-time team. I don't believe that any of the 1944 players, good as they may be, can oust any of that group from an all-time spot.



MARVIN CONGER
GUARD



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TULSA



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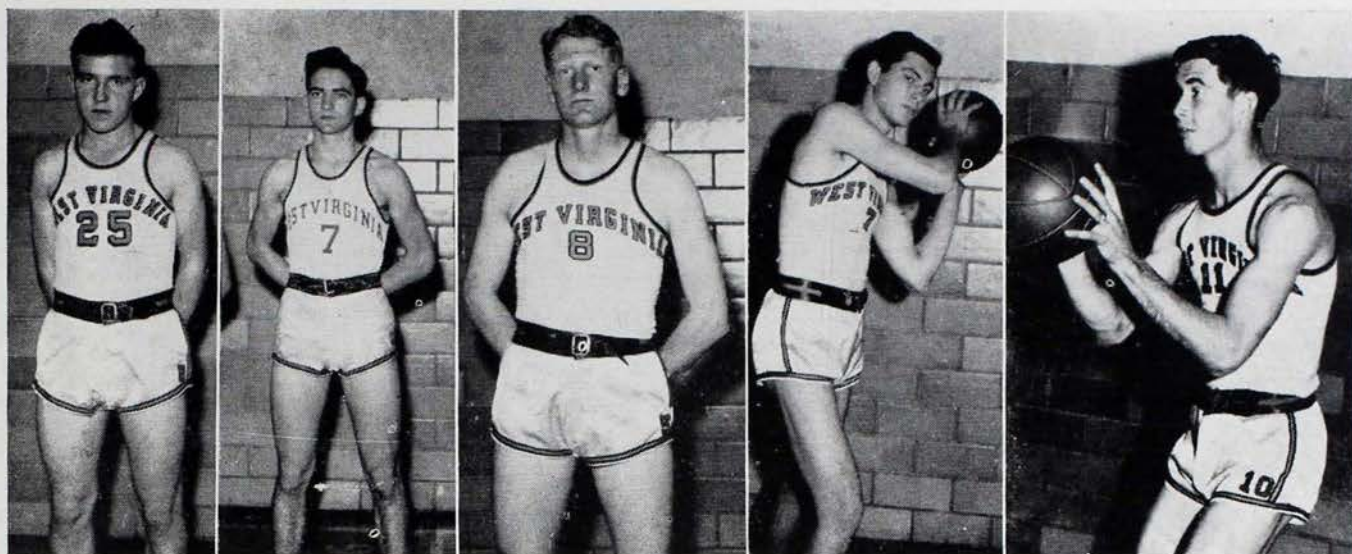
Fesler to Coach Princeton Net Team

◆ PRINCETON UNIVERSITY obtained another "Little Three" coach in announcing the appointment of Wesley E. Fesler, IP, of the Wesleyan University staff, as head basketball coach and assistant coach in baseball and football.

Fesler has been football, basketball and freshman baseball coach at Wesleyan since 1941. Currently he is on

leave from Wesleyan, serving with the recreational division of the Office of Strategic Services in Washington.

Fesler was graduated from Ohio State in 1931, winning nine major letters in baseball, basketball and football. He was captain of the 1930 eleven, won All-America recognition as end and was voted "most valuable" in the Big 10.



BALL

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WALTHALL

5 IKA's On West Virginia Basketball Squad

◆ ALPHA-THETA has five members on the traveling squad representing West Virginia University this winter. They are: Leland Byrd, guard; James Walthall, guard; J. C. Auer, guard, and Pledges Ralph Ball, guard, and Dale Bowyers, center.

Byrd had the distinction of scoring the first seven points in a game which West Virginia won, 67-37, from Fairmont State Teachers College, while Auer played a bang-up defensive game against Penn State and accounted for two points by way of foul shots at crucial moments of the game in which a favored Penn State team was defeated, 39-34.

Sketches of each of the five follow:

Byrd, 17, weighs 189 and goes up 6 feet 3. A lefthanded tough around the bankboards. Kingpin of the little Matoaka five that lost very few games in the Bluefield section last year. Decided one close game by sinking nine of ten foul chances.

Walthall, 18, weighs 168 and stands 6 feet 1. Well-known here after a brilliant football season and two years of play with Princeton in the State Tourney. Good shot and ball-handler. Most striking thing about him is his poise and smoothness. Even when he makes a miscue he does it with class.

Auer, 18, weighs 160 pounds at 6 feet. Another lefthander, from Big Creek High at War, which had good record last season. Aggressive and improving right along.

Bowyers, 18, weighs 180 and 6 feet 3. Big blond from Dundan who won all-prep school honors last winter in Tennessee.

Ball, 18, weighs 160 and stands 5 feet 9. Shared scoring honors with Walthall at Princeton past two years. Deadly from anywhere in close with his favorite shot—a one-handed pop throw.

The team was coached last year by Harry Lothes, AΘ, who is now with Carbon and Carbide Company, Dunbar, W. Va., as athletic director.

Lothes was one of West Virginia's greatest basketball players while attending school. Before his graduation in 1970, he played three years of varsity

ball. During his senior year, he was the captain of the team and was chosen All-Eastern Conference guard. Prior to his entering college, he was an All-State guard from Elkins, W. Va., high school for two consecutive years.

— I K A —

◆ FRANK SINKWICH, AM, of the Detroit Lions, medically discharged from the Marine Corps and the Maritime Service and already classed 4-F, will be ordered up for another pre-induction physical examination, an Atlanta Draft Board disclosed recently.

Sinkwich, a two-year all-America half-back at the University of Georgia, has starred for the professional Detroit Lions for two seasons.

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HARRY LOTHES

Chapter Letters

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Salt Lake City.

FOURTH edition of "The Tong," Alpha-Tau chapter publication, was recently distributed to the 230 brothers who are in the service from the chapter and alumni members.

"The Tong" is published quarterly and contains future social events, new pledges and active members, condition of the chapter and other pertinent news to alumni and service men. It also contains a page of excerpts from letters of service men who have written to the chapter house, also listing their present address. Only subscription price for the quarterly is one letter per quarter. Approximately 300 four-page, three-column mimeographed papers are mailed each quarter.

For Christmas the Mother's Club mailed a mimeographed letter to service men. The sheet contained letters written by each mother and was circulated as a Christmas greeting.

New pledges of Alpha-Tau for the autumn quarter include: Edward Coray, Paul Droubay, Ned Davidson, Paul Nielsen, Reed Sessions, John Wallace, Douglas Snow and Richard Hill.

Alpha-Tau looked ahead to its spring quarter activities with a social eye. A Christmas party at the chapter house Dec. 23 and a New Year's progressive dinner at brothers' homes and ending at the chapter house where the main course was served were held. Annual winter formal was held Dec. 13 in the Hotel Utah. Brother Ted Anderson, social chairman, was in charge.

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

St. Louis.

THE SUMMER term of Beta-Lambda found its members without a home. After many joyous years at 6117 McPherson avenue our chapter has left behind the happy memories and echoes of the passing years. The money received from the sale of the house will be spent in the near future for the establishment of a new home for Beta-Lambda. However, the chapter is and will continue to carry on in its fine tradition.

The passing months resulted in the leaving of several boys to the service. Bob Wilhelm entered the Army with Tom Colgate. Bud Wind, former IMC, left for Midshipman School, while George Trigg made a hasty departure for the Army.

The members who are left are well representing Beta-Lambda on the campus. Bill Herman worked as a staff writer for the school summer paper. Bud Wind and Al Schleuter are both represented on the tennis team, while Jim Van Deusen was elected treasurer of the Interfraternity Council.

In the loss of our house we also lost the services of one very dear to us. By hundreds of boys Mother Harrison was loved and respected. She served us for six years as a faithful and understanding House Mother. The loss of her is felt by all who knew her.

New officers are Bill Herman, SMC; Fred Behld, IMC; Al Schleuter, MC; Charles Chappell, SC; Roy Greunrugh, ThC; and Dexter Stephen, AC.

GEORGETOWN COLLEGE

Georgetown, Ky.

ALPHA-LAMBDA CHAPTER held its first weekly meeting of 1945 Jan. 10. Active Dan Hill, Lawrence Smith and Oscar Huff,

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Jr., were present. Six men were formally pledged. They are: William Taylor, J. C. Jones, C. W. Terrill, Jr., Wilbur Venerable, George Bridges and Joseph Lee Jennings. During the meeting, plans were formulated for the year.

Later, J. R. Whitehouse, Cave City, Ky., and Charles Buckner, Harlan, Ky., were pledged.

Brothers Mose Baston and Emmett Boylan visited the chapter. Letters received from alumni the past week were from Bro. R. I. Kerr, now with the Army in England, Wilbur Owen, and Thomas Asher who is working in Oak Ridge, Tenn.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Clinton, S. C.

XI CHAPTER had 26 members last semester with six to receive commissions as ensigns in February.

Charles Cushman is commanding officer of the crack drill platoon of the ROTC and six members of the chapter are in that unit. Most of the high-ranking officers are members of the chapter.

Officers are Bill Thrasher, president; Jim Glominiski, vice president; John Jennings, treasurer, and Charles Cushman, secretary.

COLORADO

Boulder.

NEWLY ELECTED officers of Beta-Upsilon are Robert Roylance, SMC; Dick Hines, IMC; K. Bert Watson, ThC; and Russell Dunbar, SC.

A chapter news letter has been sent out

to chapter alumni. It included news of the chapter's present activities, news of chapter alumni, and addresses of alumni now in the armed forces.

Brother Bill DeSouchet, a sergeant in the Army Air Forces, has been visiting in Boulder on a furlough after completing 32 missions over Europe.

DAVIDSON

Davidson, N. C.

BETA's annual banquet was held at the Charlotte Country Club Dec. 9. There were some good speeches and after the banquet a dance was held in the ballroom.

Beta was represented at the District 5 meeting at Tau in Chapel Hill on Dec. 9 by Holman Lazenby, IMC, John McNair, SC, and Robert Hoffman.

On Dec. 1 an informal party was given for the Alpha Delta Pi sorority of Queens College.

ILLINOIS

Champaign, Ill.

FREEMAN H. HART, National Secretary, was in Champaign and plans were discussed for the reorganization of the Beta-Eta chapter.

At present there are three brothers on the campus: Bill Grumbley who recently returned from Florida where he spent a full year, just taking it easy as he jestly stated; Roland Carreker, a V-12 transfer from the University of Alabama; and Gene Donner.

Regular meetings have been scheduled and plans for rushing are being considered. The Chicago alumni are giving their full support to all plans and are going to send down Charlie Journ and Cush Bissell in the near future to look over some prospective buys in the housing line, so that there will be a house for the boys to come home to.

Rev. Ray A. Cartledge and Roland Winckleman, two prominent men of Champaign-Urbana, are giving their full support and will continue to do so during the coming year. Plans are now in mind to hold a dinner meeting in the near future of all the Champaign-Urbana alumni and any other brothers who may be down.

A long letter from Lt. Charles Erhardt, who has been a prisoner of the Japanese since the fall of Corregidor, has been received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Erhardt.

Lieutenant Erhardt was ordered to active duty from the UI reserve in May, 1941, and went to the Philippine Islands in August, 1941. He was wounded April 28, 1942, in the battle for Corregidor and was captured while still recovering from his injuries as the Rock fell.

Erhardt's parents have received several messages and the broadcast during the more than two years he has been held by the Japanese.

TENNESSEE

Knoxville.

REGISTRATION was held at the University of Tennessee Sept. 18 as it began its third year on a wartime schedule. Climaxing a week of intensive rushing, the eight active fraternities on the Hill pledged 150 boys. Formal pledging ceremony was held Sept. 24 by Pi Kappa Alpha for the new pledges, which included the following:

James C. Ausmus, Middlesboro, Ky.; Al-

bert B. Boehmer, Ft. Mitchell, Ky.; Harold L. Brannum, Athens; William B. Brooks, Jr., Chattanooga; William W. Curvin, Soddy; John E. Davis, Knoxville; Oscar H. Edmonds, Jr., Knoxville; Robert C. Good, Erwin; Guilford K. Jones, Knoxville; Kenneth B. Langley, Chattanooga; Perry H. Laten, Howell; James W. McCampbell, Knoxville; Hiram Montilla, Rio Piedras, P. R.; Harold L. North, Rossville, Ga.; Robert C. Ormes, Savannah; Donald H. Parker, Kingston; Thomas C. Parrish, Winnetha, Ill.; Sherrill S. Parks, Obion; Arthur L. Powers, Knoxville; James W. Ridgeway, Martin; Robert S. Sadler, Knoxville; Terrell Twitty, Jr., Fayetteville; Lige B. Walker, Savannah; Arthur L. Ward, Knoxville; William K. Warren, Tullahoma; John P. Williams, Jr., Rossville, Ga.; Claude M. Young, Erwin; and John D. Young, Jr., Knoxville.

The first social event of the fall quarter was the annual stag banquet in honor of the pledge class. Fifty members, pledges, and alumni attended. The pledges were each presented, and the new officers of the Fraternity were introduced. They are: Warren Slagle, SMC; Alfred Ogden, IMC; Hamilton Parks, ThC; and Dennis Waldrop, SC. AC Frank Fulton was the principal speaker.

The Fraternity celebrated Hallowe'en with an informal party for the actives, pledges, and their dates. The house was decorated with Hallowe'en colors, fall leaves, cornstalks, and pumpkins. Refreshments consisted of hot tamales, doughnuts, and cider. Dancing and bobbing for apples was enjoyed by all.

On Nov. 11 the actives honored the pledge class of 1944 and their dates with the annual dinner. The patriotic color-scheme of red, white, and blue was carried out in the decorations. Each girl was presented with a corsage of roses tied with a ribbon to symbolize the garnet and gold colors of the Fraternity. The actives, formally attired, acted as hosts and served as waiters throughout the meal. Every courtesy was extended to the pledges on "their night."

John P. Williams, president of the pledge class, was master of ceremonies, and the other officers were called upon to make a brief speech. Each pledge introduced his date to the group.

The last social of the quarter was the annual "Sweater Girl" dance. Miss Marie Copeland, Delta-Zeta, was chosen IKA Sweater Girl of 1945. Approximately 25 competed for the title. From these, the judges selected six candidates, from which members of the Fraternity chose Miss Copeland. Her picture was featured in many Southern newspapers.

Under new wartime rulings, Albert Boehmer and Thomas Parrish were initiated before leaving for the Navy.

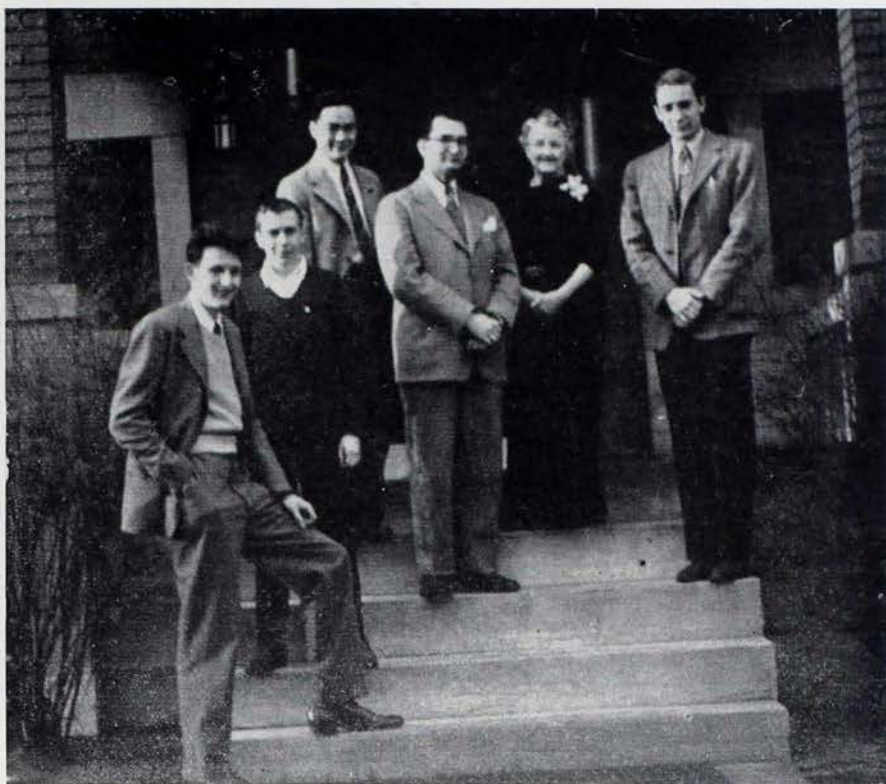
On Dec. 4 District President John U. Field visited the chapter house, and presented the Golden Membership certificates to three alumni.

Individual activities and honors include:

Antonio Bernat, vice president, Spanish Club; Billy Brooks, football squad; Fred Bonderchuk, intramural sports manager; Oscar Edmonds, football squad; Robert Good, U. T. Band; Mike Guzman, Beaver Club.

Glenn Kennedy, U. T. Band; Alfred Ogden, Fraternity Relations Board; Hamilton Parks, treasurer, Ag Club; ASC Dance Committee, departmental editor, "Orange and White," assistant business manager, "Volunteer"; and Jack Yeazel, U. T. Band.

The autumn issue of *The Tennessee*



One of the final gatherings on the Beta-Lambda porch at 6117 McPherson Ave., St. Louis, before the house was sold, includes, from left, Jim Ray, Frank Jaeger, Ken Smith, Interfraternity Council Treasurer

Jim Van Deusen, Mother Harrison and Tom Colgate, now in the Army. Money received for the house will be used in the near future for the establishment of a new home for Beta-Lambda.

Alumnus recognized the war service of the following members of Zeta chapter:

2d Lt. Walter C. Rose, the Purple Heart, posthumously; 1st Lt. Henry T. Burem, the Silver Star Medal for action beyond the call of duty at Cherbourg and the Purple Heart for wounds received at Cherbourg; and 1st Lt. William J. O'Donnell, Distinguished Flying Cross with Oak Leaf cluster, the Air Medal and the Purple Heart.

Lt. Comdr. J. Gordon Reid, a pledge, the Purple Heart for wounds received in action on D-Day.

Capt. Ted L. Bellmont, son of L. Theo Bellmont, Z. athletic director of the University of Texas, the Silver Star for gallantry in action in Italy.

A list of high-ranking officers of Zeta chapter, as compiled by Miss Frances Johnston, follows:

Col. W. Van Dyke Ochs, LL.B., 1916, post commander, Camp Stewart, Ga.

Col. Charles Edgar Baxter, B.S. Commerce, 1928, U. S. Assault Training Center, overseas.

Lt. Col. S. Ted Myrick, B.S. M.E., 1934, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Lt. Col. Walter J. Wadlington, 1918-1922, Staff Judge Advocate, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Lt. Col. Robert Lee Wadlington, 1919-1922, 71st Infantry, overseas.

Lt. Col. Maynard Tipps, LL.B., 1925, Judge Advocate Division, Tampa, Fla. Returned from Australia after serious illness, and now able to be back in office.

Maj. Victor Mansfield Robertson, B.S. Commerce, 1925, Chief, Special Services Branch, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque.

BETA-DELTA started the semester with rush parties for prospective pledges and 18 men were pledged. The first function of the chapter was a pledge-active softball game in which the pledges came out on top. Spurred on by their victory over the actives, the pledges challenged the Sigma-Chi pledges to a softball game. The game was a walkaway in favor of the Beta-Delta boys. Next on the list of the pledges was the pledge class of the Kappa-Alpha's. Again our men came out on top, this time by a score of 21-20.

The first Sunday in August the actives and their dates gave a picnic for the pledges and their dates. This picnic took place in the Sandia mountains. Forty-five couples attended. Chaperones included George White, charter member of Beta-Delta, and Lt. (j. g.) Charles H. Francis, Alpha-Upsilon. This picnic was the talk of the campus for weeks afterward.

On Aug. 26, the annual fall formal was held at the Country Club. The decorations were centered around the Fraternity crest and were in keeping with the Fraternity colors, garnet and gold. Each girl was presented with a corsage as she entered the door. Punch and cookies were served throughout the dance. This dance has been termed the dance of the semester by both faculty and student body members.

At the annual Stunt Night, sponsored by Mortar Board, Beta-Delta won second prize.

In September Beta-Delta serenaded the sororities. Shortly afterward, Alpha Chi Omega chapter entertained the Beta-Delta actives and pledges at their house. There

was dancing, and punch and cookies were served.

Bill (Wabbit) Lynch is in charge of the V-12 dance band; Jack Redman is one of the cheer leaders; Don Urich, Henry Schultz, Bill Check, Romaine Whitmer, George Hildebrandt, Dahl Gleave, Chuck Edwards, Asa Wilson, and Bob Statler are members of the football team and Reed Murray is the manager.

Wesley Furman, Howard Romme, Eddie Brown, Eugene Husted, Reed Murray, Jim Lupton, Dick Lloyd are members of Kappa Mu Epsilon, national honorary mathematics society.

Dick Lloyd is drum major of the V-12 marching band, and business manager of the *Mirage*, the school annual. Beta-Delta was honored by having three men (out of a total of nine chosen) chosen for Khatali, Senior men's honorary. These men are Reed Murray, Jack Redman and Dick Lloyd. Jack Redman was battalion commander from March to July and is now battalion sub-commander. Reed Murray was a company commander. Wesley Furman was a company commander.

Several of the brothers are fleet men with a lot of sea duty and tall tales. Don Urich served aboard a destroyer, and he has three battle stars on his Pacific Theater ribbon. Chuck Edwards made the Murmansk run six times. He has a silver star and a bronze star on his European ribbon. Clarence McCullar and Bud Kramer saw plenty of action in the South Pacific. Asa Wilson was stationed in the States before he entered V-12.

Ens. James Haslam is serving aboard a minesweeper somewhere in the Atlantic. Ens. Bill Ullom is serving on a landing craft in the Pacific Theater. Lt. James Noble was recently commissioned as a bombardier at Kirtland Field in Albuquerque.

Beta-Delta now enjoys the reputation of being the best fraternity in every way on the campus of U.N.M.

Officers of the July-November term were: Wesley Furman, SMC; Howard Romme, historian; George Franchini, IMC; Orville Fuqua, ThC; Kenneth Goebel, SC; Joe Amad, MS; Bill Lynch, MC; Jerry Herrig-



Members of Beta Chapter are, first row, from left, Ed Maxwell, Charles Blackburn, Castle Koop, Paul Davis; second row, Robert Coble, Jack McLeod, R. R. Smoak, Raymond Goekerick; third row, Robert Hoff-

man, Middleton Raynal, E. L. Miller, Holman Lazenby, E. F. Shewmake, Lonnie Turner, and Dr. W. S. Patterson. Absent were John McNair and pledges Russel Love, Fred Patterson, Arthur Rollins.

stad, pledge master; Jack Redman, social chairman. The officers for the term November-March are: Wesley Furman, SMC; Howard Romme, IMC; Randy Poole, ThC; Joe Amad, SC; Bob Statler, MS; Jack Volter, MC; Don Ireland, historian; Jim Lupton, pledge master; Jack Redman, social chairman.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Berkeley.

ALPHA-SIGMA chapter progressed greatly during the past semester. There were 17

actives and 9 pledges in the house. The pledges were Dean Abramson, Hank Broderick, Bob Dolman, Dick Kroninger, Harland Minchew, Jack Rolling, Tom Stockton, Merrill Thruston, and Tom Walsh. Four of the actives live in Callaghan Hall which is the Naval Training Barracks.

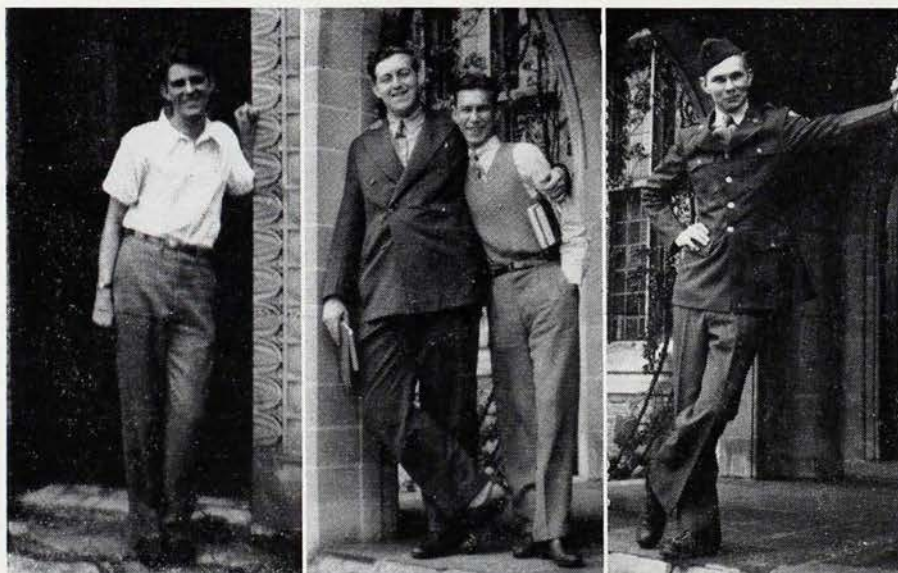
The officers were SMC Walter Busse, IMC Julian Martin, ThC Victor Boisseree, SC John Pierce, MC Don Simpson, MS Pete Schulz, Historian Bob Kroninger, Chaplain Don Mitchell, Social Chairman Al Setterquist, Pledge Master Don Simpson.

The house took an active part in campus activities. Walter Busse was secretary-treasurer of the Interfraternity Council; president of Alpha Delta Sigma.

Julian Martin was on the Freshman Class Council; California *Pelican*, campus magazine; Men's Rally Committee; Alpha Delta Sigma. Alan Setterquist, Men's Rally Committee; Sophomore Class Council; Big "C" Guard. Victor Boisseree, Freshman Class Council, Big "C" Guard; California *Pelican*. Don Simpson, Social Planning Committee; Sophomore Class Council. Pete Schulz, president of the Sophomore class; junior manager of the *Daily Californian*; Big "C" Guard; Activities Coordinating Council; Class Officers Council.

Merrill Thruston was on the *Daily Californian* managerial staff. Hank Broderick, secretary-treasurer of the Freshman class; Class Officers Council. Tom Stockton, guard on the varsity football team. Keith Winton, Battalion sub-commander, Naval R.O.T.C. Unit. Dick Kroninger, Sophomore Class Council; chairman, Social Planning Committee of the Sophomore class. Bob Kroninger, Honor Students Council; Psi Chi, Psychology Honorary Society.

In interfraternity sports, Alpha-Sigma won the track championship 70 to 40½ for Alpha Delta Phi. We took second in basketball, second in volleyball, third in



This group of Theta men are, from left, Karl Wood, who recently went into the Navy; Curtis Nelson, who is taking post-graduate work at Iowa State; E. W. Nelius, who was grad-

uated in August at the end of summer school to enter S. M. U.; and Pfc. William Kendall, who is with an anti-aircraft unit in California.

swimming. Altogether we missed first place in the intramural sports by five points.

Alpha-Sigma has been very active socially as well as scholastically during the past semester at the University of California. Several dances and other events have been given this summer.

The dances, thus far, have been very successful with an average attendance of about sixty. The first dance of the summer semester was held on July 15. The decorations were based upon a "Star Dust" theme with silver and blue stars suspended from the ceiling.

On Aug. 5, our semesterly Barn Dance was held. The dress and decorations were typical, with straw and hay strewn throughout the house. The center of the activities was a slide built down the front hall stairway.

The next dance, given Sept. 9, had as its theme, "Records of the Past and Present." Three large paper records were built over the entrances to the main rooms with passageways cut through them. On all the walls of the ballroom were pinned "life-size" records with the names of popular songs printed on them. The dining room was arranged as a small night club with tables covered with red and white checkered tablecloths.

On Aug. 2 an exchange dinner was held with the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Following dinner, everyone enjoyed dancing in our ballroom.

Open house was held on Sunday afternoon, Aug. 20, for the parents and friends of the members and pledges. In the afternoon a musical program was presented.

Four Friday afternoon Date Luncheons were spaced throughout the term. After eating, those present spent the afternoon dancing and taking advantage of the several recreational facilities in and about the chapter house.

On Aug. 29, 16 members of the chapter had the opportunity to usher at the western premier of the motion picture, "Wilson," held in San Francisco. As we were stationed in the loges, we saw many of the Hollywood celebrities present at the premier.

A date luncheon was held Sept. 30, the day of the University of California-University of California at Los Angeles football game. After the lunch all went to the game together.

Oct. 7 the pledge class sponsored a South Seas dance.

Throughout the past semester many men from Alpha-Sigma and from other chapters have returned to or passed through the chapter house. Some of them were: Comdr. E. Fenton, AΣ, now at Mare Island Navy Yard; Air Corps Pvt. Elwin Williams, now at San Antonio, Texas; Lt. (j.g.) Spike Giles, AΣ; Lt. Ed Wester, Coast Artillery; Seaman Bill Wymond, IΨ, now at Camp Parks, about 30 miles from our house; Pvt. Art Anderson, AΣ; Ens. Art Schaefer, IΨ; Seaman Les Roper, BT; Seaman Arnold Truman, BT; Chuck Lynch, AΣ; Alan Kahn, IΠ; and H. J. Williams, H.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

Charlottesville.

RENEWED activity at Alpha Chapter, now with a membership of 15 men and five pledges, not only includes rushing and social events, but a return to the chapter house by June. The house has been occupied by a medical society.

The activity started in November when



four men who had been pledged last July were initiated Nov. 17. The boys, all Navy students, were Paul S. Dernan of Astoria, N. Y.; Carl R. Bauer, Willoughby, Ohio; Edward J. Boylan, Long Island, N. Y., and George C. Staples, Portland, Ore.

Richard C. Allison was re-elected SMC. Other officers were William M. Roche, IMC; Fenton L. B. Brown, SC; George E. Plum, THC; and Robert O'Steen, house manager.

In a rush period which ended early in December, five men had been pledged. They are R. Thomas Cawthorne, Richmond, Va.; David Harold Dix, Chicago; David Earl Link, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Bridger P. Little, South Carolina, and John A. Winslow, Iowa.

Alumni and graduate members are co-operating with the active chapter.

A New Year's party was held by the chapter at the chapter house. It was regarded as the best party of several years and representatives of most other fraternities on the campus welcomed the New Year at the IKA House.

MISSISSIPPI STATE

State College, Miss.

GAMMA-THETA pledges are Jack Phillips, Water Valley; Edwin Prinz, Grenada; Atwood Chalk, Meridian; David Patenotte, Yazoo City; and Harry Weisinger of Cary. The regular chapter members are John Weems, president, and Courtney Perry.

GEORGE WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C.

'Twas THE NIGHT of 16 December, and all through the house, everything was stirring—it was the night of the Shipwreck Ball. The meaning wrapped up in that title included many things.

An annual affair, this party always came

Bill Thrasher, SMC of Xi Chapter and president of the Junior class at the University of South Carolina, defeated Russell Bernstein in a three-round boxing match when the V-12's met the Naval ROTC unit, represented by Thrasher.

during the first part of December, and was preceded by some novel form of invitation which suggested that the guests wear costumes consisting of whatever they imagined they would have been wearing when the ship was wrecked on "the South Sea Island," or that they wear a native costume. This usually brought forth everything from bath towels to grass skirts and loin cloths, with leg make-up for that native skin-tone.

The house, assuming the appearance of the South Sea Island, was decorated with blue scenery showing silhouetted palm trees, beach sand, silver stars, and half moons. A native hut was constructed out of bamboo poles and old crates covered with burlap sacks. The lights were turned down low, and candles set in old bottles glowed weirdly in the exotic setting. Thus the scene was set.

The guests began to arrive shortly after 9. A taxi driver who, by chance, had made two trips to the house to deliver some very oddly dressed people, asked his third customer headed this way just "what the devil was going on" at this address. The season was certainly not one for wearing grass skirts or anything else likely to be found on a South Sea Island.

By 10 p. m. the party was well under way. The house was teeming with hula skirts, sarongs, seamen, and fantastic garbs showing the imaginary plight the guests had taken upon themselves. Entering into the spirit of the occasion, they danced, sang and celebrated in true festival style.

An abundance of paper leis had been

provided and each guest was welcomed at the door with the vari-colored strings. Music, sweet 'n low or hot 'n loud, was put out by both phonograph and radio, and for those who did not care to join the dancing in the dining room and living room, there were candle-lit tables in the game room.

Came intermission, the annual custom of selecting a Queen of the Shipwreck Ball took the spotlight. Sgt. Fred Stevenson, the house manager gone completely native, presided. According to custom, the choice was based on the costume, the imagination, appropriateness, or novelty of it. In brief ceremony, the golden crown of gilded tin fashioned from an old fruit juice can was placed upon the head of Lorraine Seegrist, KKG, who sported a grass skirt cut according to the latest fashion from Tahiti.

The party turned from dancing to singing as the tired clock began to count over again. Several good pianists were on hand to furnish accompaniment and all voices were in rare form. Thus the wikki-wacky party continued until one by one the guests departed our make-believe island to return to the cold reality of a world which does not include such a place on its war-torn map.

Bill Craver, elected president of second class at U. S. Merchant Marine Academy, now visits chapter frequently.

Burt Lincoln came from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., for visit prior to going overseas.

Markey Best, still with FBI, has visited at the house.

Bob Stevenson, formerly a special agent for FBI and now in the Navy, returned to the house for a month before departing for Hawaii.

Lt. Hugh Willis and wife, Meg, paid chapter a visit when Hugh had finished his training as Navy fighter pilot.

Art Lovell, heavier and handsomer after 16 months in Navy training program at Dartmouth, stopped by en route to Notre Dame where he will get his commission.

Niilo Talvitie has been appointed assistant sanitarian in U. S. Public Health Service in Seattle, Wash.

Paul Foley is now maintaining CPA offices in Washington, D. C., Baltimore and Chicago and is branching out in numerous promotional enterprises.

John Maloney, being retired from Navy as lieutenant commander, is taking up permanent residence in Silver Springs, Fla., where he intends to continue his literary career.

Bill Warner, a Navy flier stationed at Floyd Bennett Field, Brooklyn, N. Y., dropped in for a brief call just after the holiday season.

Jimmy Flynn, after completing six months postgraduate work at University of New Mexico, has returned to Washington, D. C., and entered the State Department for further training toward a diplomatic career.

Lt. Sam Dowdy has departed these parts for Camp Pendleton, Calif., for further training as a classification officer with the Marines.

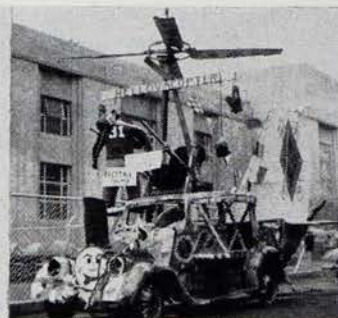
PURDUE

West Lafayette, Ind.

BETA PHI has progressed considerably since the start of the November term. We now have 14 actives and nine pledges. Our



This "Hellovacooper" of Alpha-Delta Chapter won first prize in the annual "Rambling 'Reck" contest at Georgia Tech. At left the "Hellovacooper" proceeds in the parade under its own manpower motive



power and its 8-piece band blazing. At right is another view of the reck awaiting exhibition on Grant Field between halves of the Notre Dame-Georgia Tech game.

house is now completely remodeled. The new chapter officers are as follows: James R. Gardner, SMC; Robert Doades, IMC; and Donald G. Brown, ThC.



Two generations of Gamma-Rho pledges are shown here to give an idea of how rapidly chapter membership changes these days. The picture above was made immediately after their initiation in September. Back row, from left, are Jim McKill, Carl Liebig and John Cedarvall. Front row, Dal Campbell, Howie Martin, Phill Peterson and Bob Oman. By the time the picture below was taken and about three months later, only three were still with the chapter and the picture below shows the pledge class then. They are, from left, back row, Bill Harward, Wade Stuart, Ed Nymen, Don Steinweg and Bill Plantes. Front row, George Stanley, Walter Krauss, Hal Burneson, Paul Cedar and Evan Warner.



GEORGIA TECH

Atlanta, Ga.

ALPHA-DELTA CHAPTER recently won first place in the annual "Rambling 'Reck" contest between the halves of the Georgia Tech-Notre Dame game. The entries were judged the night before by Capt. J. V. Babcock and a group of officers of the Tech Navy V-12 Unit.

The "Hellovacooper," named after the helicopter being developed at Georgia Tech, was designed by Brother Steve Henderson and built on the remains of an old car by brothers and pledges. It was pulled by manpower with the blades turning as it moved.

Brother Hal Hughes was seated near the top in the pledge-master's chair dressed in a fantastic uniform. An eight-piece band seated inside played such tunes as the "Rambling 'Reck" and the "Anvil Chorus." The huge rudder had a large IKA pin painted upon it so there would be no doubt about ownership.

The Navy V-12 Unit at Tech is presenting a trophy to the chapter for winning first place. Many say that it is the best 'Reck ever entered in the annual contest.

Officers are: John Laurin Martin, SMC; Harold Eugene Hughes, IMC; Henry Francis de Court, ThC; James Oliver Bowen, SC; Stephen Cary Henderson, MC; Henry Winthrop Hastings, Jr., MS; William Smith Posten, historian; and John Webster Burn, house manager.

WEST VIRGINIA

Morgantown, W. Va.

ALPHA-THETA recently initiated eight men, bringing to 16 the number in the chapter.

The eight actives returning to the campus were Ray Whittington, Guy Epling, Joe Lilly, William Johnson, Clinton Gay, Howard Dorsey, Fred Switalski, and Clifford Cooper. The chapter is now occupying a house at 665 Spruce, and has given several parties and dances which were highly successful.

The present pledge class consists of Ralph Ball, Princeton; Raymond Herman, Logan; Dale Bowyer, Dundon; Don Young, Eastport, N. Y.; George Fowler, Clarksburg; John Arnett, Bridgeport; and Cecil Gates, Morgantown.

IKA was well represented on the football team with Cliff Cooper, Bill Johnson, and Jimmy Walthall on the first squad and Dale Bowyer on the second. Walthall was



Beta-Delta held formal initiation ceremonies Oct. 8 in the Estufa, the chapter's chapterroom. Seventeen men were initiated. A banquet was held following the initiation. The photograph was taken following the banquet. Those men in the picture are: first row, from left, Jack Redman, Randy Poole, Bob Hargett, Eugene Husted, Jerry Herigstad, Bill Lynch, Milton Neigh-

bors, and Frank Scarpella; second row, Don Ireland, Kenneth Goebel, George Hildebrandt, Dahl Cleave, Reed Murray, Howard Romme, Eddie Brown, Bob Hopewell, Lt. (j.g.) C. H. Francis, Alpha Upsilon; third row, Thomas Hart, Joe Amad, Larry Rodgers, Jim Lupton, Bud Kramer, Bob Statler, Jack Martin, Romaine Whitmer, Dick Olbert;

fourth row, Owen Hurst, Jack Volter, Asa Wilson, Robert Hogg, Henry Schultz, Chuck Edwards, Bill Cheek, Dick Lloyd, Norman Maguire and Clifford (Tip) Dinkle; fifth row, SMC Wesley Furman, Don Urich, Gene Timpe and Clarence McCullar. Not in the picture are Orville Fuqua and George Franchini.

the big gun in the team's offense, doing all the passing and punting and most of the running for which he received a bid to appear in the East-West game in San Francisco on New Year's Day.

Many of the Alpha-Theta alumni have dropped in to visit the chapter house this year, among them being George Gueting, Dick Sommer, Eddie Cubbon, Vic Byrd, Tom Greweling, John Hall, Elwood Plum, George Hopkins, Art Weeks, Johnny Ollam, Don Edwards, Howard Samson and Harry Lothes.

Alpha-Theta has had considerable success in intra-mural sports this year also.

MISSOURI

Columbia, Mo.

ALPHA-NU CHAPTER entertained informally Dec. 8 in honor of their chaperon, Miss Elizabeth Stone Ranson.

Those assisting were: Mrs. Hattie Livingston, who will preside at the serving table; Mrs. Chester L. Brewer, Mrs. Charles W. Digges, Mrs. Gregory Bartels, Mrs. Joseph Burns and the Misses Betty Gill, Ruth Taylor, Scottie Robinson, Margaret Ross, Margaret Jenkins, Bette Smithers, Margaret Burgess, Beverly Hughes, Carol Swank, Norma Richter, Ann Wells, Norma Jean Williamson, Twile Edwards, Mary Kolar, Susan Gabb, Billie Empson and Martha Shea.

BOWLING GREEN STATE

Bowling Green, Ohio.

DELTA-BETA has been outstanding on the campus all fall with constant activity for the whole campus as well as brothers and pledges.

Garnet and Gold streamers and placards of IKA decorated the rec hall for a very successful nick dance. New procedures for this type of dance were introduced by the fraternity and were well received by all.

Dec. 6 a rush party was held at the house. Thirty men were rushed. However, according to Inter-Fraternity Council rulings bids could not be extended for two weeks. Highlights of the evening included gifts of cig-

arettes and a "Pi Kap Tap" dance by Ivy Potts.

Delta-Beta gave the campus its first formal dance, The Top Hatters Ball, Dec. 16. Decorations centered around a huge top



Miss Sarah Millirons, Zeta dream-girl, ran second to Sugar Smith as the most popular girl on the University of Tennessee campus. She is the sister of Capt. C. P. Millirons, Z.

hat in the center of the rec hall with alternating black and white streamers extended from it to the sides. Silhouettes of men in top hats and tails covered the pillars and a large circular "Pi Bar" kept punch served throughout the evening. A new campus tradition for Delta-Beta began with the naming of the "Girl We Would Like Most to Tip Our Top Hat To," tall and attractive Edith Jones of Park Ridge, Ill.

A venison dinner was served Dec. 18 at the house, and was sponsored by Dick Norton of Lima, Ohio. Brother Bob Speck, a private in the Army Air Corps Band, was the guest of honor.

Second semester Navy men recently pledged are Fred Fay, Norman Schulte, Carroll Keyser, Bill Vroman, Don Sensing, Bill Thomas and Kenith Sprengel.

Civilians and first semester Navy men will be eligible according to pledge rules for pledging as this issue goes to press. Some 25 men will receive bids.

Plans are being made for the new \$60,000 house to be constructed as soon as the WPB releases materials. The house is to be university owned but controlled by the fraternity. Fifty men will be comfortably housed in this Williamsburg Colonial style home. The first floor contains three lounges, dining hall, kitchen, guest rooms and house mother's quarters. It features folding walls which make the three lounges into one large room for special parties. The second floor contains dressing and study rooms and the third floor has sleeping quarters. There is space on the fourth floor for a chapter room and fraternity office.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles.

JIM McDONALD recently received a letter from Robert C. "Red" Arnold, at Fresno, Calif., relating a story he had heard from a friend who has recently returned on the Gripsholm, bringing news of Red's friend, Ray Sanford, also of Gamma-Eta.

Red sent the letter to the chapter to be



Alpha-Tau chapter again has won first place in the house decorations at the annual Homecoming celebration of the University of Utah. The chapter also placed third in quartet competition. Built around the theme, "Moider U Says," this year's decorations showed a Utah Indian

clubbing a Denver University Pioneer. The Pioneer's oxen-drawn wagon was in the background. On Thanksgiving, when Utah's football team played Utah State Agricultural College in Salt Lake, Alpha-Tau chapter held an open house for all AC students following the gridfest.

forwarded to Mrs. Sanford. He and his wife, the former Kappy Gunn of UCLA, asked chapter members to visit them there.

The letter to Mrs. Sanford follows:

"Last night I talked with a friend who had just returned from Germany on the Gripsholm: 1st Lt. Wallace Emmert. While he was a prisoner he saw and talked with Ray. Here is the information he had regarding Ray. I hope that this will be reassuring news to you.

"Ray was brought down over Holland, a couple of months after Wallace, and they met in a Luftwaffe hospital. Ray was not seriously injured, he had a broken collar bone, bruises on his shoulder and back and minor lacerations. But when Wallace last saw him he was in fine shape. They spent about six weeks together and were separated when they hit a German relocation center.

"Wallace was sent to another hospital and he thinks Ray was sent to a regular prison camp. Ray was piloting a B-26 over Holland when he was brought down. He said that he felt a hit somewhere in the plane and then shortly another. When he came to he was out in space. The explosion had blown him clear and he still had his seat with him and the armor plate on the bottom of it. He unhooked his safety strap and dropped the seat from him and then parachuted to the ground. He knows nothing of the crew so he thinks they were all killed. It was a miracle that Ray came out of it.

"Wallace had never met Ray before, but in their casual conversation S.C. and IKA. Wallace, through me, had met several of the brothers, all of whom Ray knew. So they had a lot in common."

RENSSELAER

Troy, N. Y.

A NEW YEAR has begun! With its arrival comes a challenge to all of Gamma-Tau—a challenge to "pull through" another year as difficult as any previous one.

The most important news concerning the chapter is that we have rented our house. With 11 brothers in the chapter and only one of these a civilian, it was impossible to operate the house through a winter season. The Navy contract to house V-5 students in the house terminated on July 1, and during the time between that date and Nov. 1 we had held many and varied af-

fairs in it. On Nov. 1, however, we were fortunate enough to rent it for a year. Naturally this is a great burden removed from our shoulders.

Several banquets have been held during the fall, at which time all the brothers, pledges, and four faculty brothers have had a chance to talk together and plan together. The last banquet followed the initiation of Don E. Rowe into the chapter. Don won his "R" sweater this fall for his excellent play on the RPI football team.

An informal dance was given by the brothers to a group of new freshmen after the first basketball game. Because of the success of this dance, it is certain that there will be more such entertaining evenings as the winter progresses.

The chapter was honored by a short visit from Executive Secretary Hart on the Sunday following N.I.C. in New York City. All



EDITH JONES

Delta-Beta chose tall, attractive Edith Jones of Park Ridge, Ill., as "The Girl We Would Like Most to Tip Our Top Hat To" at the chapter's formal dance.

the brothers that had the good fortune to be on the campus when Brother Hart was here enjoyed talking over the general state of affairs of the chapter with him, and all expressed the hope for a return visit from him soon.

Ray Schaefer, one of the chapter's spark plugs, is now an RT at Great Lakes, Ill. Before leaving, Ray was prominent among NROTC circles on campus.

NORTHWESTERN

Evanston, Ill.

THE CHAPTER HOUSE is again in the hands of civilians although it is not being used at present by the chapter. The policy of the Navy program at Northwestern is to not return any of the houses until all are returned, so we look for another possible year of occupation before a grand style homecoming. And it will be grand!!!!

Our latest party was a fine dance and dinner (hamburgers) at the Colonial Homesteads in Morton Grove. All who attended had a fine time indeed, as is always the case when the IKA's have a party!

We've been visited by many fellows from other chapters lately who are at present in Abbott or Tower Hall in midshipman's school. By the time this comes out in print, many of these fellows will have graduated and left for parts unknown. Good luck to you, gang, and drop in again when you get the chance!

MIAMI

Coral Gables, Fla.

GAMMA-OMEGA CHAPTER held a farewell dinner party last month in honor of newly elected officers and Navy V-12 members being transferred to other schools throughout the country.

The new officers are: Robert Lee Towles, SMC; Courtney Thompson, ThC; Carl Kish, IMC; Richard Bolling, SC; and Mark Curry, historian.

Those leaving for other schools are Lewis Cooke and David Ludovici, Yale Engineering school; Tom Curry, former SMC, Asbury Park Midshipman school, and Kelly Batson, Ft. Schuyler Midshipman school. After the dinner the entire party went to the Coral Gables Country Club, where a private party room had been engaged. This was the last party of the trimester.

The chapter opened the new trimester with a bang by giving a "Log Cabin" rush party at a lodge on the outskirts of Miami. About 50 couples attended, refreshments were served and there was entertainment by a group of talented members and pledges. There was also dancing and group singing of fraternity songs.

We have pledged 12 this trimester.

TULANE

New Orleans, La.

TWO ISSUES of the *Eta News* have been issued recently and the next issue is expected to carry a complete list of names of members of the chapter and their addresses.

The chapter has been seeking a house, apartment, or some sort of meeting place. The chapter's financial conditions are fair with a \$500 maturity value war bond as a nest egg of the postwar fund.

The annual dance was held Jan. 20 in the Tulane Room at Jung Hotel. The chapter Dream Girl was presented.

Recent pledges include John Enos, Paul Ends and Harry Winters.

Bunny Robinson was re-elected SMC, Emmett Wroten, IMC, and Roy Anderson, ThC.

Capt. William P. Williams, Chi, of the Navy Chaplain Corps, spoke of his college days and of his Navy experiences at a rush party Nov. 25.

OMICRON

Somewhere in Germany.

PVT. H. J. GORDON, JR., who "hit the beaches of Normandy" 30 hours after H-Hour on D-Day, and who has been "touring France, Belgium and Holland" with General Hodges' First Army in "a 40 & 8" style (even to sleeping in the boxcars), sends news of himself and other members of Omicron from "Somewhere in Germany."

Also he sent some German and Dutch invasion currency which was added to some French currency he previously had sent as a contribution to the War Memorial Fund.

Gordon said he planned to take advantage of education provisions of the G-I Bill of Rights and return to college after the war.

Gordon's unit fought in the St. Lo campaign and was part of the trap at Falaise Gap. From there they took part in the siege of Brest before moving across the German border.

A collector of firearms, Gordon added a Walther P-38 after he captured a half-dozen Jerries. He said on several occasions he saw his father who was stationed nearby and who was in charge of evacuating the wounded from the peninsula.

Lt. J. Ham Barnes, '43, is a navigator at Langley Field, Gordon wrote. Ens. Mel Barnett, '43, is with the famous 5th Amphibious Force. Ens. Duval Shepherd is on an LSI in the South Pacific. Al Reynolds is at the law school at the University of Richmond. Lt. Percy Gates is at Camp Forrest, Tenn.

ARKANSAS

Fayetteville, Ark.

ALPHA-ZETA CHAPTER is the largest fraternity on the University of Arkansas campus with a membership of 55, including 33 initiates and 22 pledges and excluding seven initiates who have recently left for the armed forces. This all-civilian chapter has nine veterans on the chapter roll representing every branch of the service.

It looks as if the IKA's dominate the athletic scene here at Arkansas. In football, four of the starting eleven were IKA's, while six others were reserves. Mike Schumchik, end, was on the All-Southwest Conference team and was also given honorable mention All-American. Alton Baldwin was the Razorbacks' leading ground gainer and pass receiver. Just to show the big boys that there were still football players left in the chapter, the IKA intramural touchball team captured the crown by defeating a strong Army unit stationed on the campus. When basketball season opened, we found all five of the starting lineup were the garnet and gold boys with two more on the traveling squad.

Campus politics was unusually loud this fall but the IKA's were, as usual, on the winning side. In the freshman class election, Pledge J. P. Byrd was elected secretary. The chairman of the winning party, initiate Jack Holt, is president of the junior class, secretary of Gamma-Iota, national honorary service fraternity, and was recently selected St. Nick by the Association of Woman Students.

Marshall Measel is one of the two intramural managers and, in addition to that, is a senator from the junior class. President Allen Mallioux is vice-president of the Interfraternity Council. Hal Lockman, in addition to being publicity agent for the athletic department, is president of Phi Eta Sigma and of the Presbyterian men's Bible class.

Kenneth Beaton and J. Barnes are treasurer and sergeant-at-arms of Gamma-Iota. Nine of our boys are members of the Arkansas Booster Club with Charles Joliff vice-president of the organization. Another



Alpha-Tau chapter has recently completed a new honor roll, paying honor to the more than 230 chapter members in the service. The board, 6 feet by 8 feet, is blue and is decorated on the sides with red, white

and blue, border colors. Names of the brothers in service are mounted on the board in raised plaster letters three-fourths of an inch high. This project was given its start with a contribution by the Mother's Club.

class officer is J. W. Lloyd, president of the sophomore class.

In the way of social events, the IKA's and their dates rode out to Comb's ford on one of their famous hayrides earlier in the season. The pledges threw a small one of their own shortly afterward. The annual stag Christmas banquet was held Dec. 10 in the chapter house. The annual winter formal, with the announcement of the 1945 Dream Girl as a highlight, will be held Feb. 9.

PRESBYTERIAN

Clinton, S. C.

MU CHAPTER has just ended one of the most successful periods of its history. Dur-

ing this period 16 students have been pledged and nine have been initiated.

Honors at Presbyterian have been severely curtailed on this campus by the war but IKA has held its own.

In the last two months Mu has had several socials one of which was open. This social was held in the chapter room and all of the campus was invited. Also in the last two months a blanket party with a wiener roast was held which was attended only by fraternity members and their dates.

Brothers Carter, Kavournis, Hay and Pledges Baker, Johnson and Mullinax played on the football team. Of these, Brother Kavournis was awarded a berth on the second string All-South Carolina team and Brother Carter was awarded honorable

mention. Brother McCutchen was also manager of the football team.

Presbyterian College student body council had five Pi Kappa Alpha's. Brothers Kavournis, Hay, Carter, McCutchen and Pledge Johnson. The quota for one fraternity is only four, therefore Pledge Johnson dropped out.

Three Pi Kappa Alpha's were on the Dean's list and one of these, Brother Stonebraker, was the leader of the freshman class. Also Brothers Whitlock and Benz were on this honor list.

One of the distinct honors of Mu Chapter was taken when Brother Hay was tapped for the Blue Key.

EMORY UNIVERSITY

Atlanta, Ga.

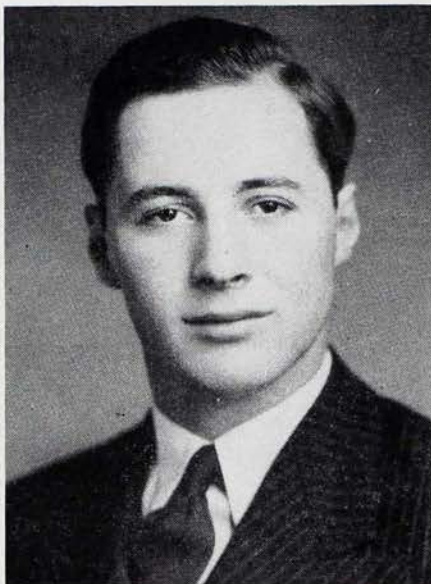
FOR MORE than a year Beta-Kappa has been handicapped due to the fact that the university has taken over all houses on the Row for use by civilians, medical, and theological students, but through cooperation in true IKA spirit of brotherhood we have maintained an active chapter. Now, our house, which is only four years old, has been returned with the interior completely redecorated and we have resumed normal activity and growth.

Since many of our brothers cannot live in the house except on week ends, we take every opportunity to be together. On Saturday afternoons all brothers and pledges meet at the house to do odd jobs and listen to football games. In this manner we have grown closer and more united than any other organization on the campus.

Our survival through the critical months has been due to the harmony and cooperation of all brothers ably led by such loyal IKA's as former SMC's Quillian Hamby, Ed Farrar, and Bill Holt; and fine faculty adviser and brother, Dr. Howard M. Phillips; and our present SMC Frank Parrington. There are countless others to whom appreciation should also be given.

Our chapter seemed to have been hit extra hard by the present world condition. Among the brothers recently taken from the chapter are "Obie" Lawson, now an ensign; John Thurman and Rollie Stephens who are now in Navy midshipmen's schools; and Ed Farrar waiting appointment to Navy medical school. Many others have been transferred that are still keeping in contact with the chapter through the mail.

The chapter has been very active in campus life, especially student government and intramural sports. Farrar was student body president, I.F.C. representative, and member of Eta Sigma Psi; Holt was elected to O.D.K., D.V.S., presidency of I.F.C., and



HARRY A. COSGRIFFE

◆ **HARRY A. COSGRIFFE**, FK, is president of the Associated Students at Montana State College.

A senior in agriculture, Cosgriffe comes from Harlowtown, Mont. He served for 16 months with the 163rd Infantry, 41st Division, at Fort Lewis, Wash., before being given a medical discharge in the summer of 1943. Much of this time he was a corporal.

Harry has been prominent in athletics at Montana State College and has held several offices in his fraternity, serving as SMC at present. He was elected student body president last spring, at which time he was also chosen to the ranking senior men's honor organization, Septemviri.

SMC; Jack Lee was student council representative and I.F.C. representative along with Brother "Pepper" Howell; H. E. Smoak, Jr., was chairman of the Student Council Special Events Committee, president of Eta Sigma Psi; and Pledge Rutherford was editor-in-chief of the *Emory Wheel* with Carl Oliver a reporter.

The football team has had an undefeated season thus far with seven wins and league leading scoring average. The team is composed mostly of brothers but several pledges have been outstanding for the division. Holt, holder of the campus wrestling crown, has not lost his title since he won it several years ago.

Officers are: Frank Parrington, SMC; Jack Lee, IMC; Ronny Penick, SC; Ray Martin, Th.C; and Dr. H. M. Phillips, faculty adviser.

Actives are for the year: Jim Klein, Allen Maxwell, Ed Farrar, Rollie Stephens, John Thurman, Ronnie Penick, Glenn Sparks, Wheat Williams, Bill Little, John Haley, Carl Oliver, Bill Holt, Quillian Hamby, Frank Parrington, Ray Martin, Pepper Howell, Wayne Range, Swede Rowe, Jack Lee, Henry Smoak, and Dr. H. M. Phillips. Pledges are: John Frank Lindsey, Tim DeVane, Bill Smith, Bill Scarlet, O. L. Ayers, Herbert Swayzee, Edward Murray, Edmond Murray, "Sandy" Reichart, and Bob Rutherford.

Graduate school brothers are Don Spicer, Jack Flemming, Johnny Morgan, and Bill Stubbs in Med School; Mack Gibbs, theology.

Picnics, swimming parties, house dances, formals, a house-party, the annual Christmas party, and stag affairs have been in the highlights of our social activities. At the Christmas party the charming Miss Dot Adcock who has loyally stuck by our side will receive recognition as Dream Girl and will be presented to the student body at the I.F.C. formal in January.

Miss Billie Parrington, sister of our SMC, who used to be present at all functions, has been chosen Campus Queen for the University of Alabama.

WASHINGTON STATE

Pullman, Wash.

ABOUT the middle of July, WSC supplemented its exodus of the ASTP and Air Corps by 17-year-old enlistees in the U. S. Army Reserve. With the usual acumen of IKA's, an immediate drive was started to recruit the most likely of the group so that Gamma-Xi could again become an active chapter.

Since Ray Ellis was the only undergraduate active, he with the cooperation of the local alumnae succeeded in organizing a small nucleus consisting of five boys. These pledges were chosen with the view that they would return to college when the war was over.

From this small embryo grew a group of 20. These boys cannot live at the house because of Army regulations but after the war is over there is great promise that the house will be operating in full force.

At the start of the regular fall semester, Bruce Barnes, who has not attended school since February '43 when the enlisted reserves left WSC, returned.

At this time there are only 150 male students on the campus and none of the four other fraternities operating have as many pledges living in their houses as Gamma-Xi.

Next semester several outside pledges are expected to move into the house and Brother Jim Faris of Puyallup is returning to WSC to continue his course in English.

Barnes will also be back to obtain his degree and although he will be married, he undoubtedly will prove a decided asset to the chapter. Of course, it was impossible to open the kitchen the first semester, but otherwise the chapter is carrying on a nearly normal fraternity program, including intra-mural sports, social functions, etc.

The pledges who are very enthusiastic hope to have enough men by the second semester to open the kitchen.

A complete list of the new pledges is as follows:

Joseph Barlow, Hollywood; Jim Boytler, Mercer Island; Don Calvert, Kent; Bob Clouse, Oakland, Calif.; Dick Cowdery, Palo Alto, Calif.; Harry Crampton, Spokane; Dalton Davis, South Gate, Calif.; George Ely, Palo Alto; Jack Ely, San Francisco;



Pepper Powell seems to have the situation well in hand on Beta-Kappa's house party atop famous Stone Mountain. At left he holds Kitty Hargrove and Winnie Jones of the Emory University School of

Nursing. At center, Ed Farrar and Betty pause for a rest while Bill Little considers returning for his nap. At right Wayne Range and Mary Lou McDonald stand on top of the mountain.



Members of Alpha-Zeta Chapter at the University of Arkansas in November were: bottom row, left to right, Joseph Bennett, Marvin Fowler, Irvin Rothrock, Pat Martin, Carl McGrew, Ralph Burton, Bob Scott, Bill Brandon, Carl Lee Jackson; second row, Herbert Swearingen, Samuel Wish, A. T. Teague, Allen Mallioux, Mother Payne, J. W. Lloyd, Kenneth Beaton, Edward Staten, Marvin Conger, Jim Varnell, Hal Lockman; third row, Vic Wasleski, Ross Allison, Ben Butler, Roy York, Robert Ison, Donald

Bass, Kenneth Kearns, Mike Schumchik, Alton Baldwin, Dale Counce, Thornton Burns, Alumnus Virgil Perkins, Jack Holt, Joe Holley; top row, Louis Feltz, Charles Williams, Jr., Eugene Burt, J. P. Byrd, George Kok, Bill Bonsteel, Steve Brooks, Bill Brown, Marshall Measel, Charles Johnson, Ellis Buring, George Cullins. Not in picture: Dick Page, Frank Schumchik, Carl Grigg, Charles Joliff, Ocie Ritchie, Tony Byles, Clay Majors, Joe Buck, Ray Hicks, Walton McRae and Roy Barnhill.

Don Ewing, San Francisco; Gerald Farrell, Berkeley; Don Foster, Oakland; Gort Gootke, Santa Barbara; Dick Holcombe, Olympia; Dave Leach, Camas, Wash.; Don Leach, Camas, Wash.; Roy McLeod, Renton; Daryl McKinstry, Berkeley; Dick Nelson, Albany, Calif.; Kenneth Norris, Fort Shaw, Mont.; Bob Richter, San Mateo, Calif.; Don Shults, Sunburst, Mont.; Jack Shuman, La Jolla, Calif.; Clyde Unbedacht, Renton; Dick Waugh, San Francisco; Bill Strong, Spokane; Clayton Emry, Orville, Wash.; Merrill Peterson, Colville, Wash.

The present list of local alumnae include: Dean A. A. Cleveland, Leonard Young, Earl Nelson, Orin Turner, and Guy Brislawn, who is now the new assistant bursar at the college.

Sigma Chi, Kappa Sigma, Sigma Nu, T.K.E. and SAE have followed IKA in re-opening their fraternity houses. However, since IKA shot the opening gun, no other house has as many new affiliates.

Oct. 14 was a red-letter night. The pledges attended their first after-dinner dance and fireside of their college careers. Sigma Kappa was honored by the presence of the IKA's. The boys returned to the chapter house for a pleasant evening of dancing.

A Halloween party was held. Games and a wiener roast were held in the back yard, followed by dancing in the house.

The grapevine tells us that Jackson Fleming, '43, was married in Seattle last winter.

Frank Hooper, '37, one of the basketball greats, has returned to WSC to complete his masters in education. Frank was recently medically discharged from the U. S. Army after 20 months of service. Before entering the Army, Frank was coach at Camas High School.

MILLSAPS COLLEGE

Jackson, Miss.

BROTHERS Aden Barlow, Billie Wright, and Jack King are in Medical School at Ole Miss. Walter Johnson also transferred to Ole Miss.

Jim Webb, Bo Calloway, and Van R. Jackson are carrying on at the Medical School of the University of Tennessee at Memphis.

Don Mizell is probably somewhere in the South Pacific now. He was home on his last furlough not long ago.

Brothers Jean Calloway and Kinchen Exum hardly waited to get their diplomas before they both started teaching. Jean is the most popular math teacher on Millsaps campus. He graduated at the end of June and within ten days was back as a professor. Kinch is instructor of English and math at McCallie Military School.

Jim Holder writes that "one of my faithful lady correspondents from Jackson, when she wrote last mentioned the IKA Mothers Day and the two rows of IKA's in the balcony at Galloway with their mothers. Am really glad that Mothers Day is one of those things you are keeping going. I remember it used to mean lots to my mother to come down and meet the brothers."

We had a very successful rushing season this semester. We got 18 pledges . . . the highest number on the campus. All but two or three of these have been initiated.

We have just completed another successful campaign. Dale Janssen, SMC, has just been elected president of the student body. In the class elections at the first of the semester four IKA's were elected president of the four classes.

The chapter is now enjoying one of the largest numbers it has had since pre-war

days. There are now 31 actives and three pledges.

PENN STATE

State College, Pa.

THE SUMMER semester of 1944 found Beta Alpha in rather excruciating circumstances, the chapter having lost 16 of its members through graduation and induction into the Armed Forces.

Only four brothers returned to open the chapter house which was handed over the first of July, concurrent with the start of Freshman week. Those returning included G. Frederick Dietz, Jr., SMC, and J. Blair Gilbert, undergraduates, and Robert Gruver and H. S. Myers, alumni. Several pledges had been added during the previous semester and helped swell the little band of Pi Kaps who were opening the house. They were: Ralph H. Lang, Pitcairn; William F. Morton, Monongahela; Joseph A. Vispi, Kingston, and Elias Hughes, Jr., Shick-shinny.

Brother Bob Schreiner took a "postman's holiday" this semester, returning to State College to work in the petroleum laboratory over his vacation.

The rushing season was successful, 16 men being pledged at the onset of the semester, as follows:

Robert S. McCoy, Lock Haven, Pa.; James P. Dietz, Lock Haven, Pa.; Richard N. Toler, Mt. Lebanon; Charles D. Cyphers, Wilkesburg; Charles F. Cole, Berwick, Pa.; Frederick R. Huehnergath, Lancaster; Thomas M. Reynolds, Butler, Pa.; J. Phillips Pettit, Philadelphia; G. Warner Kerwin, Oak Grove, Ohio; Rocco P. Leonardis, Mauch Chunk; John Curry, Hazleton; Russell H. Collins, West Lawn, Pa.; David M. Briner, West Lawn, Pa.; Robert H. Jones, Lehigh, Pa.; Alan P. Bentz, Balboa, Canal Zone, and Lawrence B. Luhrs, New York City.

This pledge class far outshone, both in size and quality, any other on the campus, and Pi Kappa Alpha was once more holding its rightful leadership.

A mid-semester election was held and the following officers chosen: Myers, SMC; Gilbert, IMC; Hughes, Th.C, and Morton, social chairman.

Socially, the house sponsored two events—summer and fall house-parties. The latter was held in conjunction with the I.F.C. "Gridiron Ball"—Penn State's latest "big week-end" effort.

The house participated in the I.F.C. soft-

ball league but fell several places short of winning.

During the semester visiting brothers included: S 1/C Dave Barron, '47; S 1/C Charles Diefenderfer, '47; S 1/C Thomas Alexander, '47; A/C Hank Hershey, '46; Lt. Ken Payne, '45; Lt. Gene Wood, '45; John Church, '45; A/C Don Skelly, '47; Ens. Bill Emmons, '44; Bob Schooley, '43; Cpl. Kerwin Hyland, '45; Sgt. Ben Slocum, '43; Ens. Russ Cline, '45; and Marine Lt. Glenn Bowers, veteran of 14 months service and 83 missions with Boyington's famed "Black Sheep" squadron at Bougainville.

The semester's activities were brought to a close with the observance of Alumni Day, October 14, at which time the usual Alumni Dinner was held. The function was attended by the town alumni and out-of-town brothers Roger Strayer, '46, Bob Schooley, '43, and Lou Schreiber, '22.

The drab routine of final week was interrupted by the visit of our new district president, Brother John Fox.

Fall semester produced eight pledges, as follows:

Fritz M. Herbine, Reading; James H. Eaton, Reading; Craig M. Stafford, Cheltenham; William A. Heaghty, Cheltenham; Edwin S. Hanford, Upper Darby; Jack J. S. Mayes, Leighton; Arthur Boyd, West Reading; and Gregor M. Dengler, State College.

Officers for the semester are: Elias Hughes, Jr., SMC; John Curry, IMC; Robert Jones, pledge master; H. S. Myers, Th.C.; Joseph Vispi, SC; Bill Morton, social chairman; Fred Cole, house manager; Fred Huehnergath, historian; and Fred Dietz, SHIELD and DIAMOND correspondent.

The first social event of the semester was a house dance Dec. 2.

Activities and honors include:

Bill Morton, 3rd semester president, P. S. C. A., Druids, Players, chairman All College, Cabinet Army Committee; Dick Toler, varsity track; Bob McCoy, varsity football; Druids; Bob Gruver, Players; Joe Vispi, Players; Fred Cole, Collegian; Tom Reynolds, choir; Russ Collins, choir, Blue Band.

Dave Briner, Campus Owls, choir, Blue Band, Penn State Engineer; John Curry, Tau Beta Pi, Phi Lambda Upsilon; Dutch Lang, varsity basketball; Allen Bentz, P. S. C. A. Cabinet; Larry Luhms, varsity boxing; Fritz Herbine, Blue Band, Phi Eta Sigma.

Jim Eaton, Blue Band; Art Boyd, Penn State Engineer; Blair Gilbert, La Vie, Penn State Engineer, Pi Tau Sigma, and I. F. C.; Fred Dietz, editor of La Vie, president, Inter-Fraternity Council, president, Skull and Bones Upper Class Honor Society, and Freshman Councillor.

The chapter is planning heavily upon the reunion first proposed by Lt. James W. Dawes, '43, which is to be held "six months after six months after the Armistice." It is hoped that all Beta-Alphas reading this will take heed and remember the day.

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN

Birmingham, Ala.

BROTHERS and pledges of Delta Chapter have been busy redecorating and moving into the new fraternity house, located just across the street from the college campus. Having increased the number of members to 16 actives and 19 pledges, bringing Pi Kappa Alpha up to the biggest and best on the campus, it became necessary to secure a larger and better fraternity house. New draperies and some furnishings were contributed by the newly organized mothers' club of Delta Chapter. This event is an outstanding one for the past quarter and



Members of Gamma-Omega Chapter, first row, from left, are Ernest Rivers, pledge; Jim Johnson, Lewis Cooke, David Ludovici. Second row, Jesse Langston, Carl Kish, Tom Curry, Robert Lee Towles, Dale Hoffman, pledge. Third row (standing), Charles Meserve, Rich-

ard Bolling, Courtney Thompson, Kelly Batson, Raymond Knapp, Bill Wyso, Billy Henderson. Last row, Lloyd Krumlauf, George Moore, Donald Dansby, pledge, Robert Lee Carter, Mark Curry, and E. W. Jackson.

the brothers have a large and enthusiastic group of mothers backing them up.

Among recent events of interest are the hay-ride and weiner roast at Camp Cosby; the election of a beauty, Miss Caroline Estes, for the *Southern Accent*, college annual; and the party given for the actives by the pledges. Several stag parties have been given preceding outstanding events and a Christmas tea has been planned.

Delta Chapter is looking forward to and working for other successful quarters in the coming New Year.

NORTH CAROLINA

Chapel Hill, N. C.

AFTER a year and a half the Navy turned the chapter house over to Tau Nov. 1. The house was left in good shape and the chapter is now settled with 14 brothers and 12 pledges.

Newly elected officers for '44 and '45 are: Arthur H. Adams, SMC; William F. Kelly, IMC; Walrath A. Dinsmoor, ThC; Richard B. Adams, SC; H. Michie Faulconer, House Manager; J. W. Johnston, MS; Robert Gee, MC; and Randel E. Salmon, Pledge Master.

Homecoming weekend was a big success. Our lawn display won second place in the display contest with credit due Brother Kelly and Brother Adams who were in charge of the decorations committee. Returning for the festivities was Lt. Hugh Cox, USMC, now stationed at New River, N. C.

Three other brothers, Ens. Wade Secrest, USNR, Ens. William Storey, USNR, and Pfc. Hurst Hatch, ASTP, have also paid weekend visits recently.

For the brothers who have left school in recent years and the older alumni Tau is rapidly completing plans for a bulletin which will be mailed monthly. It will be composed of letters from the brothers who have left as well as current chapter news. Letters from any alumnus will be greatly appreciated.

Pledges: Thomas Wicker, USNR; Forest Leathers, USMC; Donald F. Ryder, USNR; Norman De Lancy, '47; Louis Henifred, '46; William Jackson, '45; B. R. Cooper, USNR; Herman Ashlaw, USN; Euell M. Wren, USNR; Marshall McMurren, '45.

DUKE UNIVERSITY

Durham, N. C.

ALPHA-ALPHA lost seven brothers to Naval transfer and to the draft at the end of October, but rushing at the beginning of this semester brought in a 14-man pledge class, many of whom will soon be initiated. Members and pledges of the chapter now total forty.

Brothers Engle Conrow, Joe Deegan, Conway Jones, Leonard Durham, Dick Stein, Terrell Wingfield, and Jake Zimmerman have left school. Brothers Conrow, Stein, Wingfield, and Zimmerman are now in Midshipmen's school.

Officers for the November-March semester are: Bob Weaver, SMC; Whiteford Smith, Jr., IMC; Frank Bliss, Jr., ThC; Louis Allen, SC; Wallace McCown, MC; Keith Forbes, MS.

Three new brothers entered the chapter soon after the semester began. Norman Griffith, T, and Art Wheeler, BH, have been transferred to Duke, and Bill Rankin was initiated recently into Alpha-Alpha.

A full social program has been arranged and begun under the direction of Social Chairman Henry Alexander. A hay-ride on December 2 set off the winter social season. A Sweater Girl dance, a masquerade ball, banquet-dance, and two cabin parties are scheduled to follow.

One brother and two pledges were members of the Duke football team which met Alabama in the Sugar Bowl on January 1.

An intramural touch football team representing Alpha-Alpha placed third in the final league standings with two wins, two losses, and a tie.

Alpha-Alpha's newest pledges are: John Barnard, St. Louis, Mo.; Walter Birmingham, Granite City, Ill.; Billy Bliss, Dickerson, Md.; George Browne, Newport News, Va.; Crockett Cheers, Charlotte, N. C.; Wilbur Cross, Suffolk, Va.; Gordon Hammett, San Francisco, Calif.; Henry Homan, Lebanon, Pa.; John Kelley, Jackson Heights, N. Y.; Bob Lent, Minneapolis, Minn.; Bill Scott, New York City; Bobby Sherertz, Roanoke, Va.; Willis Spann, Temple, Okla.; Bill Womack, Sanford, N. C.

Officers of the pledge class are Pledges Lent, Womack, Cheers and Barnard.

Pi Kappa Alpha Initiates, July 1, 1944—January 1, 1945

ALPHA

Paul S. Derian	Long Island, N. Y.
Carl Robert Bauer	Willoughby, Ohio
Edward James Boylan, Jr.	Bellerose, L. I., N. Y.
George C. Staples	Portland, Ore.

BETA

John F. McNair	Laurinburg, N. C.
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DELTA

Braxton E. Baker	Harpersville, Ala.
James B. Meacham	Birmingham, Ala.
Raymond T. Elgin	Birmingham, Ala.
Hubert H. Harper	Birmingham, Ala.
Harold L. Jones	Adamsville, Ala.
Ralph M. Tanner	Dora, Ala.
John S. White	Foley, Ala.
Doyle B. Griffiths	Foley, Ala.
Winfred L. Godwin	Montgomery, Ala.

ZETA

Kelly A. Lynch	Fountain City, Tenn.
Jo Kenneth Bass	Knoxville, Tenn.
Ancile G. Kennedy	Knox Co., Tenn.
Jack H. Yeazel	Knoxville, Tenn.
Charles S. Rudder	Knoxville, Tenn.
Robert S. Bailey	Fayetteville, Tenn.
Joel B. Spaulding	Nashville, Tenn.
Thomas Carey Parrish	Winnetka, Ill.
Albert Bernard Boehmer	Erlanger, Ky.

ETA

J. H. Chamberlain	New Orleans, La.
Michael T. Murphy	Mobile, Ala.
Julian F. Baum	Elizabeth City, N. C.
Roy A. Anderson	Ripon, Cal.
F. Lee Beets	Paola, Kan.
Jack Eadie Molesworth	Kansas City, Mo.
A. C. Lassiter, Jr.	Cleveland, Miss.
Charles M. Powell, Jr.	Dallas, Texas
Daniel T. Rawls	Melville, La.
Kenneth Blair Robinson	New Orleans, La.

KAPPA

Albert Edward Oram	Lexington, Ky.
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MU

Hoyt J. Davis	Galivants Ferry, S. C.
William B. McCutchen	Bishopville, S. C.
Claud G. Gilliam	Carlisle, S. C.
Lester G. Carter	Fayetteville, N. C.
J. W. Stonebraker	Orlando, Fla.
Cedric Charles Benz	Orlando, Fla.
Hugh Roberts III	Columbus, Ga.

XI

Roy H. Bass	Knoxville, Tenn.
James A. Glominski	Spartanburg, S. C.
P. N. Balamoutis	Spartanburg, S. C.
Eugene W. Michel	Palmyra, N. J.
Robert C. Dressel	Dundie, Ill.
J. M. Wiltshire	Richmond, Va.
John P. Jennings	Kansas City, Kan.
William J. Thrasher	Oakland, Cal.
Richard J. Hanley	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Alfred Edward Bahret	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

TAU

John D. Brown	Cedar Bluff, Va.
W. A. Dinsmoor	Aurora, Ill.
James K. Absher	Washington, D. C.

Thomas S. Beach	Boone, N. C.
John M. Fouts	Burnsville, N. C.
John H. Schopke	Lake Alfred, Fla.
Richard B. Adams	Miami, Fla.
G. K. Tauscher	Oklahoma City, Okla.
Billy D. Hudgens	Carbondale, Ill.
Patrick A. Paige	Salt Lake City, Utah
Norman E. Griffith	Charlotte, N. C.
Emmanuel Deoudes	Washington, D. C.
Clifford E. Shank	Durham, N. C.
Paul H. Callahan	Ogden, Utah
Hurst Bunn Hatch	Raleigh, N. C.
James N. DeLancy	Chapel Hill, N. C.
Lewis William Heniford	Loris, S. C.
William S. Jackson	Beulaville, N. C.
William Walter Harmon	Elkridge, Md.
Thomas G. Wicker	Hamlet, N. C.
Benjamin F. Cooper	Warsaw, N. C.
Herman William Ashlaw	North Lawrence, N. Y.

UPSILON

William C. Howton	Birmingham, Ala.
H. E. Garrett	Pensacola, Fla.
Donald H. Clay	Birmingham, Ala.
Charles W. Jones	Greenville, Ala.
Richard I. Kearley	Andalusia, Ala.
Watt Andy Ellis	Center, Ala.
Philip Boss III	
Benjamin W. Key	Woodbury, Ga.
Robert L. Pulley	Pensacola, Fla.
John Sutherland	Birmingham, Ala.
Guy H. Nevins	Birmingham, Ala.
Tully O. Turner	Huntsville, Ala.
Harden Oldfield	Huntsville, Ala.
William Marles Ridley	Bridgeport, Ala.
R. J. Campbell	De Funiak Springs, Fla.
Sam P. Sockwell	Huntsville, Ala.
William D. Callaway	Huntsville, Ala.

ALPHA-ALPHA

James W. Tinsley	Huntington, W. Va.
Earl W. Bracey	La Crasse, Va.
Leonard Durham	Glen Carbon, Ill.
William J. Farren	New York, N. Y.
A. T. Glenn, Jr.	Burlington, N. C.
Charles E. Peters	Alexander, Iowa
Richard P. Stein	New Albany, Ind.
John L. Vogel	Louisville, Ky.
Paul W. Yount	Charlotte, N. C.
Joseph F. Deegan	Philadelphia, Pa.
William Charles Rankin	Charlotte, N. C.
Gordon C. Hammett	Houston, Texas
Robert F. Sherertz	Roanoke, Va.

ALPHA-DELTA

Henry C. Burn	Charleston, S. C.
Richard F. Carson	Medford, Mass.
Leslie E. Gradick, Jr.	Spartanburg, S. C.
Emory O. Newton	Tifton, Ga.
David H. Rogers	Haines City, Fla.
Quentin B. Sammis	Huntington, N. Y.
Dan B. Darden	Savannah, Ga.
Jerome K. Davidson	Gracemont, Okla.
Peter B. Davies	Drifton, Pa.
William McQueen Freeburg	Elgin, Ill.
John F. Houck	Harrisburg, Pa.
William Smith Posten	Morgantown, W. Va.
David H. Williams	Pensacola, Fla.

ALPHA-EPSILON

C. G. Bingenheimer	Burlington, N. C.
Donald C. Cole	Kannapolis, N. C.
Jesse A. McCall	Reidsville, N. C.
Robert Edward Merritt	Mt. Airy, N. C.
Edward Speed Noell	Durham, N. C.
Robert F. Sanders	Alamance, N. C.
William Cowles Self	Raleigh, N. C.

ALPHA-ZETA

Paul R. Bujarski	Blytheville, Ark.
Charles W. Bonsteel	Harrison, Ark.
T. B. Byles	Robeline, La.
Curtis C. Hornor	McGehee, Ark.
Edward W. McRae	Harrison, Ark.
James R. Page	Harrison, Ark.
Edward I. Staten	Forrest City, Ark.
Glenn R. Hammons	Forrest City, Ark.
Joseph E. Holley	Malvern, Ark.

ALPHA-ETA

E. D. Treadwell	Arcadia, Fla.
Lester H. Dean	Valdosta, Ga.
William E. Parker	Arcadia, Fla.
George W. English	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Gerald F. Tinsley	Arcadia, Fla.
Kenneth R. McLean	Quincy, Fla.
William E. Sherman	Winter Haven, Fla.
C. C. Mertins	Pensacola, Fla.
Claude H. Williams	Quincy, Fla.
William Leroy Jones	Bartown, Fla.
Jack Edward White	Hollywood, Cal.
Kenneth R. Hall	Daytona Beach, Fla.
David W. Turner	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Donald R. Bunch	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Jesse A. Harvey	Williston, Fla.
Vernon Clarence Lowell, Jr.	Pensacola, Fla.

ALPHA-THETA

Arthur William McNinch	Cameron, W. Va.
James Henry Walthall	Princeton, W. Va.
Joseph Christian Auer	Big Creek, W. Va.
William George Best	Charleston, W. Va.
Leland Eugene Byrd	Matoka, W. Va.
Lawrence Alphens Fortney	Morgantown, W. Va.
Lincoln Cartledge	Morgantown, W. Va.
Bruce Thompson, Jr.	Williamson, W. Va.
Rayman Willard Herman	Omar, W. Va.

ALPHA-IOTA

John C. Manning	Greenville, Texas
William Robert Lacey	Kosciusko, Miss.
Albert E. Allen	Jackson, Miss.
Leland E. Moore	Tulsa, Okla.
F. J. Schultz	Groesbeck, Texas
John D. Krebs	Hutchinson, Kan.
William J. Patterson	Jackson, Miss.
Tasos J. Pappadas	Houston, Texas
Robert M. Bernsen	Beaumont, Texas
Charles C. Lehman	Tupelo, Miss.
Barksdale A. Bush	Jackson, Miss.
William S. Moore	Jackson, Miss.
Joe Jennings	Jackson, Miss.

ALPHA-KAPPA

Ralph Edward Kolde	St. Louis, Mo.
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ALPHA-LAMBDA

Daniel L. Hill	Somerset, Ky.
Oscar H. Huff	Owensboro, Ky.

ALPHA-NU

William B. Gray	Augusta, Ga.
George J. Woods	Blanchard, Iowa

William Pierce Boll	University City, Mo.
Alvah E. Shue	Reeds, Mo.
James Owen	Hickman Mills, Mo.
Drew A. Williams	Kennett, Mo.
Phil E. Goodman	Drexel, Mo.

ALPHA-PI

William Thomas Bailey	Lucedale, Miss.
Oliver F. Midgett	Mobile, Ala.
William C. Blackerby	Bessemer, Ala.
Huston P. Putman	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
John H. Goodloe	Highlands, Ala.

ALPHA-SIGMA

John D. Abramson	Santa Rosa, Cal.
John H. Rolling	San Francisco, Cal.
Henry Broderick	San Francisco, Cal.
T. W. Stockton	Chicago, Ill.
M. B. Thruston	Berkeley, Cal.
Robert C. Dolman	Oakland, Cal.
Thomas R. Walsh	Concord, Cal.
R. R. Kroninger	Brooks, Cal.

ALPHA-TAU

Lewis K. Williams	Salt Lake City, Utah
Albert Stringer	Ogden, Utah
Melbourne Romney	Salt Lake City, Utah
R. L. Castleton	Salt Lake City, Utah
Douglas A. Jackson	Salt Lake City, Utah
Robert E. Doidge	Salt Lake City, Utah

BETA-ALPHA

Ralph H. Lang	Pitcairn, Pa.
William F. Morton	Monongahela, Pa.
Joseph A. Vispi	Kingston, Pa.
Elias Hughes	Shickashinny, Pa.
George Warner Kerwin	Warren, Ohio
Robert Spencer McCoy	Lockhaven, Pa.
Richard Newell Toler	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Frederick Richard Huehnergath, Jr.	Lancaster, Pa.
Thomas Bruce Reynolds	Butler, Pa.
Charles Delbert Cyphers, Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Charles Frederick Cole, Jr.	Briar Creek, Pa.
John Curry	Hazelton, Pa.
David Marsh Briner	West Lawn, Pa.
Robert Henry Jones, III	Lehigh, Pa.
Russell Harry Collins	West Lawn, Pa.

BETA-DELTA

William Boyd Lynch	Sedalia, Mo.
C. B. McCullar	Santa Rosa, Cal.
L. G. Rodgers	Florence, Ariz.
Owen R. Hurst	Zillah, Wash.
Eugene F. Timpe	Los Angeles, Cal.
Edward L. Brown	El Paso, Texas
Eugene Husted	Tucson, Ariz.
B. B. Lupton	Denver, Colo.
Henry P. Schultz	Douglas, Ariz.
Robert R. Hargett	Albuquerque, N. M.
Asa C. Wilson	Lancaster, Cal.
G. J. Hildebrandt	Chicago, Ill.
Donald L. Urich	Englewood, Colo.
Andrew R. Lloyd	Philadelphia, Pa.
Robert V. Hogg	Rockford, Ill.
Leslie D. Gleave	Antimony, Utah
Thomas R. Hart	San Pedro, Cal.
John A. Voller	Prescott, Ariz.

BETA-ZETA

John W. Luker	Houston, Texas
Ollie H. Mitchell	Dallas, Texas
David Carter Ball	Dallas, Texas
Richard H. Farrell	Dallas, Texas

BETA-KAPPA

R. C. Stephens	Atlanta, Ga.
Ralph G. Sparks	Spindale, N. C.
Wheat Williams	Decatur, Ga.
John A. Haley	Decatur, Ga.
William Henry Little	Decatur, Ga.
Roland W. Penick	Emory University, Ga.

BETA-MU

William E. Hamilton	San Saba, Texas
Richard S. Hall	Dallas, Texas
William J. Jackson	Austin, Texas
William T. Ballard	Mt. Pleasant, Texas
William Walter Nesbitt	Trinity, Texas
Truett Peachey	Houston, Texas
Warren Crawford Bair	Austin, Texas
Gerald Wooten Cleveland	Austin, Texas
Phillip Marion Stevenson, Jr.	Houston, Texas
Harold Herbert Price	Dallas, Texas
Robert Douglas Grisham	Abilene, Texas
David William Graham	Dallas, Texas

BETA-PI

Patrick G. Mahoney	Ardmore, Pa.
Elmer H. Biles	Cynwyd, Pa.
Arthur E. Wheeler	Philadelphia, Pa.
Newlin W. Stevens	Camden, N. J.
William L. Calderhead	Audubon, N. J.
Norman Charles Henss	Philadelphia, Pa.
Jose R. Suarez	San Juan, Puerto Rico
Fernando Chamorro Z.	Granada, Nicaragua, C. A.
Edward S. Hoffman	Collingswood, N. J.

BETA-UPSILON

Robert A. Branflick	Baltimore, Md.
Craig M. Ward	Salt Lake City, Utah
James C. Wyche	Sherman, Texas
Keith H. Gilmore	Ontario, Ore.
Paul H. Barker	Denver, Colo.
S. E. Stephenson	Ogden, Utah
Howard C. Spears	Denver, Colo.
Rex D. Nash	Mystic, Iowa
B. S. Eggertson	Gunnison, Utah
Bernard J. Alberts	Radcliffe, Iowa
Wesley L. Karlson	Van Nuys, Cal.
Richard A. Case	Orange, Cal.
Hugh Allen Folsom	Salt Lake City, Utah
Glen Richard Jorgensen	Denver, Colo.
Jesse Gordon Mikkelsen	Gunnison, Colo.
Burton Lewis Moore	Parma, Idaho
William Robert Mounger	Houston, Texas
Robert Howard Patton	Missouri City, Texas
Robert Harold Uhrich	Denver, Colo.
Richard Kurt Walter	Denver, Colo.

BETA-PHI

Arthur J. Proctor	South Bend, Ind.
William C. French	Evansville, Ind.
R. D. Delaplane	Wabash, Ind.

GAMMA-ALPHA

Charlie H. Burt	Trinity, Ala.
Dan H. Hendon	University, Ala.
John D. Lavender	Havana, Ala.
Sidney Chenault	Decatur, Ala.
James M. Wood	Lanett, Ala.
Don G. Watkins	Birmingham, Ala.

GAMMA-DELTA

Herbert Henry Brown	Tucson, Ariz.
Harold Bond Livingston	Coolidge, Ariz.
Omer Ferdinand Gagnon	Amesbury, Mass.
Donald Eugene Howard	Tucson, Ariz.
Chester John McCarthy	Northboro, Mass.
Glenn Everett Woodard	Phoenix, Ariz.

GAMMA-ETA

John J. C. Dunn	Los Angeles, Cal.
Joseph F. Foster	Hawthorne, Cal.
Charles A. Nick	Brawley, Cal.
Richard L. Cleasby	Los Angeles, Cal.
James William Hinds	San Diego, Cal.
Cesar Hernandez	Los Angeles, Cal.
William K. Budd	Los Angeles, Cal.
Leon William Edson	Inglewood, Cal.
Kenneth R. Niles	Los Angeles, Cal.
Robert C. Clements	Los Angeles, Cal.
J. A. Marinkovich	San Pedro, Cal.
Edward E. Leason	Milwaukee, Wis.
Merle C. Brooks	Los Angeles, Cal.
J. E. Holzman	San Diego, Cal.

GAMMA-THETA

Jack Phillips	Water Valley, Miss.
Edwin Prinz	Grenada, Miss.

GAMMA-RHO

John H. Burneson	Overland, Mo.
Paul A. Cedar	Meriden, Iowa
William E. Harward	Washington, D. C.
William S. Jones	Chicago, Ill.
Walter G. Krauss	Carpentersville, Ill.
Edwin E. Nyman	San Diego, Cal.
William J. Plantes	Pittsburgh, Pa.
George J. Stanley	Indianapolis, Ind.
D. H. Steinweg	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Wade Stewart	Martinsville, Ind.
Evans H. Warner	Berwyn, Pa.

GAMMA-SIGMA

William Alan Devlin	New Castle, Pa.
Robert M. Sheaffer	Verona, Pa.
Leonard P. Matonak	Vendergrift, Pa.
Charles J. McCormick	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Donald F. Slavin	Eldred, Pa.
Edward Zadorozny	Pittsburgh, Pa.
William Michael Labash	Donora, Pa.
Michael Kravchak	Central City, Pa.
C. D. Tomedolsky	Glassport, Pa.
James Thomas Hicks	Brownsville, Texas
George A. Linelli	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Lee M. King	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Frederick D. Rhodes	Butler, Pa.
Wildred Filson Goss	Oil City, Pa.
Pete George Manesiotis	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Harvey Clayton Anderson, Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Robert John Watkins	California, Pa.
Robert Raymond Harper	Burggettstown, Pa.
William Joseph Stack, Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.

GAMMA-TAU

S. C. Kennedy	Westwood, N. J.
Robert C. McCray	Monson, Mass.
William S. Macomber	Marblehead, Mass.
Donald E. Rowe	Toledo, Ohio

GAMMA-PHI

Evander M. Britt	Marion, N. C.
H. R. Hileman	Connellsville, Pa.
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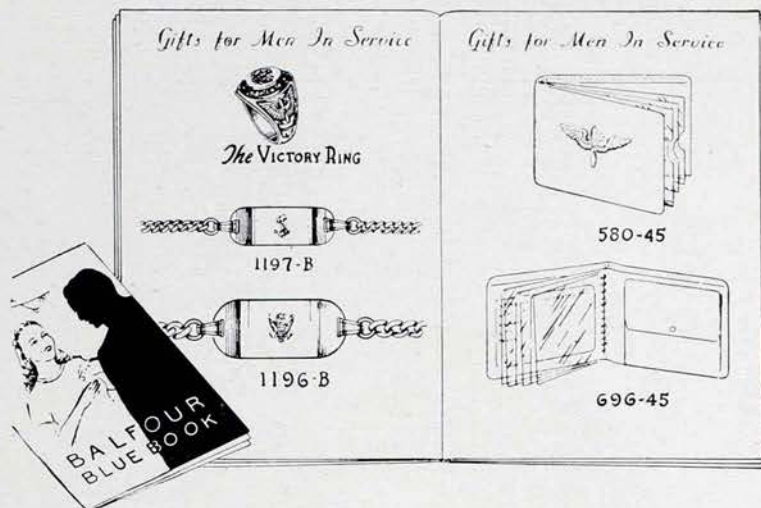
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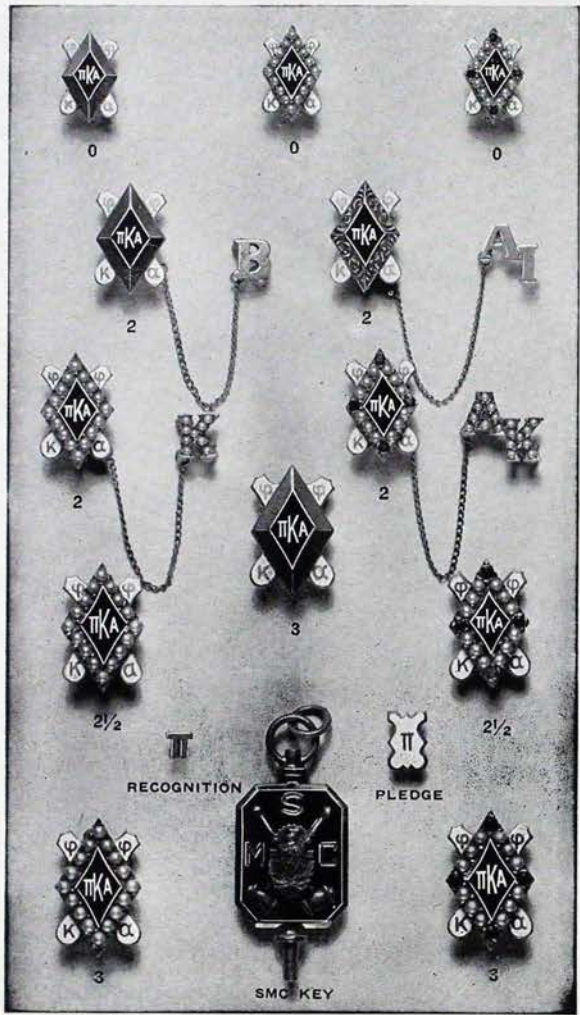
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