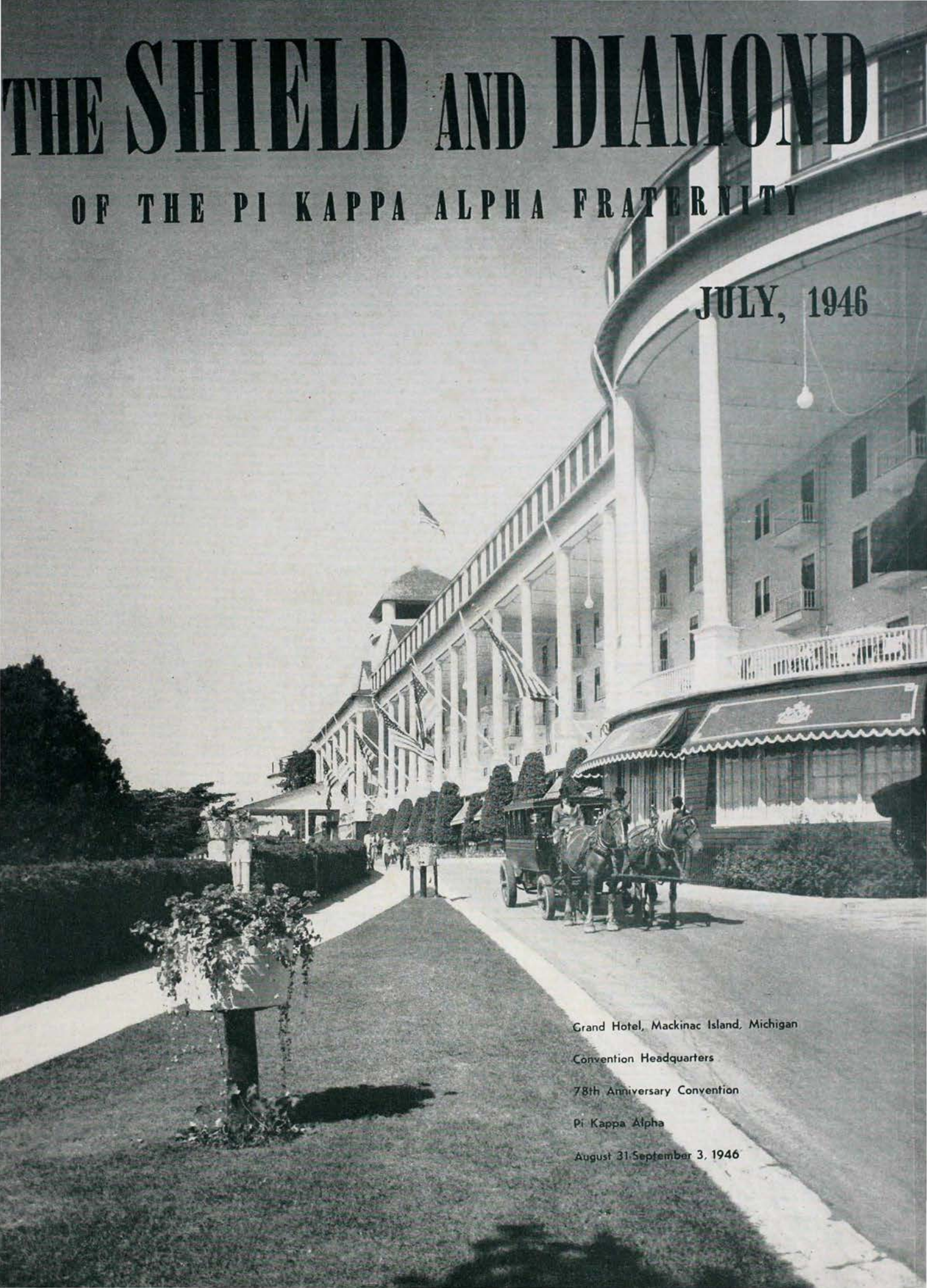


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◆ THE VICTORY CONVENTION is the "big noise" in this issue of *The Shield and Diamond* as it is with every active and alumnus chapter as well as with a lot of individual alumni.

While the advance reservations are too meager to indicate the number to be expected, the National Office is assuring the membership of a full program of work and play.

— Π Κ Α —

For the first time in the history of the Fraternity, a Supreme Council has governed for six years without a convention. This Council has done an outstanding piece of work and is deserving of plaudits of every member.

One of the secrets of the success of the present Council lies in the National Counsel. At most every meeting of Council, the lawyer, John L. Packer, has been on hand to consult advice the legality of each Council action. Because of this arrangement, Council has not started a project only to find later it in violation of the Fraternity's regulations. Such advice has been forthcoming immediately.

— Π Κ Α —

Every active chapter should come to the convention with concrete suggestions as to how *The Shield and Diamond* may be better used in connection with rushing. Every chapter should have a representative in the magazine every issue and then use the publication in rushing. Chapter publication questions also will be in order for discussion.

— Π Κ Α —

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— Π Κ Α —

### *The Cover —*

*A front view of Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Mich., is reproduced on the front cover. This is the view which will greet delegates to the Victory Convention as they approach the meeting place in horse-drawn vehicles.*





# A MESSAGE TO EVERY MEMBER OF PI KAPPA ALPHA

## THE PI KAPPA ALPHA FRATERNITY

OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL PRESIDENT

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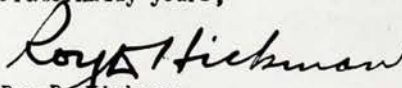
TO THE MEMBERS OF PI KAPPA ALPHA FRATERNITY--GREETINGS:

1 - Article 4 of the Constitution having been fully carried out, I hereby summon the members of the Fraternity to assemble at Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Michigan, August thirty-first -- September third, 1946, for the Victory Convention.

2 - The headquarters will be at the Grand Hotel where accommodations can be provided for all members present. The business session will be held in the Convention Room of the Hotel.

3 - The first session will convene Saturday, August thirty-first, at 11:30 A. M.

Fraternally yours,



Roy D. Hickman  
National President

P. S. May I add to the official call, this thought. Six long and eventful years have passed since our last Convention. Be present and learn of Pi Kappa Alpha's progress--help chart her future! Why not plan a Michigan vacation this year and take advantage of Pi Kappa Alpha fun at Mackinac Island.

We'll be seeing you there!

RDH





*Your view as you enter the grounds.*

# COME TO YOUR CONVENTION

AUGUST 31 — SEPTEMBER 5 — 1946

By **ROY D. HICKMAN**  
National President

◆ **PI KAPPA ALPHAS** from all over the land will go to historic Mackinac Island for our 78th Anniversary Convention.

It will be known as the "Victory Convention." It is our first since the convention in Chicago in August, 1940.

Six years will be reviewed at Mackinac and the delegates will plan for Pi Kappa Alpha's future.

This convention will be unique in that the setting is in the Grand Hotel, the largest summer hotel in the world. The front portion of this hotel, as pictured, is over two city blocks long, overlooking beautiful gardens and a swimming pool and, just beyond, Lake Michigan and Lake Huron. All of the con-

veniences have been arranged for your attendance. You will be met at the ferry docks and transported in horse-drawn carriages to the hotel, a little more than a mile away.

This is one place where you cannot take your auto. You must leave it at Mackinaw City, Mich., and ferry to the island.

There are many ways in which one may travel to our convention. If you elect to go by automobile, you will travel any route you desire to Mackinaw City. The road map shown in this article gives you the main roads leading to Mackinaw City. Arriving at Mackinaw City, you must park your car for the duration of the convention—Saturday, Aug. 31, through Tuesday, Sept. 3. It is advisable that those coming by automobile reach Mackinaw City early Saturday morning in time to catch the 9 o'clock ferry to Mackinac Island. There are few lodging accommodations in Mackinaw City; therefore, it is advisable that you spend Friday night, Aug. 30, in the vicinity of Mackinaw City.

\* Should you be traveling on

U. S. 23 or 27 up the Eastern shoreline or center of Michigan, Cheboygan or in that vicinity would be ideal.

Should you be traveling U. S. 31 and 131, Petoskey hotels or any lodges in that vicinity should place you, with an early start, in ample time to make the first ferry—9 a. m., Saturday, Aug. 31. Remember, you cannot take your cars to the island—they must be left in Mackinaw City.

Should you travel by train, there are four gateways where the best service can be obtained.

From the Eastern part of the United States, Detroit would be the gateway. You should arrive in Detroit in ample time to catch the New York Central at 11 p. m. which arrives at Mackinaw City at 8:10 a. m. The train, after stopping in Mackinaw City for breakfast (unless you have had your breakfast on the train) will then proceed to the ferry docks where you board the ferry for Mackinac Island. The train proceeds for approximately one-half mile to the ferry docks, where you transfer your luggage from the train to the ferry.

It is important that you purchase your ticket to **MACKINAC ISLAND, MICH.**,







and *NOT* to Mackinaw City, Mich. If you will insist on purchasing your ticket to Mackinac Island, then your ferry expense will be included in the railroad ticket.

Should you come from the South or Southeast, Cincinnati would be your gateway. You should arrive in Cincinnati in time to board the Pennsylvania "The Northern Arrow" train, departing from Cincinnati 5:40 p. m. (E.S.T.), arriving at Mackinaw City, Mich., 8:30 a. m. A diner is part of the equipment on this train. Therefore, breakfast can be had before reaching Mackinaw City.

Should you come from the Southwest, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas or Arkansas, your gateway would be St. Louis. The

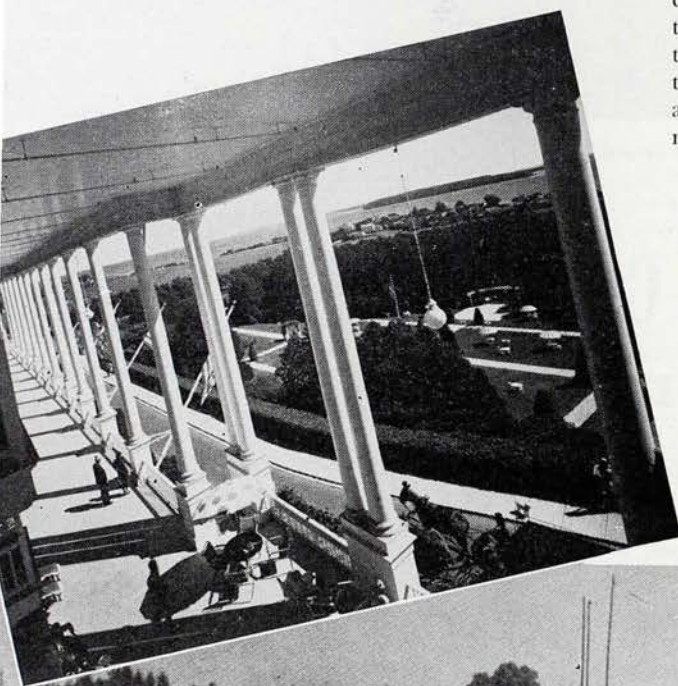
Pennsylvania leaves St. Louis at 12:30 p. m. (C.S.T.), which is also known as "The Northern Arrow," and arrives at Mackinaw City 8:30 a. m.

Should you travel from the Northwest, Pacific Coast and Middlewest states, Chicago would be your gateway. The Pennsylvania leaving Chicago at 5:30 (C.S.T.) arrives at Mackinaw City at 8:30 a. m. the following day.

The Pennsylvania trains originating at Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago combine en route to Mackinaw City, and boarding this train at either of these gateways would afford those traveling via this route the conveniences of a special train to Mackinaw City. The equipment of the Pennsylvania "Northern Arrow" is ideal, consisting of the very latest sleeping cars, lounge car and dining car service, and coaches for those who do not wish the sleeping-car service. This is an ideal train for travel to the convention, arriving in ample time to board the 9 o'clock ferry at Mackinaw City for Mackinac Island.

To help you make your return plans, the "Northern Arrow" going to Chicago, St. Louis or Cincinnati leaves Mackinaw City at 5:40 p. m., arriving Chicago next morning 6:50; St. Louis, 1:05 p. m., and Cincinnati 8:35 a. m. Those traveling via New York Central to Detroit, the train leaves Mackinaw City at 9:30 p. m. The convention will adjourn in ample time to make the early Pennsylvania departure on Tuesday, Sept. 3. If traveling by train, be sure to buy a round-trip ticket to Mackinac Island, Mich. Our convention is held at the time of the year when railroads can sell through to the island. Consult your nearest ticket office for railroad fares.

The convention proper will be called to order at 11:30 a. m., Saturday, Aug. 31. A tentative program is outlined elsewhere in this issue as to the events that will take place. Your Arrangements Committee has made every effort to make your stay at the Grand Hotel at Mackinac Island an enjoyable one. Here you will be served the best food possible to obtain, in an atmosphere that makes you relax and enjoy the entire stay. Our convention at Mackinac is a new idea for Pi Kappa Alpha. This is the first time we have held a convention away from a large metropolitan area where there are not many Pi Kappa Alphas. We, therefore, will not have the regular convention committees composed of local alumni. It was necessary this time for the Supreme Council to act as the Arrangements or General Com-



*Tea Garden as seen from the veranda.*

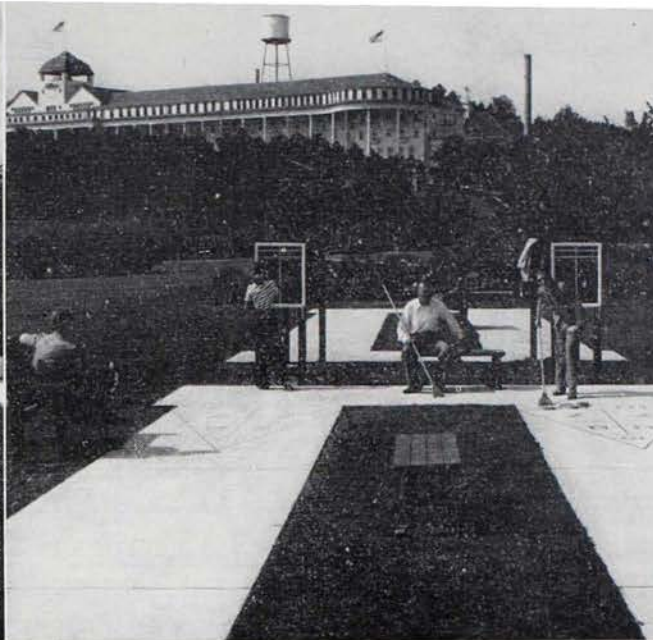
*Our mode of transportation while at Mackinac.*







*The Sun Garden and Swimming Pool.*



*Shuffle Board for all.*

mittee. This hotel was selected because it would give the fraternity an opportunity to make an uninterrupted study for four days of Pi Kappa Alpha's future.

The Grand Hotel rates are \$11 a day per person, American plan. There are a few rooms for \$8.50 (these rooms are without bath). This, however, is not expensive when one considers that the costs for the convention banquet, convention ball, etc., are all included and that your actual cost will be either \$11 or \$8.50 a day, plus a small Michigan

State food tax. Some less expensive rooms are to be had in the village, approximately a mile away. However, it is not recommended that the delegates stay anywhere other than at the convention headquarters. These rooms, however, are limited, and since this will be over Labor Day space at all hotels will be at a premium. In case reservations are made at the village hotels through our National Office, tickets will have to be purchased extra for the convention banquet and the convention ball; while if you stay at the Grand Hotel,

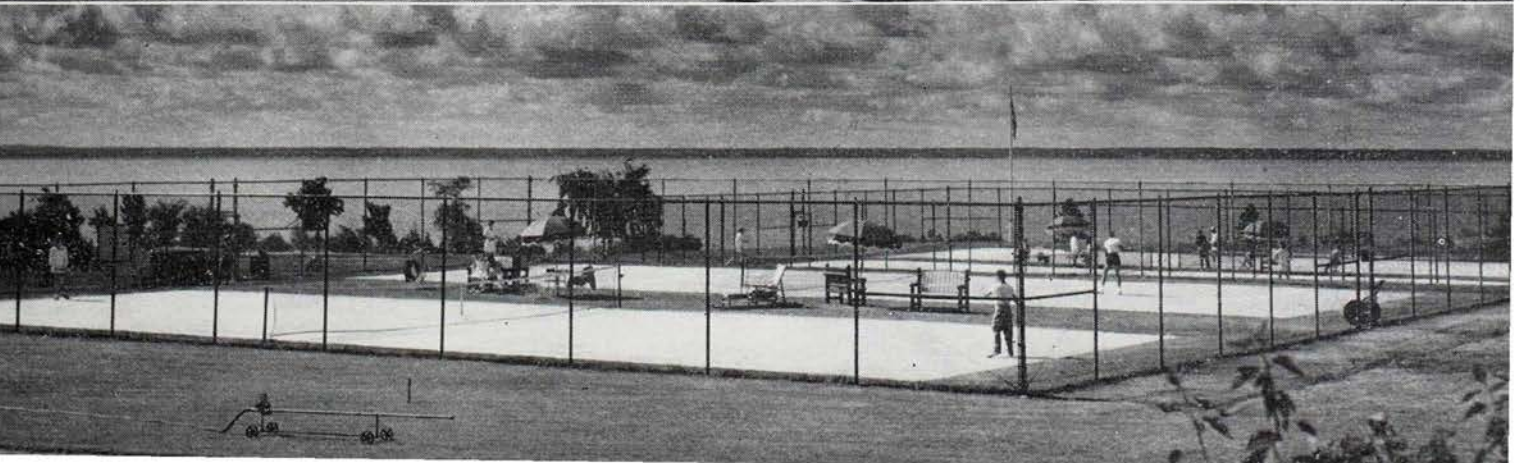
all is included in the American plan rate.

Reservations for the hotel should be made direct with our National Office in Atlanta. Address your communications to: Freeman H. Hart, Executive Secretary, Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, 771 Spring St., N. W., Atlanta, Ga.

At the hotel during our relaxation period, such entertainment as golfing, tennis, swimming, horseback-riding, etc., can be enjoyed at a small extra cost.

As to clothes, you must remember

*You will enjoy golf or tennis by the lakes.*







**Road Map—Your motor routes to Convention.**

that this is considerably north, and it is advisable that the men should wear what they normally wear in the fall; that is, wool suits for evening and light weight suits for the day. Sport clothes are in order for daytime wear along with two-tone shoes, if you wish. As to the weather, the days are delightfully warm but the nights are crispy cool, where the wool suit would be comfortable.

It is also advisable that you bring a light or medium-weight topcoat for evening wear. All of the functions will call for optional attire. It is desired that the men wear their evening clothes for the evening functions. However, that is purely optional on the part of the individual.

The ladies will follow the general idea of warm clothing for evening and sport attire for daytime. All of the ladies will want to wear formals for the evening functions, but this is also optional with the individual. This is your convention and you may set whatever fashions you desire as long as you make yourself comfortable for the stay at Mackinac.

— H K A —

◆ MACKINAC is pronounced "MACK-INAC" with the French ending "ac," making the ending rhyme with "law" and also with "Mackinaw" City, Mich.

— H K A —

◆ PRESENT DAY Mackinac Island was first visited by the French in the early 17th Century, according to G. H. Wickman, Mackinac Island historian.

In 1627 Louis the thirteenth King of France, chartered the 100 Associates Company and granted it forever all of New France, which included Michilimackinac (now Mackinac) and Florida.

In 1629, the British captured Quebec and all of New France, but was returned by treaty three years later. After the surrender of Canada in 1760 by Marquis de

Vaudreuil, the Province of Michilimackinac was transferred to Great Britain.

When the independence of the United States was recognized by Great Britain, the post of Michilimackinac became part of the republic. The first U. S. troops to occupy the island arrived in October, 1796.

The early days of Mackinac are dramatically recorded in "The Massacre of Old Fort Mackinac" by Raymond McCoy, of Bay City, Mich. The title of the book comes from the surprise attack June 2, 1763, by "the Chipways at which time Lieut. Jamet & Twenty more were kill'd & all the rest taken prisoners," according to a letter written by Capt. George Etherington, commander of the garrison, in a plea for help. Part of the old fort remains on the island.



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# VICTORY CONVENTION PROGRAM

## FRIDAY, AUG. 30

- 2-5—Supreme Council meeting.
- 5-10—Registration and filing of credentials for early arrivals.

## SATURDAY, AUG. 31

- 9-11:30—Registration and filing of credentials.
- 11:30-12:15—Opening session (President Hickman presiding).  
Invocation—(By National Chaplain, Dr. U. S. Gordon, Gainesville, Fla.)  
Pageant of welcome.  
Roll call.  
Approval of the minutes of the 1940 convention.
- 12:30-1:45—The Victory Luncheon.  
Introduction of National Officers and distinguished guests.
- 2—Second Convention session (President Hickman presiding).  
Report of the National President.  
"State of the Fraternity" (Roy D. Hickman, National President).  
Report of the National Vice-President (printed and distributed).  
Report of the National Secretary (printed and distributed).  
Report of the National Treasurer (printed and distributed).  
Report of the National Alumni Secretary (printed and distributed).  
Report of the District Presidents (printed and distributed).  
Purpose of the Convention—  
"Why Are We Here?" (Sidney J. Lanier, BΦ).  
Reading of Convention Committees.  
Filing of Recommendations for Convention Action.  
Convention Announcements.
- 4:30—Adjournment.
- 4:30-5:30—Tea Dance in the Tea Garden.
- 4:30-5:30—Golf (golf course adjoining the hotel).
- 7:30-8:30—Dinner for Convention Committees, Delegates and Officers (organization purposes)—Blue Room.
- 8:30-10—Smoker—Club Room (honoring the Honorary National Chaplain, Dr. Sumney).
- 10-1—Your evening of entertainment—  
Music and dancing in the Blue Room with Jerry Lloyd's orchestra.

## SUNDAY, SEPT. 1

- 11—Memorial Service—Casino (flags and decorations).
- 12:30—Dinner—Main dining room.
- 2—Third Convention Session (Vice-Pres. Roy Smith, presiding).  
Invocation.  
Roll call.  
Report of the Executive Secretary.  
Report of the Shield and Diamond

Endowment Fund Board of Trustees.

Report of the War Memorial Fund Board of Trustees.

Report of the Chapter House Loan Commission.

Filing of Recommendations for Convention Action (all recommendations for Convention Action must be turned in by the close of the Monday morning business session).

4—Adjournment.

4:30-5:30—Carriage ride over island (sightseeing).

6:30—Smorgasbord (in the garden by the pool).

8—Committee meetings.

Sunday night reserved for Convention Committee meetings as arranged.

8-10—Sacred concert—Lobby.

## MONDAY, SEPT. 2

7:30-8:30—Breakfast.

9—Fourth Convention Session (L. Brooks Ragen, National Treasurer, presiding).

Invocation.

Roll call.

9:30-10:30—Convention Committees Report—

Preliminary Report Constitution and Laws Committee.

Report Committee on Publicity and Publications.

Report Committee on Campus Activities.

10:30-12—Convention Conferences on Alumni Activities.

Report Committee on Alumni Activities (presiding, Nat'l Alumni Secretary, Col. F. H. Kohloss).

12:30-1:30—Luncheon by Districts—Blue Room.

## Convention Committees

Executive Convention Committee, Council and Executive Secretary.

Registration Committee, Robert Lynn.

Hotel Reservation Committee, Freeman H. Hart.

Credential Committee, Robert Lynn.

Reception Committee, Supreme Council Members.

Committee—Sergeant-at-Arms, to be appointed.

Transportation Committee, Roy D. Hickman.

Convention Treasurer, L. Brooks Regan.

Convention Secretary, K. D. Pulcifer.

Assistant Convention Secretary, Freeman H. Hart.

(Conduct District Caucuses to nominate alumni for District Presidents)

2—Fifth Convention Session (presiding, Nat'l Secretary K. D. Pulcifer).

Roll call.

Reports of Committees—

Report of Site Committees for Location of Nat'l Headquarters.

Report Committee on Rushing and Pledging.

Report Committee on Chapter Administration.

Report Committee on Ritualism and Insignia.

Report Committee on Jewelry.

Report Committee on Historical Records.

Report Committee on Pledge Training.

Announcements.

4:30—Adjournment.

4:30-5:30—Tea dance—Tea Garden.

4:30-5:30—Golf.

7:30—Victory Convention banquets honoring the veterans of World War II (Blue Room).

10:30—Victory Convention ball, honoring the Past and Present National Officers (Casino).

## TUESDAY, SEPT. 3

9—Sixth Convention Session (National Pres. Hickman presiding).

Roll call.

Invocation.

Session on Chapter Housing and Report of Committee on House Fund.

Reports of Convention Committees (Registrations).

Report of Committee on Chapter Finances.

Report of Committee on Chapter Meetings and Minutes.

12-1—Awards Luncheon (Blue Room).

1:30—Seventh Convention Session (National President Hickman presiding).

Roll call.

Reports of Committees.

Committee on Resolutions.

Report of Nominating Committee.

Installation of Officers.

3—Adjournment.

4:25—Carriages will be ready for departure of guests to Ferrys.

5—Meeting of the New Supreme Council.

Delegates traveling by train to the Deep South, Southwest, West and Pacific Coast depart via Ferry through Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati at 4:45 p. m.

Delegates traveling by train to the East and Southeast depart via Ferry through Detroit at 8 p. m.



# State of the Fraternity

*By Freeman H. Hart*

*Executive Secretary*

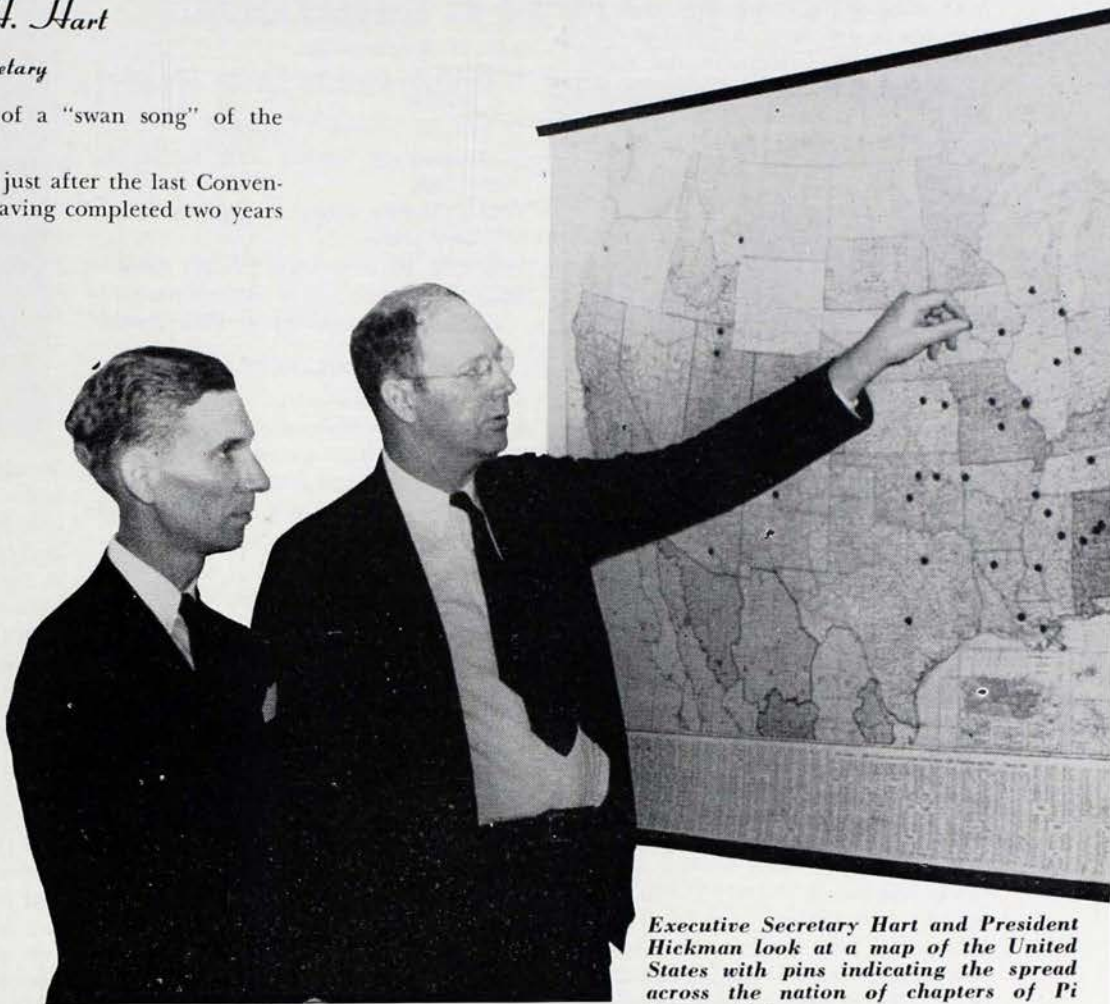
◆ This is something of a "swan song" of the present Executive Secretary.

I came to the National Office just after the last Convention, or in the fall of 1940, after having completed two years as National President, four years on the Supreme Council, and 16 years as National Historian. With no thought of continuing in the National Office beyond the war emergency, I had no way to know that the emergency would last six years. My curiosity was the same as that of hundreds of Pi Kappa Alphas concerning the workings of the National Office and the why and wherefore of its requirements for various reports and so on.

While my plan is very definite to go back to teaching in September, may I assure you that the last six years have been thrillingly interesting ones and my contacts in the Fraternity have meant a lot to me. These contacts have been pleasant in an overwhelmingly large percentage of cases and gratitude comes to me for the enrichment they have brought to my too meager philosophy of life. Even the disagreements with my policies at times have been challenging and for this reason these too have made my years in the National Office personally worthwhile.

The war years, of course, have been trying ones for all of us. However, the Pi Kappa Alpha chapters have been active for the most part and during these years we have again gotten back to the basic principles of friendship that were perhaps being crowded out too much in the years immediately preceding the war because of the "big noise" of large houses and large chapters, name bands, and "big time" campus achievements. While the latter things are not to be discredited in any sense, a real thrill has come to me personally from the small groups that have kept our various chapters going under trying conditions, frequently without houses and without very much of the social side of fraternity life. The charge of our oppositions that fraternities no longer exist for friendship's sake but instead for an over-emphasized functioning has been well answered during these war years of emphasis on friendship.

To the amazement of all of us Pi Kappa Alpha prospered during the war years. The reserve fund that we set up early in the war to take care of the critical years ahead has been untouched and Pi Kappa Alpha has lived each year on current income. By the end of this year, around June 30, the cash reserve in the General Fund of the Fraternity will reach about \$50,000 which is by far the largest that the Fraternity has ever had.



*Executive Secretary Hart and President Hickman look at a map of the United States with pins indicating the spread across the nation of chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha.*

One of the most gratifying things about the war years has been the Navy chapters in the Fraternity and this comes from an old Army man! We had 16 of these chapters and mostly in our best colleges and universities. Naval procurement officers and local school commandants generally gave every encouragement to fraternity activity and frequently expressed the idea that good fraternalism had a lot to do with making a good Navy officer.

Of course the Navy V-12 men as well as members of the Naval ROTC were carefully selected for the most part. When our chapters made their selections from these groups it usually meant good standards of membership. Great numbers of these men were later commissioned and honored both themselves and the Fraternity by commendable combat service on the seven seas. From the National Office angle it is also quite pleasant to remember the high percentage of cooperation on the part of these Navy chapters in the matter of reports and so on and it is perhaps the best record in the Fraternity's history.

After six years in the National Office I have found that one of the best barometers of a chapter's morale, and even of good scholarship and conduct generally, is a chapter's financial condition. During the session 1940-41 about 70 of our chapters were functioning in the red and all the way from several hundred dollars to upward of \$4,000. That pic-

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## State of Fraternity

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ture is now completely changed and we have only two or three chapters at most that are in any sense in the red. Now instead of 70 chapters in the red we have at least 70 chapters with sizable reserve funds extending all the way from several hundred dollars to high watermarks of \$12,500 and \$13,000 for two of our chapters. This financial improvement has of course come from greater emphasis on the part of chapters in keeping their financial houses in order and, of course, from the careful management furnished by interested alumni as independents or as members of house corporations.

Our chapter houses are in the best condition financially that they have ever been. At the beginning of the war we lost several houses on foreclosures but at the present time every one of our 41 houses has good equity, which of course means sound financial condition, and four of our houses are entirely paid for with two or three more nearly so.

The Chapter House Fund has reached an all-time high and the present \$65,000 cash reserve will probably be around \$70,000 by July 1.

The Shield and Diamond Endowment Fund as of Mar. 31, 1946, totalled about \$220,000 in cash and market value of stocks and bonds. Nearly \$5,000 will be added in life subscriptions for the quarter ending June 30 and this means, of course, the fund will likely reach a total of \$225,000 at the beginning of the new fiscal year, July 1.

While contributions continue to come in on the War Memorial Fund this fund has been lagging lately because of the very desperate need of a full-time director. Several interested brothers have been in line for this work in the last few months but have been diverted by more pressing calls in other fields. In spite of the fact that no concerted drive or effort has been made to raise the War Memorial Fund it has now reached about \$25,000 from around 600 contributors. More than half of these have been servicemen and the contributions extend from General Hodges who commanded the First Army to the foxholes of Germany and the South Seas and the crew hammocks of every sort of Navy craft.

Seventy-six of our 78 chapters are fully active and the two others are practically so with aggressively interested groups of actives and alumni all set to put them back on their feet on an even better than pre-war basis. Several of our long inactive chapters are being revived.

## Women's Program

### SATURDAY, AUG. 31

- 9-11:30—Registration.
- 11:30-12:15—Opening Session (all ladies invited).
- 12:30-1:45—Victory Luncheon.
- 2—Convention Session (all ladies invited).
- 4:30-5:30—Tea dance or golf for those who prefer.
- 7:30-8:30—Dinner—Main dining room.
- 10-1—Your evening of entertainment—Music and dancing in Blue Room.

### SUNDAY, SEPT. 1

- 11—Memorial Service.
- 12:30—Dinner—Main dining room.
- 2-4—Sun bathing, swimming, walk through Grand Hotel grounds.
- 4:30-5:30—Carriage ride over Island—sightseeing.
- 6:30—Smorgasbord.
- 8-10—Sacred concert—Hotel lobby.

### MONDAY, SEPT. 2

- 10-12—Visit to antique shops in village.
- 2:30-4:30—Bridge.
- 4:30-5:30—Tea dance.
- 7:30—Victory Convention banquet.
- 10:30—Victory Convention ball.

### TUESDAY, SEPT. 3

- 9-12—Swimming, hiking or visiting village.
- 2—Reserved for packing.
- 4:25—Carriages will be ready for departure of guests to Ferry.

Also, very definite movements are on foot to set up Pi Kappa Alpha chapters on new campuses.

From the much more important intangible angle of the Fraternity the situation is also good. Recent attacks on fraternities generally have caused Pi Kappa Alphas, and Pi Kappa Alpha chapters everywhere to take stock. It seems to me that we have returned to the fundamental ideals of good fraternalism more definitely in the last few years than for a long time.

Therefore we can come up to the National Convention at Mackinac Island with some large degree of satisfaction with the present state of the Fraternity, but let us hope with the determination that we will keep our chapters strong financially and from the standpoint of every kind of good morale. We should look forward toward preserving Pi Kappa Alpha's standing as one of the best college fraternities and we should be ready to listen to any program that will enrich the prospects for the Fraternity in the post-war years.

## Memphis Seeks War Memorial

◆ **INDORSEMENTS** of Memphis as the site for the Pi Kappa Alpha War Memorial are being sought by Alumnus Beta and Theta Chapter committee of which Robert H. Wright is chairman.

On Oct. 9 Wright wrote to every chapter concerning the site at Southwestern College as the location of the memorial and National Headquarters of the Fraternity.

"Our proposal that Memphis be selected as the site for the War Memorial is based on two main factors," Wright said. "First, the geographical location of Memphis makes it a logical site. Second, Theta chapter has a background rich in tradition, not the least important fact in connection being that Theta is the oldest chapter in the Fraternity from the point of continuous operation. During the early life of the Fraternity, Theta assumed the duties of the Mother Chapter and literally kept alive the spark from which the present Fraternity has grown.

"In seeking to bring the War Memorial to Memphis, the IKA's of the city and the immediate vicinity are not motivated by any selfish desires. We feel that inasmuch as the building will house the National Offices of the Fraternity, and will be the focal point for all the Fraternity's business, Memphis is best suited to serve the greatest number of our members."

Copies of letters from Mayor Walter Chandler, President Charles E. Diehl of Southwestern, and President Edmund Orgill of the Chamber of Commerce, inviting the Fraternity to locate in Memphis, are included. Also the committee is circulating a 144-page booklet of pictures of Memphis.

Formal presentation of the Memphis proposal will be made at the Victory Convention.

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◆ **ROBERT U. WOODS, B.** has been elected president of the North American Assurance Society of Richmond, Va.

One of the original founders of the society in 1937, Mr. Woods served as vice president until 1940, when he became executive vice president.

The company specializes in hospitalization, surgical and noncancellable insurance.





CONGRESSMAN ROBERTSON

◆ HIGH HONOR came to Rep. A. Willis Robertson, O, of Virginia, last month with the announcement of his selection by *Field and Stream* magazine to receive that publication's annual award for the "outstanding conservation accomplishment in 1945."

Commenting editorially, the *Washington Evening Star* said Robertson's selection "brings well-deserved recognition to a man who has played a prominent and effective part in the continuing struggle

## Robertson Wins

# CONSERVATION AWARD

to conserve this country's fish, game and other natural resources."

Continued the *Star*:

"Mr. Robertson is one of that company of sportsmen whose skill with rod and gun is matched by their persistent and effective efforts to prevent thoughtless, wasteful depletion of our wildlife resources. As a member of the Virginia State Senate in 1916 he sponsored the bill which set up that state's Game Department and warden force. Ten years later he was appointed chairman of the Virginia Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, serving in that post until elected to the House in 1932.

"After coming to Congress he introduced a resolution creating the House elect Committee on Conservation of Wildlife Resources, and has served continuously as its chairman. Later he helped to draft the Duck Stamp Act and the Co-ordination Act of 1934. Mr. Robertson also is well known as co-sponsor of the Pittman-Robertson Grants-in-Aid to States Act, which is financed, so far as the federal contribution is concerned, by an amendment which he had



*Here is the beautiful trophy awarded to Congressman Robertson by Field and Stream for his activities in conservation.*

inserted in the Internal Revenue Act levying a 10 per cent excise tax on guns and ammunition, thereby requiring all hunters to contribute something to the cost of conservation.

"Since entering Congress, Mr. Robertson has devoted much, if not most, of his time to his work as a member of the important Ways and Means Committee. As the *Field and Stream* award testifies, however, he has found, and will continue to find, time for his conservation activities, the real importance of which generally is not appreciated."

## Material You Will Need At Convention

◆ THE following memorandum has been sent to all SMC's and delegates to the Victory Convention by Executive Secretary Freeman H. Hart:

A number of you have inquired as to the material to be taken to the National Convention by each chapter. As you will note from your Constitution, page 32, section 14, chapter II of the Laws and page 42, paragraph 5, section 5, chapter XIII of the Laws of the Fraternity it is necessary that you take to the Convention the following books:

1. Minute book
2. Historical Record Book
3. Roll Book
4. Financial Books

The Minute Book should have the minutes since the last Convention; the Historical Book should have the history since the last Convention and perhaps from the beginning of keeping historical records year by year; the Roll Book

should be the current one for those chapters that have had more than one; and the Financial Books should be for



*Here's Bill Bales, I, Hampden-Sydney's all-state basketball star in Virginia collegiate competition last season. Bill was high scorer in the state, and 15th in the nation's point-making parade.*

at least the last college session, or for the session 1945-46. Since the Constitution requires all books to be audited and the report in by Aug. 1 the Audit Report should accompany the Financial Books, of course.

I am sure that all chapters will use every care to see that the books are not lost in transit to or from the Convention. To prevent this I suggest that the books be sent by insured express, or insured mail, to the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Mich., and addressed to National President Roy D. Hickman so that they will arrive at the hotel between the 25th and 30th of August. The books should perhaps be returned to the chapters on the same basis. Please note that the method of transporting the books is a suggestion and not a requirement. It is required by the Constitution that the books be presented at the Convention and a special National Committee is set up to examine each set of books and this is done with some degree of care.





INSLEE M. JOHNSON

## Johnson Named District President

◆ AN ACTIVE member of the Atlanta Alumni Chapter of IKA, Inslee M. Johnson, AM, has been named president of District 6-A. His duties began May 23.

The new president, a well-known lawyer, was born in Alma, Ga., Oct. 28, 1911, and was graduated from the University of Georgia with an LL.B. degree in 1935. He was one of the charter members in petitioning for a revival of the old Alpha-Mu charter.

Johnson was house manager in 1933-34, and SMC in his senior year. He served on the Interfraternity Council from 1933 through 1935, and helped organize the University of Georgia chapter of ODK.

After graduation, Johnson practiced law in Alma until 1943, serving as city attorney the last three years there. On June 1, 1943, he accepted an appointment to the American Red Cross as field director, and went overseas in February of 1944. He served in the ETO for 18 months, returning to the states the day before V-J day. His outfit, the 409th Bombardment Group, served in close support of the famous Third Army, and earned six battle stars. He served a total of 28 months in the Red Cross, being released from service Sept. 4, 1945.

Upon his release, he re-entered the law practice in Atlanta, being associated with Ezra E. Phillips.

In 1938, he was married to Anne Tittle.

## LeMire Selected For U.S. Judgeship

◆ A FORMER athletic coach, later an attorney and political figure in Kansas City, has been nominated by President Truman to be judge of the tax court of the United States.

He is Clarence P. LeMire, AN, who will serve a 12-year term at the post. He succeeds Judge Charles P. Smith, who has moved to another government assignment.

"Cap" LeMire has practiced law in Kansas City for 26 years, many of which he has personally known President Truman. Long a specialist of tax matters in his practice, "Cap" was suggested to the President by friends.

A special assistant state attorney general on franchise and inheritance taxes, LeMire was born in Martinsville, Mo. He attended the University of Missouri law school, and was captain of the 1912 football team. The nickname "Cap" has followed him since.

Following his days at the university, LeMire went to Fulton to begin his practice. While building his practice, he coached football, baseball and track at Westminster College. Among his football players there were John C. Collet, judge of the U. S. District Court in Kansas City, and Brig. Gen. Harry Vaughan, military aide to the President.

He has served as assistant attorney general of Missouri, and as a member of the state House of Representatives.

LeMire is 60 years old, married, and has one daughter, Mrs. Margaret E. Ashburn.

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## REYNOLDS GIVEN HIGH MASONIC DEGREE

◆ JAMES C. REYNOLDS, BB, of Sheridan, Wash., has been given the highest rank in Masonry—the thirty-third degree. This was announced by the southern jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite. He had been named Knight Commander of the Court of Honor in 1941.

He is president of the Sheridan Scottish Rite Club, a past potentate of Kalif Temple, of the Shrine, past commander of the Knights Templar commandery, past high priest of the Royal Arch chapter and senior deacon of the Sheridan blue lodge.



ROBERT H. NEPTUNE

## Neptune Heads District 14-a

◆ ROBERT H. NEPTUNE, BO, Bartlesville, Okla., attorney, has been named president of District 14a by the Supreme Council to replace Dr. Oliver Hodge, who has resigned because of the press of other duties.

The new district president served over five years in the Army, and boasts a most outstanding combat record.

He was called to military service in 1940, and served two and a half years overseas with the famous 82nd Airborne Division in Africa, Sicily, Italy, England, France, Germany, Belgium and Holland. After the Holland invasion in the Nijmegen-Arnhem sector, he was promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel and made commander of a parachute battalion.

Colonel Neptune was awarded seven major campaign participation stars, the Bronze Star Medal, and the invasion arrowhead.

Neptune was graduated from the law school at the University of Oklahoma in 1937. He was initiated into IKA in 1933 at Beta-Omicron chapter, and served as house manager and SMC from 1934-1937.

Following his graduation, he was appointed legal assistant to the Oklahoma Supreme Court in 1937. He was elected county attorney of Washington County, Oklahoma, in 1938 and in 1940.

After his release from the service in January, 1946, Colonel Neptune returned to his law practice in Bartlesville.





*Pi Kappa Alpha members of Pennsylvania's Mask and Wig club and alumni who arranged for the show at Hartford, Conn., are, standing*

*from left, Norman C. Heuss, Russell W. Krantz, Jr., William H. Breeden, Wilbur S. Pratt, president of University of Pennsylvania alumni at Hartford; Clyde W. Ful-*

*ler, treasurer of the Hartford alumni group; Douglas Durant, Jr. Seated are John F. Mulcahey and Edward S. Hoffman.*

## IIKA's Predominate Mask and Wig Show

◆ PI KAPPA ALPHA, both in the undergraduate show and in the sponsoring alumni group, predominated in the appearance Mar. 5 of the University of Pennsylvania Mask and Wig Club's 58th annual production, "John Paul Jones," at Bushnell Memorial, Hartford, Conn.

This year's show included seven Pi Kappa Alphas, the largest representation from any fraternity on the University of Pennsylvania campus.

Edward S. Hoffman capably enacted the leading role of John Paul Jones. Russell W. Krantz, Jr., "a ravishing brunette," went over big with the Hartford audience as Paris Greene. John F. Mul-

cahey, Jr., took the part of Lady Bessborough-Bottomley. William H. Breeden and Norman C. Henss were members of the Glee Chorus, and Douglas Durant, Jr., and Charles A. Gillis were on the managerial staff.

Heading up the University of Pennsylvania Alumni Club of Hartford is President Wilbur S. Pratt, BII, '30. The treasurer of the group is Clyde W. Fuller, BII, '31. The former was general chairman of Mask and Wig committees this year while the latter was chairman of the Financial Committee.

The lively and colorful show was enthusiastically received by 3,400 Hartfordites who filled beautiful Bushnell

Memorial to capacity. Most of Penn's more than 300 alumni in this area were on hand to welcome the show.

Mask and Wig Club is one of the leading college dramatic societies. For 58 years this organization has been producing musical comedies that vie with the best of Broadway productions. Making the Mask and Wig show at Pennsylvania is as important to undergraduates as making the top athletic teams. Prior to the war the club made an extensive tour each year going as far west as Chicago. Productions for the years 1936 to 1941 were brought to Hartford and then wartime travel cur-

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Here is the Pi Kappa Alpha wing of the University of Miami's Fraternity Village at Coral Gables, Fla. The chapter hopes to have its own house by next year.

## 1946 Is IKA Year At Miami

### Gamma-Omega Wins

### 6 of 8 Cups Offered

By CHARLIE FRANKLIN  
Gamma-Omega Chapter

◆ GAMMA-OMEGA was chartered on May 7, 1940, as Pi Kappa Alpha's 80th chapter. Thirty-four active members and 26 alumni of the oldest local on the University of Miami campus were initiated as charter members.

From the beginning, Pi Kappa Alpha has been an outstanding fraternity at the University of Miami and has ranked high in all activities. The chapter had its trying days during the war, as did all fraternities, but through the hard work and spirit of the few members remaining in school it weathered those difficulties.

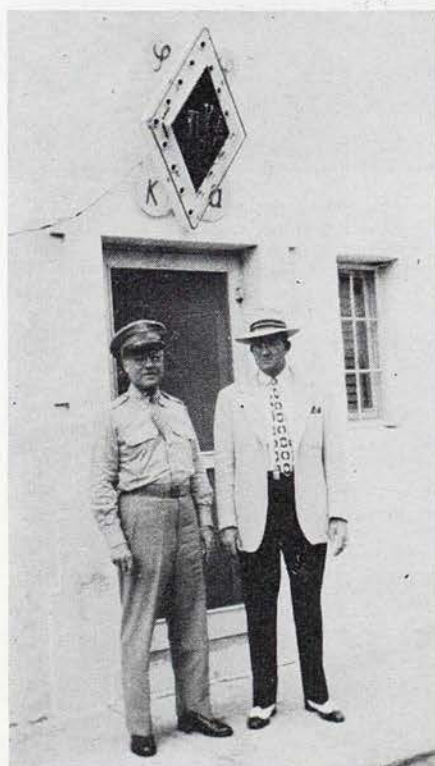
Gamma-Omega started the past school year with only 12 actives, but at mid-semester had built up to 30 members. The return of 15 ex-servicemen in February and the initiation in May of the largest and best pledge class in history increased the chapter's membership to 65 at the end of the year.

And it was really a Pi Kappa Alpha year on the Miami U campus. The first semester saw Frank Coury named to

*Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities* and Bill "Bulldog" Frantz elected co-captain of the football team for next year. Three IKA's—Joe Krull, Bob Bowman and Frantz—were in the starting lineup in the Orange Bowl game against Holy Cross on New Year's Day. Krull scored the first touchdown in the thrill-packed game, which was won by Miami, 13 to 6. Other IKA's who saw lots of action in the Bowl and in the regular season games were Gene Hancock, Keith Doyle, Ed Moyer, Pug Pinckney, Phil Sistik and Frank Coury. Frantz was also honored by being named an All-State tackle and received honorable mention for the Little All-American team at the close of the football season.

Pi Kappa Alpha won six out of the eight cups awarded to fraternities during the year, and finished in second place in the other two events—touch football and the annual songfest. It won the basketball, softball and track-and-field championships; came in first in the annual pushmobile race; and was presented the Interfraternity Council

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Col. K. D. Pulcifer, National Secretary, and Fletcher Proctor, District President for Florida, stand in front of the Miami chapter lodge door.



## 1946 Is IKA Year

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trophy at the end of the year. A cup for collecting the most money in the campus-wide charities drive climaxed the chapter's varied accomplishments.

The prize IKA pledge class contributed its share to the year's success by giving, for the first time for any fraternity, a party in honor of all sorority pledges on the campus. A sterling silver loving cup was presented to the sorority having the best pledge. This will be an annual affair hereafter.

Gamma-Omega's annual Dream Girl dance and Founders' Day banquet was held in the ballroom and tropical terrace of the beautiful McFadden-Deauville hotel on Miami Beach. Dr. Freeman H. Hart, national executive secretary of the fraternity, was guest of honor. Peggy O'Brien, lovely Chi Omega, was presented as Dream Girl of IKA to a crowd of 700 who attended the enjoyable dance.

The student government elections saw Charlie Franklin elected president of the student body for next year by the largest margin in campus political history. Pi Kappa Alpha's winning offices in the class elections were Pat McGhan, who was named vice-president of the senior class, and Norman Ashe, who was elected to the Student Senate by the juniors.

Another highlight of the year was the first annual Mother's Day tea, given by the chapter for the mothers and wives of all Pi Kappa Alpha actives, pledges and alumni in Miami.

The chapter published a popular weekly newspaper called *Pike Peeks*.

All fraternities at Miami presently rent wings in the University Fraternity Village, but Gamma-Omega is completing plans to build a house when the college moves to its new campus.

Of the total 250 members who have been initiated by Gamma-Omega since 1940, over three-fourths were in the service. Four made the supreme sacrifice, and in their memory the chapter this year established the Pi Kappa Alpha World War II Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship to the University of Miami will be awarded annually to an outstanding graduate of a Miami high school.

Backed by a strong, active Miami alumni chapter headed by President Frank Kerdyk, Gamma-Omega looks forward to an even better year in 1946-47!



Here is pretty Jean Baucum, of Haynesville, La., who was chosen

"Dream Girl" for Eta chapter at the chapter's formal, January 26.

## Eta Second In Pledges

### Pike Breeze Keeps

### Alumni Hep To Actives

By L. H. BENGSTON  
Eta Chapter

◆ THE FOLLOWING officers were elected and appointed to lead the chapter the second semester: Ralph Gaines, SMC; Coultas Pears, IMC; Paul Reeves, SC; Emmet Wroten, ThC; L. H. Bengston, MS; Nick Saigh, MC, and Dean Pfeiffer, historian.

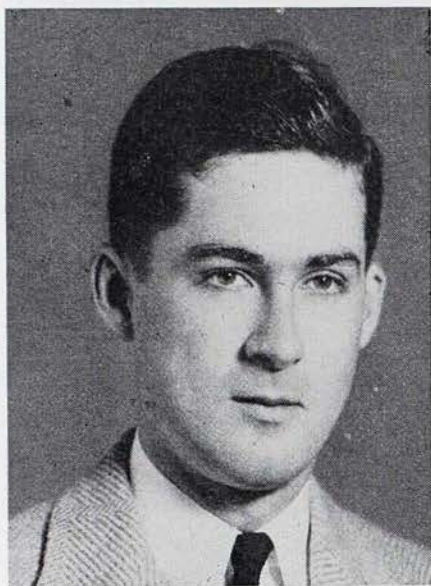
Many IKA's are to be found in key positions in the governing bodies of the school and other campus activities. Among these are: John Russell Benson, president of Tau Beta Pi (honorary en-

gineering fraternity) and president of the senior class in engineering and engineering student body; Jack Hinrichs, editor of *Techni-Torque* and member of Tau Beta Pi; Walter Able, vice-president of the engineering college; Ralph Gaines, president of Lagniappes (student dance organization) and secretary of APO; Tom Harrah, leader of "The Tulanians" (school swing band); Don Ryder, treasurer of APO; Dean Pfeiffer, president of junior class of arts and sciences, and president of Greenbackers;

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# Wake Forest Student Body Chooses Behrends President



**SAM BEHREND**

◆ **SAM BEHREND**, ΓΦ, emerged victorious in the election for president of the student body of Wake Forest College held in April. He headed a slate of fraternity candidates, all of whom were elected.

Behrends, recently returned to the campus following nearly three years service with the Army Air Forces, was active in campus affairs during the five

semesters he spent at Wake Forest prior to his military career. While with the Army, Behrends flew 32 missions as a navigator in B-24's of the Fifteenth Air Force. He was awarded the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Active in journalistic and forensic activities, Behrends is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa and Pi Kappa Delta. Next year he will also serve as SMC of Gamma-Phi. Behrends is from Wilmington, N. C.

In addition, Carroll Worthington, ΓΦ, was elected to the student council in the same election. Next year he will also serve as treasurer of the Pan-Hellenic Council.

Gamma-Phi emerged second in the annual Wake Forest community sing. This was the chapter's first participation in the event. The chorus of 15, directed by Milton Marney, ΓΦ, sang three songs, "Tell Me Why," "When Day Is Done," and "Temptation," a Latin-American rhythm.

The chapter added a new trophy to its honor this year, winning first place in the inter-fraternity basketball league and second place on the campus. The team defeated all the fraternities, losing only to the Ruptured Ducks, a veterans' team.



**CHARLIE FRANKLIN**

## Miami U Selects Charlie Franklin In Record Vote

◆ A IKA will lead the University of Miami student body next year.

He is Charlie Franklin, ΓΩ, recently elected president of the Student Association—and in winning, the popular IKA received more votes than any other candidate in campus political history. He polled 671 votes—428 more than his nearest opponent.

A native of Nashville, Tenn., Franklin attended the University from 1937 to 1940 and was a charter member of Gamma-Omega. He returned to school in February after five years of military service.

In pre-Army days, Franklin was editor of the student newspaper and class president for three years. He was also manager of the Hurricane tennis team and sports editor of the yearbook, among other activities.

Since returning to college, he has served as chairman of the Junior Prom; is editor of *Pike Peeks*, the chapter's weekly newspaper; and has established the Pi Kappa Alpha World War II Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship to the University of Miami will be awarded annually by Gamma-Omega to an outstanding graduate of a Miami high school, and is dedicated to the four members of the chapter who made the supreme sacrifice in the war.

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◆ **THE OCT. 20** ISSUE of *The Saturday Evening Post* featured an article illustrated with color photographs of Senator Wayne Morse, BΞ, as a horseman.

## Eta Second In Pledges

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Harry Smith, secretary-treasurer of senior class in engineering and student body in engineering and ASME.

Eta chapter was second among fraternities on the campus in the number of men pledged during the past year.

Close contact is kept by the active chapter with the alumni in all parts of the country through a newsletter called the *Pike Breeze*. It is a six-page paper put out by the active chapter with the managing editor, Harry Garrett, being assisted by associate editors Gene Moore, Paul Reeves, Nick Saigh, and L. H. Bengston.

Eta chapter's softball team was recognized as one of the finest softball teams in Tulane's history. They scored at will on their first three opponents, but fate was against them in the finals. For the first time the IKA bats were silent and the Betas edged out a 3-2 win in 11 innings in one of the weirdest softball

games ever played.

Our athletes were found to be adept at other sports also with the swimming, basketball, and football teams showing up well against some really tough opposition and the bridge team getting second in the bridge tournament.

If present plans of Tulane's Alumni Association go through, our main handicap will soon be eliminated. They are planning a corporation, which will be formed by the members of the Association, and whose sole purpose will be the purchase of a house for our chapter. The Alumni will purchase the house and monthly installments will be paid to them by the chapter until it is completely paid for and then it will become the property of the active chapter. Because Eta has more than held her own among fraternities on the campus without a house the house should help us to do even better in the future.



# Omega Chapter On Upswing

By JAMES M. DONOVAN, JR.

## Omega Chapter

◆ OMEGA chapter is definitely on the upswing these days and although we were inactive during the war, much progress has been made in the fall and winter quarters. Our membership is approaching the University maximum allowable number, 50 actives and pledges; a chapter house association has been formed for the purchase of a new chapter house by fall if possible, and IKA's are serving in positions of leadership throughout the campus.

Brother "Howdie" Stephenson, former SMC, is now serving as president of the Student Government Association; Tom Duncan has been appointed news editor of the *Kentucky Kernel*, student newspaper, and Tom Gish will serve as editor of the *Kentuckian*, yearbook, next year. In addition, IKA's are serving as secretary of the Interfraternity Council, president of the Philosophy club, treasurer of Phalanx, Honorary, and president and vice-president of the band. A IKA is president of the YMCA, and two IKA's were elected representatives to the Student Government Association.

Our big social event of the year was the annual Dream Girl Dance held in the Bluegrass room of the Student Union Building. Charming and beautiful Ruth Damron, ΔZ, was named Dream Girl and presented with a pin by the chapter after a Grand March by all candidates. Charlie Burton, SMC, presented the pin.

In addition, we had two parties on the Kentucky river during the spring quarter, and are planning another for the early part of the summer.

Omega chapter will remain active during the summer with more than half its total members in school.

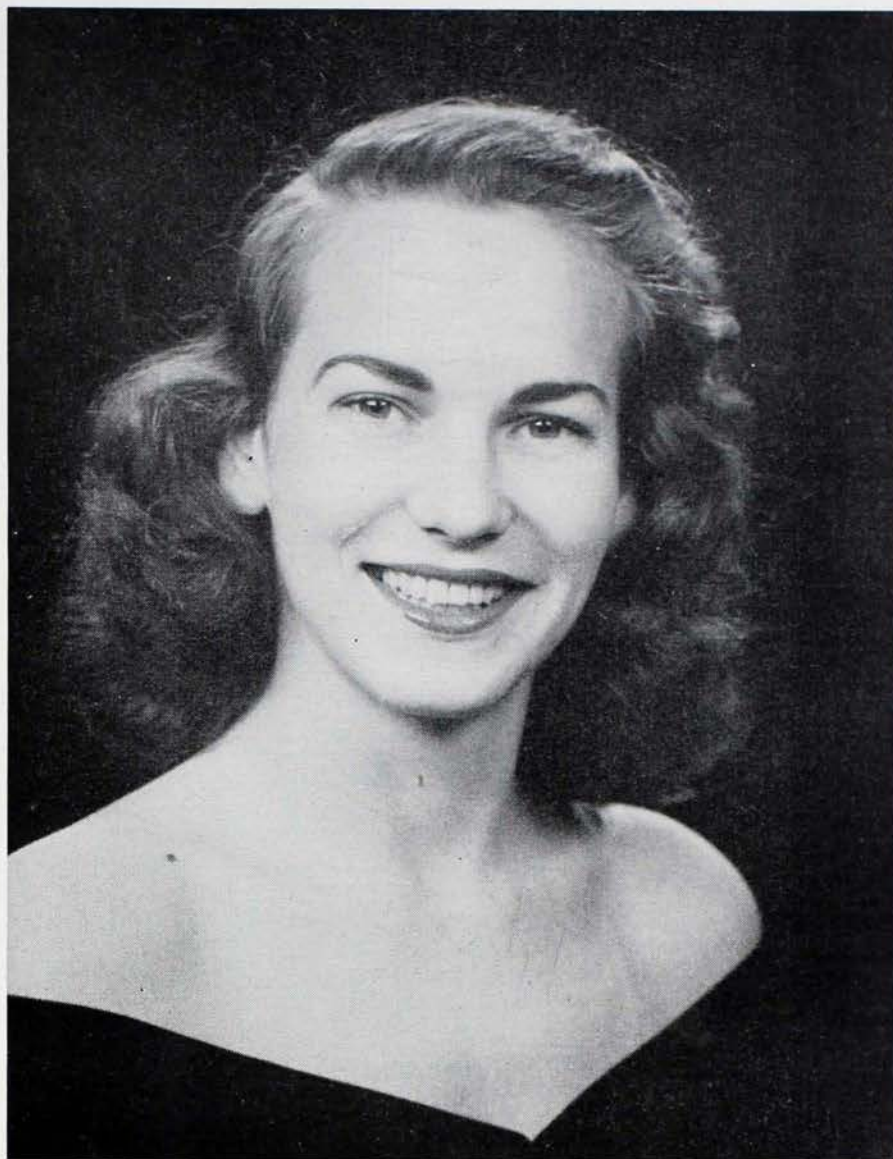
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## IKA's Predominate

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tailment prevented further trips until this year when Hartford was selected for the only distant appearance outside of the Philadelphia area.

Pi Kappa Alpha undergraduates with the show and Wilbur S. Pratt and Clyde W. Fuller of Hartford met at the Mask and Wig After Show Party held at the Hartford Club for the 60 members of the cast and 500 guests.



Pat Haas, Kappa Delta, is the "Dream Girl" of Gamma-Upsilon Chapter at Tulsa.

## IKA Teams 1st and 2nd

◆ SOMETHING new in intramural athletics at the University of Tulsa developed this spring when IKA met IKA for the interfraternity softball title.

Only fraternity on the campus to enter two teams was IKA, and the No. 2 team defeated the No. 1 team for the championship, 5 to 3. L. R. King hurled six-hit ball for the winners, while Bob Smith gave up only two more for the losers.

In intramural basketball, Gamma-Upsilon finished second, losing in the semi-finals to a fast Alpha Tau Omega team.

On May 13, the chapter added another cup to its collection by capturing the annual "Singfony." The chapter sang "Down in Old Virginny" and a university song. Sorority winner was Chi Omega.

At the spring formal dinner dance May 10 at Indian Hills Country Club, the chapter crowned Pat Haas "Dream Girl of 1946." Miss Haas is a Kappa Delta, and the personal dream girl of Brother Kenny Butterworth. She also was elected football queen last fall.

Jim Crankshaw has been initiated into Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary journalism fraternity.



# District 6-A Holds First Post-war Convention

◆ CHAPTERS of District 6-A held their first post-war convention in Atlanta, Ga., May 24, with Beta-Kappa as the host chapter, and with delegates from Alpha-Delta, Alpha-Mu and Beta-Kappa in attendance. Presiding over the convention was Inslee M. Johnson, district president.

Speaking on the prospects for District 6-A, Johnson expressed the hope that he and the active chapters working together could make it one of the best districts in the fraternity. He emphasized the need for "quality, not quantity" in pledging.

Outstanding action taken by the delegates during the session was a resolution to be presented to the National Convention at Mackinac Island, Mich., Aug. 31-Sept. 3. This resolution would amend Section 2 of Article II of the Constitution to provide that the respective chapters be empowered to consider application by members who wish to become inactive, and that the chapters be authorized to grant inactive status to a man by two-thirds vote of the chapter membership.

In a general discussion which preceded the action, representatives pointed out that many brothers—mostly re-

turned servicemen—are unable to become active members due to their "inability to live on or near the campus, because of family responsibilities, and for other reasons brought about by the war."

Dr. Freeman H. Hart, executive secretary, a visitor at the convention, admitted that "there are some hardship cases," and expressed the hope that a "satisfactory solution" could be found without permitting "promiscuous inactivity."

As the Constitution now reads, all members must be active unless they have received degrees or have been actives for four years including the year of pledging.

The chapters discussed chapter operation and kitchen management, with emphasis on accurate record keeping, collection from members in advance, and care in buying and preparing food.

Another topic of discussion was house corporation relations. Beta-Kappa "rents" its house from the Beta-Kappa House Corporation, while Alpha-Delta rents from private owners, and is now starting a house fund among alumni. Alpha-Mu's lease on its house expires Dec. 15, 1946, but the chapter expects

to be able to renew the lease. The chapter, however, has reserved a lot on the University of Georgia fraternity row, as has Alpha-Delta at Georgia Tech.

Rushing and pledge training were discussed by Ben Parks, AM, while Harold Hughes, AA, proposed that the official recognition pin be the three small, gold, capital Greek letters ΠΚΑ, according to a design and size determined by the Supreme Council. This resolution was unanimously passed, and will be presented at the National Convention.

The inspection of chapter books revealed some delinquencies, especially in minutes and history. Two chapters had no history books, and some of the minutes were not typewritten.

Chapters were urged to obtain any material needed from National Headquarters, so that the delinquencies could be corrected.

Official delegates to the convention were Harold Hughes and James Reed, Alpha-Delta; Erwin Wall and Lee Jenkins, Alpha-Mu, and Clarence Lorentzson and Waring Milam, who served as secretary, both of Beta-Kappa. In addition to Doctor Hart from the national office, Robert D. Lynn, assistant executive secretary, was in attendance.

## Servicemen Welcomed Back By Alpha-Kappa Chapter

◆ ALPHA-KAPPA is happy to welcome back to the house a number of Pi Kaps who have returned from the service to complete their educations.

Among those present are Wayne Gollub, who served with the Marines in the Pacific; John King, ex-engineer in the ETO; Robert Phillips, naval aviation; Harry Kuhn, AAF; Frank Shofro, Navy, and Wilbur Owen, AAF.

A number of others have contacted the chapter with the good word that they intend to return.

In view of the acute housing shortage, the chapter has decided to partition off the game room to provide study rooms for 14 men. The chapter has secured some surplus beds, which will enable 44 men to sleep in the dormitory, and six will sleep in the present guest room.

New Alpha-Kappa pledges include Richard Sartorius, Robert Rutledge, Stanley Johnsen, Norman Schmid, Stanley Stone, Ward Horton, Richard Huf-

fer, Harry Adamson, John Ratcliff, Irvin Propst, Charlmarr Tess, Robert Fritze and Louie Moore.

The chapter took first place in the annual St. Pat's parade with a float consisting of green and white paper napkins forming a large shamrock.

Stanley F. Johnsen has been selected the outstanding pledge of the chapter. The selection was based on scholastic standing and campus activities.

A memorial plaque will be erected in memory of the members who gave their lives in World War II. It will be placed in the hall where it will be seen by all entering the house, and will bear these names: Orvid J. Hortman, James Kiskack and Robert Helver.

Recent visitor to the house was A. S. (Bromo) Seltzer, a charter member and class of '07. Another welcome guest was Brother Lynn, traveling secretary of IKA.

The activities of the members are as follows:

Wayne Gollub—IMC for the chapter, Interfraternity Council.

Wilbur Owen—SMC.

Bernard Enfield—Cadet major in the ROTC, Miner staff.

\* William Hill—M club.

John King—Star distance man for track team, MSM band.

Harry Kuhn—Miner board.

Pierre Aubuchon—St. Pat's board.

Donavan Schultz—M club.

Richard Davis—MSM band, Miner staff.

Richard Salisbury—Miner board, Student Asst. Athletic Dept.

Frank Shofro—AIME, M club.

William Brown—MC for the chapter.

Robert Phillips—AIME.



# Sturdy 6 Revive Alpha-Mu Chapter

By ROGER L. SIMMONS and  
RICHARD H. PIPES

♦ It was back in September of 1945 that six members of Alpha-Mu chapter returned to the University of Georgia campus and determined to reactivate the chapter. During the war, the local "Pikes" had chosen to disband for the duration due to the fact that so many of their number were being inducted into the armed forces.

The original six members of the reactivated chapter are Jennings Head, Lee Jerkins, Denton Johnson, Bob Jones, Walter Rushin and Miles Sheffer. Rushing and pledging were very successful and there were soon three more new wearers of the IKA pledge button. Pledging continued during the winter quarter and at the end of this session, the chapter roll was more than doubled.

Largely through the efforts of Brothers Head and Jerkins, a new chapter house was obtained. It was at 1190 South Milledge Avenue. The chapter was fortunate in getting the services of Mrs. Oscar Abney, neighbor and IKA mother, as house mother. In the yearbook beauty review Miss Mary Cline, ΔΔΔ, sponsored Pi Kappa Alpha and placed fourth in the finals.

The chapter was able to enter a team in the interfraternity basketball league. After getting off to a slow start, the Alpha-Mu cagers roared along the comeback trail, and ended up the season with an impressive string of victories. Players included Braswell Deen, Jack Tyson, Tommy Campbell, Jimmy St. John, McKie Trotter, Wallace Wilkins.

With the coming of spring the chapter turned its efforts to softball and volleyball. The end of the volleyball season found the team in second place, with only one game lost.

During this period there were several "pinnings" and appropriate ceremonies honored the wearers of the IKA badge. They included Miss Jane Cheek, KΔ, and Lee Jerkins; Miss Ann Elliott, ΦM, and George Hulme; Miss Mary Hunt Williams, ΔΔΔ, and Erwin Wall; James Storey and Lazelle Anderson, ΑΓΔ; and Dick Pipes and Janet Fortson, ΦM.

The highlight of the chapter's social calendar was the buffet supper of May 25, at which time Miss Carol McDaniel, Jacksonville, Fla., member of ΔΔΔ, was



*Miss Carol McDaniel, Delta Delta Delta, of Jacksonville, Florida, is the 1946 "Dream Girl" of Alpha-Mu. Carol was presented at a buffet supper on May 25. She is a*

*member of Thalian, Blackbriars, Women's Athletic Association, and secretary of Tri Delta. A junior in the School of Business Administration.*

presented as "Dream Girl." She was given a bouquet of mixed flowers by Miss Mary Cline, chapter sponsor.

Other events on the social calendar included a very successful house dance honoring new pledges and including as guests co-eds who had attended the chapter's spring quarter rush parties. Following the dance a party of approximately 50 left for the mountains for the annual spring house party at the Lakemont Resort.

Members of Alpha-Mu have taken an active part in the extra-curricular activities on the campus. Brother Jennings Head was initiated into Gridiron, exclusive secret society. Erwin Wall and Lee Jerkins were elected to Alpha Kappa Psi, commerce society; and Roger Simmons was pledged to Alpha Phi Omega, national service society, and

Sigma Delta Chi (journalism). Dick Pipes plans to join the staff of the *Red and Black*, campus weekly, and Wallace Wilkins was elected cheer leader.

On Apr. 18 the Alpha Chi Omega sorority held its annual Olympics, at which time pledge Emory Connell was chosen by the women as their Apollo. This honor is accorded to the man on the campus with the best looks, character and personality. Connell was presented with a trophy, which he in turn gave to the fraternity.

New officers who will serve for 1946 are Erwin Wall, Atlanta, SMC; Ben Parks, Waycross, IMC; Dewey Henry, Cordele, SC; Lee Jerkins, LaGrange, ThC; Dick Pipes, Roanoke, Va., MS; Roger Simmons, Macon, historian, and George Telford, Cleveland, rush chairman.



# Gamma-Kappa SMC Chosen In "Big 10"

By JOHN M. FRANKOVICH

## Gamma-Kappa Chapter

◆ GENE WILDE, past SMC of Gamma-Kappa, has been our outstanding member this last quarter, being chosen as one of the "Big Ten" of the senior class, a member of the collegiate "Who's Who," and our choice as a candidate for "King of the Hill" for the annual Pi Beta Phi spring derby.

Brothers Don Wold, Dan Mizner, and George Seel were the three graduating seniors from this chapter this spring. All were active in the chapter while in school.

Brother Tom Balzhiser, '42, visited the chapter the latter part of May and presented us with plans that he drew up for the proposed house which we hope to build in the future.

Brothers Wes Lea, Jim Schultz, Buell Burch and Don Thorsen were among those who have visited us in the past few months after being discharged from the service. We hope to have them back with us when school starts next fall. The summer session which begins June 10 will find Brothers Ken Humphreys, Tom Ryan, Ray Alkire, and John Frankovich in attendance.

The annual spring party was again held at Karst Camp in the Gallatin Canyon. It was, as usual, a very enjoyable event and a very pleasant way to bring another school year to a close.

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Miss Dorothy King, AΦ, 1946  
Dream Girl of Alpha-Nu, with

Richard Johnson, SMC, left, and  
her escort, Robert Mall.

# Alpha-Nu Looks To Prosperous Era

By WILLIAM B. GRAY

## Alpha-Nu Chapter

◆ THE close of the spring semester here on the Missouri campus finds Alpha-Nu looking forward to the greatest years in its history. With the return of its brothers from the service and the initiation of new men, the chapter roster has swelled to a total of 44 actives, and in view of the increased number of men who desire to make their education a full time proposition, the chapter has decided to keep the house open throughout the summer.

Campus activities have come into the limelight for Alpha-Nu, with its men in key positions. George Giessow, former president of Delta Sigma Pi, was elected

"most desirable boss" of the business school. Jim Ford, Jim Owen and Bill Stewart are members of Delta Sigma Pi, also. Roy Brock was elected national president of Kappa Alpha Mu, national photography society. Bob Woltering and Bill Gray took vice president and secretary respectively in Alpha Delta Sigma, national professional advertising order. Frank Lewis and Frank Hash are members of that organization. Ted Weegar is editor of the Missouri *Show-me*, campus humor magazine. Dick Miller is president of YMCA and Jim Dietz heads Phi Eta Sigma, freshman honorary.

Elections for the fall semester of 1946 gave SMC to Richard Johnson, succeeding Frank Lewis. Other officers elected were: IMC, George Denton; ThC, Frank Hash; and Historian, Al Thomas. Bob Sharp was appointed SC and Jack Fiedler, MS.

The following men were initiated

Sunday, May 26: Charles Dunn, Garnett, Kan.; Charles Lindley, Sikeston, Mo.; Roland Miller, Joplin, Mo.; Don Provow, Hayti, Mo.; John Urhmann, Washington, Mo.; Wally Udell, St. Louis; and Ted Weegar, Covina, Cal.

Following the initiation, a breakfast was given for the new members and the graduating seniors, George Giessow, Jim Owen and Bob Holliway.

For the first time since 1942, Alpha-Nu honored its mothers in a special Mother's Day celebration, May 12. Approximately 20 parents were guests of the fraternity.

With an expected enrollment of 10,000 students in the University this fall, Alpha-Nu is looking forward to a chapter strength of 60 or more. Present plans call for rush week about Sept. 21-24, but they are in the formative stage as yet.

The house will be open during the summer months with a considerable





**SMC Victor Boisseree, of Alpha-Sigma, gives the trophy to Miss Molly Mercer, Alpha-Sigma "Dream**



**Girl." At right, Miss Mercer is pictured with her escort, Alan Baker, Th. C.**

number of men attending the summer session, which will be a definite advantage to rush activities. Between 20 and 30 Pikes have decided to stay on during the summer, making their education a year-round project.

Ten actives from Alpha-Nu already have made tentative plans to attend the National Convention at Mackinac Island, Mich., from Aug. 31 to Sept. 3. Besides presenting its books for inspection, helping in formulating new laws for the betterment of the fraternity and mingling with other Pi Kaps from other parts of the country, Alpha-Nu representatives will show an eight-millimeter technicolor movie of chapter activities which has proven to be a major asset in rushing.

Alumni and visitors to Alpha-Nu have had much pleasure in meeting our new housemother, Mrs. Elleene Mudd Glover. She is a Missourian by birth, and attended Christian College in Columbia.

Bill Boll, SMC for the fall session in 1945, has been inducted into the Army at Jefferson Barracks, Mo. He was a junior in the business school.

The chapter pauses in reverence to the memory of these men who gave their lives in World War II: William Kern, Otto Schmidt, Ronald Thompson, Charles Davis, Basil Ruto and Franklin David.

With the playing of "Dream Girl of IKA," Miss Dorothy King, AΦ, was given a bouquet of roses and named the Dream Girl of Alpha-Nu for 1946.

Alpha-Nu's spring formal was given May 17, at the chapter house, following a dinner at the Coronado Cafe. Decorations consisted of the IKA and sorority badges from each house represented for Dream Girl. Music was furnished by a local orchestra.

During intermission, each candidate was introduced, and then election was held. Each candidate was presented with a necklace and IKA crest.

Candidates were Mary Kate Avery, ΔΔΔ; Betty Bischoff, AXΩ; Miriam Brown, KKT; Corinne Chandler and Dottie Eubank, IIBΦ; Dottie King, AΦ; Ernestine Maxey, XΩ; Joanne Parrish, ΔΓ, and Jane McKay.

## Vets Due Back At Gamma-Chi

By JACK TUBB  
Gamma-Chi Chapter

◆ THE past year at Oklahoma A. & M. College saw Pi Kappa Alpha inactive, for the most part, but late in the spring term reactivation of Gamma-Chi became a post-war reality. This chapter, due to a contract with the college, was not able to move their men into the chapter house, but business was carried on as usual in space provided by the institution.

Fall promises to be one of the best years our fraternity has ever known at A. & M. There are many veterans and also many new students who will see Pi Kappa Alpha grow to be one of the most popular fraternities on the campus. We are planning to do some remodeling in August which will enable us to pledge more men and house them comfortably.





**Robert M. Riculfi, AH, and Betty Lou Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold, West Palm Beach, Fla., were married at the home of the bride's parents Feb.**

**17. After a brief honeymoon in Havana, the Riculfis are now at home at the Hotel Salt Air in West Palm Beach, where he is manager.**

## Beta-Gamma Pair Write IKA Song

◆ A NEW IKA brotherhood song, a parody on the tune "Let the Rest of the World Go By," has been written by Harold Hanshaw and Gerald Jensen of Beta-Gamma chapter, and will be considered for inclusion in the next IKA song book published.

How Hanshaw and Jensen wrote the parody was told in a letter from John C. Hofmann, SC of the chapter:

"We asked them what gave them the inspiration for the piece, and they told us that at the end of their pledgehood they were so enthused with the fraternity and so grateful for having been accepted in it that they thought they would put their feelings into a song. Having no musical training, they did not attempt to compose the music, but merely adopted the tune of 'Let the Rest of the World Go By.'"

Jensen and Hanshaw feel that the song voices the feelings of all the actives and pledges of IKA chapters everywhere.

"We composed this parody as pledges, and now, as senior actives, we find that our feelings are exactly the same," said Jensen.

The Jensen-Hanshaw song goes like this:

### BROTHERHOOD SONG (Parody)

Our friendship is true, towards fellows like you,  
Our brothers in IKA, in IKA.  
The days will come, the days may go,  
Thoughts will linger on, you know.  
We'll find happiness and gain nobleness,  
In this, our fraternity.  
We know our spirit is strong, and we'll carry on,  
All through today, and forevermore.

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## Precious Packages

TO MR. AND MRS. ROBERT G. CHILDS, AX, Needham, Mass., a son, Robert G. Childs, Jr., born Apr. 8 at Sayre, Pa.

TO ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE SECRETARY ROBERT D. LYNN, M, and Mrs. Lynn, a son, Robert D. Lynn, Jr., 9 lbs., 10 oz., June 16 at Atlanta. The young pledge has a "Dream Girl" sister, Sara Frances, 20 months old.

TO REXFORD CUMMINS SEARS, BB, and Mrs. Dorothy Struthers Sears, AXΩ, a daughter, Dorothy Elaine, Feb. 21, 1946, at Seattle, Wash.

## Permanently Pinned

BILL EUGENE JOHNSON, IT, and Dorris Elaine Nelson, June 1 at the Trinity Episcopal church, Tulsa, Okla.

FORREST K. BOAZ, IX, and Alice Winters Little, May 31 in the Rose chapel of the Boston Avenue Methodist church, Tulsa, Okla. The couple will make their home in Stillwater, Okla., where he is a student at Oklahoma A. & M. college.

CHARLES GALBRAITH, AN, and Elizabeth Ann Lyons, XΩ, Apr. 17 at the Columbia, Mo., Episcopal church. They will live in Columbia.

SHERRILL SMITH PARKS, Z, Obion, Tenn., to Miss Helen Moss, XΩ, of Boliver, Tenn., Mar. 8, 1946, at Jackson, Tenn.

FRANK TURNER MARKHAM, AA, Tiptonville, Tenn., to Miss Jean Douglas, ΔΔΔ, of Huntington, Tenn., May 5, 1946, at Huntington.

WILLIAM HARDY BIZZELL, AI, and Rita Brignac, May 28 at the Methodist church, Crystal Springs, Miss. He is a student in the law school at the University of Mississippi.

DE L. HINCKLEY, IT, and Dorothy Jean Kelly, XΩ, 1944 Dream Girl of Gamma-

Upsilon chapter. He is assistant pastor of the University Methodist church, Tulsa, and during the war was a German prisoner of war for six months.

JOSEPH M. WILCOX, K, and Rees Marsh, ΔΔΔ, at the Fairchild chapel in Oberlin, O., May 4. Both attended Transylvania college, where they were members of the Junior-Senior honorary "Lampas." He is in the graduate school of theology at Oberlin college.

ENS. JOHN FRANKLIN HOUCK, JR., AA, and Kathryn Lyle Peek, sister of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamilton, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga., at the Capitol View Baptist church recently. Ensign Houck played football for Georgia Tech in 1944 and 1945. Mrs. Houck was Dream Girl of Alpha-Delta chapter in 1944.

JACK M. THORNTON, IT, and Mary Juanita Hale, ΔΔΔ, Mar. 13, 1946, at Sedan, Kan. Jack served as IMC of his chapter, and president of the Engineers' Club at Tulsa U. They are at home at 536 S. Harvard Ave., Tulsa, Okla.

FORREST KNOWLES BAAZ, IX, and Alice Winters Little, May 31, 1946, at the Rose chapel of the Boston Avenue Methodist church, Tulsa, Okla. Both are students at Oklahoma A. & M. College, Stillwater, where they will make their home.



# Gamma-Psi Leads LPI In Pledging

By JAMES W. MALONE  
Gamma-Psi Chapter

◆ THE BEGINNING of the spring trimester found new life being injected into the chapter at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute. Eleven men returned to college from the armed forces to become active fraternity men once again. Those men returning were Harold Gilbert, John Fitzpatrick, Carl Amick, Horace Williams, Robert Holliday, Edward Caldwell, Thomas R. Henry, Oscar Barnes, George T. Shinpoch, Robert Nethken and Edward L. Stout.

Also seven new men were initiated—six immediately after the semester began and one a month later. The new initiates were Graham Schneider, Jo Henry Whatley, Norman Welch, Jack H. Cunningham, Robert Parnell, James K. Schon and Dawson Lary. This brings our active membership to a total of 26—the largest number since the spring term of 1943.

Since the chapter membership was nearly tripled in size, an election was held to select officers to serve during the spring trimester. One of the returning servicemen and a former SMC, Harold Gilbert, was again elected as SMC. Albert McKee was elected IMC, Edward Caldwell as SC, and Robert Holliday as ThC. Again at the end of the trimester another election was held for officers to serve for the following year. Those elected were: Edward Caldwell as SMC; George T. Shinpoch as IMC; Jack H. Cunningham as ThC; and Edward Stephan, who is returning to college during the summer session, as SC.

Gamma-Psi again led the campus in pledging this trimester. Invitations were extended to 45 men and 33 accepted. This brings our pledge chapter to a total of 43 men.

Our annual spring formal was held on Feb. 9 in the women's gym. At this time we presented our Dream Girl of 1946—Miss Bess Boatner of New Orleans. Many guests and alumni were present at this gala occasion.

We held our annual house party at the United Gas Camp on the Ouachita River from June 20 to June 24. The house party is a time for relaxation from a full year of studies. Many alumni were present for a good time once again after several years in the service. Other than the spring formal the house party is the main fraternity function of the year.



*Lt. (j.g.) John C. Werren, BZ, and Phyllis Barbara Dortha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Haynes, of Birmingham, Ala., were married Mar. 9 at New York City. He was*

*SMC of Beta-Xi chapter before entering the service. They were making their home at Green Cove Springs, Fla., when this picture of Mrs. Werren was made.*

## Alpha-Psi Asks Reactivation

By JOHN T. DARGIN  
Alpha-Psi Chapter

◆ THE District President has just petitioned the Supreme Council for the reactivation of Alpha-Psi and it is expected that we will be officially reactivated in the very near future.

Present membership on campus includes Brothers Glowacki, Ward, Dargin, Bewley and Griffin, and Pledges Restaino, Dertuzis and Biunno. It is expected that all of the above less Ward and Bewley will return in the fall, plus the Quade twins, Joe and Charlie,

Beran, Gonzalez, Van Nest, Orechio, Hoffman and Weidman. Brother Ed Price is also back on campus as graduate assistant in botany.

The chapter lost its house during the war and present prospects of acquiring one are dark. The present plan, to be actively initiated in the fall, is to keep the fraternity alive on the campus by initiating each year enough good men to keep Pi Kappa Alpha going and building for the future. A building fund drive, to be completed in 5 years, is being formulated with a view to building at that time.





*At District 11-B Convention were, from left, first row, Harold Gilbert,*

*Albert McKee, A. R. Johnson, Guyton Watkins, Harry Garrett; sec-*

*ond row, Robert Lynn, Don Boswell, Joel Chandler, Ralph Gaines.*

## Convention Discusses Pledge Training

◆ WITH Alpha-Gamma acting as host chapter and under the guidance of Robert D. Lynn, assistant executive secretary, and Guyton Watkins, district president, the chapters of District 11-B held their first post-war convention on Apr. 27 and 28.

The convention, held at the Heidleburg Hotel in Baton Rouge, La., was attended by two delegates from each of the chapters in the district. Gamma-Psi chapter, located at Louisiana Tech, Ruston, La., sent Harold Gilbert and I. M. McKee; Eta chapter, located at Tulane in New Orleans, sent Ralph Gaines and Harry Garrett, while Alpha-Gamma was represented by Don Boswell and Joel Chandler. Several alumni and other actives from each chapter were also present.

The purpose of the convention was to promote closer cooperation between the chapters and to draw up resolutions to present at the National Convention in August.

The first business meeting was held on the afternoon of the 27th and at that time each chapter gave a report on its scholastic, membership, financial, and general standing.

The district president then appointed the following committees:

Resolutions—Harold Gilbert, Don Boswell, Ralph Gaines and Buddy Barnes.

Chapter Records Inspections—Joel Chandler, Fred Kemp,

I. M. McKee and Harry Garrett.

General Discussions—Robert D. Lynn.

On the morning of the 28th the various committees gave their reports and the resolutions proposed were accepted by the delegates.

Bob Lynn made a very interesting talk on the purpose and plans of the National Convention and also spoke on the proposed War Memorial building.

Next came discussions on methods of rushing, led by Don Boswell and I. M. McKee. Harry Gilbert expressed many interesting ideas in his discussion of methods of keeping up with ThC reports, and Harry Garrett brought the convention to a close in leading a discussion on the vital matter of pledge training.

Climax of the convention was the banquet held on the roof of the Heidleburg Hotel. Brother A. R. Johnson, alumnus of Alpha-Gamma, vice-president of the City National Bank of Baton Rouge, La., and member of the Alpha-Gamma House Corporation, was host and gave a short talk on the housing plans for Alpha-Gamma chapter.

The convention was considered a success by those attending it as it certainly accomplished its objects. Everyone left feeling that they had all helped raise the standards of Pi Kappa Alpha building toward a bigger and better fraternity.

## Beta-Omicron Reactivated By Small Group

By REX D. DAVIS

◆ IN SPITE of the relatively few members returning from the armed forces last semester, plans for reactivation of Beta-Omicron were carried forward rapidly.

Active members Robert D. Cocanower and William E. Neptune combined their energies with those of alumni Fred D. Harber, John F. Malone, and Ted M. Baird to bring about the necessary organization.

Several members and five hold-over pledges added their numbers to the initial group at later intervals. An initiation was held as soon as the necessary requirements were fulfilled, and the hold-over pledges became energetic members.

It was decided that a regular election would be held in the fall with temporary officers appointed until that time. Past SMC Robert D. Cocanower was appointed SMC; Rex D. Davis, ThC-SC; George Edward Jennings, IFC Repre-

sentative; Joseph Tackwell, Rush Chairman.

Brother Thomas McIntyre was honored by being appointed St. Pat at the annual engineers' celebration, while Brother Cocanower was made a Knight of St. Pat. These seniors received these honors as a result of their extra-curricular activities. The members returning and initiated recently are nearly 100 per cent veterans of all branches of the armed forces with many citations, honors, and medals among them.





*Alpha-Alfa Chapter at Duke University, which has steadily main-*

*tained a large chapter, is now composed of 47 men. Only a few Navy*

*uniforms are now noted. A few months ago there were many.*

## Duke Men Active On Campus

By TOM BULLOCK

◆ HARRY T. HANCE, discharged major from the Army Air Forces, was recently elected to carry on the duties of SMC of Alpha-Alfa at Duke University. Initiated at Alpha-Rho chapter at Ohio State in 1941, Hance enlisted in the Army Air Force soon afterwards. The ensuing three years found him in England where he was adjutant-general for the First Air Division of the Eighth Air Force. This is his first semester at Duke.

Alpha-Alfa has now and has maintained throughout the war years a comparatively large chapter. Comprised largely of Navy men at the beginning of the school year, it has only recently reached the point where civilians are in number equal to the Navy. Following initiation, which will be held June 8, the chapter will have a total of 47 actives. Due to the fact that the number of men eligible for rushing is limited, and that each fraternity is further hindered by the Pan-Hellenic quota system, it is amazing that Alpha-Alfa has so large a chapter.

Among our number may be found numerous men of importance on the campus. B. Munro has only recently completed a term as president of the Student Government

Association; Bill Farren and Tom Scahill, who have just recently left for active duty in the Navy, held the positions of editor-in-chief of the *Duke Engineer* and president of the Commodores' Club respectively; and J. B. Davis, star trackman, who this year ran himself into several championships and the honor of being the finest distance man at Duke since 1929. Davis walked away with honors at four out of five meets, setting new records and winning the Southern Conference indoor two-mile championship along with the Carolina AAU invitational open two-mile championship.

With so large a chapter, it is quite evident that many problems will have to be met and dealt with in order that reconversion from war to peacetime be completed successfully. Thus far we have encountered many difficulties which have been handled competently, but probably the greatest single problem facing us now is that of recapturing and maintaining that spirit of brotherhood which occupied so great a position in the peacetime organization. Since we will again be able to lease our fraternity section in September, 1946, it is hoped that we will have an even better chapter than ever existed before in peacetime.

## Alpha-Theta Sees Banner Year Starting This Fall

◆ AT THE close of the second semester, Alpha-Theta chapter had 64 active members and four pledges, and prospects are good for the fall. All but three of the present actives will return, and 15 returning servicemen who wear the Shield and Diamond have indicated they will enroll.

The annual spring formal was held Apr. 26 at the Hotel Morgan, and each girl was presented with a miniature pad-

dle as a favor. It was the most successful dance of the season, and brought back together many brothers who hadn't seen each other for years. To Blair Hill, James Hill, George Rice, John Hall, James Martin, Vic Bird, and Paul Stockman the formal was a reunion, and it won't be soon forgotten.

Leland Byrd has been elected president of next year's junior class.

The chapter is now busily engaged in a campaign for funds, so that we may

build a house on the lot which we purchased two years ago. The site for the house is close to the campus, is large, faces on two streets and is close to the Delta-Gamma sorority house.

The chapter pays homage to men who gave their lives during World War II: Brothers James Shumate, Bill Newman, Jack Finlayson, Gardner Cornwell, John Easley, B. M. Hoffman, and Pledge Charles Snapp.



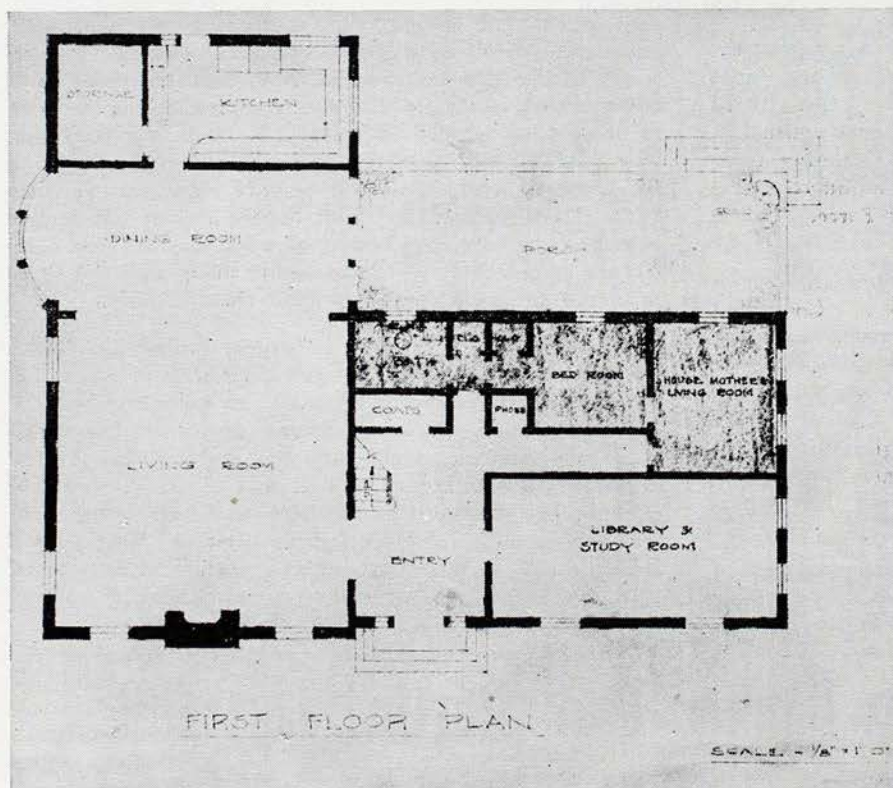
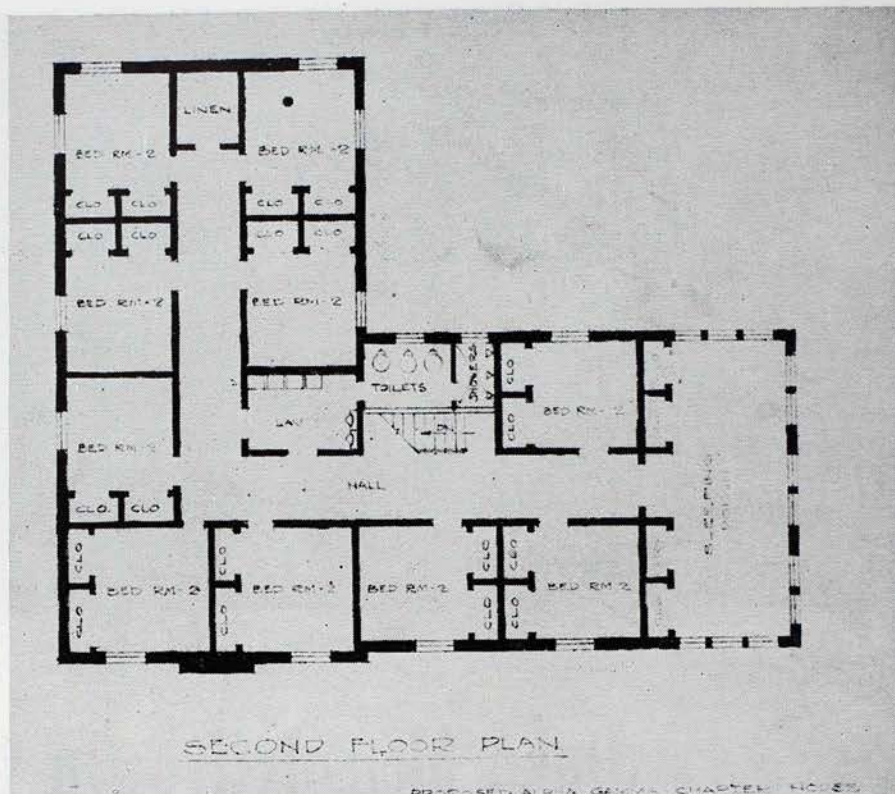
# Inform Public, Fraternities Told

♦ AN EDITORIAL in the West Virginia University newspaper asks, "Why all the recent criticism of fraternities and sororities? Most of the students here agree that the abolishment of Greek letter organizations would initiate the establishment of various other clubs and societies.

"Now is the time for sororities and fraternities to realize that they are no longer in the dark ages. Now is the time for them to use the radio and newspapers to inform the public about the constructive side of their organizations."—*Associated Collegiate Press.*

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♦ THAD HADDEN, AN, is now working with an advertising agency in Los Angeles. He is married to the former Virginia Bell, MK.



♦ FOR THE SECOND consecutive year, Wilbur Venerable, AA, was chosen the Best All-Around Athlete and named the Most Popular Boy in balloting at Georgetown College. It was the first time in the history of the college that one man was chosen for two honors. Joe Seibert, AA, was runner-up as Most Popular. Venerable was runner-up in a third contest—Most Outstand-

*The architect's sketch of the first and second floor plans for Alpha Gamma's new chapter house. The spacious living room, kitchen, dining room and house mother's quarters are on the first floor. The second floor is devoted to living quarters and a chapter room.*

ing Boy—which was won by C. W. Terrill, AA.

## Shaw Estate Sends Gamma-Tau \$200

♦ GAMMA-TAU chapter at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute has received a \$200 check from the estate of Brother Robert Lee Shaw, IT, according to SMC Fred L. Dicks.

SMC Dicks forwarded to Dr. Freeman H. Hart, national executive secretary, a letter from Bob's father, Chester L. Shaw, managing editor of *Newsweek* magazine, telling of the gift.

Mr. Shaw wrote:

"The attached check for \$200, presented by your Brother Richard P. Shaw, represents a contribution from the estate of the late Lt. Robert Lee Shaw, who was killed in action in the war.

"Bob's mother, Dick, and I feel that Bob would heartily endorse this contribution, since ΠΚΑ was one of his loves, and were he still alive he would be working with all his might to get you established again. So please accept this gift, along with the best wishes of all of us for the future success and prosperity of the chapter.

"Sincerely,

"Chester L. Shaw."

Richard is back in school at Rensselaer, and is playing a big part in the return of the chapter to pre-war standing.





*Sing winner, is pictured while singing "Honeymoon" during a variety show which originated from the Student Union Building at Bowling*

*Green State University and was broadcast by remote control over Station WFIN, Findlay, on May 23.*

## Wins May Sing Contest

By BOB SMITH

◆ DELTA-BETA chapter was selected as the winner in the third annual May Sing contest held here at Bowling Green State University, competing with 11 women's groups and four other men's groups. In addition we also were awarded the Wood County Interfraternity Club award as the most outstanding fraternity group competing.

As May Sing winners our group was invited to participate in a variety show through the University radio department and Station WFIN, Findlay. The show originated from the Falcon's Nest, the Student Union building. Our group sang three numbers: "Hail to Thee," "Honeymoon," and "Street Urchins' Medley." The latter two were the winning numbers in the May Sing contest.

We were the first men's group to win the May Sing trophy. The other award was made for the first year and will become an annual presentation.

Spring 1946 initiates into Delta-Beta chapter were Howard Bevington, Harry

Castor, Stuart Collier, Robert Crowe, James Dunn, Robert Mason, Dick Norton, Glenn Parsons, Ray Shellhammer, William Sherman and William Yoakam.

Officers elected to serve during the summer term, in which the chapter will remain active, are: SMC, Bert Flietz; IMC, Robert Whitman; ThC, Dale McOmber; SC, William Yoakam.

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◆ LITERARY-MINDED students at the University of New Mexico are once again competing for the Lenna M. Todd memorial prize for the "best student narrative writing" in the English department.

The award is the interest from a \$2,000 trust fund established by Dana P. Todd, BA, who was killed in the Philippines, as a memorial to his mother.

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◆ RAY MATSON, FP, is serving as treasurer of the Northwestern University Alumni Association, according to the Northwestern Alumni News.



*SMC Otto Schoeppler, ΔB, receives the Wood County Interfraternity Club first annual songfest award from Ivan Lake, president of the club. The award is made to the fraternity making the most outstanding showing in the annual May Sing contest, and was inaugurated this year. In the SMC's left hand he holds the May Sing Trophy which he received from Frank J. Prout, University president, a few moments earlier. The rotating May Sing Trophy was won by the I I K A's while competing with 11 women's groups and four other fraternity groups in the third annual May Sing May 15.*



# Purvis, Towns Return To Coaching Jobs

◆ Two more IKA athletes have returned to their alma maters in the role of coach.

Duane Purvis, all-American football star at Purdue University in 1934, has returned to the Boilermaker institution as instructor in physical education and assistant coach. He was national collegiate javelin champion in 1933, too.

Duane served in the Air Corps as a captain, while his brother, Jim, was an Air Corps major. Both were physical training directors in the service. Jim Purvis is manager of a boys' camp, Camp Highland Lake, near Hendersonville, N. C., since returning to civilian life. Both played in the East-West game, with Jim being named most-valuable in the tilt one year.

IKA's greatest track performer, Forrest G. (Speck) Towns, AM, has returned to the University of Georgia, his alma mater, as track coach after three and a half years of military service.

Towns broke the Olympic record and the world's record by running the 110-meter high hurdles in 14.1 seconds at Berlin in 1936, winning the olive wreath of an Olympic champion. Three weeks later he took .4 of a second off his new record. It was just two years and five months before that he had first put on the spiked shoes.

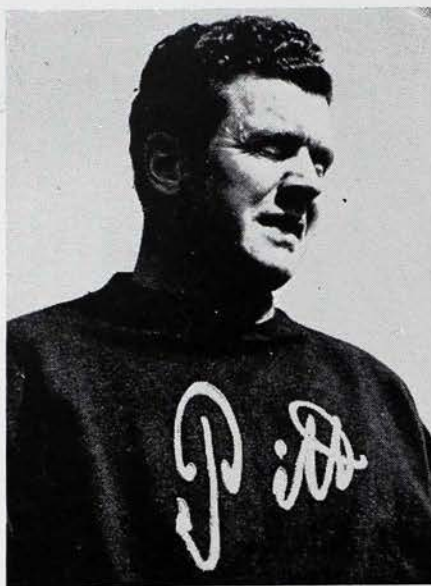
The year 1936 was the high point in his career. He won each of the 17 outdoor races he ran, in spite of the fact that he usually was the last man off at the start.

Said the *Atlanta Journal*, in a feature story telling of his appointment as a coach at Georgia: "There was a motto hanging on the wall of his dormitory room. It said: 'When you are green, you are growing. When you are ripe, you begin to rot.'"

On the baseball front, Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler, Z, moved into his new offices in Carew Tower, Cincinnati. Among other problems, he was immediately faced by the baseball revolt south of the border—one which has seen the Mexican National League raiding (or attempting to raid) major league rosters with lucrative five-year contracts.

Chandler was enthusiastic in showing visitors through his suite of offices. His special pride and joy is the lighting arrangement in the shape of a baseball diamond in the ceiling of the reception room.

"They pushed us around a bit at first," said the commissioner. "But they found we could take it."



*Wesley Fesler, Alpha-Rho, one of IKA's greatest athletes, is head coach at Pittsburgh.*

Meantime, baseball followers in the Southwest were cheered by the return of peppery Al Vincent, Δ, to the Texas League. Al returns to the Lone Star circuit as manager of the Dallas Rebels.

Al formerly managed Beaumont, a Detroit farm in past years, then went to Buffalo, another Tiger chattel. There was strong talk that he might succeed

Del Baker as manager of the Detroit club, because of his fine record as a minor league pilot. Instead, he became Steve O'Neill's best coach.

But the life of a coach is not for Al. The little ex-second sacker likes to run his own show, so he's returning to the minors as a manager.

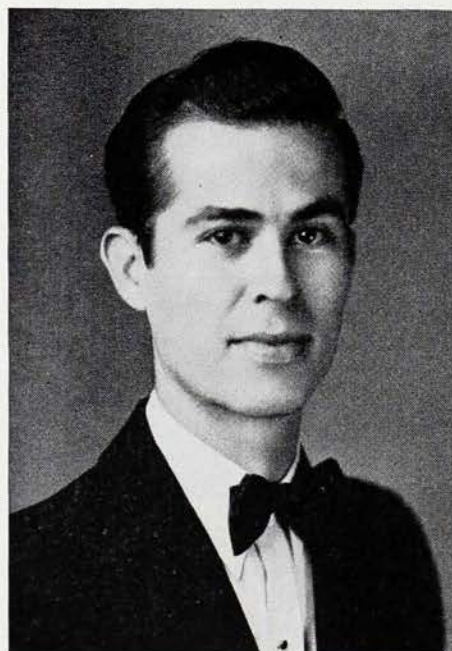
The Tigers have switched their farm ties to Dallas, and Vincent will give Rebel fans the scrappiest team—win or lose—in the Texas League.

Vincent plays the game to win. And he'll have nothing to do with a player who doesn't see it that way too.

Elsewhere on the sports scene, Glenn Dobbs, RT, a civilian again and weighing 225 pounds, signed a five-figure contract to play professional football with Brooklyn in the new All-American Conference.

The Utah University stadium may soon be lighted for night sports, according to Graduate Manager Theron Parmelee, AT. He says, however, it would take two or three years to pay for such a project. Here's a suggestion: Why not let the recently organized professional football league and similar groups use the stadium at night and help foot that bill.

Parmelee, a veteran of both wars, recently returned from the Pacific.



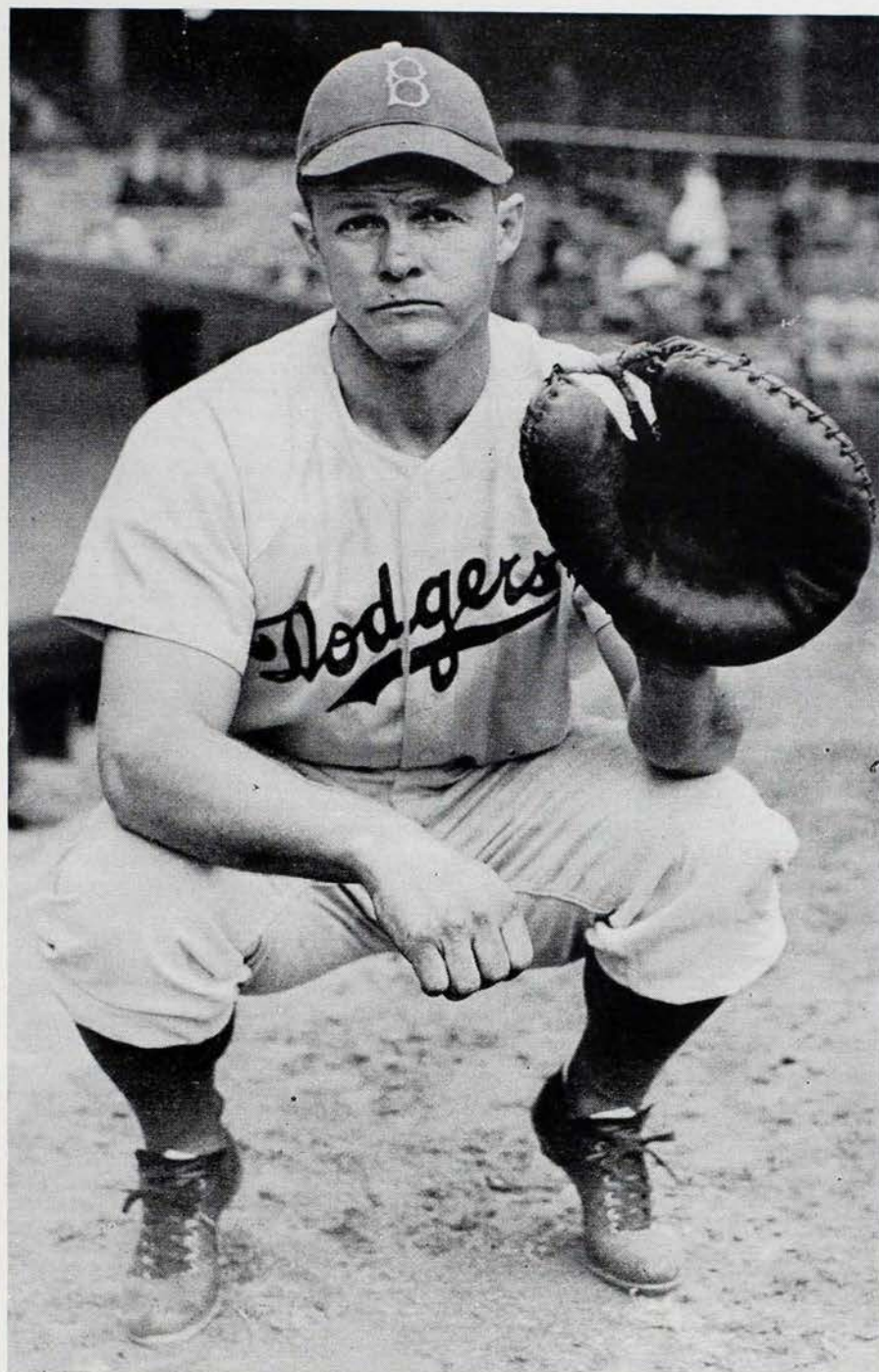
*In LSU annual elections, Harry Kentzel, AT, sophomore in the College of Arts and Sciences, from Bogalusa, La., was elected president of the YMCA. Kentzel is a member of the YMCA cabinet and*



*is associate editor of the "L" book. Also elected was John H. Shepherd of Menden, La., as president of the Freshman Council of the YMCA. Shepherd is a freshman and a pledge.*



# Catches First No-Hitter of '46 Season



**FERRELL ANDERSON OF THE DODGERS**

◆ THE HONOR of catching the first no-hit baseball game in major league play this season belongs to Ferrell Anderson, BT, former University of Kansas football and baseball star.

Anderson was behind the plate Apr. 23 in Brooklyn when Ed Head, Dodger right-hander, twirled the season's first no-hitter.

In telling of Ferrell's part in the drama, in which he helped the Dodger cause with a home run, the Associated Press pointed out that "Until a few short weeks ago, Anderson had such dim prospects of making the grade that he considered accepting a job as a minor league manager."

The AP continued:

"He bounced around the lower minors until 1941, when he was brought up to Newark. Rebelling at the idea of being sent back to Hagerstown, his last previous stop, he was sold to Montreal in the summer of 1941.

"Then came the war, and after three years in the service he arrived at the Dodger camp at Sanford, Fla., to find himself just another ball player in a bushel of them. In fact, his outlook as a player was so hazy that Branch Rickey asked him if he would like to manage a Brooklyn farm club.

"Anderson still thought he could play major league baseball, however, and he turned down the managerial offer. Then Mickey Owen, the veteran receiver, hopped to Mexico to play his baseball, and Anderson got a chance to hang around awhile."

To Anderson's father, who died six years ago, must go much of the credit for his ability. His father, a baseball enthusiast, used to spend hours pitching to young Ferrell.

Ferrell caught in high school, and then at KU, where he was a good guard on the football team. But baseball was his game, and in 1939 he signed with the Yankees, who shipped him to Joplin.

The rest of the story is history now. Today he's the Dodgers' No. 1 man behind the bat. Dad would be proud of his boy.



*Members of the University of Tulsa varsity basketball team are Bob Phillips (left) and L. R. King. Both men played football and basketball for the Iowa Seahawks while in the Navy, and upon their discharge enrolled at Tulsa and pledged IKA.*



# Thumbnail Sketch of Active Chapters

◆ HERE is a thumbnail sketch of the present activity of all of the chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha. In those cases where the chapter name is starred the sketch is from very recent and thus up-to-date information furnished by the chapter either by mail or directly on visitation.

\**ALPHA* at the University of Virginia now has about 25 to 30 actives and pledges. The chapter has been back in its house for sometime and the house has recently been done over. The standing of the chapter on the campus is quite good. The chapter's finances are in good condition.

\**BETA* at Davidson has 17 actives and 11 pledges. The chapter is all set to refurbish its lodge and the prospects are excellent for continuation of the splendid standards that Beta has always had for itself. Beta has a reserve fund of about \$1,000.

\**GAMMA* at William and Mary has 17 actives and six pledges with about half the number veterans. The housing situation at William and Mary will soon be clarified and will likely be worked out satisfactorily to all concerned. The chapter's finances are good.

\**DELTA* at Birmingham-Southern has 35 actives and 21 pledges, the majority of whom are veterans. The chapter is stronger than it has been for a number of years and the morale is splendid. The chapter's finances are in excellent condition.

*ZETA* at the University of Tennessee has about 100 men and the chapter has furnished an unusually good year. The chapter's prospects are quite promising and the finances are good.

\**ETA* at Tulane has 34 actives and 3 pledges. Eta has recently been in transition from a Navy to a civilian chapter. The chapter's finances are in splendid condition with a reserve of about \$500.

*THETA* at Southwestern has about 30 actives and pledges. The chapter is very happy in its recently completed lodge and the prospects are splendid. Theta's finances are good.

\**IOTA* at Hampden-Sydney has 22 actives and one pledge and most of the members are veterans. Iota has about \$5,000 in reserve for building a new house.

\**KAPPA* at Transylvania has 13 actives and 3 pledges, most of whom are veterans. The chapter is one of the best on the campus and is very prominent in student affairs. The chapter's finances are in good shape.

\**MU* at Presbyterian College has 19 actives and 7 pledges, many of whom are veterans. The chapter is one of the best on its campus and its prospects continue good. Mu's finances are in good condition.

\**XI* at South Carolina has 19 actives and 15 pledges, a number of whom are veterans. The chapter has recently been in transition from a Navy to a civilian chapter and its prospects are excellent. Xi's finances are in good condition.

\**OMICRON* at Richmond has 15 actives and 8 pledges. The chapter is again taking its place of leadership on the campus and its prospects are bright. Omicron has a reserve fund of over \$1,000 and plans are being developed toward a new house.

\**PI* at Washington and Lee has 16 actives and 6 pledges. The chapter has recently resumed full activity and is already about set to take over its house with splendid prospects. The chapter's finances are in excellent condition, especially the chapter house.

*SIGMA* at Vanderbilt has about 15 actives and pledges, having recently resumed full activity. Sigma has purchased a new house within the last two months and the prospects are splendid financially and otherwise.

\**TAU* at North Carolina has 46 actives and 12 pledges, many of whom are veterans. The chapter's morale and finances are both excellent and plans are on foot to refinance the chapter house which is in the best condition it has been for a long time.

*UPSILON* at Auburn has about 50 actives and pledges with splendid morale. The Upsilon chapter house is fully paid for and its house corporation has a splendid reserve that runs into five figures. The chapter continues its prominence in campus activities.

\**OMEGA* at Kentucky has 37 actives and 13 pledges or a total of 50 which is the University limit. Most of these men are veterans. The chapter is leading the campus in scholarship and otherwise and its finances are in excellent condition. Plans are on foot for a new house for Omega.

*ALPHA-ALPHA* at Duke has 43 actives and 13 pledges. The chapter will go back into its dormitory section in September and looks forward to continuing the same splendid standards of membership. The chapter's finances are in excellent condition.

*ALPHA-GAMMA* at Louisiana State has about 20 actives and pledges with good prospects for the coming years. Plans are on foot for a chapter house and the alumni are developing a new interest in the chapter. Alpha-Gamma's finances are in good shape.

\**ALPHA-DELTA* at Georgia Tech has 28 actives and 3 pledges and most of these are veterans. The chapter's finances have been quite good in recent years and the chapter has a \$2,000 reserve fund.

\**ALPHA-EPSILON* at North Carolina State has 36 actives and 16 pledges and most of them are veterans. The chapter continues to be prominent on the campus in activities and its financial condition is splendid with a reserve fund of about \$500.

\**ALPHA-ZETA* at Arkansas has over 100 actives and pledges and in recent elections on the campus carried off a large share of campus honors. Due to excellent financial management the chapter has moved over from the red column to the black and is building up a nice reserve.

*ALPHA-ETA* at the University of Florida has about 80 actives and pledges. The chapter is carrying through with its usual campus leadership. Its finances are in good condition with plans on foot to repair or refurbish the house and refinance it generally.

*ALPHA-THETA* at West Virginia has about 60 actives and pledges, many of whom are veterans. The chapter is furnishing a number of leaders for the campus and among these are several members of the nationally prominent Uni-



# Active Chapters Look To Future

versity of West Virginia basketball team. The chapter has about \$4,000 in reserve for building a new house and its prospects are splendid.

\**ALPHA-IOTA* at Millsaps has 25 actives and 9 pledges, most of whom are veterans. The chapter is maintaining its high standards of membership. Its scholarship and finances are both in excellent condition.

\**ALPHA-KAPPA* at Missouri School of Mines has 22 actives and 18 pledges, many of whom are veterans. The chapter's finances are in splendid condition and its prospects for the post-war period are excellent. The chapter recently won a cup for the outstanding float at a campus celebration.

*ALPHA-LAMBDA* at Georgetown has about 25 actives and pledges. The morale of the chapter is good and its finances are in splendid condition.

\**ALPHA-MU* at Georgia has 23 actives and 20 pledges and practically all of these men are veterans. The chapter is taking a prominent part in campus activities and its prospects are unusually good. The chapter has built up a reserve of about \$1,000.

*ALPHA-NU* at Missouri has 42 actives and 3 pledges of whom a very large percentage are veterans. The chapter's finances are in excellent condition both from the standpoint of the chapter's functioning and the house corporation's status.

\**ALPHA-XI* at Cincinnati has 19 actives and 5 pledges. The chapter is about ready to go back into its house with good prospects for the future. The chapter has recently built up a reserve of about \$600.

\**ALPHA-PI* at Howard has 27 actives and 14 pledges and a large majority of these are veterans. The morale of the chapter is splendid and the financial condition excellent with about \$300 in reserve.

*ALPHA-RHO* at Ohio State has about 20 actives and pledges. The chapter's finances are in good condition and its prospects excellent for re-establishing itself on its splendid pre-war footing. The chapter has recently sold its house but has plans on foot to buy or build a much better one.

\**ALPHA-SIGMA* at California has 31 actives and 15 pledges of whom a large majority are veterans. The chapter is quite interested in establishing a new chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha at the Davis branch of the University of California. Alpha-Sigma's finances are in excellent condition with a \$3,200 cash reserve.

\**ALPHA-TAU* at Utah has 61 actives and 16 pledges, about half of whom are veterans. The financial condition of the chapter is good and it continues its leadership on the Utah campus.

*ALPHA-PHI* at Iowa State has about 20 actives and pledges and will soon build back into one of Pi Kappa Alpha's best chapters. The chapter has a \$5,000 or \$6,000 cash reserve and is in splendid condition financially.

*ALPHA-CHI* at Syracuse has recently been reactivated and has about 10 men. The chapter is moving back into its house and expects to rebuild quite rapidly with the summer session. The finances of the chapter are in good condition.

*ALPHA-PSI* at Rutgers is being reactivated with about 8 men and by fall should be back on its feet and equal to its pre-war standing.

*ALPHA-OMEGA* at Kansas State has about 30 actives and pledges with prospects splendid for the post-war period. The chapter's finances are in excellent condition and well supervised by the alumni.

\**BETA-ALPHA* at Penn State has 49 actives and no pledges and nearly half of these men are veterans. The financial condition of the chapter is excellent with about \$3,000 cash reserve and the house financing up-to-date.

\**BETA-BETA* at the University of Washington is just being revived after the war and activity and the prospects of the chapter are splendid. The alumni have raised a sizable sum toward the purchasing or building of a new house and they have also helped reactivate the chapter which has about eight men and will start pledging rather soon.

\**BETA-GAMMA* at the University of Kansas has 11 actives and 13 pledges and nearly half are veterans. The financial condition of the chapter is good and the chapter will likely be back in its own house rather soon.

*BETA-DELTA* at New Mexico has about 40 actives and pledges and is in transition from being a Navy to a civilian chapter. The chapter's finances are in good condition, especially the house corporation, and the house is nearly paid for.

*BETA-EPSILON* at Western Reserve has about eight men and is getting back on its feet after partial inactivity during the war. Its finances are in good shape.

\**BETA-ZETA* at Southern Methodist has 21 actives and 41 pledges of whom nearly all are veterans. The finances of the chapter are unusually good and the chapter has recently purchased a new house on the University campus which will be occupied during the summer. The chapter has gotten favorable publicity by electing a Dream Girl each week from a different sorority.

*BETA-ETA* at Illinois has about 20 men and is fast developing in its pre-war strength. The chapter is about ready to purchase a new house. Its finances are in good condition.

*BETA-THETA* at Cornell is just being revived and has about seven men. The chapter will likely go back into its house during the summer.

\**BETA-KAPPA* at Emory has 20 actives and two pledges and about half of them veterans. Their prospects are splendid. The finances of the chapter are in good shape.

\**BETA-LAMBDA* at Washington University (St. Louis) has six actives and one pledge and is getting back on its feet after partial inactivity during the war. The finances of the chapter are in splendid shape with a sizable reserve for the purchase of a new house.

\**BETA-MU* at Texas has 49 actives and 12 pledges, most of whom are veterans. The financial condition of the chapter is good. The chapter recently won the University volleyball championship.

*BETA-XI* at Wisconsin has five or six actives who are working toward reactivation but the chapter has not been officially activated by the Supreme Council.



\**BETA-OMICRON* at Oklahoma has 20 actives and 10 pledges, practically all of whom are veterans. The finances of the chapter are excellent and the house is being completely remodeled. The chapter has recently won some outstanding campus honors, notably the golf championship of the University.

\**BETA-PI* at Pennsylvania has 30 actives and no pledges and more than half of the brothers are veterans. The house finances are in good condition and its prospects are also excellent.

\**BETA-SIGMA* at Carnegie Tech has 26 actives and 9 pledges, more than half of whom are veterans. The finances of the chapter are in excellent condition with about \$3,000 cash reserve.

\**BETA-UPSILON* at Colorado has 43 actives and three pledges, more than half of whom are veterans. The chapter's finances are in splendid condition and the house has recently been refinanced. The chapter is now back in its house.

\**BETA-PHI* at Purdue has 31 actives and 19 pledges of whom about half are veterans. The finances of the chapter are in excellent condition and the house itself is entirely paid for with a good reserve set up.

*GAMMA-ALPHA* at Alabama has about 65 actives and pledges. The chapter is in excellent shape financially with cash reserve of over \$1,200. The chapter has again taken its place of leadership on the Alabama campus socially and otherwise.

\**GAMMA-GAMMA* at the University of Denver has 22 actives and six pledges, all of whom are veterans. The chapter is in splendid condition financially as well as its house corporation. The chapter has been outstanding in its leadership and intramural sports.

\**GAMMA-DELTA* at Arizona has 18 actives and 12 pledges, with most of them veterans. The chapter's finances are in splendid condition with a reserve fund of \$500.

*GAMMA-EPSILON* at Utah State has about 60 actives and pledges even though it was reactivated only a few months ago. The chapter's financial condition is good and its leadership on the campus is outstanding.

\**GAMMA-ETA* at Southern California has 42 actives and 16 pledges, 50 of whom are veterans. The financial condition of the chapter is better than it has been for a long time and the chapter now has a reserve fund of about \$1,000. Gamma-Eta continues to be a leader on the campus socially and otherwise.

\**GAMMA-THETA* at Mississippi State has 30 actives and 24 pledges, about half of whom are veterans. The chapter's financial condition is excellent with around \$3,000 in reserve.

\**GAMMA-IOTA* at Mississippi has 57 actives and five pledges, most of whom are veterans. The chapter has its chapter house entirely paid for and about \$1,000 in reserve.

\**GAMMA-KAPPA* at Montana State has 21 actives and 12 pledges, about half of whom are veterans. The chapter has recently purchased a new house and its financial condition is splendid.

*GAMMA-LAMBDA* at Lehigh has about half a dozen actives but has not as yet been reactivated by the Supreme Council. The chapter, and the house corporation, has about \$13,000 in a reserve fund and is therefore in splendid condition financially.

Full activity will be resumed very soon and Gamma-Lambda will be back on its feet as one of our best chapters.

*GAMMA-MU* at New Hampshire has about 20 actives and pledges though it was only recently reactivated. The chapter is negotiating the purchase of a house and will soon take its place in leadership on the New Hampshire campus.

*GAMMA-NU* at Iowa has from 15 to 20 actives and pledges with good prospects for the future. This chapter was also reactivated very recently by the Supreme Council.

\**GAMMA-XI* at Washington State has 22 actives and seven pledges with a large percentage of veterans. The financial condition of the chapter is good and it is reassuming its portion of leadership on the campus.

\**GAMMA-PI* at Oregon has 16 members and 10 pledges. The chapter will be back in its own house in the fall and its prospects are unusually good. The finances of the chapter are in splendid condition with about \$500 in reserve.

\**GAMMA-RHO* at Northwestern has 48 actives and 3 pledges. It is still partly a Navy chapter but is fast becoming a civilian one. The chapter's finances are in excellent shape and the chapter, along with the house corporation, has a cash reserve of \$12,500.

*GAMMA-SIGMA* at Pittsburgh has about 40 actives and pledges and looks forward to excellent post-war years. The chapter's finances are in good shape.

*GAMMA-TAU* at Rensselaer has about 25 actives and pledges and is in transition from a Navy to a civilian chapter. The chapter has recently moved back into its own house and the chapter's prospects are unusually good.

*GAMMA-UPSILON* at Tulsa has about 55 actives and pledges. The chapter is in splendid financial condition and along with it continues to lead the Tulsa campus in athletics and otherwise.

\**GAMMA-PHI* at Wake Forest has about 40 actives and pledges. The chapter's finances are in splendid condition and the morale is also unusually good.

\**GAMMA-CHI* at Oklahoma A. & M. has recently had its charter restored and now has ten actives, most of whom are veterans. The chapter has about \$500 in reserve and it is in the best financial condition in its history.

\**GAMMA-PSI* at Louisiana Tech has 31 actives and 33 pledges, nearly half of whom are veterans. The chapter's finances are in splendid condition and it has about \$700 in reserve. The chapter has furnished a number of leaders to its campus and its prospects are splendid.

\**GAMMA-OMEGA* at Miami has about 85 actives and pledges and the chapter is easily the campus leader among fraternities. Gamma-Omega's prospects are good. Its finances are in excellent condition.

\**DELTA-ALPHA* at George Washington has 10 actives and five pledges, most of whom are veterans. The chapter has a reserve fund of \$1,400 and its finances are in splendid condition.

\**DELTA-BETA* at Bowling Green has 35 actives of whom 30 are veterans. The chapter has recently won the annual May Sing which is the outstanding accomplishment on Bowling Green campus. The chapter's prospects are splendid and it is to have the first of the houses that are to be built by the University for fraternities.





*Members of the Purdue chapter are, from left, first row, D. Glenn, B. Wagner, A. McKinley, B. Palka, E. Sokoloski, H. Symanski, D. Van Matre, C. Muller, W. Cleveland, B. Young; second row, H. Emmons, W. Vphause, B. Lanier, A. Miles,*

*J. Childs, P. Montgomery, H. De Bruyn, P. Stamm, F. Caskey, C. Lett; third row, B. Wells, A. Joyce, D. Black, J. Thomas, M. Kovalow, C. Castiglia, S. Lanier, F. Kirchner, B. Grabowski, A. Miller, D. Hogsett; fourth row, C. Foster, H.*

*Wilson, K. Stimm, R. Vincent, H. Reynolds, J. Brown, R. Flannery, J. Gilfillan, P. Hamilton, R. Beatzhold, B. Gates; fifth row, H. Saltynski, C. Glasgove, Heinz Heidorn, C. DeVilbis.*

## Purdue Adds Sleeping Rooms

By CHARLES DeVILBRIS

◆ PURDUE UNIVERSITY, like other schools all over the country, has been terribly crowded by the influx of literally thousands of veterans and high school graduates. Facilities have been crowded and food has been scarce.

We have rebuilt eight small sleeping rooms off the standard study rooms in the house in order to make two-man study rooms of them. By this program we have made the capacity of our house rise to accommodate 53 men with reasonable comfort.

We are flourishing now, trying to pull ourselves out of the lean preceding several years which at one time saw only nine men in the house, with talk of becoming inactive very strong among the members. Fifteen of our 19 pledges live in the house. It is interesting to note that all but two of these pledges are veterans.

We had several successful social events during the spring term. We managed to have a steak fry in the country which gave us a little informal recreation amidst the flotation processes, animal husbandry, and cam and gear rotation studies that typify the normal day of Purdue students.

Our pledge dance represented a great amount of work and enthusiasm from both the active chapter and the pledge class.

Our social events have all been successful and well liked over the campus. Continued spirit should make them well liked again in the fall term.

Scholastically, our house is up with the rest of the "brains" on campus; the interest of returning veterans does a great deal to raise the house average. The house will be open 8 weeks this summer, when it will then close for the first time since the summers of 1941 and 1942 for a 2½-week period.

Prospects indicate that we will have our goal of 53 men in the house easily at the start of the fall term. Prosperity, somewhat by-passed during the preceding several years, seems to be not only in sight but practically within our reach as we at Beta-Phi come back for another rattle with the books.

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◆ DR. S. L. MORRIS, B, has purchased a home at 1311 W. Peachtree St. N. E., Atlanta, Ga., which he will renovate and redecorate for his office.

## Beta-Lambda Needs Place To Meet

◆ THE chapter's chief deficiency at the present is a place to meet. In spite of this, Beta-Lambda is becoming more and more important on the Washington University campus.

IIKA is represented on the Interfraternity Council, in the Student Senate, and in Lock and Chain, sophomore men's honorary. IMC Gordon Orear is this year's electee to that honor.

SMC G. R. Van Houten is president of Alpha Chi Sigma, chemical fraternity; secretary of Tau Beta Pi, engineering honorary, and is active in the American Institute of Chemical Engineering.

A nucleus of five men remains after graduation, and four more Pikes are slated to return from service for the fall semester. With their efforts and with the help of a very active alumni group it is hoped that suitable quarters can be found. IIKA will return to its pre-war position of eminence within the year.

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◆ Two IIKA brothers with the Alabama Inspection and Rating Bureau, Birmingham, are James M. Calloway, Jr., T, and Curtis L. Kingsbery, AA. Calloway is an examiner, while Kingsbery is a special agent.



# Alabama Stages First "4-Chapter Week-end"

◆ "TO OUR KNOWLEDGE it hasn't been done before, let's do it" became the battlecry of Gamma-Alpha of Pi Kappa Alpha as they originated the idea of a joint weekend for the four chapters of Alabama.

The idea was wholeheartedly endorsed by Brother John Sparkman, Democratic majority whip in the House of Representatives, who visited our chapter while the idea was being promoted. It didn't take much effort to see that the whole chapter was in favor, and a few days later at Founders' Day in Birmingham the invitations were extended to Delta chapter, Birmingham; Upsilon chapter, Auburn; Alpha-Pi chapter, Howard. The date was set to be May 4.

Immediately the necessary committees were organized and plans moved forward rapidly. Brother John Cardwell headed the refreshments committee, Brother T. J. Spraggins as leader of the decorations committee, Brothers Frank Morring and Gilbert Carpenter doing

By WES E. COURSON  
Gamma-Alpha Chapter

fine work on the activities committee, Brother Luther Brown obtained a solid orchestra, and Brother Gene Cowart taking care of housing facilities for the guests. These committees deserve a "big hand" for a job well done. We wish to extend our gratitude to Brother Frank Livingston, City Commissioner of Tuscaloosa, Ala., who secured the Tuscaloosa Country Club for our evening formal.

The afternoon of May 4 finally came around. IKA's and their dates began arriving in large numbers and soon every chapter was well represented. Introductions right and left, old pals and old "flames" talking over old times. The house was actually bulging with IKA's. At 6 o'clock the group was entertained with a buffet supper which was held at the chapter house.

Everyone came dressed for the formal which was to begin at 8 o'clock, so as

soon as the buffet supper was over the four chapters proceeded to the Country Club for a gala time—to last until 12 o'clock. The "Cotton Pickers" orchestra, including a floor show, gave out with some fine music of the solid variety. The punch bowl was kept full of cold, delicious grapejuice for the tiring but happy dancers.

Mrs. Gunter, the official University were: Alfred Parker, SMC of Delta chapter; Randolph Kyzar, SMC, Upsilon chaperon, and Mrs. Snow, Gamma-Alpha's House Mother, were our gracious chaperons during the formal. Just to give you an idea of the magnitude of this thing, there were 275 IKA's and dates here for the weekend. Each visiting chapter was well represented, but Auburn had the others beat by a good margin.

The officers in charge of each chapter did a great job in helping to keep the party organized and moving. These officers who led the respective chapters

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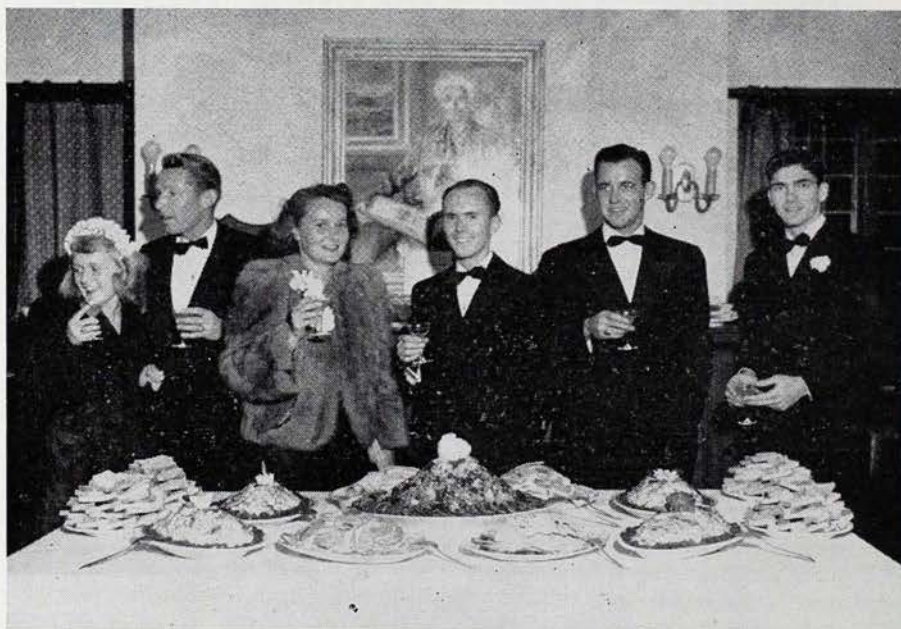
## Alpha-Sigma Social Season Features Many Events

◆ ALPHA-SIGMA chapter pledged 15 men in the spring semester. The group consisted of veterans Louis Assalena, Ken Caldwell, Lee Foster, Dan Hawk, Bob Jarboe, Bud Mello, Bob McCormick, Bud Moore, Dick Miller, and freshmen Ed Chavanette, Carson Heil, Wayne Pricer and Bill Miller.

The social calendar was filled with picnics, date lunches, suppers, and dances. Among the six dances of the semester was a South Sea Island dance which was highlighted by appropriate costumes on those attending. It was decorated with palm trees, ship's bells and lights, diving helmets and many other nautical items.

The main attraction of the year, however, was the annual Pledge Formal at which the Dream Girl is chosen for the year. The evening started with champagne cocktails at the chapter house, then supper at a nearby restaurant. At 9 o'clock the dance began at the Brazilian Room high atop the Berkeley Hills. The presentation of the trophy to the Dream Girl climaxed the affair. This year, the Dream Girl was Miss Molly Mercer. She was crowned by SMC Victor Boisseree while her escort, Alan Baker, ThC, looked on.

A buffet supper was held back at the house at midnight. Our house mother, Mother Camper, was there in all her



Members and guests at a buffet supper at the Alpha-Sigma chapter

house den. Mother Camper's picture is seen in the background.

glory attended by Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Taylor.

With occasional picnics and open houses, the semester came to a successful close.

During the semester, the following men were initiated into the bonds of brotherly love and kind feeling: Robert

Albertini, Clinton Brown, Bill Callendar, John Daniels, Robert King, Robert Lambert, Alan Mattern, David Walters and Robert McGee.

Much credit is due to the capable leadership of SMC Victor Boisseree and IMC Bob McAnaw. Al Baker and Al Mattern filled the ThC and SC posts, respectively.





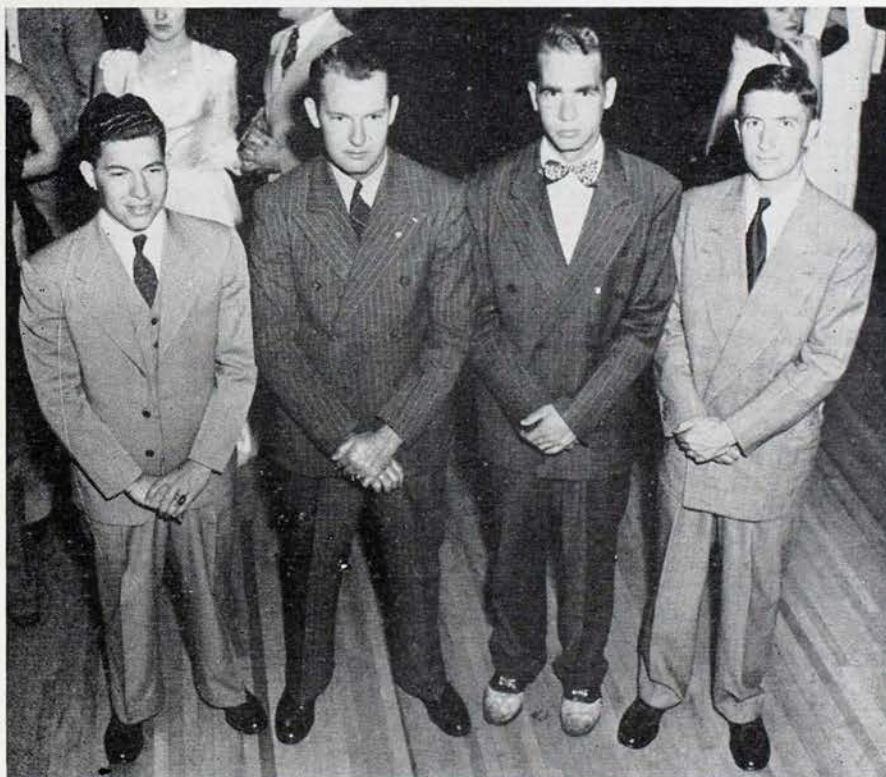
*Members of the four Alabama chapters swing their partners at a dance when Gamma-Alpha played host to Delta, Upsilon and Alpha-Pi in the first "Four-Chapter Week-End" at Tuscaloosa.*

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were: Alfred Parker, SMC of Delta chapter; Randolph Kyzar, SMC, Upsilon chapter; Robert Hollis, SMC, Alpha-Pi; and James Van Hoose, SMC of Gamma-Alpha chapter.

Sunday morning the HKA's and dates were off on a midday picnic to Deal's Lake, just out of Tuscaloosa. Picnic "chow" was plentiful and mighty good out in the open by picturesque Deal's Lake. Sun tans, boating, and swimming were included in the activities. Everyone returned to the chapter house for a few goodbyes, after the picnic was over.

So the grand weekend of the four Alabama chapters came to an end, but not until everyone had expressed his feelings to all the members about the weekend. It was every man's wish that we have another four-chapter weekend next year. We have never before been drawn quite as close to each other—the sense of good fellowship and brotherhood was felt by everyone. So back to our respective chapters we go, with happy memories and faithful promises of promoting another "four-chapter weekend" in 1947.



*Four officers of the various chapters at the week-end are, from left, Alfred Barker, SMC at Delta; Randy Kyzar, IMC at Upsilon;*

*Robert L. Hollis, SC at Alpha-Pi, and James Van Hoose, SMC at Gamma-Alpha.*



# General Hodges Takes New Post

◆ GEN. COURTNEY H. HODGES, Ψ, has assumed command of the First Army and the First Army Area, with headquarters in New York City, in a vast reorganization of the War Department which has abolished the nation's nine Service Commands.

Under the reorganization, the functions of the Service Commands have been taken over by the commanders of the six armies. General Hodges will have command of all troops and army installations in his area except air force troops and certain army installations specifically exempted from his control.

Meantime, more praise for Pi Kappa Alpha's top military leader continues to pile up.

The Perry, Ga., soldier, who rose to four-star rank from the rank of private after "washing out" at West Point, was praised by General of the Army Eisenhower, chief of staff, in a *Saturday Evening Post* serial by Capt. Harry Butcher, naval aide to Eisenhower.

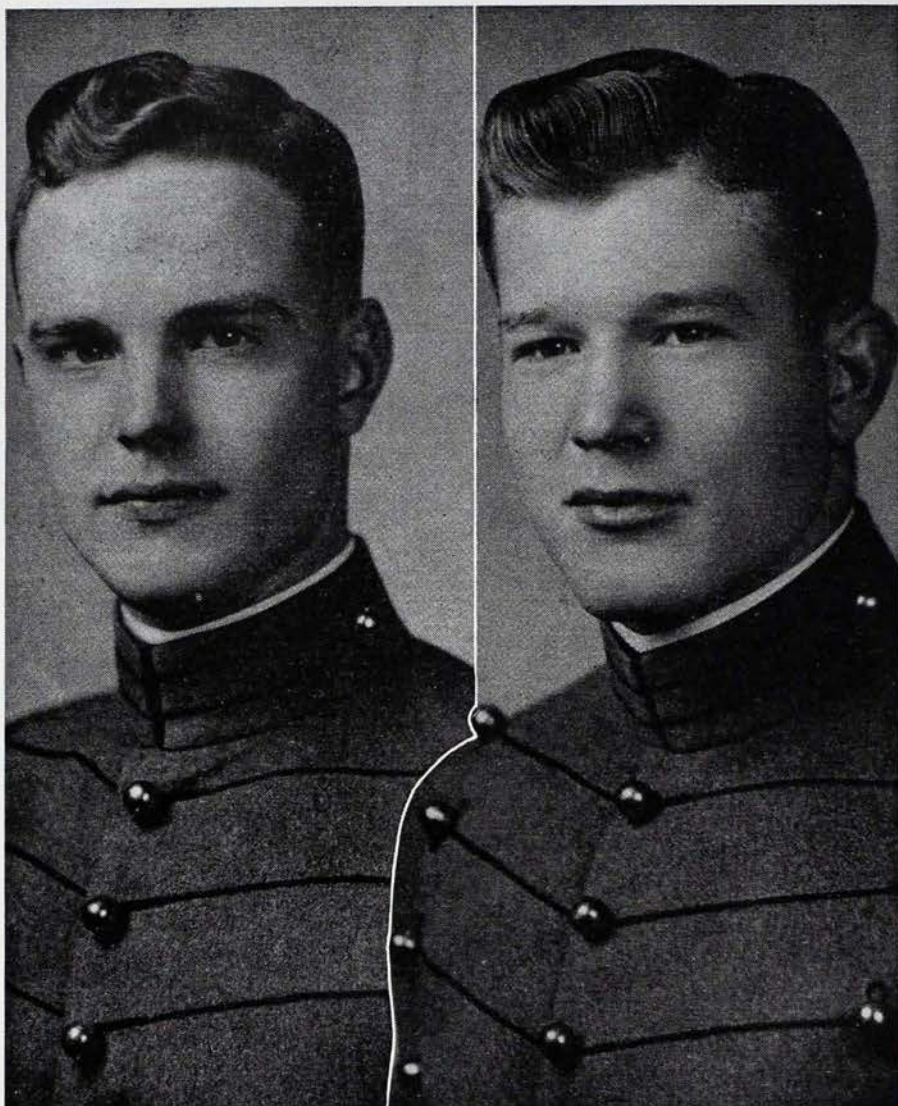
Butcher quoted "Ike" as saying that Hodges had the "most difficult assignment of any U. S. formation" in gaining and establishing a bridgehead at Remagen, in the drive to Paderborn.

Eisenhower expressed a desire to see that General Hodges got full credit in the United States for his great work, but added that war correspondents in Europe and the headline writers at home seemed to have overlooked some of Hodges' great contributions to Allied victory.

Said the *Atlanta Journal*: "Those who watched the Georgia general's triumphant homecoming and his parade through the capital city last year know how ardently he is appreciated in his native state. Nor can there be any doubt of the high measure of fame that history will accord him."

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◆ LT. COMDR. M. O. GILLET, USNR, BX, was recently released from the Navy to inactive duty. A veteran of the Murmansk run, the Sicilian operations at Gela and the landings at Salerno; wounded by shrapnel during the bombing attacks in the Bay of Naples, he wears the Purple Heart and the Silver Star for knocking down three enemy planes in the Mediterranean area.



*Among the graduates of the United States Military Academy at West Point this spring are two Pi Kaps from Gamma-Upsilon chapter—Reginald O. Shaw and Robert Lee (Bobby) Dobbs. Both were commissioned in the Air Corps. While at the Point, Bobby gained the reputation of being one of the Academy's best all-around athletes. He won letters in football, basketball, boxing and baseball. At the Uni-*

*versity of Tulsa, before entering the service as a private, Bobby was a star football and basketball player. He played in the 1943 Sugar Bowl game, and a teammate on the Tulsa team was his famous brother, Glenn Dobbs, Jr., an All-American football player. "Reggie," son of Judge Oras A. Shaw, AO, now a candidate for Congress, was a member of the Army track team.*

## GEORGIA ROA CHOOSES MCFARLAND

◆ NEW vice-president of the northern district of the Reserve Officers' Association of Georgia is Col. Robert M. McFarland, AA, of Atlanta.

Colonel McFarland was elected at the association's first convention since 1941, held in Macon in early May.

He also has been elected senior vice-president of the Fifth (Georgia) Congressional District Chapter, Reserve Officers' Association. McFarland is in charge of public relations of the Southeastern Underwriters Association, in Atlanta, Ga.

## MEDLOCK WINS ARMY AWARD

◆ THE Army Commendation Ribbon has been awarded C. E. Medlock, Ψ, of Atlanta, Ga., in recognition of his "exceptionally meritorious service as assistant personnel officer and liaison officer, civilian branch, Chemical Warfare Center, Edgewood Arsenal, Md."

According to the citation, his tact and discretion in dealing with Civil Service and personnel agencies were outstanding. He assisted in the civilian personnel program at Edgewood when 15,000 civilians were employed. He was released from active duty Jan. 17.



◆ HE LOOKED a lot like his dad, standing there.

There was the same pair of eyes; the ears were set at the same angle, and there was no mistaking the mouth. It had the Schwab determination.

But more than all that, the little boy was anxious to "get on with the game," which was like the restless spirit of his father.

It was Memorial Day in Tulsa, Okla., and little, 4-year-old Stephen Albert Schwab, Jr., was receiving the nation's highest honor for his dad, who died helping American forces take vital Okinawa.

There to help honor the memory of "Al" Schwab was Rear Adm. Joseph J. (Jocko) Clark, one of Oklahoma's greatest heroes of World War II. Al's wife, Kay, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Schwab, were there too.

Al had been a IKA pledge at the University of Tulsa in 1939, then had dropped out of school to get married and make a home. When the war drums sounded, Al was ready to get on with the game—as a member of the U. S. Marines.

He didn't ask for a light job . . . wanted a tough one, in fact. So he was given a flame-thrower as his weapon—as tough an assignment as they could offer.

The day before Ernie Pyle met death, he had visited with Al and the flame-thrower crew. He had written, in one of his last dispatches, of the bravery of Pfc. Albert Schwab, of Tulsa, Okla. Then, soon after Pyle had fallen, Pfc. Al Schwab stopped a Jap bullet May 7, 1945, and they buried him there on Okinawa.



PFC. ALBERT SCHWAB



Four-year-old Stephen Albert Schwab, Jr., wears the Medal of Honor which Rear Admiral Joseph

J. Clark had just given him as his mother looks on.

## Wears Dad's Medal of Honor

nawa when the heat of battle had cooled.

Now it was May 30, 1946, and they were hanging the Congressional Medal of Honor around the neck of the little boy.

He squirmed in youthful impatience as Admiral Clark put the ribboned medal in place. Then, when the photographers asked for a repeat performance, he didn't want to hold still that long all over again. Mrs. Schwab said,

"You don't want to make your mother cry, do you?" so little Stephen consented to "wear that old medal" again.

Said Admiral Clark: "Stephen Albert Schwab could do no better than to carry on in the footsteps of his father. No eulogies can say more than his heroic bravery itself says."

The admiral warned that if we are to prevent other American boys from dying, we must do like Theodore Roosevelt—"walk softly and carry a big stick."



# Survives Sinking of Jap Prison Ship

◆ ONE OF 250 out of 1,619 American prisoners of war to survive the sinking of the unmarked Jap prison ship "Orokyu," Lt. Col. Eugene S. Hicker, BB, is back in Seattle, Wash., with his family.

But the gruesome trip of the Orokyu was only a part of the hell which Colonel Hicker lived to tell about. He returned to the United States by way of Bataan, the "Death March," Camp O'Donnell, Cabanatuan . . . all well known steps in a Jap trail of infamy which only the strongest—or the luckiest—survived.

Colonel Hicker was in the after hold of the Orokyu, the worst of three hellish holds into which the Japs had crammed 1,619 prisoners for transfer from the Philippines to Japan. That was December, 1944.

In that hold, said the *Seattle Daily Times* in a feature story of the colonel's experiences, he saw men "go mad and slash the wrists of their fellows to quench their burning thirst. He saw murder—comrades slaying comrades in the horrible insanity induced by torture."

There was irony in the sinking of the Orokyu, for American planes did the job. Carrier-based American planes were unaware of their countrymen packed in the stinking holds of the ships—for the ships were not marked as prison ships.

The bombs fell; the ship was hope-



LT. COL. EUGENE HICKER

lessly crippled. Timbers, planks and beams tumbled in upon the struggling Americans below. But the bomb also wiped out a suicide guard of Formosan troops, and the Americans who were able got out as fast as they could.

Colonel Hicker recalled, "We had to

leave one poor fellow. He was pinned down by heavy timbers and for the life of us we couldn't get him free. He couldn't have swam ashore anyway, but it was a hard thing to leave him behind."

Colonel Hicker jumped from the burning ship and swam a quarter of a mile to shore—but not to freedom. Most of the Japs had gone ashore before the direct hit on the ship, and were waiting for the prisoners.

The Japs tried two more times before getting the remnant of the prisoners to Japan. The second ship was bombed out of commission in Takao harbor. The third reached Japan, but she had to tow another vessel, disabled by an American submarine's torpedo, half the length of the China Sea at four-knot speed.

Nine months later, Colonel Hicker was liberated from a prison camp in Mukden, Manchuria, by advancing Russian troops.

In the early days of the war on Bataan, Colonel Hicker won the Silver Star Medal, the Purple Heart and three Presidential Unit Citations. His right knee was shattered by Jap machine-gun fire.

The liberated hero, now 44 years old, is a graduate of the University of Washington. He and his wife, June, have one son, Ward, 13 years of age.

## Navy Man Goes Through Nine Major Battles In Pacific

◆ AFTER GOING through nine major battles during 37 months on a battleship in the Pacific, a man is ready to forget all about the war. But Elmer Lee Gentry, IT, had occasion to remember his war service recently, when the Navy Department sent him a citation notifying him he was being awarded the Bronze Star Medal.

The battleship New Mexico was Gentry's home during all his Pacific stay. Twice the ship was struck by Jap suicide planes, the first time killing 16 in Philippine waters, the second time causing the deaths of more than 100 and casualties of 270 in the Okinawa operation.

Gentry, a football star at Tulsa University until being graduated in 1940 and a pro gridder with the Washington Redskins until entering the Navy in

June of 1942, was engineering officer on the New Mexico with the rank of lieutenant.

When the second suicide plane smashed into the ship, he was below deck. But let the citation tell the story:

"For heroic service \* \* \* the ship was struck on the superstructure deck and at the base of the stack, resulting in extensive damage. Despite intense heat, smoke, fire, exploding ammunition and falling debris, he led the fire-fighting party until the fire was extinguished. His prompt and courageous action prevented further material damage to the ship, and the fire from spreading to the lower deck storage.

"His disregard for personal safety and high display of courage were in keeping

with the highest traditions of the United States naval service."

Gentry gave high credit to four other navy men, all enlisted, all of whom also received citations in connection with the incident.

"Those four sailors poured water on me while I fought the fire and they did a big job," he said. "We fought the fire from about 6:30 p. m. to midnight, when we had it under pretty good control. We didn't have any power but the old ship stayed up and lived through the action."

Gentry escaped with only minor burns, and "didn't even have to go to sick bay—I was lucky."

The former Tulsa U. star is planning to enroll at Oklahoma University this fall in the medical school.



◆ You don't have to sell Larry W. Cantrell, BK, on the merits of Anglo-American cooperation, for he's "already undertaken a successful cooperative plan," says the *Emory Alumnus*.

Cantrell, a former Navy lieutenant, welcomed his pretty British bride and their son, when they arrived Feb. 5 aboard the Army transport *Argentina* in the first group of GI wives to come from England.

His wife, the former Miss Norma Snape, of London, and their eight-month-old son, Paul, were transported by the Army by first class to this country, and then furnished rail tickets to their new home.

Mrs. Cantrell, 26, is keenly interested in America in general and Atlanta in particular. She has heard much about Georgia from her husband and augmented his "indoctrination" by reading *Gone With the Wind*, the *Alumnus* reported.

Cantrell, during his career in the Navy, was on the staff of Adm. Harold R. Stark, in London. Mrs. Cantrell was a member of the Woman's Auxiliary Air Force. They met in the British capital and were married in June of 1944.

At the moment, Larry and Norma are faced with the same problem that is plaguing most returning veterans—housing.

## Welcomes British Brides To U. S.



Larry W. Cantrell, Beta-Kappa, welcomes his pretty British bride and their son after the mother and baby arrived in the United States.

## Outboard Champ Opens Research Plant At Tulsa

◆ GAR WOOD, JR., IT, who captured the national collegiate outboard racing title while a student at the University of Tulsa a few years ago, is out of the service, and has returned to Tulsa to open a research plant.

First building of the plant is under construction now, and the new industry will do research work, principally with motors, Wood says.

"We don't know what we will manufacture just yet. We'll make this decision after research work and other plans are completed," he said.

Wood has had wide experience with boat motors and is one of the nation's foremost racing enthusiasts. He was discharged from the Army as a first lieutenant last November after serving as a small boat expert in the Corps of Engineers and in the Transportation Corps.

His wife is the former Katherine Vincent, KA.

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◆ LT. (J.G.) WALDEMAR NEILSON, AN, a former Rhodes scholar, is in Japan on a survey to investigate damage done by American air force bombing. During the war, he was with a destroyer in the Pacific.



Lt. Col. Thomas M. Nesbitt, Jr., T, (right), district chief, Birmingham Ordnance District, receives the Legion of Merit Award by Brig. Gen. Alexander G. Gillespie, chief of industrial services, Office of the Chief of Ordnance, Washington,

D. C. Colone! Nesbitt was cited for "effectively installing and supervising all fiscal procedures for the district, and ably directing its termination and readjustment activities." He began his tour of duty in April, 1941.

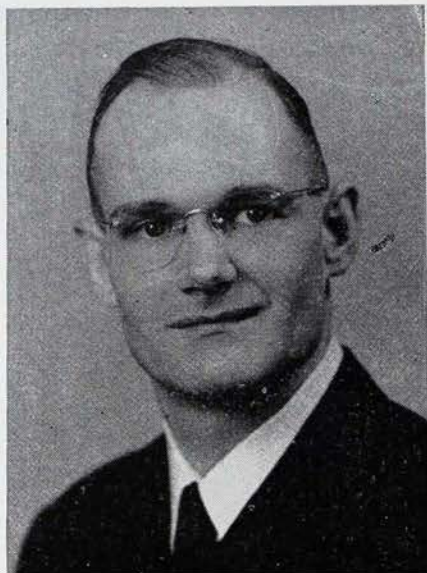


# Estabrooke Named Education Director At Chicago School

◆ DR. E. C. ESTABROOKE, BS, has been appointed educational director of the American School and American Technical Society, Chicago, Ill. He assumed his duties Mar. 1, after being released from the Navy as lieutenant commander. As officer-in-charge of Teacher Training and Training Aids at the Naval Training Schools, Navy Pier, Chicago, since June, 1942, he was responsible for the training of 1,450 civilian and Navy instructors, and the development of over 200 instructional manuals in the aviation, diesel, special devices, electronics, and teacher-training fields.

He has been active in vocational education during the past 14 years, having served as vocational printing instructor in the Norfolk, Va., public schools; graduate scholar and part-time instructor in the Department of Industrial Education, The Pennsylvania State College; director of vocational education in the public schools of Bradford, Pa.; and industrial education advisor, State Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, Pa.

He received his B. S. degree in print-



DR. E. C. ESTABROOKE

ing and publishing at the Carnegie Institute of Technology in 1932; a masters degree in education from The Pennsylvania State College in 1937; and his doctor of education degree (major in

industrial education) from Penn State in 1939.

Dr. Estabrooke is the author of "Safety and Health Instruction and Practice in School Shops" (dissertation, Penn State College, 1939); co-author of "250 Teaching Techniques" (Bruce Publishing Company, 1943); and has contributed numerous articles to "Industrial Arts and Vocational Education Magazine," "The Phi Delta Kappan," and the "National Safety Council Newsletter."

He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa, Iota Lambda Sigma, American Vocational and Illinois Vocational associations, The National Association of Industrial Teacher Trainers, The National Graphic Arts Education Association, National Education Association, and is listed in Who's Who in American Education. He was president of Beta Sigma in 1931.

Dr. Estabrooke's broad experience should assist in the further development of supervised correspondence and home-study training, and in the publication of vocational books to meet specific needs in the vocational and general education fields.

## Leland Gourley Buys Newspaper In Oklahoma

◆ MAJ. LELAND GOURLEY, BO, has purchased the *Henryetta (Okla.) Daily Free-Lance* and has announced his editorial policy "To print all the news and to give it fair and objective treatment—with malice toward none, but protection for none."

The new publisher was on military leave from the Oklahoma City bureau of the Associated Press while serving four years in the Army, during which time he was overseas as an artillery officer in the 94th Division for two years.

He served as a public relations officer in the 3rd Army after V-E day, authoring the 94th Division's official history, "Cannoneers Post." His ETO ribbon bears four battle stars.

Before working for the AP, Gourley was a reporter on the *Seminole Producer*, and while a student at the University of Oklahoma he worked on the *Oklahoma Daily* and the yearbook, and as editor of the *Extension Division News*. As an enlisted man in the Army he edited the Camp Roberts, Cal., *Dispatch*.

## Colmer Heads Committee Making Trip To Russia

◆ HEADING a seven-man House Subcommittee on Postwar Economic policy—the first group of its kind to confer with Marshal Stalin of Russia and British Prime Minister Attlee—was IKA's William M. Colmer, AI (D., Miss.).

The committee traveled two months to compile its facts.

In so many words, the committee told Capitol Hill it's time to "call a spade a spade," and recommended a "take" as well as a "give" policy in international dealings.

As a condition to loans to Russia, the group asked for an "open door" press, information and travel policy in the Soviet, and "clarification" of the Russian position on other points. The committee would have England break down trade barriers which operate to the injury of American interests, virtually binding the colonies to do business with the homeland.

The committee also recommended reconstruction of Germany (without ar-

maments) as a factor in America's world trade, and a revamping of the surplus property program abroad.

Before "many artificial" obstacles to resumption of full world trade can be overcome, Representative Colmer said, "there must be a give and take attitude all around. We feel the United States does not necessarily want to 'take,' but there comes a time when giving must stop and value be received. That time is here."

Concerning the Stalin interview, Colmer said: "We didn't go in for formalities and fulsome praise of Russia—we talked business. We were the first congressional group to see him."

"Yes," said Rep. Clifford R. Hoper (R., Kan.), "and when he reads this report we will probably be the last."

Unanimously recommending that "the American backbone should be stiffened in its negotiations with the European leaders," the group suggested the State Department negotiate for concessions from our allies for at least partial pay-  
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ment for lend-lease. Specifically it suggested the United States be repaid with title to tangible assets on such things as aviation rights, bases, raw materials, buildings and sites for embassies.

Backing the position taken by Secretary Byrnes at the London Conference of Foreign Ministers, Colmer said America had suffered a half million war casualties and accumulated a 250 billion dollar debt during the war, but asked for no territorial gains or reparations such as other countries "are seeking—and getting."

"We feel, therefore," he said, "that America has the right to expect the wholehearted support of its war allies in the restoration and preservation of world peace—its only compensation."

Concerning press access to the Balkans and other countries, the report said:

"The committee feels that the full freedom for entry of our reporters and the protection of our rights to distribute American books, magazines, papers, periodicals and movies in the countries under Russian control in Eastern Europe should be a condition for aid to these countries."

The group also recommended:

Return to United States ownership of as much expended lend-lease materials as possible.

Expanded and improved field forces for disposal of vast surplus supplies.

Use of as many surplus goods as possible, including salvage items, in the United States' contribution to UNRRA.

That foreign applicants for loans first show their willingness to exhaust facilities offered under the Bretton Woods agreement and the American Export-Import Bank.

## New Tulane Department Headed By Dr. Stuart Noble

♦ CREATION of a department of education at Tulane University to provide a comprehensive program of teacher training on all levels from the nursery school up to and including junior colleges has been announced by Rufus C. Harris, president of the university.

The new department will be headed by Dr. Stuart Noble, AB and T, the W. R. Irby professor of education in the university, as chairman, and will begin functioning in September, Dr. Harris said.

It was emphasized that in addition to meeting the needs of the New Orleans area, the plan provides for a department to serve the entire Gulf States region in furnishing teachers on all levels from kindergarten to the end of junior college work. The announcement also pointed out that the department will integrate the miscellaneous courses now offered in education by the college of arts and sciences, Newcomb college, University college and the graduate school. Creation of the department will call for an enlargement of the faculty by several full-time and part-time members.

"Creation of the new department is Tulane's contribution to the recruitment campaign to meet the teacher shortage in the public schools," Dr. Harris said.

"The kindergarten and nursery school course will utilize the facilities of the Newcomb college nursery school and will meet the state requirements for certification in this field. A course for full-time candidates for teaching in the elementary schools will be provided in Newcomb college, this course leading to the bachelor of arts degree and state certification. Part-time students will have an equivalent course in university college."

Strong courses leading to the bachelor's degree and preparation for high school teaching will be offered to men in the college of arts and sciences and women in Newcomb, while University college will also provide courses in secondary education for part-time students, Dr. Harris said in further detailing the plan. A course will be included in physical education in the college of arts and sciences which will lead to certification for high school coaching.

On the graduate level, attention will



**DR. STUART NOBLE**

be directed to the preparation of high school officials for the responsibility of leadership, Dr. Harris continued. Here the vocational factor will be uppermost. Separate programs leading to the master of arts degree have been outlined for prospective superintendents, high school principals, elementary school principals, directors of reference and research, visiting teachers and departmental teachers in junior colleges. Courses for advanced training of other specialists and school officers are in prospect.

"On the graduate and under-graduate levels the quality of instruction will be a prime consideration," Dr. Harris said. "The needs for professional training and state certification will be amply met without impairment of requirements for either the bachelor's or the master's degree."

"Part-time students will be accompanied in the afternoon and evening classes of university college and the graduate school."

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♦ MARK LOVE, AX, was one of the soloists at the Evanston Music Festival, June 15 and 16. The Chicago Opera Company basso was one of the many guest artists who appeared on the program under joint sponsorship of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Girl Scout Council.



# Johnstone Heads Carnegie Fine Arts School

◆ PAINTER, WRITER, architect, sculpturer—that's Prof. B. Kenneth Johnstone, BH, Carnegie Institute of Technology's new director of the College of Fine Arts. He formally assumed his duties Nov. 1.

Professor Johnstone had been head of the Department of Architecture at Pennsylvania State College since 1938. He first joined the department in 1933.

The new director is 38 years of age and is a native of Chicago, Ill. He attended the University of Illinois, where he was granted the degree of B.S. in Architecture in 1928. Among the long list of campus offices he held at Illinois U. was that of SMC of Beta-Eta Chapter.

Mr. Johnstone continued his education at Lake Forest Foundation for Architecture and Landscape Architecture at Yale University, where he was granted the B.F.A. degree in 1929, later studying in Rome at the American Academy until 1932. Before studying abroad, he was a teaching assistant at Illinois U. (1927-28) and at Yale (1928-29).

At Penn State, Professor Johnstone has been successively Assistant Professor of Architecture, Associate Professor of Architecture, and finally head of the department. He also has engaged in private practice.



B. KENNETH JOHNSTONE

His additional duties at Penn State have been as head of the Division of Fine Arts, and the Division of Engineering Drawing. He also was a member of several committees.

Professor Johnstone has traveled throughout the United States, Italy, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, France, England, Holland, Belgium, Denmark,

Sweden, Norway, Finland and Greece. He spent most of 1932 in the Dutch East Indies, China and Japan.

On the island of Bali, he lived and worked for more than five months. He created several outstanding works of art there, both wood sculpture and paintings on silk.

At the Grand Central Art Galleries, New York, he has exhibited drypoint etchings and drawings, paintings done on silk, and Balinese wood sculpture, the first comprehensive exhibit of its kind in this country.

Professor Johnstone, who speaks five foreign languages, also is a prolific writer. He is author of "Restoration of the Baths at Ostia," and co-author of "Building or Buying a House."

Among other professional societies, he is a member of the American Institute of Architects.

He won the Rome Prize in Architecture in 1929 and the Scarab Gold Medal in 1941.

In 1938, Professor Johnstone married Helene H. Hetzel, of State College, Pa. They have two children, Dorn Kenneth, aged four, and Robert Philip, aged one. They reside at 1675 Beechwood Boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## Cooperative Planning Called Need of Higher Education

◆ PREDICTING that "cooperative planning will help the whole cause of higher education," Dr. William P. Tolley, AX, chancellor of Syracuse University, was in the forefront when more than a dozen institutions of higher learning agreed to work jointly on projects of national interest at the annual meeting of the American Council on Education in Chicago recently.

For the past five years Dr. Tolley has headed a cooperative program, sponsored by the Council, and the results produced by the experiment were largely responsible for the concrete planning of an enlarged cooperative group.

The cooperative organization formed at Chicago hopes to tackle research problems in the field of general education—too large to be undertaken by a single college—jointly. Duplication will be avoided and techniques found successful in one college can be used in another.

Dr. Tolley explained the movement: "Each of the institutions which have

now agreed to cooperate on a formal basis will contribute to a central fund, and in addition will contribute to specific projects. Studies may be made in such fields as examinations, student personnel procedures, admissions policies and honors courses.

"For the small college, limited in un-

### MORE MEN EXPECTED

◆ BY NEXT FALL, the number of men students should exceed the number of women students at William and Mary College, according to John E. Pomfret, BH, president.

"Another large group of veterans will register in September," Doctor Pomfret said, "together with the usual group of high school graduates. The entering group of women students will be smaller than that of any of the preceding war years.

"By September, 1947, the ratio of 60 to 40 between men and women students should be reached," he predicted.

dertaking research, there is a great advantage in cooperative studies. For the large institutions, cooperative action should reduce duplication and improve the quality of research studies by providing more adequate resources."

Dr. Tolley said it was essential that the colleges know where they are going in the next five years and understand their objectives.

Citing what can be done through cooperative action, he pointed to a jointly operated college which will be opened in the state of New York at a de-activated military installation. Ten institutions will cooperate in furnishing instruction and facilities, to help meet the swell of veteran enrollments.

The institution, where veterans will have a priority, will be a two-year junior college.

"I am convinced that through cooperative planning we can help the whole cause of higher education," Dr. Tolley concluded. "This movement is a highly significant step in the right direction."



## President Truman Compliments IIKA Editor



**BENNETT ROACH**

◆ **PRESIDENT TRUMAN** enjoyed the *Shelby News*' accounts of his daughter's visit to Shelbyville, Ky., during the Derby week end so much that he has written Bennett Roach, K, editor-manager of the newspaper, the following letter:

"I just finished reading *The Shelby News* recording the visit of my daughter to Shelbyville and I want you to know how much I appreciate your kind treatment of my daughter, while she was in the native county of my four grandparents.

"The news story was beautifully done; the editorial was highly appreciated; and the columns 'Who'd A-Thought It' and 'Home Town Chatter' were as nicely done as anything of the sort I have ever seen.

"Sincerely yours,  
"Harry Truman."

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◆ **THE HOME** of P. D. Christian, Jr., BK '28, on his Powers Ferry Road estate, Atlanta, Ga., was destroyed by fire on the night of Dec. 20. The family escaped without injury but the house and furnishings were total loss. Christian is president of Christian & Bell, Inc., general contractors, and is chairman of the Pi Kappa Alpha Chapter House Commission.

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◆ **TROYE J. KENNON**, FT, of Tulsa, assistant county attorney until he went into the Coast Guard in November, 1942, is expected to be renamed to that post. Kennon was a football star at the University of Tulsa.

## Iota Looks Ahead For Banner Year

◆ **IOTA** has closed for the summer after a very successful year, in spite of all of the difficulties of reactivation.

Brother George Long Cooper, with the help of Brother P. Tulane Atkinson, alumnus advisor, undertook the tremendous task of reopening the chapter last November, and they both deserve much praise for the splendid job they have done.

With the opening of the spring term in March, four veteran brothers and two pledges returned to Iota, which brought the chapter total up to eight members and eight pledges. In April six more pledges were added, all of whom have been initiated.

Next year should be one of our most successful, with the return of many more brothers from the service, several of whom are star athletes.



*Members of revitalized Iota chapter at Hampden-Sydney College are pictured above. Left to right, first row, Craddock, Kostel, Cooper, Jeffreys, Winfield; second row, Werder, Spratley, Rowe, Balas, Graves; third row, Loneragan, Fore-*

## TUTTLE SPEAKS BEFORE SOJOURNERS

◆ **COL. ELBERT P. TUTTLE**, BΘ, who commanded the 304th Field Artillery and who was plans and training officer for the 77th Division during World War II, was the principal speaker when the Fort McPherson chapter No. 60, National Sojourners, met recently in Atlanta, Ga.

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◆ **JOHN M. WHEELER, JR.**, BΘ, former Army major, served as county judge pro tem of Tulsa County, Okla., during the month of June.

John and his brother Bob, also BΘ, have established law practices in Tulsa.

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◆ **GENERAL** agent for the Progressive Life Insurance Co., Atlanta, Ga., is Alton B. Hollis, BK.

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◆ **W. LORING FERGUSON, AΔ**, of 339 Carondelet St., New Orleans, La., has been named to the executive committee of the board of officers of the National Association of Insurance Agents.

*man, Greenland, Campbell, Barnett. Not present when the picture was made were Brothers Collins, B. Gilmer, T. Gilmer, Talley, LaBonte, Parrish, and Van Ness, bringing the chapter total to 22.*



## Many IKA's Figure In Post-War Changes In Business, Industry

◆ POST-WAR reorganization of business and industry has put many IKA's in new positions of added responsibility and prestige, a review of available information reveals.

Archie L. Lee, AA, vice-president of the widely known D'Arcy Advertising Agency of St. Louis, now occupies the newly created post of board chairman of the firm.

A one-time Atlanta newspaper feature writer, Lee joined the D'Arcy organization in 1919, and has seen the agency grow to a position among the 10 largest agencies (with 1944 billings of more than \$20,000,000).

He has handled, among other accounts, the Coca-Cola advertising for 20 years, largest and oldest D'Arcy account. Lee for years has supervised the sharp and smooth Coca-Cola operation. He hatched such classics as "The Pause That Refreshes" and set new highs in advertising art standards (and budgets), but he figures the neatest trick of all was weaning the nation to the bottle, according to *Tide* magazine.

Lee is responsible for "Pretty girls with bottles in hand, grinning gaily from color pages, billboards, newspapers, car cards and soda fountains everywhere," says *Tide*.

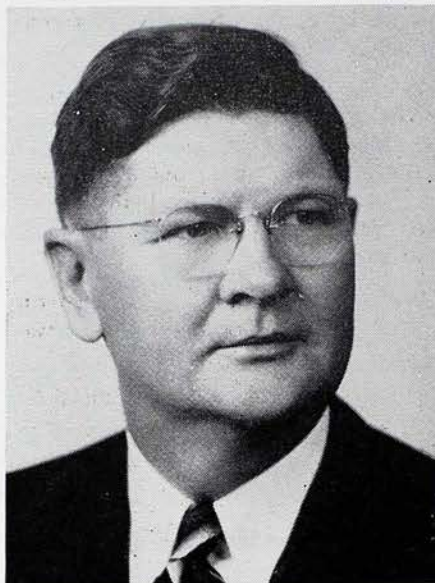
Another new title has gone to Andrew H. Knight, AII, who is now general attorney for the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company. Knight's new position became effective in February, and was announced from the Birmingham, Ala., headquarters of the company.

In the rapidly-expanding field of air travel, Joseph W. Stout, Jr., IKA during his undergraduate days at Mississippi State, has been promoted to the post of Birmingham general manager for Pennsylvania-Central Airlines. He will assume direction of all PCA activities in the Birmingham area.

Stout joined PCA in 1938 as an operations agent in Detroit, later serving as transient station manager until 1940, when he went to Knoxville as manager, preparatory to the opening of the New York-Pittsburgh-Knoxville route. He successively became station field supervisor for the PCA system, station manager in Pittsburgh, and assistant chief of air cargo development. He goes to his new post from that of supervisor of ground equipment development.

After attending Mississippi State, he

## Dr. Hissong Named Head Of Ohio's School System



DR. CLYDE HISSONG

◆ CLYDE HISSONG, AB, dean of the College of Education, Bowling Green State University, since 1929, became Ohio's twenty-seventh chief state

enrolled at Detroit University, where he was graduated in aeronautical engineering. He wrote a thesis on a new air route linking Detroit with Sault Ste. Marie, and became agent, in his first job with PCA, of the route he proposed in college.

Another success story is that of H. P. Gravengaard, IB, who has been appointed managing editor of the Diamond Life Bulletins Agent's Service.

Said Howard J. Burrige, president of the National Underwriter Co., in announcing Gravengaard's promotion:

"During his entire business life, he has been a successful salesman, teacher, and administrator. One summer during college years, he sold books, and averaged a profit of \$32 a day. His first two weeks selling life insurance in Syracuse—a strange city—he sold \$75,000. The following two weeks, he duplicated this record in Boston. Then he went to New York City, and kept right on selling as if he had lived there all his life. He's been a salesman ever since.

"Pete is one of those fellows who 'practices what he preaches.' He has never stopped learning. During the past few years, he has taken refresher courses in business law; taxes, both state and

school officer, under Governor Lausche's appointment of him as superintendent of public instruction for a four-year term.

Dr. Hissong, a native of West Milton, O., attended Earlham College, received his B. S. in education at Miami University, his M. A. at Columbia, and his Ph. D. at Ohio State University.

His teaching and administrative experience includes positions as rural teacher at Englewood, township school principal at Riley, director of Farm Life School at Vass, N. C., assistant superintendent of the Butler County schools, instructor at Miami University and at Ohio State University, director of the training school at Bowling Green, and dean at that University.

Editorial comment in the public press has given high praise to Dr. Hissong's qualifications for his new post and has commended Governor Lausche for his selection of the state's chief school officer.

Dr. Hissong was chapter advisor before he accepted the new position.

federal; accounting; statistics; advertising; and practical psychology. His point of view is positive and up-to-date."

In the three years that he has served as associate editor of the Diamond Life Bulletins, Gravengaard has become a national life insurance figure, having published numerous books, brochures and pamphlets, and speaking before Life Underwriters in all parts of the country. More than 80,000 copies of his insurance books have been sold.

He is a graduate of the University of Nebraska, and did graduate work at Harvard University.

Also in the life insurance business, William Harwell Thrasher, BK, has been named secretary-manager of the Georgia Association of Insurance Agents.

A native of Watkinsville, Ga., Thrasher was graduated from Emory University in 1939, receiving his degree in business administration. He entered the service in 1942, and from March, 1944, to December, 1945, he saw duty in Australia, New Guinea, the Philippines and Korea.

Laurence F. Lee, BA, is a member of the committee on arrangements for the hemispheric insurance conference to be held in New York May 14-16 under the

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sponsorship of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States and the Inter-American Council of Commerce and Production. He is president of the Peninsular Life Insurance Co., Jacksonville, Fla.

Other IKA's whose insurance activities have been reported to THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND: E. Scott Hale, AA and T, who is now manager of the claims department of the American Insurance Co., Newark, N. J., and W. Lawson G. Johnson, AA, special agent for the American Insurance Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Another IKA who has made education his career captured the news spotlight recently. He is President James D. Hoskins, Z, of the University of Tennessee, who was given a large scrapbook by Tennessee alumni on his three-quarters-of-a-century natal day.

The scrapbook is filled with letters sent him by GI alumni in all parts of the world.

"It's one of my most treasured possessions," he said. "Many of the letters were written from foxholes in Europe and the Pacific."

At the University of Oklahoma, Herbert H. Scott, B0, has announced his resignation from the position of extension director. The former president of District 14 had been extension director at OU for 20 years. He was in the navy from 1943 to 1945.

A. A. Miller, Δ, is now superintendent of schools at Greenville, Ala. He earned an AB degree at Birmingham-Southern, then took his MS from Auburn in 1941.

Clyde M. Wood, AA, is representative of the Automatic Sprinkler Corporation of America, with headquarters at the Esplanada Hotel, San Paulo, Brazil.

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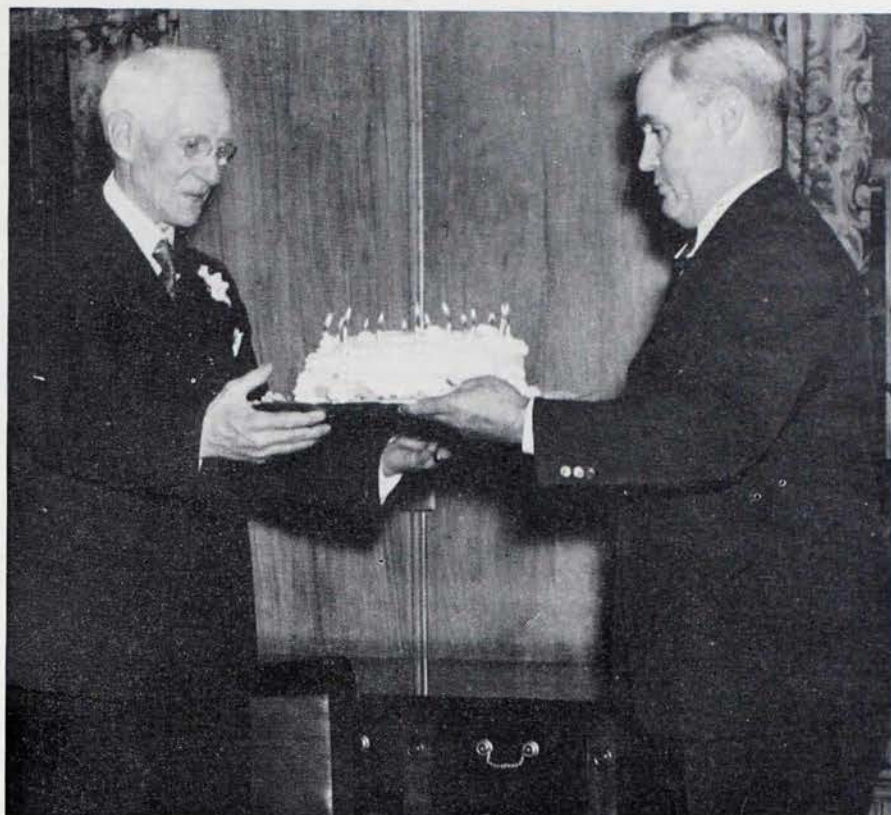
◆ ALVA L. DORN, AN, has become managing editor of the *Monroe* (Mich.) *Evening News*.

Dorn went to Monroe from Schenectady, N. Y., where he was city editor of the *Union-Star* for five years and a member of the editorial department staff since 1937. Previously he had worked for the *Gloversville* (N. Y.) *Morning Herald*, the *New Orleans* (La.) *Item* and the *Pine Bluff* (Ark.) *Commercial* and the *Pine Bluff Daily Graphic*. He attended the University of Missouri. Mrs. Dorn and their daughter, Mary Rose, will join him in Monroe at the end of the school year.

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◆ T. PAUL MOODY, ΓΔ, of Los Angeles, has retired as national judge advocate of the AMVETS (American Veterans of World War II) which recently closed a three-day meeting.

Jack Sutherlin, II, of New Orleans, a jewelry salesman, has the pin contract for the organization.



*Dr. James D. Hoskins, Z, left, received a birthday cake from a representative of the University of*

*Tennessee alumni on his 75th anniversary.*

## Education Board Chooses Newton

◆ RECENTLY elected to the presidency of the Virginia State Board of Education was Blake Tyler Newton, Γ.

Newton is well known in the field of education. He received his teacher's diploma from William and Mary College in 1910 and commenced his teaching career in Cumberland County, Virginia. Two years later he was named superintendent of schools for Richmond and Westmoreland counties and since that time has been re-elected every four years without opposition.

He studied law at home and passed the bar in 1919. While prominent in legal, banking, church and civic affairs of his community, it has been in the field of education that Newton has attracted state-wide attention.

He was first appointed to the state board in 1937. Elected to Phi Beta Kappa in 1922, he received his master's degree from William and Mary in 1941.

Two sons also attended William and Mary, and were members of Gamma chapter. They were Blake Tyler Newton, Jr., and Edward Colston Newton.

## 2 IKA's Help Establish Library

◆ PLAYING a big part in the celebration of the formal announcement of establishment of the John Louis Kesler Circulating Library for Rural Ministers at Vanderbilt University were two IKA's, both members of the faculty.

They were Dr. A. F. Kuhlman, Δ, director of the Joint University Library, and Dr. J. K. Benton, Δ, dean of the School of Religion.

"This library furnishes an opportunity to develop here in Nashville the equivalent of a great post-graduate school for the ministers of the South," Dr. Kuhlman declared.

"A library for rural ministers is of particular significance in the field of theological education," Dean Benton said, "for at least three-fourths of the graduates of theological schools begin their ministry in rural or small town parishes."

The library has been endowed by a gift of \$50,000 from Dr. Kesler, professor emeritus of religious education at Vanderbilt.



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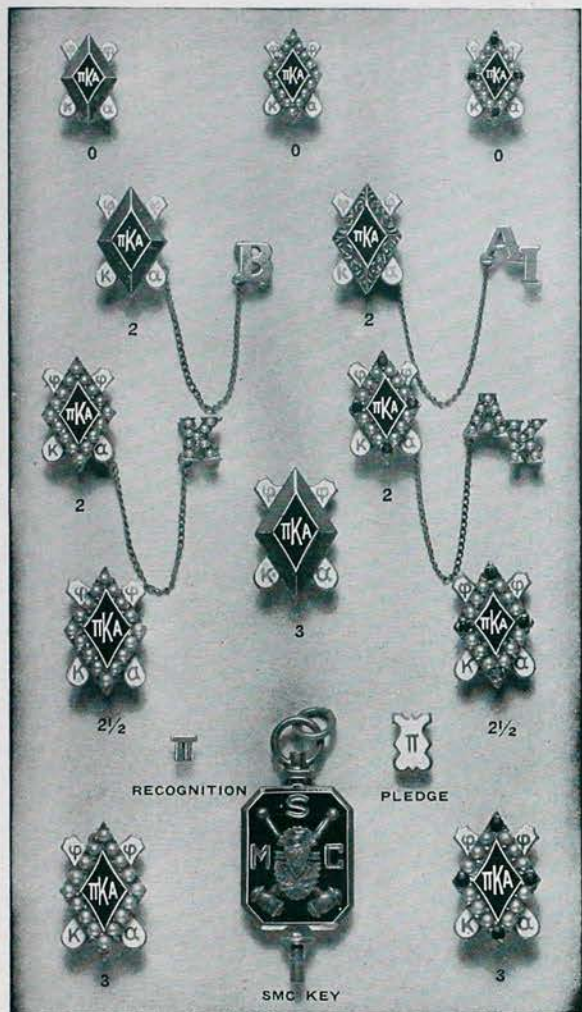
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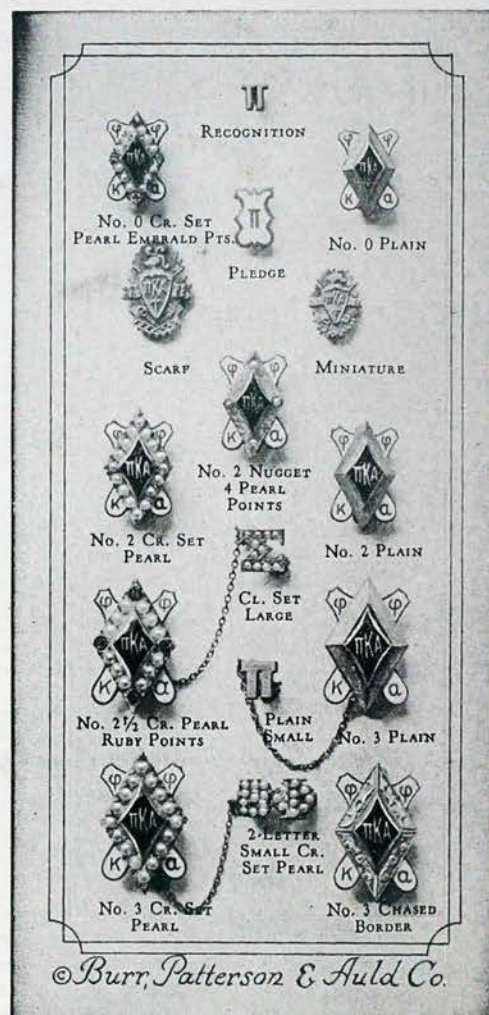
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