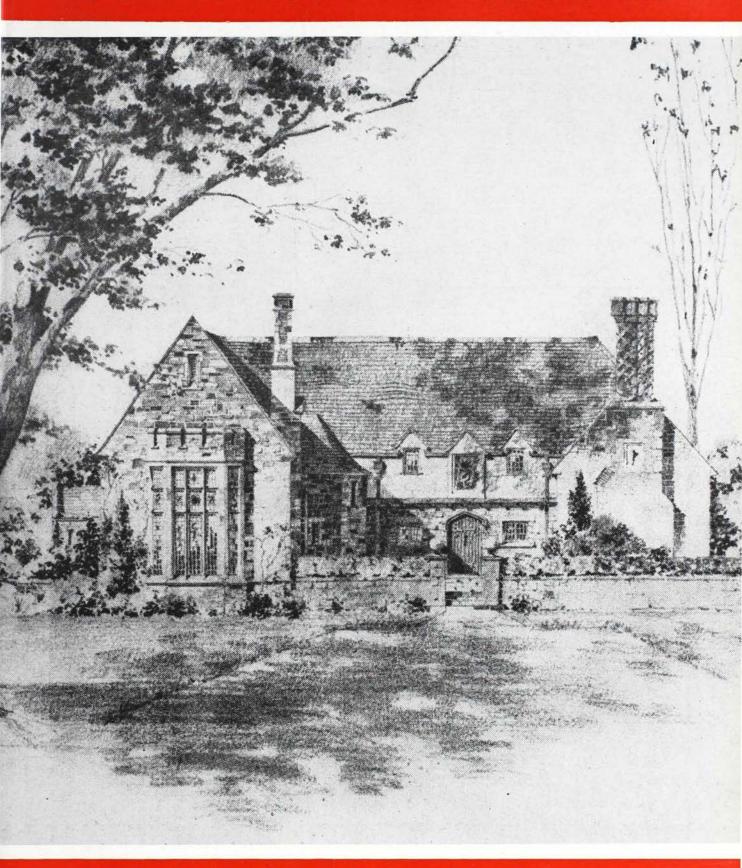
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Fred Honkala, FM and AN, professor of geology at the University of Michigan, writes that Dr. Ralph Belknap, BT, famous geologist, has been in University hospital at Ann Arbor, for two years. While teaching the university summer geology class at Camp Davis, Wyo., he fell and broke his neck. This caused paralysis from his neck down. Dr. Belknap has gained international fame as an Arctic explorer.

Honkala said members of the Michigan geology department have given Dr. Belknap a record player and have donated blood. He said Dr. Belknap needs a projection machine and ceiling screen so he can read.

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#### EXECUTIVE SECRETARY IN ATLANTA HOSPITAL

♦ Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn suffered an intestinal hemorrhage Feb. 13 and was taken immediately to Crawford Long Hospital, Atlanta, where he was scheduled to be confined for at least two weeks. His condition was reported improving as this issue went to press.

### Editor's Notebook

♦ This issue is going to every IIKA whose present address is known in the National Office. Since 1927, \$10 from each initiate's fee is placed in The Shield and Diamond Endowment Fund, which entitles the member to a subscription for life to the magazine. Persons initiated before 1927 may become life subscribers by sending \$10 to National Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn, 771 Spring St., N. W., Atlanta, Ga. The magazine is printed quarterly and attention is given both to active chapters and the alumni. Contributions are solicited from every mem-

This issue follows the same pattern as previous ones except for the "new look" in the directory pages and another ad as O. C. Tanner & Co. has been added as an official jeweler.

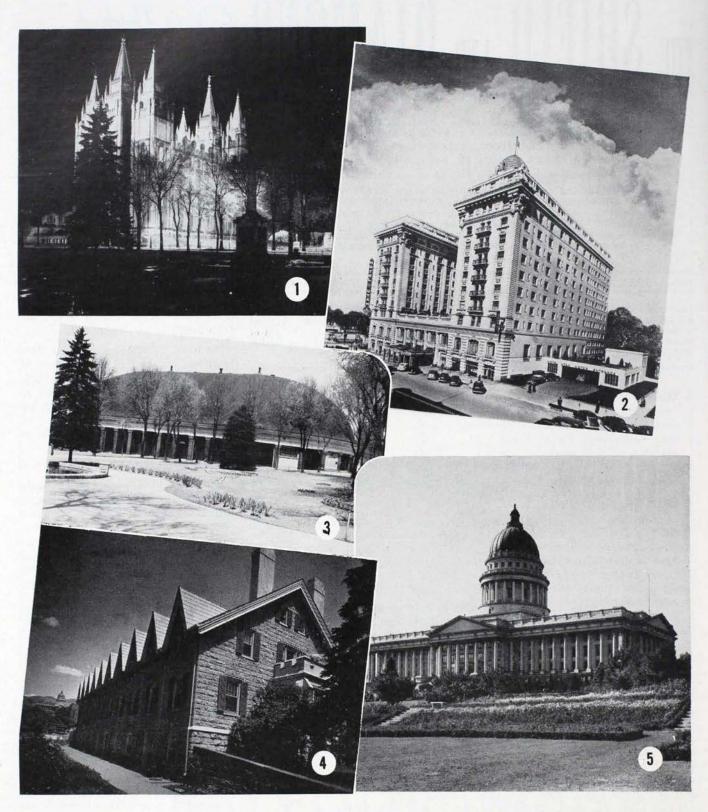
As usual, several good stories have been left out of this issue because of space limitations and some active chapters sent their information too late to appear in this issue. That is another reason for you non-subscribers to send your ten fish to the National Office so you won't miss an issue.

By the time this issue is in the mails, many chapters, both active and alumni, will have observed another Founder's Day. This day, Mar. 1, continues to gain in importance in the Fraternity picture. The Fraternity has been close to the heart of Dr. George Summey for 78 years of its existence and the delightful 95-year-old former national officer is making the trip from his home in New Orleans to Atlanta to make a Founder's Day address.

Founder's Day is an appropriate time for all to rededicate themselves to their Fraternity. The Fraternity has something everyone desires but comparatively few are privileged to have. Let us appreciate it more and more.

"While recently on a business trip in England, visiting one of my relatives, I ran across the April, 1931, issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND, which included a story of my activity in Alaska. I did not save any copies of this issue when they were printed. I am wondering if it might be possible to obtain a copy for my family's use?"-Joseph Shaw, AΣ, 149 Beechwood Drive, Oakland, Calif.

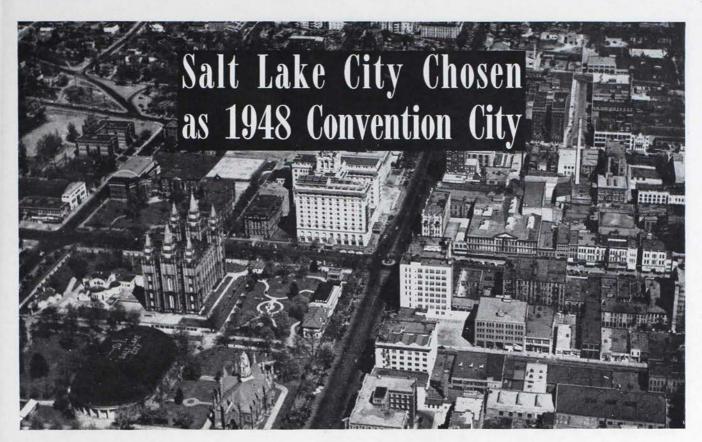
Anyone with an extra copy of this issue like to accommodate Brother Shaw?



In beautiful Salt Lake City, the 80th Anniversary Convention of Pi Kappa Alpha will be held Aug. 16-19. Some of the points of interest in this unique city are (1) Famed Temple Square which is just across the street from Hotel Utah (2) which is convention headquarters. This is a night view of the Mormon Temple, mecca of the faithful of the Church of Jesus Christ of Lat-

ter Day Saints. Temple Square occupies a full city block in the heart of downtown Salt Lake City. No. 3 is a view from the inside of Temple Square which will be seen by visiting Pi Kappa Alphas. They will thrill at the round-domed tabernacle, where every Sunday morning emanates a coast-to-coast broadcast of the tabernacle choir. No. 4 is a historic landmark of downtown

Salt Lake—the Lion House. This is the former residence of Brigham Young, who led pioneers into Utah 101 years ago. In the background and No. 5 is the state capitol building, overlooking Salt Lake City, a nearly perfect duplication of the national capitol. Utah, being a state of monuments and beauty, abounds in trees, greenswards and flowers.



## 80th Anniversary Meeting to Open On August 16

♦ ONE hundred one years after Brigham Young led a hardy band of pioneers into the valley which is now known as Salt Lake City, another band of determined men will enter the valley for another purpose: the 80th anniversary convention of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity.

This is the first time that Alpha-Tau chapter on the University of Utah campus have been hosts to such an auspicious group. And no stones are being left unturned in an effort to make this convention the most unforgettable fraternity convention in Pi Kappa Alpha's long and noble history.

The Salt Lake alumni organization, meeting Jan. 15, organized themselves into fast acting committees that will be able to take care of every convention visitor's needs during the five-day stay in August.

General chairman of the convention, from a local angle, anyway, is Dan Eastman, public relations director, University of Utah, and former university student body president. He will be assist-

#### By AL THOMAS Gamma-Epsilon Chapter

ed by Al Thomas, FE, handling the publicity; Bob Cutler, AT, in charge of the date bureau; Roland Christopherson, AT, transportation; Robert Rohlfing, AT, entertainment; Harvey Ross, AT, dance committee; housing and prices, Grant MacFarlane, AT, Bob McKay, AT, and Harold Miller, AT.

Plans are being coordinated through the district representative, J. Grant Iverson, AT.

Hotel Utah has been selected as the convention headquarters and all activity will stem from there. However, there is so much to do in and around Salt Lake City that convention visitors will have a difficult time taking everything in. Here are some of the projects that are in the mill: Big barbecue and old-fashioned program at Brighton, a beautiful canyon resort 20 minutes from Hotel Utah; bathing and beach party in Great Salt Lake, where everyone can swim and where it is impossible for anyone to sink; dancing atop beautiful Hotel Utah in the breath-taking "Starlite Gardens"; tour of Salt Lake City and surrounding spots, including Bingham canyon where the greatest open pit mine in the world exists; and many other items of interest.

The active chapter on the university

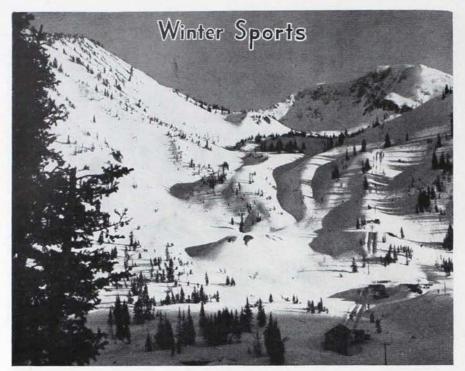
## Dan Eastman Named Chairman Of Gala Event

campus are also being included in the "on the ball" list of locals who are striving to make the convention an outstanding one. Gamma-Epsilon chapter, Utah State Agricultural College, is also lending an assist and will send crews down from Logan, 80 miles away, to help out on the committee work.

The Governor of Utah, Hon. Herbert B. Maw; Salt Lake City's Mayor Earl J. Glade and President George Albert Smith, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormons) will all be on hand to greet the visitors.

The world famous L. D. S. tabernacle will present a concert of organ music for the convention visitors and other local musical organizations will be available for convention purposes.

Yes, Salt Lake City, just emerging from a tremendous centennial celebration, will be ready and waiting for the hundreds of members of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity to show them the greatest sample of Western hospitality that it is possible to dish out.



This snow-covered sports mecca is but 20 minutes from the heart of Salt Lake City. And there have been many summers when August found snow in this area as fre-

quently as it would in December. Here is one of the places where members of the U. S. Olympic ski teams were selected.

## Travel Agents Can Help Arrange Special Service to Convention

♦ ACTIVE chapters and alumni groups are asked to seek out travel information from travel agents in their vicinity so that convention delegates may travel together as far as possible to Salt Lake City.

If a sufficient number of advance reservations can be made, it is possible that three special trains from the East may carry delegates to the convention city.

There are three principal gateways from the East to Salt Lake City. Delegates from New York, Philadelphia and Washington probably will move through Chicago. Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, southern Ohio, Tennessee and Missouri will go through the St. Louis-Kansas City gateway. Southeastern delegates and visitors will move through the New Orleans gateway.

A special Pullman car can be arranged with a minimum of 18 first class fares. If a sufficient number of Pullman cars arrive at either of the gateways about the same time, it is entirely possible that they would be combined for a special train.

Special service will allow stopovers

at points of interest en route and the car may be routed one way going to Salt Lake City and another way returning.

As an example, the Seaboard Air Line Railroad at Jacksonville has prepared the following basic schedule, making no provisions for stopovers and using regular schedules and regular equipment going and returning:

Leave Miami, SAL, 9 a. m. 1st day.

Arrive Jacksonville, SAL, 7:25 p. m. 1st day.

Leave Jacksonville, SAL, 11:30 p. m. 1st day.

Arrive New Orleans, L&N, 8:05 p. m. 2nd day.

Leave New Orleans, T&P, 11:30 p. m. 2nd day.

Arrive Fort Worth, T&P, 2:45 p. m. 3rd day.

Leave Fort Worth, Burlington, 3:10 p. m. 3rd day.

Arrive Denver, Burlington, 8:15 a. m. 4th day.

Leave Denver, D&RGW,\* 2 p. m. 4th day.

Arrive Salt Lake City, D&RGW, 7:25 a. m. 5th day.

\* Via Moffett Tunnel.

Returning:

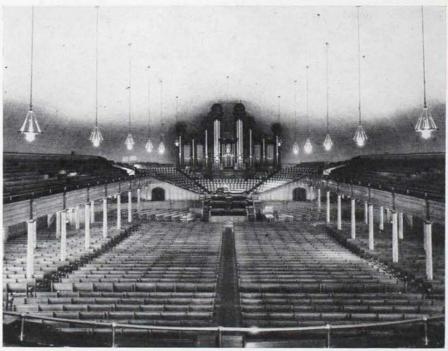
Leave Salt Lake City, D&RGW,\* 8:50 p. m. 1st day.

Arrive Pueblo, D&RGW, 3:10 p. m. 2nd day.

Leave Pueblo, Burlington, 3:30 p. m. 2nd day.

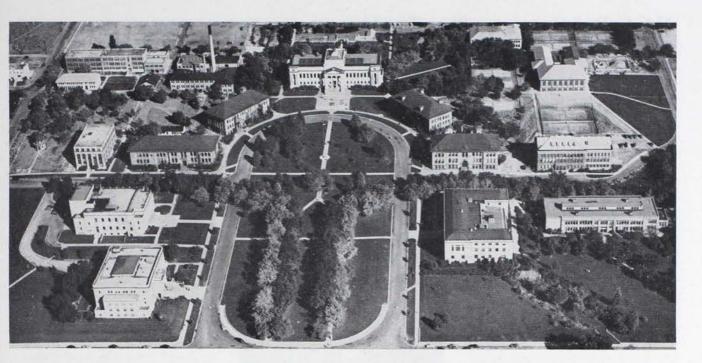
Arrive Fort Worth, Burlington, 7:20 a. m. 3rd day.

Leave Fort Worth, T&P, 4:50 p. m. 3rd (Continued on page 19)



Inside the L. D. S. tabernacle, the acoustics are so perfect that one can actually hear a pin dropped in any section of this famous struc-

ture. The famed tabernacle organ is in the background. More than 8,000 persons can be seated here.



With Alpha-Tau chapter being the convention host, it is only natural that an aerial shot of the University of Utah campus should be in-

cluded. Here is where the National Officer School will be held. Not shown in the picture, is the athletic plant, including a 30,000-seat

stadium and a field house seating 6,000 fans who jam the campus to watch the national champions of 1947 in action.

## Pi Kappa Alpha to Hold 1st National Officers School At University of Utah on Eve of Convention

♦ A TRAINING SCHOOL for district presidents and chapter officers will be held in Salt Lake City on the three days immediately preceding the 80th anniversary convention, according to National President John L. Packer.

"The Supreme Council has wished for some time to institute a training school for district presidents and chapter officers," President Packer said in announcing the program. "Plans now have been made for Pi Kappa Alpha's first national officers school. Let me urge every chapter to have representatives on hand for this important course of instruction."

Registration will take place Friday morning, Aug. 13, in Salt Lake City. Classes will begin immediately after the noon meal and a full schedule will occupy those in attendance on Friday afternoon and all day Saturday. On Sunday, the program will be curtailed, but will be highlighted by the presentation of a model initiation ceremony.

President Packer will be director of the school. Various National Officers will be asked to handle a particular phase of the instructions. "It will be a real work session with a minimum of speeches and a maximum of concrete, pertinent discussions of procedures, policies and problems of chapter operation," President Packer said.

The University of Utah has agreed to provide room and meals at a very nominal cost to each man attending this school. This will minimize the expense considerably. Since the National Fraternity provides transportation to and from Salt Lake City for each official delegate to the National Convention the cost to each chapter or individual will be small.

"We are urging each chapter to send two of its newly elected chapter officers who will serve their chapter in the fall of 1948," President Packer said. "We expect an average attendance of at least two men from each chapter, but welcome as many members of the fraternity as can attend. The district presidents will also be in attendance.

"The National Fraternity sends each chapter a check for transportation to the convention, equivalent to the cost of first class round trip railroad fare plus lower berth Pullman. We strongly urge each chapter to arrange for its delegate to go by automobile so that several may attend without additional transportation cost.

"This school will be a work session. We feel it will greatly assist each officer and member of the fraternity in directing the affairs of his chapter thereafter. A discussion of the whys and wherefores of certain policies and procedures of the fraternity will take place and a comprehensive picture of your fraternity as a national organization will be gained. You will know your fraternity after having attended this meeting."

The school will adjourn Sunday evening and delegates will transfer to the Hotel Utah and other hostelries for the regular convention which President Packer will call to order Monday morning, Aug. 16. The Salt Lake City alumni are making elaborate plans for entertainment, social and otherwise, during the convention.

Plan now to attend the pre-convention officers school. We want you there!

## **IIKA Publications Trophy Honors** Famous Alpha-Rho Alumnus

♦ A CHAPTER publication trophy, honoring Karl B. Pauly, AP, chief editorial writer for the Ohio State Journal, Columbus, Ohio, has been given to the National Office by Alpha-Rho chapter at Ohio State University.

It will be on display at the National Convention at Salt Lake City and will be awarded to the winning chapter at the convention. National Editor J. Blanford Taylor is drafting a set of standards and a grading system so the winning publication can be selected.

Speaking for the Supreme Council, Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn

"We sincerely appreciate the thought and act of Alpha-Rho chapter in making this trophy available.'

A majority of the chapters have chapter publications of various types. Some are mimeographed sheets folded or stapled together while others are nicelyprinted booklets or folders, the product of letter presses.

It is expected that content, originality, and regularity of publication will be among the points deciding the win-

Chapters will be circularized shortly



Miss Mary Lewis and John Horton, of the National Office, hold the Karl B. Pauly Chapter Publication Trophy, given by Alpha-Rho chap-ter at Ohio State University in honor of a famous alumnus of the chapter.



KARL B. PAULY

from the National Office for information upon which the trophy will be awarded.

Pauly was statehouse reporter, legislative correspondent, political writer and columnist for the Ohio State Journal for 20 years before he was named chief editorial writer.

Prior to that he was a statehouse man for the Associated Press from 1925-27. From 1923-24 he was Sunday editor and later city editor of The Middletown (Ohio) Journal.

While an undergraduate at Ohio State University, 1919-23, he was successively reporter, sports editor, news editor and feature editor of the Ohio State Lantern, campus daily. At the same time he was university sports correspondent for the Columbus Dispatch.

His interest in college sports, particularly football, has carried over to the present day. For the last 11 years, he has been chairman of The Journal Quarterback Club, in Columbus, an organization of 700 downtown Columbus business and professional men who are close followers of Ohio State football.

For the last two years, Pauly has been lecturer on "Reporting Public Affairs," a course for juniors and seniors in the School of Journalism at Ohio State.

He is a former president of the Mc-Cormick Hall Association, the organization of Alpha-Rho chapter alumni, and at present is chairman of the New Chapter House Fund Committee which is raising money for the construction of a new chapter house at Ohio State for Pi Kappa Alpha.

He is author of a biography of former Gov. (now U. S. Senator) John W. Bricker of Ohio published by G. P. Putnam Sons, New York, and widely used during the 1944 national campaign in which Bricker was the Republican vicepresidential nominee.

For two months during the 1944 campaign, Pauly obtained leave of absence from the Ohio State Journal and served as publicity director for the Bricker campaign, being in charge of press relations on the special train which made a coast-to-coast tour.

Also he was a contributor several years ago to True Detective Mysteries magazine. He is treasurer of, and for a number of years was secretary of, the Ohio Legislative Correspondents Association, the organization composed of newspaper men having press privileges

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#### KARL B. PAULY

3008 Neil Avenue

COLUMBUS 2, OHIO

November 30, 1947.

Dear Dave:

I want to tell you again how deeply I appreciate the honor you bestowed upon me in presenting the National Fraternity with a trophy bearing my name. It was so thoughtful of you and such a clever, as well as purposeful idea. I do not feel that I deserve it, but it is gratifying to know that you think maybe I do. I feel as if you had provided me with a bit of immortality. May God bless you all.

Yours in the bonds,

KARL.

## War Memorial Drive Opens March 1 in Memphis

♦ An active campaign to raise funds for the War Memorial Building, to perpetuate the memory of the men who gave their lives in World War II and to preserve the ideals of Pi Kappa Alpha, will begin March 1 in Memphis.

The shrine will be in Memphis, on the campus of Southwestern University. A drawing of the building, made by the committee on architecture for the shrine, appears on the cover of this issue of The Shield and Diamond.

The Founder's Day dinner Feb. 28 in Memphis, where National Vice-President Andrew H. Knight will speak, will be the kick-off dinner for the drive. The campaign will expand to every section of the nation before the fund drive ends.

Some of the Memphis alumni who are working on the campaign are Bob Wright, Charles Crump, Dabney Crump, Harold Trinner and Rhea Blake. More than 12,000 members of Pi Kap-pa Alpha donned uniforms for the battles of World War II, and of that number 367 made the supreme sacrifice.

From general to private, each of our Gold Star members gave his all in the fight to preserve the ideals on which our nation and our Fraternity were established.

The War Memorial Building will house photographs, portraits, and various memorobilia of its Gold Star members. There will be an auditorium and conference rooms, and the entire structure will be open to the public at all times. One wing will be leased as head-quarters by the National Office of the Fraternity.

The idea was sparked by the late Brig. Gen. LeRoy Hodges, II, who was serving as a member of the Supreme Council at the time of his death on Dec. 18, 1944. A committee of three members was named to handle funds raised for this purpose. Present members of this committee, known as the Pi Kappa Alpha Endowment Fund Trustees, are Milo J. Warner, Toledo, chairman; Albert E. Paxton and Fletcher D. Richards, both of New York. John R. Horton was named campaign director by the trustees, and he is affiliated with the National Office in Atlanta.

The fund now stands at approximately \$22,000.

Every living member of the Fraternity will be asked to make some contribution. All contributions to this fund have been declared tax-exempt by the Treasury Department.

All inquiries and donations should be addressed to Pi Kappa Alpha Endowment Fund, 771 Spring St., N. W., Atlanta, Ga.

### NIC Delegates and Visitors Spark New York Alumni Chapter

♦ PI KAPPA ALPHA sent a sizable delegation to the National Interfraternity Conference at New York Thanksgiving week end and in addition to participating in the interfraternity discussions, the visitors were guests at a dinner from which an alumni organization in New York will be formed.

Heading the IIKA contingent was National President John L. Packer, National Counsel John F. E. Hippel, National Treasurer Guy Borkey, Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn, National Editor J. Blanford Taylor and Alumni Field Secretary John Horton.

Delegates and visitors attended meetings Friday morning and in the afternoon a war memorial committee meeting was held with Richards and Paxton, members of the committee, in attendance and Chairman Milo Warner in the conference by telephone.

Lynn attended meetings of the College Fraternity Secretaries Association. Taylor attended meetings of the College Fraternity Editors Association and at a dinner meeting in the Waldorf was elected a member of the association executive committee.

For the first time since before the war the Undergraduate Council met concurrently with the NIC and Pi Kappa Alpha was represented by several delegates.

The right of college fraternities to set up membership restrictions was defended by David A. Embury, retiring chairman. Dr. Gilbert Mead, president of Washington College, Chestertown, Md., was elected chairman. Dr. John O. Moseley, president of the University of Nevada, was awarded the conference's 1947 gold medal for distinguished service.

The IIKA luncheon was arranged by a committee headed by Donald G. Havlish, BΣ. Richards was master of ceremonies. President Packer discussed the national situation and touched on the coming national convention. Horton told of the war memorial which is to be built in Memphis and Havlish told of plans to organize the New York alumni chapter.

Those attending the luncheon included: Edward T. Kirkeby, Ernest Butt,

William J. Riley, Jr., Edward R. Joyce, Russell M. Sanderson, George F. Muller, Lauris Saunders, Warren L. Gravely, Douglas S. William, Al E. Paxton, J. Blanford Taylor, Tiny Packer, Guy Borkey, Dick Johnson, John F. E. Hippel, F. Eugene Gonzalez, Donald J. Miller, Victor E. Brink, William G. Blake, E. R. Richardson, John R. Horton, Dick Shipler, Tudor R. Finch, Earl Johnson, Wayne H. Holmes, Evert C. Bernhardt, Edward J. Boylan, Jr., William M. Roche, Edward A. Lowman, Elmer Galloway, T. R. Taylor, H. G. Munzenmaier, Roger Pietsch, Walter W. Smith, Alfred J. Peer, Fletcher Richards and Donald G. Havlish.



Thirty-seven IIKA's of the New York area gathered in Hotel Lexington Nov. 28 and organized an alumni chapter. At the speaker's table, from left, are Edward R.

Joyce, Fletcher Richards, Albert E. Paxton, National President John L. Packer, National Counsel John F. E. Hippel, Alfred J. Peer and National Editor J. Blanford Taylor.

## Delta-Zeta Chapter Installed Dec. 7 At Memphis State College; 32 Initiated

By WILLIAM E. WHITE Delta-Zeta Chapter

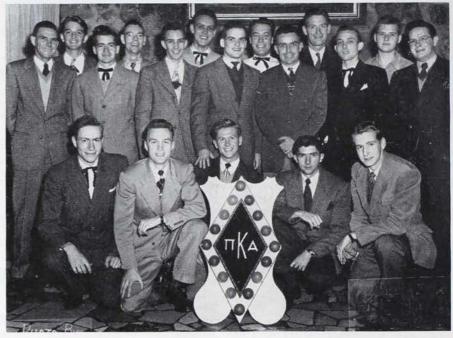
♦ AFTER almost two months in Pi Kappa Alpha, this is our first opportunity to let the remainder of the chapters know about Delta-Zeta chapter in Memphis.

Back in 1912, a group on the Memphis State College campus organized the Forum Debating Society. That marked the beginning of our organization. In 1927, this organization emerged into a social fraternity designated by the Greek letter symbols, Phi Lambda Delta, and it was under this name last fall that we petitioned Pi Kappa Alpha.

Howard Hurth, of Theta chapter at Southwestern, came out and talked to us last summer about "going IIKA," and after numerous talks and conferences with Bob Wright and Harold Trinner of the Memphis Alumni Association, we got our petition in the mail in November.

And then came the day of our installation, Dec. 7. Bob Lynn and John Horton were here from the National Office and along with brothers from Theta and Gamma-Iota chapters, they installed us as Delta-Zeta chapter.

We entered Pi Kappa Alpha with 32 active members. Officers were James Bobo, SMC; Charles Dando, IMC; "Pat" Patterson, ThC; Joe Riley, SC, and Clayton Renfro, MC. Following installation, we held a banquet in the Nassau



First pledge class initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha at Delta-Zeta chapter at Memphis State University includes, front row, from left, Walker Wilkerson, Edward Deupree, Robert Cullen, James Coffman and Robert Wilson; second row, Charles

Pope, Mavis Nimmo, Laurens Vesey, Pat Gardner, Eugene Lauderdale, William Bradshaw and John Cook; third row, Milton Schoeffer, Parker Dinwiddie, Russell Richardson, James Null, Walter Burnett and David Stewart.

Room of the Parkview Hotel in honor of Secretaries Lynn and Horton and the others who had helped with our initiation. Lynn, in an after-dinner address, officially welcomed us into the Fraternity and Wright disclosed the receipt of numerous messages of congratulation

from our new-found brothers, all of which served to increase the feeling of happiness and pride which each of us felt. Short talks were also made by Horton, J. Millard Smith, president of Memphis State College; R. P. Clark, registrar, and W. R. Robinson, dean of men.

On the week end following our installation, we again celebrated, this time in conjunction with Kappa Lambda chapter of Phi Mu sorority. This event, in in the form of an outing, was held in the verdant surroundings of Shelby Forest, about 25 miles from Memphis.

Especially honored at this occasion were our pledges, who just that week had renewed their pledge from Phi Lambda Delta to Pi Kappa Alpha. This marked our first entertainment under the name of Pi Kappa Alpha, and it would have been impossible for us to have had a more successful beginning.

Following our return to the campus after the Christmas holidays, we began making plans for the initiation of our first new members. January 17 was selected as the date for this event, and as luck would have it, Memphis was sub-

## Permanently Pinned

KERWIN E. HYLAND, JR., BA, and Miss Doris Marie Potts, June 21, 1947, at York, Pa. They now are residing in New Orleans, where he is a graduate student at Tulane University.

ALAN P. BENTZ, BA, and Miss Anne Siebriecht,  $\Delta\Gamma$ , Aug. 26, 1947, at Chappaqua, N. Y. He is a graduate research assistant in chemistry at the University of Minnesota.

James P. Dietz, BA, and Miss Ernistine Maxey,  $X\Omega$ , June 22, 1947, at Demopolis, Ala.

DUANE BURGER, TY, and Miss Geneva Harper, at the College Hill Presbyterian church, Tulsa, Okla., recently.

Kenneth L. Stainer, I'T, and Miss Joan Ryan, June 20, 1947, in the Trinity Methodist church, El Paso, Tex. Ken is now completing his law studies at the University of Southern California.

KENNETH R. BUTTERWORTH, TT, and Miss

Patricia Haas,  $K\Delta$ , in Holy Family Cathedral, Tulsa, Okla., April 25, 1947.

Kenneth Paul Gnadt,  $\Delta T$ , and Miss Patricia Ann Synon,  $\Delta\Delta\Delta$ , both students at University of Utah.

Don Scoggins, AM, and Miss Betty Joyce Foster, of Columbus, Ga., Aug. 2 in Columbus. At home: 421 Boulevard, N. E., Atlanta.

PROCTOR CAMPBELL, AM, of Athens, Ga., and Miss Mary B. Brown, in August in Montgomery, Ala. Campbell is stationed in Montgomery with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

James E. Williams, AM, and Miss Patricia K. Cunningham, ΔΔΔ, Nov. 15 in Athens, Ga. Cunningham is associated with Firestone Tire and Rubber Co., and is completing his master's at Georgia Tech.

JACK MAYO TYSON, AM, of Cairo, Ga., and Miss Mary Ann Pittman,  $K\Delta$ , Sept. 6 in Cairo. Tyson is connected with his father in the lumber business in Cairo.

PARKER C. (RIP) VAN WINKLE, ΔΕ, and Miss Ara Taylor, both of Chattanooga, Jan. 1, 1948, in Trenton, Ga.

merged in a 12-inch blanket of snow on the 16th. In true IIKA style, the initiation ceremonies were held, however, and with the addition of 18 new members, our membership role was increased to 52.

Plans are being made now for the celebration of Founder's Day. We will join with Theta chapter in the annual observance of this memorable occasion on Feb. 28. Speculation is running high among the sororities on the campus as to who we will present as our "Dream Girl of IIKA" on that night. Incidentally, we are not only the first, but also the only national fraternity on the campus at the present time. We have five national sororities—Phi-Mu, Alpha Delta Pi, Alpha Gamma Delta, Sigma-Kappa and Delta-Zeta—and three local fraternities.

Our campus had the distinction of having one of its beauties crowned as "Miss America of 1947." This honor went to Miss Barbara Walker, who is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority.

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### **Publications Trophy**

(Continued from page 6) in the Ohio Legislature.

He entered Ohio State in 1919, graduated with B. Sc. in journalism in 1923. At commencement, he was awarded the Robert F. Wolfe journalism medal. He is a member of Sigma Delta Chi.

Pauly was born in Lebanon, Ohio, May 8, 1900. He attended Lebanon public and high schools through sophomore year in high school and was graduated from Middletown high school in 1919.

In 1928, he was married to Alice Louise Davis, Ohio State Delta Delta Delta.

Mr. and Mrs. Pauly live at 3008 Neil avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

#### JOHN I. NEASMITH DIES

♦ JOHN I. NEASMITH, AX, passed away suddenly from a heart condition while on vacation with his wife in Florida, Feb. 12, 1947. Funeral services were held in Richmond, Va., and burial was in Palmyra, N. Y.

He was chief of the Recreation and Entertainment Division (Special Services) of the Veteran's Administration. His headquarters were in Richmond, Va., but his territory included the District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and North Carolina.

Brother Neasmith was a regional recreation representative for the Federal Security Administration during the war years, and previously had been with the



Charter members of Delta-Zeta chapter at Memphis State College are, first row, from left, Charles Dando, IMC; James Bobo, SMC, and Arlin Patterson, ThC; second row, James A. Null, Jesse Meredith, Richard Akle, Harold Crenshaw, Ralph Buring, Bobby Maxwell, Edward Moffett and Robert

Higgins; third row, John Lang, Maynard Stiles, Bill Phillips, Lanan Davis, Clayton Renfro, Eugene Bramlett, Walter McEwen; fourth row, Joe Hamilton, Holice Powers, Jack Frazer, Bill White, James Schoeffer, Marion Furan. Nine other charter members were not in the picture.

## **James Gordon Bohannon Dies**

♦ James Gordon Bohan-Non, Γ and A, the only living former member of the board of visitors of the College of William and Mary, died Nov. 19 in the Medical College of Virginia hospital after a long illness. He was 67.

Born in Surry county, Virginia, he spent five sessions at William and Mary and, after receiving his degree, taught in the public schools a year before entering the University of Virginia Law

National Park Service in New York and Virginia.

He was graduated from the college of forestry at Syracuse University in 1917. During his college days, he was a Commodore of the Crew, editor of the Daily Orange, a member of Pi Delta Epsilon journalism fraternity, and several of the class societies.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter.

♦ ALTON B. HOLLIS, BK, a Decatur, Ga., attorney, is instructor of the Dale Carnegie course being offered by the Marsh Business College Atlanta.

♦ R. B. TAYLOR, T, has been promoted by the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co. from assistant agency manager to associate agency manager. He has been with the company since 1928. School from which he was graduated in 1905.

In the same year he was admitted to the bar and a year later was named commonwealth's attorney for Surry county, a position he held until 1912 when he moved to Petersburg. In Surry, he was in law partnership with Oscar Lane Shewmake, I and A, now vicerector of the William and Mary board. He served as democratic elector in the first election of Woodrow Wilson. For many years he was a member of the city council of Petersburg and served as mayor from 1926 until 1928. He also was Petersburg city attorney and president of the chamber of commerce. He was a member of Hampton Roads port commission and chairman of the state port authority. He was president of the state bar association and of the state chamber of commerce.

His business interests included directorates on the boards of Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, the Petersburg and Hopewell Gas Company and Hummel-Ross Fiber Corporation.

He maintained close contact with William and Mary, delivering in 1910 and in 1935 the alumni oration. In March, 1938, he was named to the board of visitors. He was elected rector of the board in 1941 and in 1942 was reappointed to the board, serving until 1946.

In 1908 he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

# Alpha-Omicron Chapter Reactivated Jan. 17 at Southwestern University

ALPHA-OMICRON chapter at Southwestern University, Georgetown, Texas, was reactivated Jan. 17. The chapter was formed in 1912 and was active until 1932. The petitioning local was known as Pi-Chi.

This was the climax of a dream of several students and alumni, who organized a local fraternity of outstanding boys on the campus. This humble beginning resulted in a smooth-operating unit that distinguished itself on the S.U. campus during its short life of about eight months. These were months of work and planning toward the goal of nationalization, which was realized in the reactivation of Alpha-Omicron of IIKA.

National Field Secretary Charles Burton arrived early in the afternoon of Jan. 16, followed shortly by District President Richard Gump and an initiating team from Beta-Zeta chapter (SMU). Initiation was immediately begun. Later, a team from Beta-Mu chapter (Texas) arrived. Twenty-seven men were initiated. They were as follows:

Kenneth Edward Bass, Holland, Tex.; Weldon Dallas Mays, Texarkana, Tex.; Gilbert Albert Eimann, Brenham, Tex.; William Eldon Mays, Texarkana, Tex.; Andrew Fred Kraemer, Burton, Tex.; "O" "K" Towler, Pelly, Tex.; John Brewster Gambrell, Austin, Tex.; James Cleveland Russell, San Antonio, Tex.;

Alumni, headed by National Alumni Secretary Powell McHaney, were prominent among the barbecue guests which followed the reactivation of Alpha-Omicron chapter.



Here are the members of Alpha-Omicron at Southwestern University, Georgetown, Texas, who were present at the rechartering barbecue held Jan. 17 at Georgetown Country Club.

William Benjamin Eimann, Jr., Brenham, Tex.; Richard Brown Moon, Jr., Brookshire, Tex.; Caron Richard Waits, San Antonio, Tex.; Giles Mays Townsend, Georgetown, Tex.; Lamar Clifford Leifeste, Llano, Tex.; Raymond Maurice Edens, Georgetown, Tex.; Jack Lyle Armstrong, Chicago, Ill.; Benjamin F. L. Weiss, San Antonio, Tex.; Haney Lamar Wilkerson, Houston, Tex.; Frank Odell Lynn, Floresville, Tex.; Ernest Bosse, Jr., Brenham, Tex.; William Horace Hanna, Jr., Jasper, Tex.;

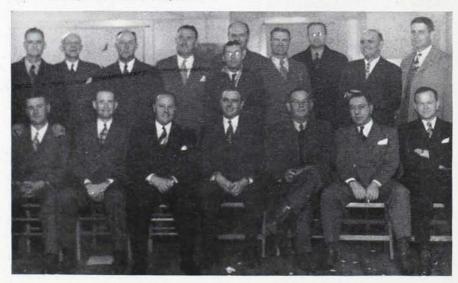
Thomas Russell McIntyre, Navasota, Tex.; Charles Allen McCormick, Florence, Tex.; John Wesley Walton, Center Point, Tex.; David Arthur Shaw, Jr., Lovington, N. Mex.; Robert Lewis Hill, Groesbeck, Tex.; Richard Knowles Heacock, Jr., Llano, Tex., and Milton King Dare, Robstown, Tex.

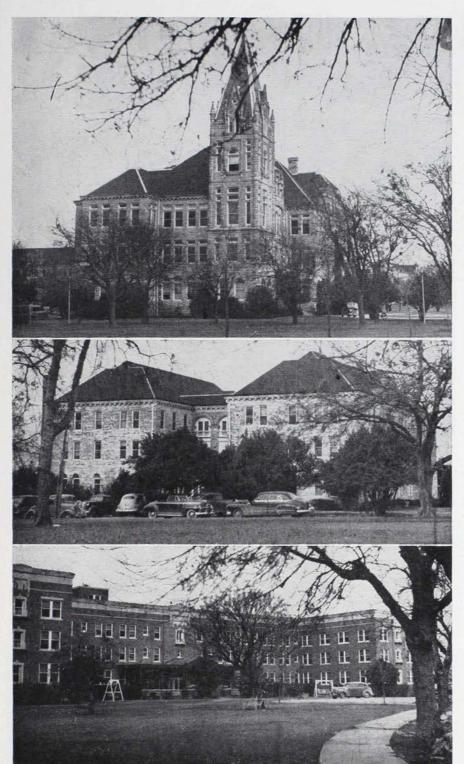
On Jan. 17, the final ceremonies took place at the Georgetown Country Club. National Alumni Secretary Powell B.

McHaney, of St. Louis, who was to represent the National President at the ceremonies, was delayed because of a late train. W. Howard Lee took the part of the president, George T. Reavis, of Austin, the vice-president; Albert E. Davis, of Dallas, the treasurer; Dr. W. R. Swanson, Taylor, alumni secretary; the Rev. John Barclay, Austin pastor, chaplain, and Charles Burton, secretary.

Twenty alumni of Alpha-Omicron were present and an alumni chapter was established to encourage and support the newly established chapter. Officers for the alumni group are: president, W. Howard Lee; vice-president, Herman Sullivan; secretary, J. T. Atkins, and advisor, Jack Armstrong.

The climax of the occasion was the reactivation ceremony which was followed by the installation of officers by the Beta-Mu chapter (Texas). The Alpha-Omicron officers installed were: SMC, Kenneth Bass; IMC, Weldon Mays; SC, Lamar Leifeste; ThC, Maurice Edens; house manager, Milton Dare; MC, Bill Eimann; MS, Richard





Three of the many buildings on Southwestern University campus are top, Administration Building; middle, Mood Hall, men's dormitory, and bottom, Kuykendall Hall, women's dorm.

Heacock; publicity representative, Richard Moon; alumni secretary, J. B. Gambrell.

Following the installation, the alumni group gave the initiates and pledges a barbecue complete with all trimmings.

## Dr. H. L. Hollis Dies In New York City

♦ WHILE talking with a patient, Dr. Harwood L. Hollis, AX, slumped forward and died suddenly April 28, 1947, at his office at Sandy Creek, N. Y.

He had returned as usual from the Oswego County Sanatorium, over which he presided as superintendent, and had just entered his consulting room when he died.

He was born in 1894 at Minetto, N. Y., and was educated at Syracuse University, earning his bachelor of science degree in 1913 and the doctor of medicine degree in 1920.

In addition to his medical activities, Doctor Hollis was president of the Lacona, N. Y., bank for a decade.

His office included equipment seldom found in a small-town doctor's establishment, and he was known throughout a wide area as a specialist in X-ray and the chest.

A member of the Sandy Creek Methodist church, Doctor Hollis served as a member of the board of trustees and the board of stewards and on the finance committee. He also was active in educational societies, and in other community affairs.

Among the tributes to the beloved physician, was this paragraph from the Sandy Creek News:

"His friends sent flowers—a churchful of them; his friends were there, as many as could get into the church. The service was impressive; the tributes eloquent; his brother Masons paid their last respects; but today we go back about our daily work with a sense of acute loss, for we know that above all others, he was a man."

Doctor Hollis was past president of the Oswego County Medical Association; past president of the Central New York Bankers Association; a member of the American Medical Association and the New York State Medical Association; the American Trudeau Association; a fellow of the American College of Chest Physicians, and chairman of the Central New York Association of Chest Physicians. At Syracuse University, he was a member of IIKA and Alpha Kappa Kappa, medical fraternity. He was also a member of the Black River Valley club of Watertown.

He is survived by his wife, by one son, Warren L. Hollis, a senior at the University of Buffalo Medical College, and by his mother, Mrs. Florence Hollis. His father, Dr. LeRoy F. Hollis, died July 13, 1946.

♦ PI KAPPA ALPHA has won the Christmas decorating contest at Bowling Green University for two consecutive years.

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◆ EDITOR of the Greensboro, N. C., Daily News is H. W. Kendail, AA, who was graduated from Duke in 1918 with an AB degree.

## Earle C. Clements Takes Office As Governor of Kentucky

By ALLAN M. TROUT Alpha-Lambda Chapter

Editor's Note: The following sketch of Governor Earle C. Clements, Ω, was written by Allan M. Trout, AA, political expert for the Louisville Courier-Journal and head of that newspaper's Frankfort bureau.

♦ THE INAUGURATION of Earle Chester Clements, 51, of Morgan-field, as Governor caps for him a career of 25 years of continuous public service at the local, state and national levels.

Governor Clements was elected sheriff of Union County in 1922, and served one term of four years. He was elected county clerk in 1926, and served two four-year terms. He was elected county judge in 1934, and served two terms.

In 1942, Governor Clements entered a broader field of service. He was elected to the State Senate from the Fourth District, comprised of the counties of Union, Webster and Henderson. He was Democratic floor leader at the 1944 session.

His next stride was to the national level. He was elected to the House of Representatives from the Second Congressional District on Nov. 7, 1944. He was re-elected to Congress in 1946. One year of his term remains, to be filled at a special election in the Second District.

Governor Clements was born in Union County on Oct. 22, 1896, the son of Aaron W. Clements. His mother was the former Sallie Anna Tuley. He spent his early years on his father's farm near Morganfield. After graduation from high school there, the youth matriculated at the College of Agriculture at the University of Kentucky.

World War I, however, cut short his college career. He entered the service as a private in the infantry on July 9, 1917, and was mustered out as a captain on Sept. 12, 1919. He was never ordered overseas.

Outside of public service, the new Governor has two ardent interests. One is farming, and the other is athletics.

The son and grandson of farmers, Governor Clements still owns and operates a 200-acre farm in Union County. He was one of the pioneers in the drive several years ago that established Union County as the first in the nation to eradicate scrub bulls. He today owns



Distinguished alumni at a reception for Governor Earle C. Clements,  $\Omega$ , at the Student Union building at the University of Kentucky are, from left, retiring Lieutenant-

Governor Kenneth H. Tuggle,  $\Omega$ ; Baseball Commissioner and former governor of Kentucky Albert B. Chandler, K and  $\Omega$ ; Governor Clements, and District President John U. Field, K.

### Reception Honors New Governor

By THOMAS A. COLLINS Omega Chapter

igoplus A RECEPTION and dance honoring Governor-elect Earle C. Clements,  $\Omega$ , and retiring Lieutenant-Governor Kenneth H. Tuggle,  $\Omega$ , headed the social events listed for Homecoming on

a notable herd of purebred cattle, and is widely recognized as a shrewd judge of the purebred strains. As a member of Congress, his particular interest was service on the Agriculture Committee.

In athletics, his first love is football. He played center at the university, and in 1916 was picked on the All-Southern eleven. For several years after 1920, he coached high school football at Morganfield as a hobby.

Governor Clements married the former Sara M. Blue, of Morganfield, on Jan. 18, 1927. They have a daughter, Elizabeth Hughes Clements, 14.

The Governor is a member of the Christian church. He belongs to the Elks, I.O.O.F., Shrine, Lions Club and Farm Bureau. His collegiate fraternity is Pi Kappa Alpha.

the campus of University of Kentucky Nov. 21.

The informal affair was sponsored by Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni Association and was held in the ballroom of the Student Union building. Actives and alumni from five chapters were present.

Other notables attending were Baseball Commissioner Albert B. Chandler, K and  $\Omega$ , also a former governor of Kentucky and a former United States senator, Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn and District President John U. Field.

After more than 500 guests were welcomed in the receiving line, refreshments were served and Miff Moel and His Troubadors provided music for dancing.

Governor Clements was pledged at Omega in 1915 and was initiated the following year. He was active in all fraternity affairs during his college career.

While at the university, he played center on the Wildcat football team and had the reputation of being tough for opposing ball carriers to get by.





## Grid Stars Named to All-IIKA Team

By DILLON GRAHAM

♦ PI KAPPA ALPHAS played their usual important roles, some spectacular, some steady, in America's intercollegiate gridiron games from coast to coast last fall.

There were few chapters which did not furnish athletes to their college's team. Some were represented on the starting eleven by several—Alpha-Zeta, for instance, had a quartet of aces on the University of Arkansas team.

No sports observer, of course, could see all these IIKAs in action. There were so many standouts among them that it became a major, and almost impossible task, to sift the list and select 11 for nomination to the Fraternity's honor team, the Pi Kappa Alpha All-America. The IIKAs named deserve the rating but there were others who were as good, or almost as good.

As this corner sees it, on the basis of observation, chapter reports and sports page clippings, here is the Pi Kappa Alpha All-America football team for 1947:

Ends: Don Garza, University of Oregon, and Bud Canada, University of Arkansas.

Tackles: Oakley Pandick of Rutgers University and Cliff Sutton of the University of Florida.

Guards: John (Jock) Wrenn of the University of Illinois and Wes Weber of Denver University.

Center: Cecil Sutphin of Southern Methodist University.

Backs: Bob Smith of the University of Iowa, J. R. Boone of Tulsa Univer-

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sity, Tom Mikula of William and Mary College of Virginia and Frank (Buss) Williams of Utah State.

Chapters from every section of the land have contributed to this team. There are standout big school teams and little college squads represented.

Bud Canada of Arkansas is named at one end-and a selector wouldn't go far wrong in naming his three teammates along with him: Halfback Joyce Pipkin, Tackle Charles Lively and Guard Dale Counce. They were all aces on the Razorback team. Canada originally was a back but switched to end and quickly attracted the attention of Southwest football enthusiasts with his fine play, particularly his adeptness at snagging passes. At the other flank is Don Garza, captain of the Oregon Webfoots. He was a crack all-around wingman but like most of the ends who get the headlines he was chiefly noted for his ability to catch the tosses pitched by his backs.

At 230 pounds, Rutgers' 6-foot-2 Oak-

ley Pandick is the biggest man on the team. This tackle was rated the most powerful man on the Rutgers squad (a squad which listed three other linemen from Alpha-Psi, Guards Mike Kushinka and Jim Taigai and Tackle Paul Corrigan). The other tackle, Cliff Sutton, drew attention in all of Florida's games. Late in the season, when injuries struck the squad, he showed his versatility by playing end, too.

Jocko Wrenn of Illinois and Wes Weber of Denver are the guards. Wrenn is 25, stands 5-feet-9 and weighs 200 pounds. He has played two years for Illinois and prior to that he played at Shertleffe College in Illinois and made the Chicago Tribune's second All-Midwestern club. Weber, a 195-pound redhead, was an All-Big Seven conference choice. After lettering for three years, he was named co-captain of the Denver team. (Denver had another fine performer in Fullback Andy Pavich, who also was named on some of the all-conference selections.)

A tall, thin youngster who can sing as well as he can play football is at center—SMU's Cecil Sutphin. This pivot man, who was named on a number of all-conference teams, is blind as a bat without his contact lenses. The beanpole weighs only 165 and explains his success by remarking that he keeps out of the way of the burly fellows. Cecil wrote a song, "Oleander Trail," some years ago and it attracted the attention of Orchestra Leader Jimmy Livingston. Result: Sutphin toured as vocalist with the orchestra for eight months. For two years

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## U. of Miami Wins Riculfi Athletic Award

♦ GAMMA-OMEGA chapter of the University of Miami in Florida has been awarded the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity's Riculfi Athletic award for the 1946-47 college year.

The Florida chapter tied for the 1945-46 Riculfi award with Alpha-Epsilon of North Carolina State College. While Gamma-Omega had a definite, but narrow, winning margin in 1946-47 it was involved in a hot five-way battle of points with Alpha-Zeta of the University of Arkansas; Alpha-Iota of Millsaps College, Jackson, Miss.; Alpha-Kappa of the Missouri School of Mines at Rolla, and Iota of Hampden-Sydney College in Virginia.

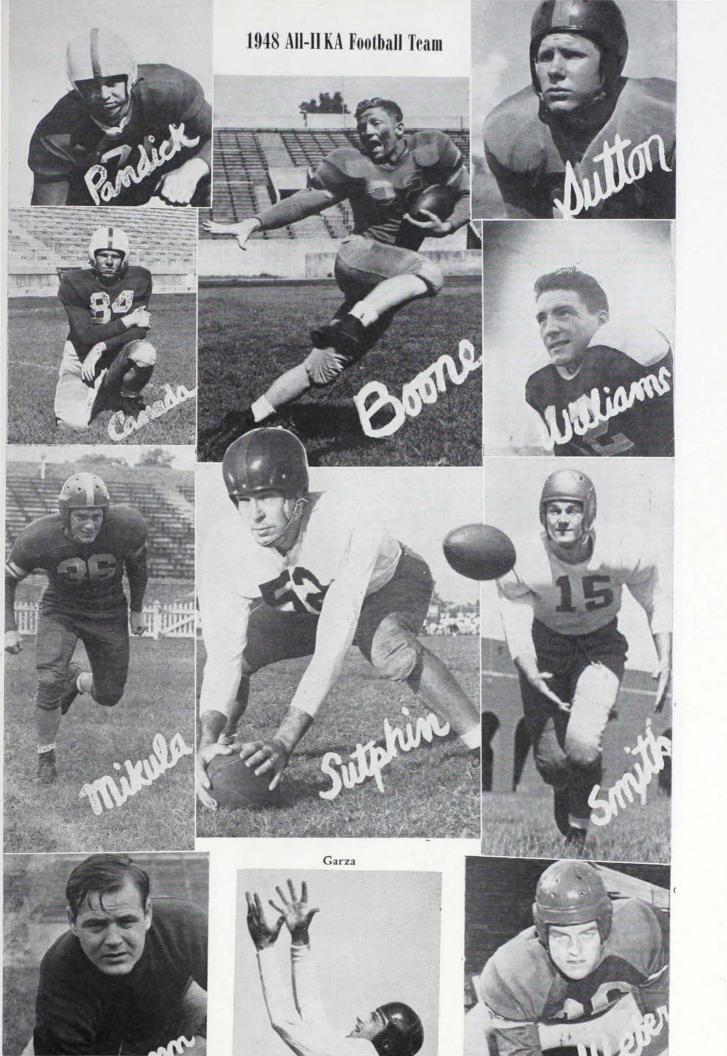
Each of the five had excellent athletic records. Many others among the Fraternity's chapters also turned in enviable reports but those listed above were the top five.

Gamma-Omega won the University of Miami's Intramural championship award for the year after having captured the university's basketball championship (for the fourth straight year), the softball championship (for the third year in a row) and the track championship (for the second consecutive season). Gamma-Omega had a fine record of intercollegiate competition performances by its members. All in all, the committee felt Gamma-Omega had a slight edge over the others.

Alpha-Zeta, boasting Arkansas' football and basketball captains and a second team Associated Press All-America footballer in Alton Baldwin, reported a well-rounded athletic performance.

Alpha-Iota won Millsaps' intramural championships in football, basketball, softball, table tennis, volleyball and golf. Alpha-Kappa won the Missouri Mines' championships in table tennis and handball, along with several individual championships. Hampden-Sydney's football, basketball and baseball captains came from Iota chapter, which also won the college's intramural football championship.

The Riculfi Athletic Award Committee consists of J. V. C. T. Christenson, III, of Los Angeles; Karl Pauly of Columbus, O., and Dillon Graham, chairman, of Washington, D. C.









Among the Dream Girl contestants at the Southeastern regional contest at Jacksonville were, top left, Miss Margie Fletcher, Florida-



Southern; top right, Miss Charlotts Cook, Davidson; middle left, Miss Martha Ann Ingram, Howard college; middle right, Miss Billie

## 12 Dream Girls Vie in Contest At Jacksonville

♦ DREAM GIRLS from 12 active chapters in the Southeast met in competition in Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 27, for the title "IIKA 1948 Dream Girl of the Southeast" in one of the outstanding alumni functions of the year.

The contest was held during the annual Christmas dance of Jacksonville Alumni chapter and was largely attended by alumni, actives and friends. The Florida Yacht Club ballroom was used for the affair.

The contest was won by Miss Love Lindsey, representing Alpha-Alpha chapter at Duke University. Other chapters sending contestants were University of Tennessee, University of Pennsylvania, Davidson College, University of South Carolina, University of Georgia, Georgia Tech, Howard College, Emory University, University of Florida, University of Miami and Florida Southern College.

Chairman of the dance was Former District President Dean Boggs. The contest was arranged and staged by National Editor J. Blanford Taylor.

In addition to being the society event of the evening, it was one of the outstanding parties of the Christmas season and was widely discussed in Jacksonville. The winning Dream Girl and her escort, Dick Wells, were guests of the Gator Bowl Committee at the Georgia-Maryland game on New Year's day in the Gator Bowl in Jacksonville.

A BETTY BUTT

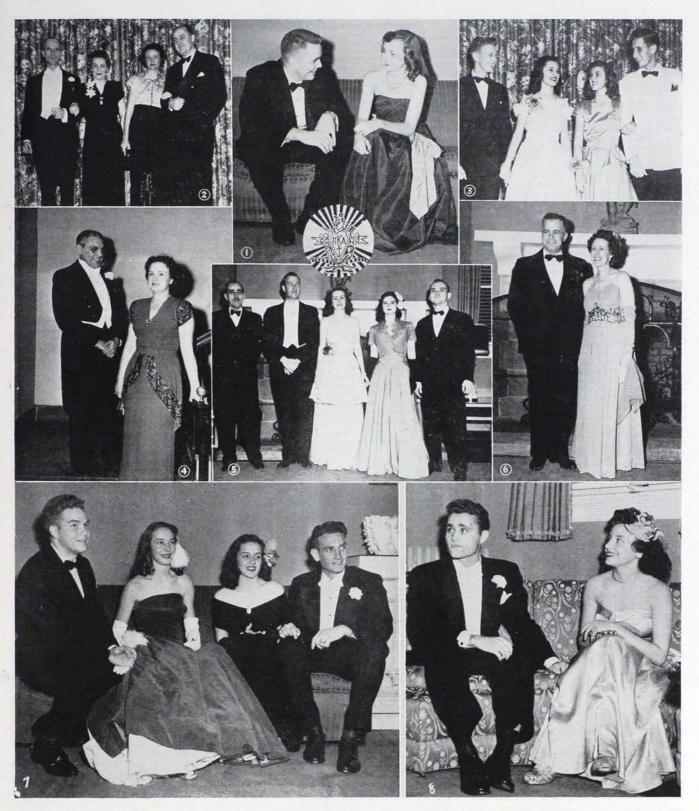
♦ BETTY BUTLER, of Miami, one of the contestants in the Jackson-ville Dream Girl contest, died Jan. 27 of automobile accident injuries suffered Jan. 25 when the car in which she was riding with two other university students collided with a taxicab in Miami.

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♦ The Annual convention of the National County Agents Association cited J. Graham Morrison, AE, for "distinguished service."

A greater interest in poultry raising in Lincoln County, North Carolina, is one of the results of Morrison's hard work in promoting a cooperative marketing program for poultry.

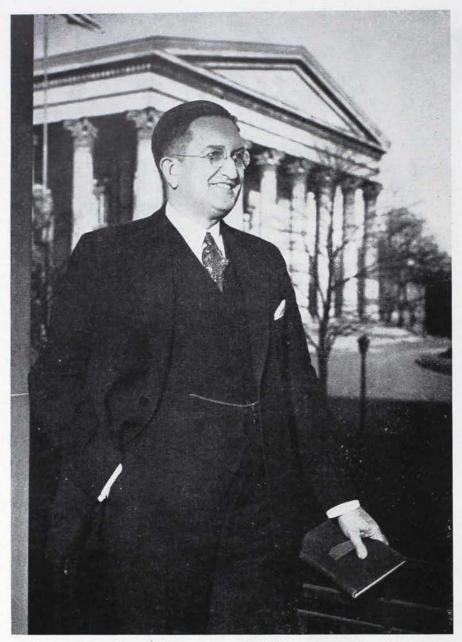
Parragin, Emory; lower left, Miss Jane Dickinson, University of Georgia, and bottom right, Miss Susan Baker, University of Pennsylvania.



Scenes at the Southeastern Dream Girl contest at Jacksonville in December include: (1) The winner, Miss Love Lindsey, of Ocala, Fla., representing Alpha-Alpha chapter at Duke, and her escort, Dick Wells. No. 2 from left is Dance Chairman Dean Boggs, Mrs. Boggs, Mrs. J. Blanford Taylor and National Editor Taylor who was in charge of the contest. No. 3, from left, Bob Snively, AH; Miss Jean

Klay, of Tampa, representing the University of Florida; Betty Butler, Miami, representing University of Miami, and Tom Ellis, ΓΩ. No. 4 is Dr. L. Y. Dyrenforth, AH, commodore of the Yacht Club where the contest was held, and Mrs. Dyrenforth. No. 5 are members of the committee, from left, J. L. Mccollogh, BZ; Dan Labry, AH; Mrs. Labry, Miss Jean Morris and H.

Leon Holbrook, Jr., AH. No. 6 is Frank Hannum, president of Jacksonville alumni, and Mrs. Hannum. No. 7 is David Rogers, A\(\Delta\); Miss Virginia Lou Angle, representing Georgia Tech; Miss Beth Fillingim, representing University of South Carolina, and Sid Badger, Jr., \(\Delta\). No. 8 is Jim Barker, Z, and Miss Dorothy Lee Cobb, representing University of Tennessee.



Here is the smiling president of famous Girard College of Philadelphia—Dr. Merle Middleton Odgers, BII. Shown at the window

of his study near Founder's Hall, this  $\Phi BK$  is one of IIKA's outstanding educators. He is a member of numerous societies.

## Girard College Marches On

♦ WHEN French-born Stephen Girard first landed in Philadelphia in May of 1776, there was little indication that some day lie would become the country's richest citizen and the founder of a school bearing his name.

But shrewd and persistent efforts in merchandising and banking had made Stephen Girard—mariner, merchant, banker and philanthropist—the richest man in the United States at the time of his death in 1831.

Through his will, Girard left his residuary estate of approximately \$6,000,000

to establish one of Philadelphia's outstanding educational institutions—a school unique in the world. His will said the school was to be for "poor male white orphans." By decision of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, an orphan boy under the terms of the will was held to be a boy who had lost his father.

Boys between the ages of six and ten are received, and they may continue at Girard until they are 18. Boys born within the old city of Philadelphia have first claim for admission. The next group considered are those born in the state, and after these, the boys born in the cities of New York and New Orleans.

President and genial leader of Girard College since 1936 is Merle Middleton Odgers, BII, Ph.D., L.H.D., LL.D., himself a native of Philadelphia.

Doctor Odgers was educated in the Philadelphia public school system, gaining first honor, then took three degrees from the University of Pennsylvania, climaxing his brilliant career as a student with the doctor of philosophy degree in 1928, just 10 years after completing his high school studies.

Since that time honorary degrees have been bestowed upon the famous IIKA educator by Temple University (L.H.D. 1938) and Ursinus College (LL.D. 1943).

Through wise investment and careful management, the Girard College endowment has been increased to about \$83,000,000, and the institution is doing a job unparalleled by any other school in the world. The college operates entirely on its own endowment, assuming all costs of the boy's care during his life as a Girardian. The costs amount to \$1,300 a year for each boy.

The exterior beauty of the college is famous. In addition to Founder's Hall are 28 buildings, covering a campus of more than 40 acres.

Teachers do not live at the school. Younger boys, Doctor Odgers explains, have house mothers, while the older students have dormitory proctors, which brings about an atmosphere of family life.

The school has a unique double curriculum offering academic education leading to college entrance, together

#### CENTENNIAL OBSERVED

♦ Gov. James A. Duff was speaker at the centennial graduation exercises at Girard College and headed a list of 162 prominent guests at a luncheon given by Dr. Odgers. As part of the centennial ceremonies, Dr. Odgers received the French Legion of Honor from Ludovic Chancel, French consul general.

with either trade or commercial training. The program fits Girard graduates for responsible positions in numerous fields.

The Girard program is unique in other ways. Informality is stressed in the classroom, and old rules of silence and desks in uniform aisles have been scrapped. The method brings results, putting the younger students at ease.

The library-which boasts some 70,000 volumes-has separate reading rooms for the younger and older boys. Each

student has a weekly library period.

Students make their own beds, and help with work in the pantries, dining rooms, kitchens and other busy departments around the school.

Traditional among the students since the founding of Girard has been the weekly ginger cookie, which all of the students receive in a generous amount.

Twelve thousand young men have gone on to successful living from the school, which stresses "facts and things, rather than words and signs."

Thirteen acres of the campus are permanently set aside for recreational purposes. Two indoor swimming pools are in daily use, and a large recreation hall provides for indoor games and sports and instrumental music work. Musically-inclined students are offered pri-

Girard College with its campus is like a beautiful small city. This is a view of "Main Street," with Founder's Hall in the background, the Chapel at right and a study hall at left. vate instruction, and the school has a choir, glee club, orchestra and band.

Crafts and hobbies are stressed, and intramural sports are open to all. Girard teams meet the teams of leading Philadelphia public and private schools in soccer, swimming, track, basketball, baseball and tennis.

Medical services, a student personnel service and a placement and follow-up program also are features of the school's activities.

Girard's author-teacher-administrator got the leadership habit at the University of Pennsylvania, where he was president of Beta-Pi chapter of IIKA. Since then, in addition to presiding over Girard College, he has served as president of the University of Pennsylvania Alumni Society, St. Andrew's Society of Philadelphia, Presbyterian Social Union and as head of various local and regional societies.

He has been a trustee or director for the University of Pennsylvania, for the Free Library of Philadelphia, the Western Saving Fund Society of Philadelphia, the Chamber of Commerce, the Philadelphia Veterans Advisory Committee, the Edwin Forrest Home, the Theodore Presser Foundation, Bethlehem Presbyterian church, Temple University and the United War Chest of Philadelphia.

Doctor Odgers currently is president of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia, and formerly led the Philadelphia area Committee for Economic Development, as well as holding offices in several welfare organizations.

He got his start in the teaching profession shortly after receiving his bachelor's degree. He taught Latin at Pennsylvania, rising to the rank of professor in 1936. From 1926 until 1933, he was assistant director of admissions at Pennsylvania, and dean of the faculty of the College of Liberal Arts for Women from 1933 until he accepted the Girard presidency in 1936.

He married Frances Bartram Bunting, a descendant of John Bartram, in Philadelphia in 1927, and they have two children, Eleanor Bunting Odgers, 13, and John Bartram Odgers, 10.

Doctor Odgers is the author of a biography, *Alexander Dallas Bache*, and has written numerous articles for professional journals.

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#### TRAVEL AGENTS

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Arrive New Orleans, T&P, 7:15 a. m. 4th day.

Leave New Orleans, L&N, 8 a. m. 4th day.

Arrive Jacksonville, SAL, 7 a. m. 5th day.

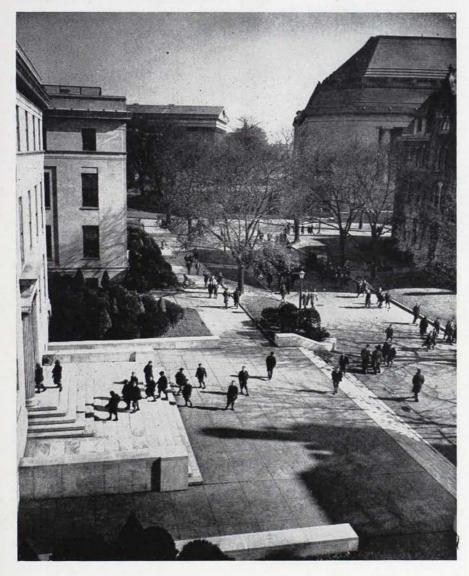
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Round trip fare, including lower berth and tax, is \$189.76 from Jacksonville to Salt Lake City, but because tariffs are subject to change, this amount may change before the date of the convention. Likewise, schedules may change.

If several delegates plan their trip together, and a routing is worked out for a few, others may be attracted to join the party.

Delegates from the East, making their first trip to Salt Lake City, will want to include some of the famous vacation spots on their itinerary.



## House at Beloit Up to Capacity

By EARL HOLLOWAY Beta-Iota Chapter

♦ The members of Beta-Iota chapter are living together in their own house this year on the Beloit College campus.

The house is filled to its capacity of 18 men, with the other members living in the college dormitories and other parts of the city.

Getting the house into good living condition was a big job, but the cooperation of all the members and the excellent backing received from the alumni has made the IIKA house an asset to the Beloit College campus.

At the regular meeting of Oct. 6, the following officers were elected for the semester: Charles R. Douglas, SMC; Donald Lyon, IMC; Wendell F. Cotton, ThC; Adelbert L. Johnson, SC.

The first informal dance of the year was held with a successful response by all members. The social committee, with William Campbell as chairman. planned the party as a "Bookie Joint." During the evening several races were run with all the thrills and excitement of real horse racing. Later, the chapter welcomed many of the fathers to the new house for Dad's Day.

New pledges are John M. Richards, Jr., Harvey, Ill.; Ronald W. Martin, Algonquin, Ill.; Paul J. Yaeger, Beloit, Wis.; John I. Davis, Appleton, Wis.; Harold Lyons, Peoria, Ill., and George V. Burger, Woodstock, Ill.

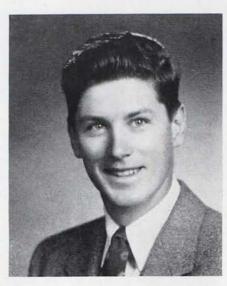
IIKA led the college in scholarship during the last semester with a grade point average of 1.57. This is in keeping with the record that was established during the time all now-active men were pledges, when they led the campus pledges with a 1.84 average.

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♦ K. F. SHECKLER, AK, is general manager of the Badger Firebrick and Supply Co., Milwaukee, following his discharge from military duty. He was a major in the Army Corps of Engineers in the South Pacific.

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Another IIKA has been graduated from the U. S. Military Academy, West Point. He is William Clark, AK, who was commissioned in the regular army in June. Other recent graduates include Bobby Dobbs, ΓΤ, and Reggie Shaw, ΓΤ.



Kenneth Armstrong, AP, has assumed duties as field secretary working out of the National Office in Atlanta. Other secretaries are Charles Burton and John Horton in addition to Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn.

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### Historic Maine Inn Scene of Dance

By HECTOR J. CHARTRAIN Gamma-Mu Chapter

♦ GAMMA-Mu at the University of New Hampshire closed the 1947 spring semester with its annual off-campus dance, which was held at the beautiful Warren's Stardust Inn in historical Kittery, Maine. We were very fortunate to have District President Robert Felch as our guest.

During the summer the chapter house underwent extensive repairs and redecoration. In addition, the brothers purchased a new radio-vic console.

On Sept. 30, Gamma-Mu reopened with a total of 18 members living in the house and ten living off campus. For the scholastic year 1946-47, Gamma-Mu ranked first among the 13 fraternities at the University of New Hampshire. James Tennant led the chapter with a straight A average in chemical engineering.

Pledges: William Alexander, Newport; Edwin Blackey, Tamworth; Euclid Boucher, Nashua; Fred Carlin, Littleton; Fred Dederick, Keene; Charles Farnham, Dover; Albert Fisher, Laconia; Hadley Gadbois, Littleton; Bernard Goldsmith, Buffalo, N. Y.; Richard Ladd, Epping; Robert Lamb, Littleton; Clinton Mack, Keene; Maurice Ross, Somersworth; Richard Stearns, Epping; Joseph Sullum, Littleton; Robert Thurston, Winchester; Harry Thorpe, Seabrook, and Irving Williams, East Jaffrey.

Initiates: Leon E. Loos, Keene.

Honorary societies: John H. Batchelder, Alpha Chi Sigma and Scabbard and Blade.

Varsity candidates: Burton W. Cram, track, and Marshall B. Barker, track.

♦ HOWARD ARBUCKLE, B, of Charlotte, N. C., was elected vice president of the Charlotte and Mecklenburg County Community Council at the organization's annual meeting May 29.

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♦ New associate agency manager of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co. of Greensboro, N. C., is Robert B. Taylor, T, who formerly was assistant agency manager.

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New secretary of the Mississippi State Rating Bureau, Jackson, Miss., is J. F. Barksdale, T0, formerly engineer with the same organization.

### Millsaps Junior Makes Clean Sweep Of Campus Honors

By RALPH HUTTO Alpha-Iota Chapter

♦ ONCE in a blue moon there may emerge on the campus scene a leader whose versatility is so complete that his numerous accomplishments and honors seem almost incredible. Yet they are there for everyone to see.

Such is the case with Alpha-Iota's Wallace Russell who, while still in his junior year, has walked away with just about every possible honor on the Millsaps College campus. A veteran of over four years wartime duty with the Marine Corps, Russell got in a little over a year of school at Millsaps before the war, during which he was freshman class president and president of the YMCA Cabinet.

But it was not until his return from the service that Wallace really came into his own as a truly outstanding campus figure. Re-entering Millsaps in February of 1947, he continued his honor work in the scholastic field, was re-elected prexy of the "Y" Cabinet, was tapped by IRC, world relations honorary, won a starting berth as first baseman on the baseball squad, and, entering the campaign as a dark horse, decisively defeated the favored candidate to win the coveted presidency of the student body. All this during his sophomore year.

Continuing his string of triumphs last fall, Russell became a member of the "M" Club, athletic honorary, was elected junior class president, was selected for "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges for 1947-48," was tapped by Omicron Delta Kappa, national honorary leadership fraternity, edited the freshman handbook, was named as first string end on the All-Millsaps touch football squad, and climaxed his collection of honors by being elected "Master Major," most outstanding male student, in an election sponsored by the college annual. In spite of all these activities, Russell still finds time to constantly maintain a scholastic average well above the 2.0 honor student requirement.

At this writing, Wallace has not yet completed the first semester of his junior year, and yet might well emulate the famed desire of Alexander the Great for "new worlds to conquer." But if there are any more honors lying around, it's a pretty good bet that he'll find them and win them. As for Alpha-Iota chap-



Climaxing a long series of honors, Wallace Russell, AI, was recently elected "Master Major," most outstanding male student on the Millsaps College campus. Pictured above with Wallace is Lee Berryhill, B20, who won the title of

ter, the boys won't mind it at all if Russell sticks around for another year or so. In fact, rumors are now afoot which maintain that he is being groomed to run for Dean of the College in the spring elections.

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♦ Lt. Col. Charles M. Christ, ΓΥ, recently received a master of science degree in petroleum engineering from the University of Pittsburgh. He was finishing his study through the Army's educational program for regular army officers.

"Miss Millsaps," most outstanding co-ed, in the same election. The two titles are conferred on the basis of participation in school activities, general popularity, and services rendered to the college.

♦ HONORED at the 1947 Homecoming celebration at the University of Tulsa was Col. J. B. Miller, ΓT, head of the T. U. department of physical education.

A luncheon attended by several hundred alumni and former students honored Colonel Miller, who has served the university for 20 years.

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◆ DAVID A. McCandless, II, is chairman of a membership drive for the YMCA in Louisville, Ky.



### Pie-Eating Race Is Broadcast On Purdue Radio

By WILLIAM J. LANIER Beta-Phi Chapter

♦ SEVERAL hundred students and townspeople witnessed the 10th annual pie-eating contest between Pi Kappa Alpha and Pi Kappa Phi fraternities. This contest is held each year by Purdue University's two "Pi" fraternities to determine whose pledges can consume the most of a whole blackberry pie, in the shortest time.

The Purdue University radio station, WBAA, carried a broadcast of the event.

Beta-Phi pledges "trained" for two weeks prior to the event, which took place Oct. 17. At 4:30 o'clock that afternoon the six IIKA pledges, smeared with blackberry pie, carried off the honors with a score of 43 to 33 and brought the copper pie plate back to the chapter house where it will remain until next year's encounter. This victory for Beta-Phi brings the total wins to a dead tie between the two fraternities. Each has had four wins and the two fraternities tied twice.

This year's event took on a little more festivity than in previous years. An infromal dance known as the "Pi Dance" was held jointly by the two fraternities in the Student Union ballrooms. As guests, the only sorority on the campus

beginning with "PI," Pi Beta Phi, was invited.

During intermission a "Pi" queen was crowned by the B\$\Phi\$ pledge, Orvil Sherrer, who came in first in the contest. \$\Pi\BPhi\Phi\$ Queen Jerry Stivers was presented a beautiful necklace and kissed by Orv as a reward for his hard work. Jerry's attendant and runnerup for queen was Joan Rudolph.

Pi Kappa Alpha contestants in the "pie-eating contest" were Chuck McClure, Don Balser, Jim Brown, Bill Gorman, Orvil Scherrer and Pete Haney. Alumni at Homecoming of Beta-Phi chapter are, front row, from left, A. H. Klinck '30, W. O. Alexander '40, W. E. Herringlake '41, A. R. Rosendahl '32, F. Marshall '47, J. K. Pruitt '26, G. Tipsword '43, P. L. Montgomery '46, C. A. Volkstadt '23, R. T. Simon '25, A. C. Johnson '30. Second row, Bob Essig '43, R. Latter '37, I. Gaston '39, C. E. Martin '44, W. R. Tuley, F. J. Lence '29, Dudd Kenzler '15, H. Hetrick '26. Backrow, W. A. Fleming '43, A. P. Gillis '37, R. C. Spencer '37, A. C. Harra '41, E. C. Smith '43, J. H. Loomis '42, P. H. Noffke '43, Mike Kovalow '46, R. C. Baetzhold '47.

## Gray Award Given to Three

→ James Gardner '49, Don Brown '46 and James Gilfillan '48 were awarded the Russel T. Gray Alumni Memorial Award for the years of '45, '46 and '47 respectively, George "Dudd" Kenzler '15 announced at Beta-Phi Homecoming.

This annual award was not given during the past few years due to the fact some men considered were out of school during the war, but everything has been straightened out now and all years are now accounted for.

This award, as the name indicates, was inaugurated to commemorate the memory of Russel T. Gray '15, who took such an active interest in the house until his death in 1937. The award is



presented on the basis of house and campus activities, as well as scholarship, and consists of a Pi Kappa Alpha crest mounted on a key with raised edges. The words "Alumni Award" and the year are engraved on the back of the key.

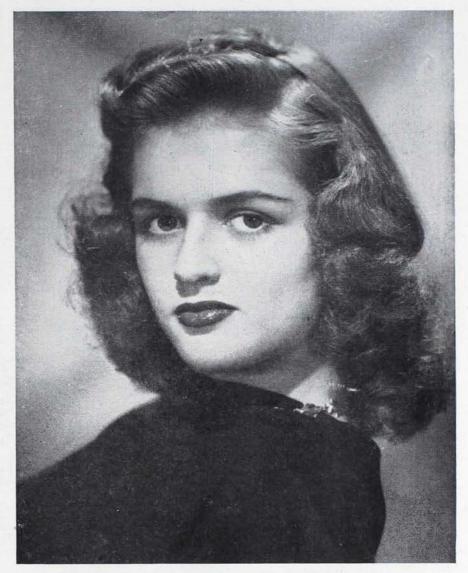
Jim Gardner '49, from Indianapolis, Ind., was circulation and business manager of Exponent, campus newspaper; president and treasurer of the house; president of Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity; secretary-treasurer of the Gimlet Club, honorary for Purdue fraternity men who are either lettermen or outstanding in some campus activity, and representative to the Student Senate.

Don Brown '46, whose home is Gary, Ind., was managing editor of the Exponent, treasurer of the house, president of Sigma Delta, Chi, national professional journalistic fraternity; a member of the Gimlet Club and Iron Key and "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Jim Gilfillan '48, of Jacksonville, Fla., held an associate editorship on the Exponent, was president and treasurer of the house, a member of Gimlet, and served as vice-president and president of Sigma Delta Chi.

Festivities got under way Friday evening, Oct. 24, with the arrival of several

Miss Jerry Stivers, IIB\$\phi\$, ceni\*\*\*, was crowned "Pi" queen after the pie-eating contest at Purdue. At left is Joan Rudolph, IIB\$\phi\$, runner-up in the queen contest, and at right is Orvil Scherrer, who won the pie-eating contest.



Miss Peggy Johns,  $K\Delta$ , was elected "Miss Centenary!" from a field of 12 contestants in the 1948 Centenary College beauty contest. Peggy was sponsored by IIKA. (The recently reactivated Alpha-Beta is the smallest fraternity chapter on the campus.)



alums, who immediately proceeded to make themselves at home and to join in the fun.

The house's lawn display depicted a carnival scene, the main attraction being a cage in which a pledge sat on a perch overlooking a large tub of water. Various passersby participated by throwing baseballs at a target on the side, which, when hit, released the latch on one end of the seat and the victim fell into the water. The pledges took turns being (if you'll permit the pun) the fall guy. They were dressed as Indians and did their best to heckle the ball-throwing spectators. The caption read: "Upset the Illini Indian."

Saturday everyone gathered at the (Continued on page 27)

## Alaska "Tour" Made by Florida Southern IIKA's

♦ As the close of the preceding spring term drew near, three members of Delta-Delta chapter were busily preparing for a venture that seemed to most observers well nigh impossible.

The IIKA trio, of which I was a member, included also Joe Burch and Charles Potts and we were accompanied by William Martin, AXA. We happily ignored the cautions of friends and the teasing of skeptics and embarked June 5 from Florida Southern College in my 1934 Ford, and as our goal—Alaska!

With more spirit of adventure than money, we whirred merrily toward Chicago in the "ancient" automobile, pulling a Higgins camp trailer in which we were to cook, eat and sleep during the four summer months that followed. The trailer, a collapsible affair, was referred to by Potts as "the convertible sardine can," but it served its purpose admirably and was easily hauled over bad stretches of road on which a heavier trailer would have had difficulty.

Our troupe remained in the "Windy City" only long enough to become horribly ensnared in the late afternoon traffic rush, then pushed on westward. By now the trip had become more organized and each member had a specific job. I was the mechanic and was kept busy manning the baling-wire which held my car, "Leapin' Lena," together; Potts was our bookkeeper and treasurer; Burch became photographer and historian, and Martin was chief cook. We all took turns at washing the dishes.

The mighty Mississippi river was on a rampage as we wheeled across Iowa, so we were forced to detour northward to cross the swollen stream. Every section encountered seemed (according to the natives) to be having the "most unusual weather in 30 years."

Within a few days the four of us were approaching Yellowstone National Park, after already having visited the Black Hills of South Dakota. The odds against Martin, the Lambda-Chi, in friendly fraternity arguments were greatly increased when we picked up two IIKA's, Dick Houts and Walter Curtis of Beta-Gamma, who were hitchhiking to Yellowstone. The feeling at that time was much the same as Stanley must have had when he met Livingstone in the jungle. If the old Ford could have been increased in capacity by the slightest margin, there would have been five IIKA's

By G. HENRY THOMSON Delta-Delta Chapter

going to far-off Alaska instead of three.

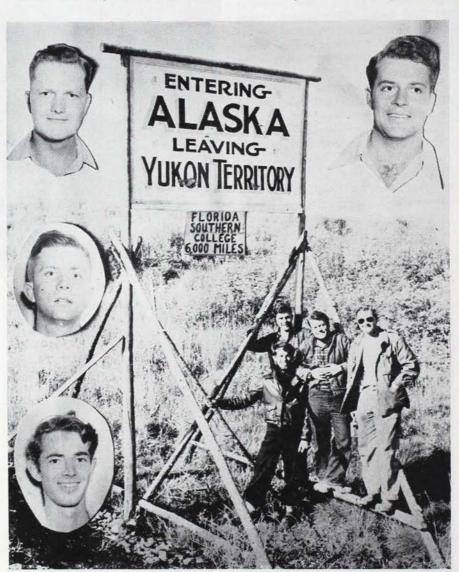
While we were sleeping in the trailer at Yellowstone Park we encountered a very hungry bear. The beast was forcing its way in through the canvas side of the trailer. Our SMC's gavel would have been a very handy weapon at the time. But the beast decided that we didn't look very appetizing, for he wandered away. The expedition, momentarily at least, was in complete chaos.

After a short stay in beautiful Glacier

National Park, where we barely missed "the worst June snowstorm in 30 years," we entered Canada and continued on to Edmonton, Alberta, where the outfit was refitted and the car repaired. Ahead lay a 2,000-mile stretch of wilderness with a graveled swath cut through the forest as our only link with civilization.

The remoteness of the Northwest held little fear for us, and the mileposts along the road marched by. It took but a short time, however, to understand the feelings of an earlier traveler of the Alaska highway who wrote this piece of doggerel:

"Winding in and winding out, fills



Four Florida Southern College students who drove up the Alaskan highway to Fairbanks last summer hung this sign, listing the 6,000mile distance to the college. The travelers—three of whom were HKA's—are shown in the insets as well as near the sign. Starting at the bottom and reading clockwise, they are Joe Burch, Charles Potts, Bill Martin ( $\Lambda X \Lambda$ ) and Henry Thomson, author of the accompanying article written especially for The Shield and Diamond.

my mind with serious doubt, as to whether the dude that built this route, was goin' to Hell or comin' out."

In spite of the excellence of the highway, which was rushed to completion by U. S. Army Engineers during the war, and the magnificence of the scenery along the way, we pulled into Fairbanks a tired, dirty lot, on July 12, feeling much as I imagine Columbus must have felt when he sighted land after his long trip.

Upon arriving in Fairbanks the four of us decided to take jobs on a construction gang, due to the low financial standing of the party. After five weeks of this, in which we mingled with Eskimos and sourdoughs, we had accumulated enough money to carry us home in real style.

We found the summer weather in Alaska very much as it is in many parts of the States, and enjoyed swimming in a lake near Fairbanks. The sun was out 23 hours a day when we first arrived in Fairbanks. But when we left early in September the sun was setting at about 7:30. The days were growing shorter preceding the winter days when there would be but little light for weeks on end.

In spite of the fact that it was getting cool at nights when we left, the nicest weather we encountered on the trip was in Alaska—"the land of ice and snow."

After a quick trip via the Alaska Railroad to Mt. McKinley National Park, 150 miles south of Fairbanks, the little group of us pulled stakes and headed back down the long stretch to civilization. Burch and I were sporting real Yukon-style beards by this time, and the chin shrubbery was to attract much attention later though we didn't realize it at the time, for a beard is very commonplace there.

A side trip was made down to Valdez, Alaska, on the south coast. The Richardson highway, which leads to Valdez, and which has been built a good many years, winds in among towering snowcapped peaks, down through purple valleys into which mighty glaciers flow, and through miles of fine forest. The frost had killed the hordes of bloodthirsty mosquitoes that had pestered us on the trip up and the late summer rains had laid the dust, so the return trip was much more enjoyable. To add even more, the birch trees which grow everywhere in profusion were at their splendorous height of fall color.

Once more the forest resounded to the hearty strains of IIKA songs as we rolled on—Florida bound. Even Martin was (Continued on page 34)



Omega chapter's Pledge Queen Miss Mary Alice Mayer, KAO pledge, enters the Lexington Country Club ballroom on the arm of

her escort, Don McDonald, Omega president, for the first annual Pledge Queen ball.

### Kentucky Pledge Queen

OMEGA ORIGINATES ANNUAL SOCIAL EVENT; KAPPA ALPHA THETA BEAUTY CROWNED AT DANCE

#### By THOMAS A. COLLINS

#### Omega Chapter

♦ OMEGA chapter originated a new annual affair when it held a dance to honor its Pledge Queen chosen by its largest pledge class since the war. Miss Mary Alice Mayer of Lexington, a Kappa Alpha Theta pledge at the University of Kentucky, was the popular choice and was presented at the dance held Oct. 24 at the Lexington Country Club. Miss Mayer was chosen from a group of ten candidates, one from each campus sorority.

Bob Bleidt and his Blue and White Orchestra provided the dance music and floor show. The affair was the first of its kind held on the campus of the University of Kentucky and is sure to grow into one of the more popular annual events.

The lovely queen was given a portable radio, certificate to a dance school and a gold cup. She is the sister of Sylvia Mayer, former UK Beauty Queen.

## Utah Captures "We Wuz Robbed" Trophy In House Contest

By RUSSELL WILLIAMS Alpha-Tau Chapter

♦ AT THE recent Homecoming festivities on the University of Utah campus, Alpha-Tau chapter in Salt Lake City was awarded the coveted "We Wuz Robbed Trophy."

This traveling trophy is awarded to the fraternity, who in the opinion of the other tongs on the campus, was robbed of first place in the judging of events such as Homecoming and songfest.

"Redskin Warfare" was the theme of the festivities and Alpha-Tau chapter of IIKA placed in all but one event that was sponsored during Homecoming. Pledge Carl Walquist, an artist for the Centennial Commission of the State of Utah, and Active Ronald "Buzz" Capener were in charge of the house decorations.

New officers recently installed to serve during the 1947-1948 season are as follows: Jack Meecham, SMC; Norman Hughs, IMC; Frank Matheson, SC; Dean Buehler, ThC; Russell Williams, corresponding secretary; Dean Lindsay



Alpha-Tau chapter at Salt Lake City won the "We Wuz Robbed Trophy" for house decorations at Homecoming.

and Pat Leaver, pledgemasters; Ronnie Masters and Dave Bean, co-rush chairmen.

One of the most colorful autumn events, which highlighted Alpha-Tau's social calendar, was the annual Bowery party held at the Forrest Dale Golf Club Nov. 8, 1947.

Fifty couples, dressed in Gay Nineties costumes, turned out for this gala affair. Jay Garrett, social chairman, and Jack Newton were in charge of the party.

Two Alpha-Tau men head two of the campus publications. They are Milt Holstein, editor of the daily campus newspaper, the Chronicle, and Scott Woodland, editor of the *Unitonian*, the campus yearbook.

## Wake Forest Chapter Room Refurnished, House Painted

♦ IMC GEORGE TEAGUE stepped up to the job of SMC at Wake Forest as John Bruno was unable to be back this semester. Rip Burgess was elected IMC. Other officers include Kenneth Nance, ThC; Fred Isaacs, SC; Bill Denning, MC; Bill Casey, pledgemaster.

One of the first things done by Gamma-Phi this year was the painting of the chapter room, the passageways, and most of the bedrooms. New furniture also was bought for the chapter room.

A smoker was held Oct. 6 in the town community house with well over 100 men attending. The program featured plenty of music and food, and short talks by Martin Greene, district president; Ed Gavin, law student, and Sam Behrends, law student, past president of Gamma-Phi chapter and the student body. As a result the chapter got 17 of the best prospects on the campus as pledges.

Behrends and Doug McIntyre were appointed by Dean D. B. Bryan to "Who's Who in American Universities

and Colleges." This is Sam's second year to have this honor and he was also elected to Phi Beta Kappa last year. Sam also took the affirmative side in a recent article, "Should I Join a Social Fraternity?" in *The Student Magazine*. McIntyre is treasurer of the student body this year.

Grady Patterson, Jr., is the business manager of *The Student Magazine*, which was chosen the top collegiate magazine in the country last year. Lee Royal, Jack Cooper and George Isaacs are also working on *The Student*. Bill Royal and Roy Moore are on the business staff of *The Howler*. Tommy Johnson is publicity manager of the Little Theater, and Jerry Inscoe is treasurer of the same organization.

The IIKA's have started basketball practice and are looking forward to winning the championship trophy for the third straight year. Members of last year's championship team include Bill Boles, Jennings Agner, Bill Hadley, Bernard McCleod, Jack Copper, Mitchell Nance, Chatty Suitt, Charlie Bell

and Frank Hobson.

Plans also for moving to Winston-Salem in the near future are being made with a new home the first project. Funds are being added to the building fund every week with the alumni helping considerably.

Plans for a plaque in honor of the members of the Gamma-Phi's killed in the war are under way. Those to make the supreme sacrifice were Ray Lingle, Monroe, N. C.; Walter Clark, Baltimore, Md.; William Roach, Lumberton, N. C.; William Bullock, Jr., Roxboro, N. C., and Demming Ward, Durham. N. C.

The chapter is glad to see Dr. Gilbert S. Earp, faculty adviser, getting around so well after having spent most of the summer as a patient in the Mayo clinic.

Homecoming was Oct. 25, and the alumni who visited the chapter house were so numerous that we are unable to recognize them here. The week end was topped off by a dance in Raleigh.

A Christmas party and dance was held on Dec. 13.

## South Carolina Wins House Honors At Homecoming

♦ Top honors for house displays at the University of South Carolina Homecoming this fall went to Xi chapter.

The chapter made a long, rectangular formation and covered it with purple crepe paper in the form of a hurricane (the opponent was Furman's Purple Hurricane). To the left was a brightly colored Gamecock hanging from a limb of a tree, as if flying, carrying a block of dry ice.

A sign to the left read, "Gamecocks Precipitate Hurricane."





It was the second first place for IIKA in a week, for the chapter also had taken top honors for the Clemson game display.

Big news socially last term was the tri-mester occurrence of the Dream Girl ball at the Hotel Jefferson. The decorations featured a 10-foot replica of the badge, and the entrance to the ballroom was through an ivy-covered arbor. Garnet and Gold was the color motif.

Leading the grand march were SMC Ed Saleeby, sponsored by Dickie Luther; IMC Ted Holliday, sponsored by Carolyn Hallman; ThC John K. Smith, sponsored by Edith Owert; SC George Evans, sponsored by Earlyn Mattox, and the members of the fraternity with their dates.

Dream Girl for 1947, selected by secret ballot, was Miss Beth Fillingim, Sponsors and dates for the Dream Girl Ball of the South Carolina chapter include, from left to right: Front row, the Misses Beth Teachy, Dickie Luther, Edith Owens, Carolyn Hallman, Genanne Jones and Earline Mattox; IIKA's, Al Barhet, SMC Ed Saleeby, J. K. Smith, Ted Holladay, Wally Doughty and George Evans.

sophomore Chi Omega. She was presented at the end of the grand march. Her escort was Sid Badger.

SMC Saleeby presented the Dream Girl with a bouquet of American Beauty roses, and pinned her with the sweetheart pin.

Guests included members of the Emory, Georgia Tech, Duke, Wake Forest, North Carolina State and Davidson chapters.

Xi chapter's winning display for the Clemson-Carolina football game is shown here. Left is a replica of the administration building at Clemson. Center is the South Carolina stadium, and right is a hospital. A prancing Tiger (Clemson) leaves his campus, enters the stadium, and emerges all banged up and bandaged. Two different tigers attached to separate pulleys turned the trick. And Carolina won, 21-19, in the traditional battle.

#### PURDUE

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house for a buffet luncheon before the big game with Illinois. After lunch everyone left for Ross-Ade Stadium where they witnessed the greatest upset of the season. Following the evening meal, was the annual meeting of the undergraduate chapter with the Home Association. The majority of the guests stayed over for the party on Saturday night and for Sunday dinner.

Alumni returning for Homecoming were Carl Volkstadt, Bill Fleming, Bob Essig, Fred Lence, Ken Pruitt, A. P. Gillis, Bob Tuley, George Tipsword, J. H. Fisher, Allen Klinck, Bob Doades, F. K. Wylie, R. L. Modlin, H. C. Hawke, R. W. Hawke, W. E. Herringlake, A. C. Harra, Bill Alexander, E. C. Smith, R. L. Eichorn, Ira Gaston, C. E. Martin, P. H. Noffke, Dick Latter, R. G. Johnson, Frank Marshall, Ned Fable, R. S. Odman, J. H. Loomis, O. B. Riggs, C. L. Breeden, A. R. Rosendahl, Seth Sims, W. K. Sidwell, Mike Kovalow, J. K. Park, Bert Streeter, F. A. Kirchner, Art Bowes, Jim Taylor, Paul Montgomery, R. T. Simon, Dudd Kenzler, H. Hetrick, R. C. Spencer, R. C. Baetzhold and Hal Reynolds.

## Gamma Celebrates Diamond Anniversary

♦ A RESUME of the 1946-47 year at third-oldest Gamma reads like a continual celebration of its "Diamond Anniversary" as a chapter of the fraternity.

In December the student body fought a losing battle with the College of William and Mary to restore fraternities to their prewar status as house-owners, but a conciliation was reached whereby the fraternities will rent two-room lodges from the college. The lodges are expected to be completed some time this year.

The student action caused rushing to be delayed until midyear, but the wait proved profitable to Gamma, when on Feb. 23 an all-time high of 35 men were (Editor's Note: This report of Gamma chapter's activities for the year 1946-47 was prepared by Dick Owen, formerly of Gamma and now affiliated with Gamma-Omega. It tells the story of Gamma's first full year of operation since fraternities jointly suspended their activities at the College of William and Mary in 1943.)

Donald McLaughlin and James Warwick, pledges returned from service.

The pledges elected as their officers Harvey Chappell, president; Buddy Galbreath, vice-president; Whitey Albertson, secretary, and Eddie Dunbar, treasurer. Chappell had been president of tumn afternoons. Harrison was elected vice-president of the graduating class.

Dick Quynn was tapped by Phi Beta Kappa, and seven Pikes made the first semester's Deans' List—two, Quynn and Ken Scott, with perfect three-point-zeros. Dick Owen landed prominent roles in two college productions, "Arms and the Man," and "Joan of Lorraine." Harry Robison was voted the most outstanding player on the All-Fraternity intramural football team. Clint Baker was elected sophomore Assemblyman. Dick Salmon was manager of the W & M football team, which missed its second Southern Conference championship by a hair's breadth.

John Rothert was an editor and fre-



pledged, second in number on campus.

The pledges were: Alfred Atkins, James Brothwell, Robert Day, Thomas Donahue, Phillips Dulaney, William Greer, Hugh Haynie, Thomas Hill, James Logan, Robley Miles, Kenneth Nellis, Herbert Philips, Allen Pirkle, Stuart Riggs, Allen Smith and Robert Stevens, who were initiated on May 5; James Hutcherson and Edgar Wayland, who were initiated on May 12; Clinton Baker, who was initiated on June 10; and Eugene Albertson, William Burnette, Robert Chappell, William Crossman, Edward Dunbar, Warren Galbreath, William Garrison, Martin Greenwood, Victor Janega, William Jolly, Albert Lang, William Martin, Joseph Parker, James Sluss, Carl Warrick and Blair Whitehead, who elected to carry over into this year.

Holdover pledges from the previous spring who were initiated during the year were Robert Zoll, Roger Orrison and Harry Robison. Also initiated were his sophomore and junior classes, and an aide to the president of the college. Galbreath also had been president of his freshman class.

The men who led the chapter in its first full year since reactivation were, first and second semesters respectively: SMCs Donald Ware and Wallace Heatwole; IMCs William Day and Donald Palese; ThCs Gerald Schadegg and Thomas Oakley; SCs Howard Gilkerson and Kenneth Scott, and Historian Richard Quynn. The officers elected at the close of the year, and now holding office, are, in the regular order, Don Palese, Tom Oakley, Gerry Schadegg and Ken Nellis.

As the year went by, the honors were heaped on Gamma. Omicron Delta Kappa was well represented by John Crum, Wally Heatwole, Tom Mikula and Bill Harrison. Mikula is a President's Aide, and he and little Hank Blanc make up one-half of the Big Green's high-scoring backfield these au-

quent contributor to the *Royalist*, college literary magazine. Also on hand to complete the circle were the social "wheels," Burt and Wes Hill, the diminutive Banks Talley, Herb Bateman, the campus "politician," and law student Pete Quynn, who so ably represented Gamma at the National Convention at Mackinac Island.

Gamma was socially active from orientation through June finals, with a big Fall Frolics dance in the Great Hall, Founder's Day banquet at the Williamsburg Lodge, followed by a dance at the Bruton Parish House, and a spring hayride to Yorktown Beach.

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♦ LOUISE SUGGS, who is smashing golf records right and left, is the daughter of John Braden Suggs, T, of Lithia Springs, Ga., a golf pro.

## Pow-Wow Dance Tops Social Events At Oklahoma A. & M.

♦ ONE of the social highlights of the fall semester at Oklahoma A. & M. College was Gamma-Chi chapter's Pow-Wow dance.

The rustic beauty of early pioneer days greeted members, pledges, and guests as they entered. And the elaborate decorations made a perfect background for the crowning of Miss Betty Clifton as Dream Girl. The crowning was followed by the singing of the "The Dream Girl of IIKA" by Pledge John Burrows.

Sixteen men were pledged during rush week, bringing the total membership in Gamma-Chi to 31 members and 25 pledges, a far cry from the eight members who reactivated the chapter in 1946.

Much credit for the fine showing of the Fraternity must go to the fall term officers: Bill Norton, SMC; Richard Buzzard, IMC; Leonard Aleman, SC; Evan Karnes, ThC and house manager; L. H. Bengston, Jr., MS and MC; Bill McCollum, historian; Bruce Wilson, pledgemaster, and Ray Smittle, rush chairman.

The alumni chapter has grown in numbers and spirit and is doing much to enable the active chapter to carry out its building program. Close contact is kept between the two chapters by monthly group meetings, and a magazine is published by the active chapter.

The chapter house has been redecorated and enlarged, and is now one of the most attractive and modernistic on the campus. However, because of the limiting factor of size, plans are being made for building a new one in the near future.

Ralph Stuart, Tulsa, was elected president of Gamma-Chi, at a recent meeting.

Other officers elected were Henry Edward Cobb, Broken Arrow, Okla., vice-president; William C. McCollum, Stigler, Okla., house manager, and William E. Feezell, Claremore, Okla., secretary.

The men elected will take over their offices the first of the spring semester.



Gamma-Chi's social chairman, Gene Swaze, is in seventh heaven among the Dream Girl candidates of the Oklahoma A. & M. College chapter. Back row (left to right)

are the Misses Betty Clifton, Rainey Heard, Lee Coppage and Tharon Patterson; front row, Miss Ruth Ellen Lewis, Swaze and Miss Beth Anderson.



Rush Chairman Ray T. Smittle of Gamma-Chi congratulates Miss Betty Clifton, IIBA, who has just been announced as the chapter Dream Girl, while pin-mate Dick Thompson looks on. The crowning took place at the chapter's traditional Pow-Wow dance.

#### NEW REPORT FORMS SENT TO CHAPTERS

♦ New single-entry financial report forms for the fraternity's smaller chapters have been printed and distributed, Executive Secretary Robert D. Lynn announced recently.

The new forms, designed by Guy A. Borkey, O, of the Virginia Electric & Power Co., greatly simplify the accounting procedures of the smaller chapters, combining the ThC and House Manager reports for those chapters wishing to send the National Office a single report.

One of the forms is a "Cash Paid Out Record," with the "Cash Received Record" on the reverse side, while the other is the Financial Report. Both are for monthly reports to the National Office, as required by fraternity regulations.

A set of instructions on the reverse side of the Financial Report explains exactly how to use the new simplified forms

"We sincerely appreciate the excellent contribution which you made in drafting these forms," Executive Secretary Lynn wrote Borkey. "We feel they will greatly assist chapter financial officers."



## II KA is Crowned "King of Pep" at Kansas State

By PAUL J. KUCKELMAN Alpha-Omega Chapter

♦ KING OF PEP at Kansas State College is Bob Dunlap, Alpha-Omega chapter.

Bob was crowned monarch of the pepsters at the annual Golddiggers Ball on Oct. 17. The ball, sponsored by the Purple Pepsters, is a "gal-take-guy" affair. Weird corsages, worn by the men, are the rule of the evening. Highlight of the evening was, of course, the crowning.

During an intermission, the king-tobe was carried to the bandstand concealed in a purple and white cage. As Matt Betton's orchestra broke into the Wildcat Victory song, he sprang out of the cage to receive his crown and be dubbed King of Pep.

The coronation of the king climaxed weeks of campaigning and preparation. Each year a king is chosen from outstanding men of pep on the campus. The Purple Pepsters, who make the selection, are a chapter of Phi Sigma Chi, national women's pep organization.

Bob is an ex-pilot in the AAF. A sophomore in milling chemistry, he comes from Liberal, Kan. He is a cheer leader whose exceptional ability and zest won for him the title "King of Pep."

Members of Phi Sigma Chi, national women's pep organization, look on as IIKA's Bob Dunlap is crowned "King of Pep" at Kansas State College. In spite of the hapless record of the Wildcats, the team got plenty of vocal support from the student cheering section, with Dunlap leading the pep antics.

#### BABE BEESON GIVEN ARMY CITATION

♦ DWIGHT M. "BABE" BEE-SON, BK, a lieutenant commander in the Navy during the war, has been awarded the Army Commendation ribbon.

The citation from Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national director of Selective Service, follows:

"As Navy liaison officer, assigned to Alabama State headquarters of the Selective Service System from April 27, 1944, to Nov. 18, 1945, Lieutenant Commander Beeson successfully coordinated Selective Service and Navy matters. He also served as assistant occupational classification officer, in which capacity he reviewed replacements schedules, and requests for occupational deferments, and resolved such problems in accord with manpower demands. He discharged his responsibilities with distinction."

Following release from active duty status Beeson resumed connection with the Liberty National Life Insurance Co. of Birmingham, which company he had served since 1926. For many years he was the general agent for the Atlanta district, but upon being released from active duty with the Navy, was transferred to Alabama, where he is general agent for North Alabama, with head-quarters in Huntsville.

## Alpha-Epsilon Again Goes After Intramural Trophy

By CARL W. FARRISS Alpha-Epsilon Chapter

♦ ALPHA-EPSILON chapter opened its 1947-48 college year with 65 active members and three former pledges.

Rush week was marked with numerous festive occasions at the chapter house and at nearby Pullen park. A series of smokers and parties lasted throughout the week and on the final night a picnic with all the trimmings was given.

Scintillating fraternity spirit together with more than enough to eat and plenty of firelight singing brought the week to a close. As a result, 15 fine young gentlemen pledged themselves to the Garnet and Gold.

The new pledges include Preston L. Andrews, Jr., Daniel Horning, Johnnie Jones and James Severs, Charlotte, N. C.; Stephen Conrad, Thomas McAdams, Donald Spencer and Fred Stafford, Greensboro, N. C.; William Dillingham, Asheville, N. C.; John M. Moore, Mt. Holly, N. C.; Beverly Ross, Cary, N. C.; William Simpson, Burlington, N. C.; Robert Utley, Concord, N. C.; Hall Wingfield, Lynchburg, Va., and Kenneth Winston, Raleigh, N. C.

The intramural situation for Alpha-Epsilon looks good this year, too. For the past 12 years IIKA has taken first place in intramural sports at N. C. State College, and the chapter has set its cap to make this the thirteenth year. Under the direction and patient coaching of our illustrious football man, Richard Peyton Hollomand, Washington, N. C., the football team is really clicking.

Walter Kelly Batson, Charlotte, N. C., former Golden Glove favorite, has taken the chapter's sturdiest members and is whipping them into a boxing team. The boys really look good.

Volleyball and basketball teams are still in the primary stages of development, but there is no lack of players, and with our bean-pole pals, Levi Clayton Bridger, Bladenboro, N. C., and William Krisler Neal, Roanoke Rapids, Va., we have no fears. All in all, it looks like another IIKA year.

## Bowling Green Chapter Moves Into New College-Built House

By WILLIAM J. VARALLA Delta-Beta Chapter

♦ Delta-Beta chapter recently moved into its chapter house. The new house, furnished by Bowling Green State University, is a beautiful red-brick modified colonial house, equipped with dining facilities.

The new fraternity row at Bowling Green consists of seven houses built at the home of Dr. Walter A. Zaugg,  $\Delta B$ , for the wives and sweethearts of the alumni, actives, and pledges.

Ray Shellhammer, ΔB, is the associate editor of the university alumni magazine.

Two of the present pledge class have made their names synonymous with 1947 football and baseball at BGSU.

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The new IIKA house at Bowling Green State University furnishes the background for Delta-Beta

around a horseshoe setting, IIKA occupying the center house. Joseph Prebeg, Shadyside, O., and Dom Spoto, Rockford, Ill., were elected house and kitchen managers, respectively.

Officers now serving Delta-Beta chapter are William Sherman, SMC; Howard Bevington, IMC and pledgemaster; Ray Shellhammer, SC; Allen Bender, ThC; George Ahlborn, MC; William Varalla, MS; and Ralph Schriempf, historian.

IIKA took top honors in the last major university stage production. Ronald Kern portrayed George Apley in "The Late George Apley" and was given the highest praise by newspaper critics. Also, IIKA was represented in the main supporting roles, with Lee Miesle portraying John Apley.

A Homecoming banquet was held in the dining room of the First Methodist church in Bowling Green Oct. 25, in honor of the alumni. During the same evening, a buffet luncheon was given

chapter's Homecoming decorations prior to the Bowling Green-Kent State game.

Pledge John Sheldon is a first string guard on the football team, and Pledge Fred Petrides was outstanding as a pitcher on the baseball squad last spring.

The pledges were given the task of decorating the house during Homecoming. Kent State University was Bowling Green's opponent at the Homecoming game. The pledges ingeniously rigged up a falcon dummy releasing a detonator charge dynamiting the Kent State gridder. The Kent dummy was suspended in air by means of an invisible wire. Smoke from the blast was prepared by Pledge Donald Ahlborn by a mixture of chemicals.

Dr. Walter A. Zaugg, alumnus counselor, was recently elected a member of the executive committee of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults. He also is president of the Ohio Society for Crippled Children.

Recent pledges of Delta-Beta are Don-

ald Andrew Ahlborn, Akron; Richard Lee Albaugh, Alliance; William Turner Beattie, Bowling Green; Donald Edward Dickson, Cleveland; Steven Louis Kuhn, Ashtabula; George Charles Manyak, Warren; Nicholas James Markes, Norwalk; Gerald Joseph Murphy, Cleveland; Fred Petrides, Bridgeport, Conn.; George Stanley Pugh, Calcutta; Gerald James Rockwood, Bowling Green; Kenneth Henry Sauer, Elyria; Wayne Alfred Scheider, Perrysburg; Anthony John Schiavo, Rockford, Ill.; John M. Sheldon, Elyria, and Elmer Daniel Thoss, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Recent initiates include George Ahlborn, Curt Comer, Val Connally, James Crabtree, Carl Davenport, Virgil Droll, Sal Giudice, Richard Graham, Robert Hiser, Ned Hugus, Ronald Kern, Norman Meese, Curtis Nelson, Joseph Quinty, Don Roberts, Ken Smith, Robert Sonderegger, Dom Spoto, Roger Warner, Warren Wirth and William Varalla.

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♦ FRANK SINKWICH, AM, was author of a recent article in *This Week* magazine entitled "Who's Got the Ball?". The article is based around the former Georgia star giving tips to spectators in how to get most out of watching football games.

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♦ Lansing P. Shield, AΨ, has been elected to life membership of the board of trustees of Rutgers.



Playing the leading role in "The Late George Apley" at Bowling Green State University was Ronald Kern,  $\Delta B$ , shown here with "Mrs. Apley," Evalee Smith,  $\Delta \Gamma$ .



IIKA's at the University of Texas are living in this temporary home, awaiting the construction of a new chapter house which is scheduled

to be started within two years. Financing of the new house is being handled by the Beta-Mu Building Co., Inc.

## Mothers Club Pushes Activities At Texas; Chapter in New Home

By CHARLES A. STEPHENS Beta-Mu Chapter

◆ THE RECENTLY organized Mothers' club has completed a very successful and active period here at the University of Texas.

Present officers of the Mothers' club are Mrs. W. J. Ferrick, president; Mrs. E. G. Kingsbery, vice-president; Mrs. A. L. Nanney, secretary; Mrs. Agnes Abbott, treasurer; Mrs. Leonard Robbins, historian; Mrs. W.-B. Gardner, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Earl Pummill, publicity.

The Mothers' club has been active in assisting the chapter in numerous social functions. Assisting in plans and decorations, the Mothers' club has been a great asset to the chapter as well as a stimulant on the campus toward the organization of other Mothers' clubs.

The club helped Beta-Mu chapter move into its present location this past September and was responsible for the interior decoration of the chapter house. Evidence of their zeal and efforts are apparent in every downstairs room of the chapter house.

The present chapter house will accommodate approximately 22 men. Beta-Mu will remain at this location until the construction of a new chapter house. Financing of the new house is being accomplished by the issuance of bonds through a corporation known as Beta-Mu Building Co., Inc. The new house is scheduled to be constructed

within the next 18 months or two years.

The annual fall formal was held Nov. 7 in the Mural Room of the Stephen F. Austin Hotel in Austin. More than 250 IIKA's and guests attended and the event was a rousing success. Traditional decorations were carried out with the assistance of Mrs. W. B. Gardner, Mrs. R. C. Duke, Mrs. Leonard Robbins and Mrs. T. D. Hill, all members of the Austin Mothers' club. Chaperons for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kingsbery, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dupriest, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catterall, and the housemother, Granny Round-tree.

Beta-Mu chapter, now in its twentyseventh year on the campus, got off to a good start in September after a successful rush week in which 14 men pledged IIKA. The chapter now numbers 60 actives and 22 pledges.

Pledges for the first semester include Gene Arwine and James Tye, Floydada; Robert Braly, William Camp, Fred Luce and William M. Smith, Houston; Allan Hanretta, Austin; Roy Henslee, San Francisco, Calif.; Ben Kirkland and Joseph Ward, Wichita Falls; Edwin Brooke Jones, San Antonio; Phil Stuart Kendrick, Jr., Abilene; Jack Lord, Milam; Ramond Joe Marek, Dallas; Fess Elisha Parker, Brownwood; Milton Harmon Parrott, Waco; James Stafford Taylor, Jacksonville; James Charles Wilson, Jr., Pecos; Robert E. Wyche, Alice, and James Hillis, Ft. Worth.

New initiates are Dennis Dupriest, William Fuller and Sidney Buell, Austin; Frank Whittington and David Wilhelm, Houston; Richard Yarborough, Beaumont, and Minor Anderson, Harry L. McMullin, Jr., and Thomas Cheavens, Dallas.

Sidney Johnson Buell was elected best pledge and was presented a pen of special and distinctive design by the chapter.

Richard H. Moore and Verne D. Phillips are new pledges in Phi Alpha Delta, honorary law fraternity.

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## House Corporation Formed at L. P. I.

By ELLIOTT R. EDWARDS Gamma-Psi Chapter

♦ THE "House Wanted" sign that members of Gamma-Psi chapter have been taking around for the past year is just about ready to fade out at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute.

With the grand work of President Brown C. McLure, the Ruston Pi Kappa House Corp. has been drawn up for 'he sole purpose of obtaining a house for the chapter. The corporation articles state: the purpose is "to encourage and direct the Gamma-Psi chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity . . . towards worthy objectives and ends, and particularly to encourage supervision over the scholastic studies of the members . . . and to provide more adequate library and study facilities."

The corporation will be operated for the members of IIKA and not on a profit basis. Capital stock will consist of \$10,000 divided into 1,000 shares of \$10 each. Buyers of stock may be only members of IIKA or the wife, daughter, brother, son, sister, father, or mother of a member. No matter how many shares of stock a member holds, however, he is entitled only to one vote.

The first annual meeting of the corporation will be held in March. A special meeting was held last October to elect officers and a board of nine governors. The officers include McLure, H. E. Ruff, vice-president, and Robert E. Holliday, secretary-treasurer. The board of governors are Courtney Reed, L. P. McLane, Tom Ashworth, Dawson Lary, Edward L. Stout, McLure, Ruff and Holliday.

Plans are being formulated now for "news letters" and "stock subscription blanks" to be sent out to all alumni of Gamma-Psi.

## Rushing Season At Georgia Tech Nets 20 Pledges

♦ ALPHA-DELTA chapter at the Georgia School of Technology has recently completed one of the most successful rushing seasons in its history, pledging 20 men.

The chapter completed its rushing under very trying conditions, having been evicted from its regular chapter house only three days before the beginning of the rushing season. The old house, which was located at 674 Spring street in Atlanta, was an old and well known landmark and cherished very deeply by the present brothers and the alumni of the chapter.

After their eviction, the men acquired

Fall semester pledges at Alpha-Delta chapter pose with Pledge-master John Jones and two honored guests, Robert D. Lynn, National Executive Secretary, and Traveling Secretary Ken Armstrong. Pictured from left to right are: Front row, Warren L. Johnson, John S. Young, Jr., Hal S. Daniel, Jr., Harry Auston Cole, Jr., and John E. Bass, Jr.; middle row, James T. Monahan, James E. Coley, Jr., Calvin M. Johnson, Charles H. Jones, Virgil C. Uptain and Langford Leroy Hodges, Jr.; top row, Mr. Lynn, John L. Worth, Homer D. Fuller, Carl Louis Tillstrom, George T. Heery, Samuel H. Beissel, Harold M. Reynolds, Pledgemaster Jones and Mr. Armstrong.



Hard at it are these IIKA's at Georgia Tech. They're putting the finishing touches on their temporary

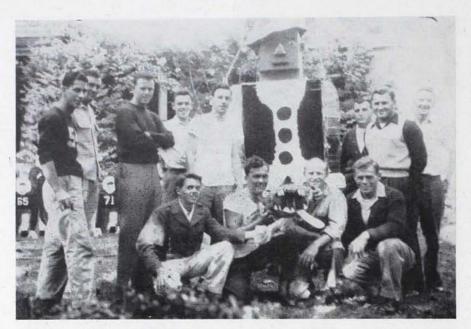


chapter house, which was transformed from a Civil War relic to a modern fraternity house. Left to right, Johnny Ludlow, Neal Rothfuss and Leon Williams polish trophies, while Stuart Keene (sitting) gives Hank de Court and Malcolm Gesner advice on waxing floors.

the use of a five-room apartment from Georgia Tech which is located only a block from the campus. The temporary arrangement has sufficed as a substitute chapter house much better than was expected. The Alpha-Delta actives have had to put every bit of their spare time into fixing up their apartment.

The chapter now is pushing plans for building a new house. The property probably will be purchased in the very near future at a choice location on the campus with money raised almost wholly by the present active brothers. Each brother agreed to donate a minimum of \$25, but many have exceeded this amount.

A Pi Kappa Alpha alumnus, Prof. C. Wilmer Heery, who is in the employ of (Continued on page 36)



A gang of Rutgers IIKA's gather in front of the Princeton game display. Reading from left to right: Lynn Lloyld, Oakley Pandick, Ray Harrison, George Garthwaite, Stan Beran, replica of Coach Harman, Jim Taigia, Mike Kushinka and Bill Griffin; kneeling,

Bob Griffith, Harry Hoffman, Al Glowacki and Paul Corrigan. The Princeton display showed Santa Claus (Coach Harvey Harman) with the Tiger by the tail, giving it as a present under the Christmas tree to the student body, while the team, on the left, looked on.

## Rutgers Sees IIKA Comeback

By HARRY HOFFMAN Alpha-Psi Chapter

♦ AFTER a period of hibernation occasioned by the war and the subsequent loss of its chapter house, Alpha-Psi is now bursting out into the light once more at Rutgers.

19 Union street, the new home of Alpha-Psi, already has been well housewarmed by two lively parties following victorious football encounters.

The first, after the traditional game with Princeton, started the new house off in good IIKA style. The party celebrated the third Rutgers triumph over Princeton since these two colleges initiated intercollegiate football in 1869.

This game was preceded by a collegewide contest among the fraternities of displays depicting scenes of the approaching Princeton downfall, in which IIKA, using the theme "Early Christmas for Rutgers," finished among the finalists.

Making use of the natural setting in front of the house (a large evergreen tree was decorated in holiday splendor) Alpha-Psi showed Coach Harvey Harman as Santa Claus presenting a deflated effigy of the Princeton Tiger to the student body. People gathered in astonishment in front of the house when they heard "Jingle Bells" and

"Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" blaring from the loudspeaker.

On Oct. 25, Homecoming day at Rutgers University, a host of Alpha-Psi men from all classes and many from other chapters gathered at the new home for a buffet dinner and a house party reminiscent of the assembly of the clan in prewar days.

At a recent meeting of Alpha-Psi the following brothers were elected to office for the second school semester: SMC, Eugene Gonzalez; IMC, Stan Beran; ThC, Jim Bailey; SC, Bill Griffin.

A new pledge class of 21, featuring 32-year-old Bob Looms, father of two, started its pledge training under the supervision of Pledgemaster Ray Harrison, a transfer from Gamma-Omega.

Back at a chapter house for the first time since the war, the brothers and pledges of Alpha-Psi are striving to make the chapter a standout on the campus.

The alumni, impressed by the showing that the undergraduates have made during the past few months, have pledged their support, and at the present the chapter house association is considering a plan presented by Charles Fowler, class of 1927, for chapter house construction within five years.

#### FLORIDA SOUTHERN

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singing IIKA songs with us now. After arriving at Edmonton, which we considered the Gateway To Civilization, we enjoyed the majestic beauty of Jasper, Banff, and Lake Louise in British Columbia, and joyfully re-entered the good ole U. S. A.

Determined to get our money's worth, we traveled down the Pacific Coast and took in as much as possible, although college was scheduled to open in a matter of days.

We visited the brothers at the University of California and University of New Mexico chapters. These visits were so enjoyable that I've decided to make an extended tour of as many chapters as possible some time in the future.

We crossed the great Southwest, through the Gulf Coast area which had just been so hard-hit by a hurricane, and finally arrived back at Southern on Oct. 1, where we were wildly greeted by our fellow IIKA's, green with envy. I still wore my beard, although Burch had long since shaved his off, and that, too, evoked some envy from the brothers, I think. We were all looked upon as though we had just traveled to the moon, and felt it, too, but it was a real adventure—a wonderful, never-to-be-forgotten adventure.

So if you don't think you have enough money for a good two-weeks vacation at the beach next summer, just recruit some fellow IIKA's, get an old Ford and take off for Alaska!

It's cheaper and you'll have a lot more fun.



19 Union Street, the new home of Alpha-Psi chapter, with its huge evergreen trees in the front and the banner proudly displayed from the window.

## Penn State IIKA Wins Presidency Of All Colleges

By WILBER S. KING Beta-Alpha Chapter

♦ THE Penn State chapter is having a big year.

In the spring elections on campus Tom Lannen was elected all-college president, the highest undergraduate office attainable. Having been president of the sophomore class in the fall of 1945 and spring of 1946, Tom was instrumental in organizing the State political party, nine out of ten of whose candidates won election to office. Among other extra-curricular activities Tom is a member of Lion's Paw, Skull and Bones, and Druids.

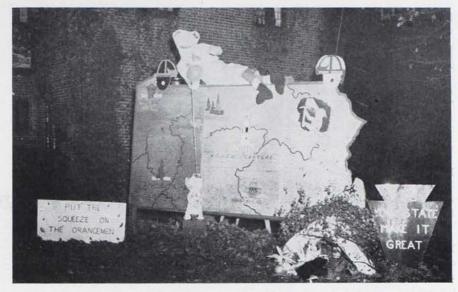
Lending still greater prominence to the chapter was the election of Dave Barron to the position of varsity football manager. Being a member of the junior class, Brother Barron has the opportunity of holding this responsible position for two seasons, an achievement heretofore unprecedented. His other activities include Blue Key and the Debating squad.

Although lacking members on the varsity squad of the football team, Frank Mathias and Pledge Jim Wood were on the junior varsity squad, playing the positions of center and quarterback, respectively.

On varsity teams Beta-Alpha has its largest representation on the potent lacrosse team. Pledge George Locotos, who was captain of the team last spring, has another season ahead of him, having played three seasons already as an attack man. Bob Louis was an attack man on last season's squad, while Harry Bragg, Bob Abernethy and Pledge Ted Wolfe were defensemen on the same squad.

Tom Andrews, former chairman of the student branch of A. I. E. E., has maintained for six semesters a nearperfect scholastic average and is the leading scholar of the chapter. His other honoraries include Tau Beta Pi, Eta Kappa Nu, and Phi Kappa Phi. Brother Andrews was the chapter IMC for the fall semester.

In the traditional lawn display over fall houseparty week end, IIKA took third place with a display designed by Dick Shultz, Bob Mead, Tom Andrews



This lawn display gave Beta-Alpha third-place honors at Pennsylvania State College's annual Homecoming week end. The display depicts the Nittany Lion atop a map of Pennsylvania. The Lion is

squeezing an orange (Syracuse Orangemen), and the orange juice is falling into the mouth of a lion cub below. The cornucopia at the right contains products of the

and Henry Meyers. The display's theme was a combination of Pennsylvania Week and the defeat of Syracuse; it depicted the Nittany Lion reclining on a map of Pennsylvania squeezing an orange (Syracuse Orangemen), the juice of which flowed into the mouth of a lion cub.

New pledges include George Blickley, Philadelphia; Francis Fuge, Houtzdale, Pa.; William Reichard, Ashland, Pa.; George Locotos, Pittsburgh; Edward Wilson, Merion, Pa.; Richard Hannah and Norman Dann, Philadelphia; James Spade, Danville, Pa.; Theodore Wolfe, Jr., and James Wood, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Fall semester officers were Ed Hanford, SMC; Tom Andrews, IMC; Dick Owen, ThC; Dave Briner, SC.



Beta-Alpha representatives on the Penn State lacrosse team are (left to right) Bob Louis, Bob Abernathy, Capt. George Locotos, Pledge Ted Wolfe and Harry Bragg. Locotos, Bragg, Abernethy and Wolfe are lettermen from last year's team.

# Florida Pleased With Co-education

By VERNON LOWELL Alpha-Eta Chapter

↑ The University of Florida, in its first year of co-education, is pleased about the whole thing, needless to say. And just as pleased, too, is Alpha-Eta chapter with the co-education idea; and with the outcome of its first Pledge Dance.

This dance, honoring the 1947 pledge class, was held in the chapter house on Oct. 3 and is something new to Alpha-Eta chapter; but according to chapter sentiment, it won't be the last. To say that the dance was successful would be speaking conservatively.

In keeping with the theme of pledge life, the house was decorated with life-size caricatures of pledges carrying out different pledge duties. The favors, too, carried the theme out even farther . . . miniature paddles emblazoned with the crest of the fraternity on one side and spaces on the reverse for the young ladies to list their dances.

At intermission, SMC Linton E. Floyd spoke to the assembled group and welcomed them on behalf of the brothers and the new pledges. John Palmer and W. C. Nesbitt originated the decorations; and Albert Williams and Vernon Lowell were in charge of refreshments. The entire function was under the direction of John W. Booth, social chairman.

## Western Reserve Float Makes Hit At Homecoming

By JERRY LEWICKY Beta-Epsilon Chapter

♦ The annual football Homecoming game between Western Reserve and Baldwin Wallace of nearby Berea was played on Nov. 22 at League Park in Cleveland.

Beta-Epsilon entered Miss Marilyn Booth as its candidate for the Homecoming Queen of Western Reserve University. Although Miss Booth was not crowned as the queen she was one of the finalists. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold S. Booth, Daisy Hill drive, Chagrin Falls. Dr. Booth is a past SMC of Beta-Epsilon chapter.

Beta-Epsilon had a float entered in the pre-game parade. Jack Means caused quite a bit of commotion among the Baldwin Wallace crowd. He represented our version of the Baldwin Wallace queen, looking very seductive in front of the B-W administration building. Bill Mizenko, school of architecture, spent countless hours drawing elaborate plans for the building. The picture shows the fruits of his labors. The students of Baldwin Wallace were so enthusiastic over the float that a picture of it will appear in their year-book.

After the game all of the fraternities



Jack Means rides the Beta-Epsilon float in the Cleveland parade before the Western Reserve-Baldwin Wallace game,



Matilyn Booth, Beta-Epsilon's candidate for Homecoming Queen at Western Reserve, was one of the finalists.

held open house and served refreshments. IIKA house was still serving refreshments long after the other houses had run out. This was due to the foresight of SMC Dan Deady who instructed the social committee to be prepared for a larger crowd than was expected.

Although being inactive during the war and being active less than a year and a half, Beta-Epsilon has grown from four members to forty-one. We are well established on the campus with actives holding many offices in the junior and senior classes and on the campus publications.

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### GEORGIA TECH

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the Georgia Tech architectural school, has agreed to draw up the complete plans for the new house free of charge. Another alumnus, Prof. Hubert B. Owens, of the University of Georgia, through whose untiring efforts Alpha-Mu chapter has raised \$40,000 toward the purchase of its new house, has agreed to landscape the new lot for Alpha-Delta without charge. He also has offered to give his very able assistance in raising the necessary funds if at all possible.

Brother Frank B. Hudson, Alpha-Delta alumnus advisor, has given his untiring help and as much of his valuable time as he possibly can toward acquiring the lot and raising the direfully needed funds.

Even under these extremely adverse conditions, the chapter has ably continued its functions on the Georgia Tech campus.

## West Virginia Net Star Ranks High in Nation

♦ Alpha-Theta is proud of Leland Byrd. It has a right to be.

From small Matoaka high school, in southern West Virginia, "Hammer" has come a long way in gaining honors on the hardwood court.

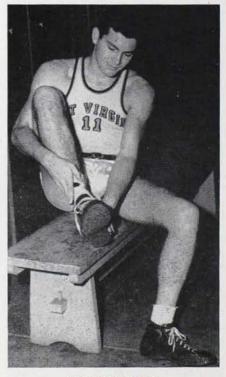
Today, Byrd stands as one of the top basketball stars of the nation, and here's why:

The tall, amiable Byrd started his playing under Coach Lee Patton in high school, who is, by the way, "Hammer's" mentor here at West Virginia. Byrd was captain two of his three years while at Matoaka and helped give his school state-wide recognition.

He came to the University in 1944 and immediately began to burn up the court with his marvelous style of play. He was destined for the big time.

During the 1945-46 season he was, many times, into the two-figures scoring, and amazed coach and fans alike with his brilliant playing. In the St. Johns game (the semi-finals of the National Invitation Tournament in New York in '46) he racked up 30 points as he and his teammates upset highly-touted St. Johns.

During the 1946-47 season, "Hammer"



LELAND BYRD

was particularly outstanding for his deadly one-armed shots. He captained that season's Gold and Blue team to a 21-win, one-defeat record, losing only to tough Navy at Annapolis. Naturally, the Mountaineers received another bid to the famous N.I.T. in New York. He continued to play brilliantly until the Mountaineers went down to defeat at the hands of Utah, who went on to win the tournament.

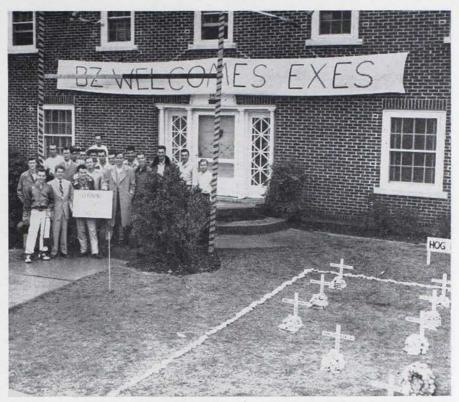
"Hammer" was outstanding in many ways on the basketball court and it can all be attributed to his headiness and alert ball-handling. West Virginia, of course, is known for its fast-breaking offense, and Byrd engineers this beautifully. The trend of basketball today is toward fast breaks and plenty of shooting and that's just what the Mountaineers excel in.

To cite an example where the fast method of play emerged victorious over the old, slow, methodical style: In the Penn State game at home last season, the visitors employed the slow style, waiting for a setup. Their defensive play was almost perfect as they kept the Mountaineers bottled up, spoiling plays and capturing the ball time and again. The game wore on with neither team piling up anything like a sizeable score. With four minutes to play, State led 34-33. "Hammer" appeared worried, from our vantage point, and we, likewise, were not at all at ease. As the teams moved back and forth, unable to score, we knew it might end in either team's favor, depending upon who got the break. With but seconds left and State commanding a 37-34 lead, the prayers from the balcony began. Suddenly, Byrd stole the ball from the Lions and threw a long, accurate pass to a teammate down the floor under the basket, who coolly pitched in a two-pointer. Byrd again stole the ball, but, with the seconds running out, elected to shoot from midfloor. His shot connected, and, in the final seconds, the Mountaineers engineered another goal as the game ended.

Byrd was named on the All-Tournament team in the N.I.T. in '46; and was also named Campus All-American the same year.

In December basketball season will commence again, and with it a more experienced Mountaineer five, better, even, than last year's.

The coming season for "Hammer" looks like his top season. He's a senior this year and there is every possibility that he will make All-American. Things are "ripe" for the Byrd and you can rest assured that he will seize every opportunity in the bag of basketball tricks this coming season. He should fly high; keep your eye on him.





Pigs Bring Prize In S. M. U. Contest At Homecoming

By MAURICE B. BALL Beta-Zeta Chapter

♦ ELEVEN live pigs with the names of Arkansas University football players on their backs was the prize-winning theme for SMU's Homecoming. This unorthodox display by Beta-Zeta was the unanimous choice of the decoration judges for the first prize on fraternity row.

Traffic was at a standstill as literally

♦ J. HAROLD JOHNSTON, AΨ, has been named vice-chairman of the Rutgers Alumni Council. He formerly was a member of the executive committee of the council. As chairman of a subcommittee of the executive committee, he met with Coach George Little to work out a more equitable allocation of tickets to football games.

Here is the prize-winning house at Southern Methodist University Homecoming. Of course, it's the IIKA house. Below is the attraction which turned the tide in favor of Beta-Zeta—a pen of live pigs bearing names of Arkansas play-

hundreds of cars and people paused to see the unique display.

The display consisted of the pigs browsing in a pen marked SMU Packing Company. A sign listing the names of SMU's starting eleven was marked "Board of Directors, SMU Packing House." The remainder of the display consisted of a graveyard with white crosses listing SMU's wins over Arkansas' Razorbacks. The cemetery was named "Hog Heaven." SMU defeated the Arkansas eleven later that afternoon by a score of 14 to 6.

A victory reception was held at the IIKA house following the game. A number of alumni were entertained by the chapter.

At the Homecoming dance given at the Student Union building, Beta-Zeta accepted the Homecoming cup. Matt Harris, SMC, received the gold and silver cup on behalf of the fraternity.

The chapter at SMU is recognized as being one of the outstanding fraternities on the campus. The traditional Dream Girl serenade has won favor among the sororities at SMU. Scholastically and financially the chapter is in excellent standing.



## Wittenburg Chapter Has House Display But No House

♦ GAMMA-ZETA being the only fraternity on the Wittenberg campus without a house, found itself starting the school year with 12 active members. Through much work from all, the present pledge class numbers 26.

As is custom, a smoker was held for prospective pledges at the Hotel Shawnee. Then on Sept. 27, the actives entertained the pledges and their dates with a picnic.

Homecoming week end saw us erect our first display since the reactivation of the chapter. Although we failed to take first place, we received many favorable comments on our theme, "Capital Punishment," for Capital University.

The traditional "Varsity Night" on Nov. 22 gave us the opportunity to compete with the other fraternities on the campus along the dramatic line.

John Hiles, Eugene Hannum, and Charles Bishop won varsity W's for football. Hannum is also a returning letterman on the basketball squad.

In intramural sports, the IIKA's have gained much respect from the other groups for their fine play and spirit. We are looking forward to the coming basketball season with optimistic prospects of winning our first cup.

The highlight of the winter social season, the Christmas Formal, was held Dec. 6.

Homecoming display of Gamma-Zeta chapter at Wittenberg College. Although not a prize winner, the unique idea caused much comment by the returning grads.

Attempts to get a house started off with a bang. But we are still attempting. The alumni have started to move under the leadership of the new alumni president, Carlton Bauer. We are hoping to obtain a house for the second semester term.

We would appreciate it if all alumni of Gamma-Zeta chapter would get in touch with the chapter in care of Myers Hall. Our records of alumni are lacking and we are trying to bring them up to date.

## Famous Persons Seen At Cincinnati Hallowe'en Fete

♦ ALPHA-XI chapter's annual Halloween party was held Oct. 31, with the theme of the party being famous persons and characters.

The chapter was well represented with a majority of the actives and pledges present. A number of candidates for queen of the coming annual Sophos dance were present.

The party was well planned, with entertainment throughout the evening. The credit for the affair goes to Social Chairman Bill Lasher.

Prizes were given for the best costumes represented. Lou Bolce, who was dressed as Al Jolson, won the prize for the best "take-off" in character. He followed this with an imitation of Jolson, singing "April Showers."

The prize for the most typical costume was taken by Don Spencer, dressed as a Chinaman. The most humorous costume was worn by Jack Gutjahr. He was dressed in long, flannel underwear, along with a derby and cane, and gave a little recital on his "ever loving Laura."

The party was another success for Alpha-Xi.



Part of the crowd at the annual Halloween party of the University of Cincinnati chapter is shown above. The theme of the affair

was "famous persons and characters," and Lou Bolce (center), dressed as Al Jolson, took top honors.

# Beta-Beta High Jinks Mark Grid Victory Over State

♦ BETA-BETA greeted Gamma-Xi with a "Prohibition Party" on Nov. 22, in celebration of the University of Washington's 20-0 victory over Washington State College.

Over 100 assorted, underworld characters (including brothers from Gamma-

By JEAN ALBI Beta-Beta Chapter

2-"Seven! Eleven! What's the difference?" Ed Olsen (left) seems unconcerned over his brethrens' breathless anticipation.

versity of Washington.

Beta-Beta Dream Girl Margy McCurdy assisted President Don Ireland in the ceremony. The fraternity and sorority serenaded Miss Ball and her cast until the police escort whisked the group to a local radio station where the red-



Xi) entered the house through dimly lit passages and blacked-out windows.

Pictures passing the censor were:

1-Social Chairman Ron Carden (left) and Bill Luke are gleeful over their Dream Girl's "return" (center background). The treasured caricature disappeared mysteriously at last spring's dance honoring Margy McCurdy-also attended by representatives of Gamma-

3-"It's a raid!" Rushing Chairman Bill Astel (center) caught off guard by the "long arm of the law" prepares to take a "powder" as Phil "One-Eye" Barker goes for his "gat."

4-Keith "Poker Face" Medcalf (right) was indifferent to Barker's misfortune

Beta-Beta pinned Lucille Ball as their honorary Dream Girl at a IIKA-Sigma Kappa luncheon on Dec. 11 at the Unihaired film comedienne broadcast her appreciation of the honor.

Miss Ball appeared at a University convocation and invited students to three special University performances of her play, "Dream Girl," which the Pikes enjoyed thoroughly.

Upon going backstage we were pleased to find Miss Ball proudly displaying her pin before other visitors and cast members, one of whom was an alum from Gamma-Eta.

## IIKA's Revive Pre-Game Pep Rally; Other Fraternities Help

♦ THE Carnegie Tech Bowl echoed with cheers as IIKA launched a campaign to revive school spirit.

The IIKA's, backed by all the Tech fraternities, sponsored a football pep rally the night before the season's opening game that was reminiscent of the good old days when the Tartans were on top of the football world. The rally started at the IIKA house where the famous Kiltie Band, followed by hundreds of students, paraded to the Bowl. The cheer leaders took over and the crowd showed the team that they were behind

The highlight of the evening was a huge bonfire, made of wood collected by the brothers and pledges. Before the game, a buffet luncheon was served

for the faculty, cheer leaders and the Kiltie bagpipers. After the luncheon another parade formed and the Tartans marched to meet West Virginia Weslevan.

On Friday of the week closing sorority pledging, Beta-Sigma held its annual tea dance for all sorority pledges. This gala affair was attended by 85 girls and (Continued on page 40)

## Howard Chooses Sweater Girl

By MARION RICHARDSON Alpha-Pi Chapter

♦ The wearers of the Shield and Diamond met with great success at their annual "Sweater Girl" event Oct. 18.

Chapters represented were from Auburn, University of Tennessee, University of Alabama, Birmingham-Southern and Howard, with Alpha-Pi chapter as hosts.

Three hundred ninety-four persons danced to the beautiful music of Bill Nappi at the Roebuck Country club, where the dance was held. The ball-room was decorated to perfection with the fraternity colors of Garnet and Old Gold and a huge IIKA Shield and Diamond emblem suspended from the celling in the center of the room. Each person wore a name card in the shape of a miniature sweater.

One of the highlights of the evening was the surprise announcement of Alpha-Pi's new "Dream Girl"—Miss Martha Ann Ingram. The new Dream Girl was presented a dozen American Beauty roses and a jeweled IIKA sweetheart pin by Ralph Glidewell, SMC of the chapter.

Miss Ingram is a member of Beta Sigma Omicron sorority and was runnerup in the 1947 Miss Alabama contest. In her honor, the orchestra played a special nobreak number, "The Dream Girl of IIKA."

Following this was the sweater girl contest with Mrs. Lorraine Bond, noted fashion expert from Pizitz Department Store, as mistress of ceremonies. She uniquely introduced each of the Howard co-eds.



MISS MIRIAM HERD

Judges for the event were officers from Zeta chapter, University of Tennessee, and Gamma-Alpha at the University of Alabama. After much deliberation, the judges proclaimed that Miss Miriam Herd best fulfilled the requirements for the title of "IIKA's Sweater Girl."

Miss Herd, a resident of Birmingham, is a freshman at Howard where she is an Alpha Delta Pi pledge. She was presented an orchid corsage by the fraternity and a sweater ensemble through the courtesy of Pizitz Department Store.

Dan Nunnelley, Ninth District president of Pi Kappa Alpha, was present for the festivities. He called the event "one of the best ever."

Beta-Kappa pledges are, from left, standing, Walter Grage, Ken Andersen, Scott Smith, Ted Commins, J. E. Saaje, Fernand Rouffey, Jim Smith, Tom Leland; sitting, Dan Hale, Buddy Ronnan, Bill Gullatt, Pledgemaster Warren Shattuck, Delbert Cayce, Graham Trundle, Don Wynne.

### CARNEGIE TECH

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the house mothers of all the women's
dorms.

Rush week was highly successful for the IIKA's on Tech's campus. A pledge banquet climaxed the week's social events that consisted of a smoker, picnic, lounge, and a dance. The guest speaker at the candlelight dinner was Thomas Landau, Beta-Sigma alumnus counselor. At this time ten men accepted pledge pins. Rushing has continued until Beta-Sigma now has a pledge class of 17. Eight pledges and 36 brothers are living in the house, making our chapter house the largest on campus.

A week-end skiing party recently provided a good time for those who wished to venture forth and tackle "old man winter."

The Carnegie Tech chapter's pledge class includes William Dorn, William Heckert, William Knepper, William Lawton, Frank Lempert and Capel McCutcheon, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Robert Carpenter, Washington, D. C.; George Cash, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Dave Cooper, New Kensington, Pa.; Don Culler, Hicksville, O.; Thomas Fidance, Wilmington, Del.; Richard W. Johnson, Aurora, Ill.; Alvan Krause, Washington, Pa.; James Norton, Erie, Pa.; Eugene Sapper, Oshkosh, Wis.; Logan Savage, Lexington, Ky., and Henry M. Stairs, Greensburg, Pa.

New initiates include Michael Sebastian Casta, Windber, Pa.; Richard Vale Dunbar, Shelton, Wash.; Lewis Edward Heiles, New Kensington, Pa.; Leland Marris Hickman, West Union, W. Va.; Frederick Russell Johnson, Berwick, Pa.; Warren Milton Johnson, Warren, Pa.; William Porter Liller, Wheeling, W. Va.; David Mulford Schiller and Ralph Waldo Sill, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Albert Edward Yarian, Waterford, O.



# Pledge Party Given For Emory Actives

By ROY HUBBARD Beta-Kappa Chapter

♦ A PLEDGE PARTY was given for the brothers Nov. 1, at the home of Pledge Ted Cummings, 1336 Fairview Road, N. E., Atlanta, Ga.

This party—with a "Hobo" theme was the outstanding function of the fall quarter. The pledges went to a great deal of trouble and expense in procurtremely hilarious presentation, with the chorus consisting of Pledges Ken Anderson, Scott Smith, Ted Cummings and Tom Leland.

The complete round of entertainment lasted but one hour as the acts were not of great length and followed in such rapid succession that the audience was kept laughing throughout the entire show.

Following the skits, those at the party were served hamburgers, cokes, and apple cider. Dancing, bridge playing, games, and singing highlighted the remainder of the evening. Eighty persons were present including the guests.



Members of Beta-Kappa chapter's "Follies Bergere" cast were (left to right) Pledges Ken Anderson, Scott Smith, Ted Cummings and Tom Leland. The "Follies" was one of the highlights of a party given the Emory University actives by the pledges.

ing the uniforms and paraphernalia which made the party such a success.

The evening began with novelty acts performed by the pledges with Jim Smith as "emcee." Outstanding were the antics of Walter Grage as the "tipsy drunk" and the efforts of D. D. Cayce (Grandma) to remain in Graham Trundle's (Grandpa) "Stanley Steamer" and catch a broken strap on "her" dress at the same time.

One of the biggest events of the evening was a satire on the "Big Brothers" in which all the pledges portrayed to the audience in pantomime their big brothers, and presented each with a gift befitting his personality.

The "Follies Bergere" was an ex-

## Colonel Wysor Wins Legion of Merit

♦ ANOTHER IIKA has been honored by the War Department with the Legion of Merit.

Latest to receive the high award is Col. Robert E. Wysor, Jr., Clinton, S. C., an alumnus of Mu chapter. Presentation of the award was made in Columbia, S. C., by the staff of the South Carolina Military District, Third Army.

The citation reads:

"Colonel Robert E. Wysor, Jr., performed exceptionally meritorious services from June 30, 1944, to September 2, 1945. As S-3, Infantry Replacement Training Center, Camp Blanding, Fla., he displayed exceptional skill, ingenuity and devotion to duty in the development of outstanding, efficient, practical and realistic training. The superior character of training achieved and maintained at this, the largest replacement training center in the Army Ground Forces, reflected his unusual ability and untiring efforts."

A son, Robert E. Wysor, III, M, was a captain in the infantry.

It's party time for IIKA at Emory University, and here the gang lines up for hamburgers and "the trimmin's." Left to right are Pledge Jim Smith, Billie Parrigin, chapter Dream Girl; Mother Hoffman, Wheat Williams, Pledge Scott Smith, Charlotte Rife and Paul Lanier.





Two brothers in IIKA and their wives made news in Lakeland Yachting magazine a few months ago when they sailed all the way around Lake Michigan in "Tuffy," a 22-foot craft. The trip was a one-week vacation jaunt for Duncan N. Ross, BH, his wife and

friends (pictured above, left to right): Gene (Mrs. Ed) Callahan, IIBФ, Nancy (Mrs. Duncan) Ross, IIBФ, Ed Callahan, BH, and Ross. All are University of Illinois graduates. Mr. Ross is the Waukegan, Ill., agent for the Prudential Insurance Co.

# R. P. I. Chapter Gives Interfraternity Ball

By ROBERT S. LEEN Gamma-Tau Chapter

♦ On Nov. 15, R.P.I. held its biggest dance of the fall term—the Interfraternity Ball.

Fitting the occasion, Gamma-Tau chapter also made the week end one to remember. Beginning with a wellplanned Apache dance Friday night, the members and pledges with their dates were off to a joyous start. Thanks to Cliff Orstergaard's leadership in ingenious and artistic decorative handiwork for the Apache dance, the house appeared to have been transformed to that of the catacombs of Paris. Adhering to the spirit of this setting, the members, pledges and their dates dressed accordingly; the fellows, lending more to the touch, wore various French styles of charcoaled mustaches.

Following R.P.I.'s victory of 27 to 12 over Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute on Saturday, a buffet supper was held at the house.

Preceding the I. F. ball the fellows and their dates attended a short cocktail party at the house and then proceeded to the dance at the spacious armory, where Charlie Barnett and his orchestra set the music to the couples' dancing feet. The chapter's punch kept a goodly crowd gathered throughout the evening.

Sunday each man and his date were left to their inventiveness for adventure, and with this finale each and every one held fond memories of a perfect week end.

Gamma-Tau chapter has entered members and pledges in various interfraternity sports including ping-pong, basketball and swimming.

### GRID STARS NAMED

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he sang in a California night club. His opponents, too, say he's bad music.

For years now, Pi Kappa has produced many of the fine footballers who have made a name for Tulsa on the gridiron. Last season was no exception and the 1947 ace was J. R. Boone. He led the Oilers with spectacular exploits in almost every game.

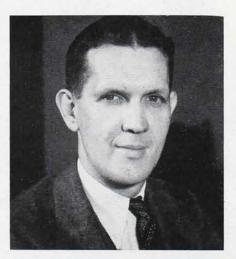
IIKAs furnished 50 per cent of the starting backfield at William and Mary, which garnered a bowl bid on its rating as about tops in the Southern Conference. These backs were Tom Mikula, named to the Pi Kap team, and Henry Blanc. Tom was a guard when he first went to W & M but shifted to the backfield and called signals in 1944. He was elected captain for the 1945 season but was called into the Army Air Force. He returned to star for the Indians in 1946 and 1947. Mikula plans to play profootball.

Out in the Mid-West football followers will tell you there's no better football coverage than that furnished by the Des Moines Register. And the Register's experts have called Bob Smith of the University of Iowa one of the outstanding all-around performers in the Big Nine.

Buss Williams has been all-conference fullback in the Rocky Mountain Big Seven area for two seasons. In addition to his ball-carrying on offense and his tight defensive work, Williams also kicks the extra points for Utah State.

## Biddle Heads Men at Pittsburgh

igoplus DEAN of Men at the University of Pittsburgh is Theodore W. Biddle,  $\Gamma\Sigma$ , who has been a part of the university since he entered its halls in 1925 as a freshman.



T. W. BIDDLE

After taking a bachelor of science degree from Pitt in 1929, Biddle moved into the office of the Dean of Menand he's been there ever since, first as a member of the dean's staff, and now as dean himself.

While offering personal guidance and advising all men's activities, he spent evenings in the classroom, and in 1936 earned his master of education degree.

He is a member of the executive committee of the Eastern Association of College Deans and Advisors of Men, and is on the executive committee of the Pittsburgh Counseling Center of the YMCA. His hobbies are photography, gardening and athletics.

While a student at Pittsburgh, Dean Biddle was a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, Scabbard and Blade, and Druids. Today, in addition to his professional societies, he is affiliated with the Pittsburgh Personnel Association and the National Interfraternity Conference.



Dr. W. M. McKissack, founder of the Huntsville Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni club, being presented the IIKA national charter by Dan H. Nunnelly, district president. Others shown in the picture are, from

left, Carl Morring, Jr., new president of the local chapter; Robert N. Yarbrough, outgoing president; Mrs. Yarbrough, Nunnelly, Dr. Mc-Kissack, John R. Horton, Mrs. Dwight Beeson, wife of the new vice-president.

## Huntsville Alumni Club Formed At Annual Christmas Dance

By FRANK MORRING Gamma-Alpha Chapter

♦ HUNTSVILLE, Ala., alumni held their annual Christmas banquet and dance in the ballroom of the Russel Erskine hotel on Dec. 29.

During the banquet, which was attended by members of the fraternity and their wives and dates, the Pi Kappa Alpha Alumnus Club of Huntsville was formed. District President Dan Nunnelley of Birmingham presented the club charter and constitution to Dr. W. M. McKissack, an alumnus of Gamma-Alpha and founder of the Huntsville alumnus chapter.

Alumni Field Secretary John R. Horton attended the banquet and spoke on the present status of the national fraternity.

Officers chosen for the new chapter include Carl A. Morring, Jr., president; Dwight Beeson, vice-president; Frank Powell, Jr., treasurer; Brandon Jones, secretary.

Garnet and gold streamers hung from the chandeliers and over the main entrance to the ballroom Pi Kappa Alpha was written in Old English letters. A large lighted IIKA pin was over the speaker's table and a fraternity crest hung on the wall behind the orchestra.

Several hundred guests enjoyed the dance, for which Hilding Holmberg and his orchestra furnished the music.

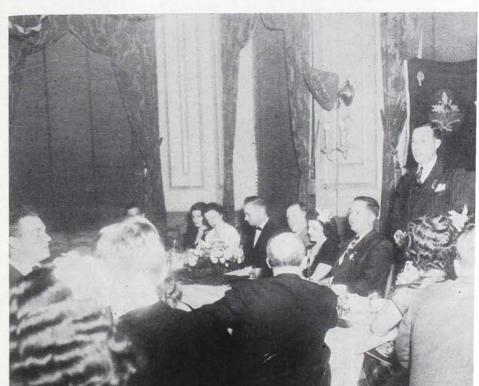
Among those attending the banquet were Dr. and Mrs. W. M. McKissack, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Beeson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Morring, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Yarbrough, Douglas Lawler and Miss Jessie Ann Yarbrough, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ford, Mrs. Glenn E. Fontaine of Delray Beach, Fla., Dr. and Mrs. John Lary, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Evans, Dr. and Mrs. James L. Jordan;

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Hearing Alumni Field Secretary John Horton speak are, from left at head table, Mrs. Frank Powell, Jr., Mrs. Carl Morring, Jr., Robert N. Yarbrough, Mrs. Yarbrough and District President Dan Nunnelly.





Speakers at the banquet which celebrated the reactivation of the Oklahoma City Alumni club recently were (left to irght) John Hager, house manager of Beta-

Omicron; Jack Williams, alumni president; Jack Kerns, alumni vice president; John Horton, National Alumni Field Secretary, and J. F. Malone, alumni secretary-treasurer.

## Oklahoma City Alumni Club Revived

♦ THIRTY-TWO Pi Kappa Alpha alumni met in the President's Room at the Oklahoma Club in Oklahoma City Oct. 23 to reactivate the local alumni chapter of the Fraternity.

Honored guest for the reception and stag dinner was John R. Horton, National Alumni Field Secretary, who addressed the group. He told of the Fraternity's plans for expansion, explained the work of the war memorial fund campaign, and made suggestions for local reactivation.

John Hager, house manager of Beta-Omicron chapter, made a report on the progress of the active chapter at the University of Oklahoma.

Following the banquet, the following were elected officers of the alumni chapter: R. F. J. Williams, Jr., president; Jack L. Kerns, vice-president, and J. F. Malone, secretary-treasurer.

Those in attendance at the party were Horton, T. M. Beaird, John H. Caldwell, James Cheatham, Jr., Wallace Dunn, Fred Harber, John A. Johnson, Kerns, Malone, George Mishovsky, Jess Mullinix, Millard K. Neptune, Vernon Nicholson, Julian Vahlberg, Robert Vahlberg, Harry Wells, Williams, Joe

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Representing the active chapter of Beta-Omicron were Hager, Lawrence Varvel, Lenton Roller, Jim Riley and Jack Gravitt.

## Kansas City Alumni Honor Robert Reed, Magazine Editor

♦ The Kansas City alumni chapter had a special meeting on short notice Oct. 22 in honor of Robert H. Reed, BΓ, now editor of *The Country Gentleman*, who was in Kansas City attending the American Royal.

He had expected to see only a handful of his old friends, but 25 turned uot for the informal get-together. Among the newcomers was Maj. William F. Cathrae, aide to the commanding general of Ft. Leavenworth.

The group enjoyed a dinner at Nance's, across from the Union Station.

The guest of honor made an informal talk after dinner, showing a keen interest in the affairs of the Fraternity. At the conclusion of the talk he proposed a fist fight between the alumni from Missouri and Kansas, but Dr. S. S. Titus, AN, declined the invitation on the grounds that Missouri was outnumbered.

Those present were Gerald M. Lively, II; F. L. Beets, H; W. F. Cathrae, AH; D. R. Baker, AK; S. S. Titus and Lester Bailey, both of AN; H. E. Patterson, H. D. Spiers and O. G. Steele, AΩ; A. H. Bennett, J. D. Bowersock, S. T. Compton, Charles Darville, D. F. Glenn, Dr. A. E. Jenkins, C. K. Mathews, Dr. G. M. Osgood, Bob Royer, Dr. Doyle Whitman, M. F. Welsh, R. H. Reed, W. R. Hagman and R. D. Hartley, BΓ; J. D. McCarthy, BΛ, and W. B. Thayer, BΣ.

### Thiessen Assumes New Art Job

♦ RECENTLY appointed director of the Herbert Memorial Institute of Art, Leonard Thiessen, ΓB, has assumed his new duties in Augusta, Ga.

For the past 10 years, Thiessen, an Omaha, Neb., artist, has been art reporter for the Omaha World-Herald.

Thiessen was honored at a farewell dinner given by the officers of the Associated Artists of Omaha.

Describing his new position, Thiessen said:

"I'll spend about half my time teaching painting, and will also act as adviser to the Augusta Art Club, the agency which carries on the exhibition activities at the Herbert Institute.

"The Herbert Foundation was set up

in 1933, when Mrs. John Herbert, a New York woman who had maintained a winter home in Augusta for 30 years, purchased a fine old ante-bellum mansion and remodeled it to house the activities of the existing Art Club. This was done as a memorial to Mrs. Herbert's daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Herbert Dunn. Mrs. Herbert also provided a trust fund, income from which pays for the upkeep of the Institute building and salaries of the director and other personnel.

"The Institute's building dates from 1804 and was built as the home of Nicholas Ware, Augusta's first mayor. It is known through the South for its remarkable oval staircase, which ascends through three floors in an unbroken spiral."



Pictured above are J. H. Barnett, Jr., R. E. Biggers, Jr., Charles S. Coffey, Shelby R. Brammer and John F. Wright, who approved and

# Chattanooga Alumni Charter Approved

♦ FINAL steps in the organization of Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni, Inc., Chattanooga, Tenn., were taken recently when the incorporators met and approved the charter as issued and recorded, and delivered the charter to Charles S. Coffey, president of the new organization.

The application for corporate charter was submitted by J. Frank McElwee, R. E. Biggers, Jr., A. B. Cranwell, John F. Wright and J. H. Barnett, Jr., for the organization of a general welfare corporation to establish a trust fund to be used in the purchase, construction and management of a fraternity house on the campus of the University of Chattanooga.

The charter states that the primary purpose of the organization is to maintain high educational and moral standards as established by the university.

Among men's fraternities on the Chattanooga campus, the establishment of a corporation to accumulate such a fund is unprecedented.

The Pi Kappa Alpha group is composed of Chattanooga alumni of IIKA and alumni of Alpha Lambda Tau fraternity of Chattanooga, the latter organization having joined forces with IIKA last June when granted a charter.

delivered to President Coffey the charter of incorporation for Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni, Inc., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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