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Greeks have stepped out of the closet into campus leadership says South Carolina Greek advisor Mike Compton. On his campus, and similarly around the nation, fraternity men are again being noticed and heard.

Juxtaposed against the anti-fraternity doom press of the early 1970's is today's positive Greek publicity. Rush is seemingly up everywhere according to the media. Of 33 national fraternities polled, 73 percent showed an increase last year in rush statistics and only 15 percent reported a

"The students of the 70's are different," exclaims California at Berkeley Greek advisor Ann Hawley. The Berkeley campus reports a 12 percent increase in pledging this fall. "Today's students are not alienated and they're not 'doing their own thing.'" Ms. Hawley says Berkeley students are seeking a sense of belonging, that they are job oriented (the largest graduating class last year was physical education) and they are looking at more conservative avenues as a way of changing society.

At the University of North Carolina, where the IFC - not the administration - sets rush rules, pledging statistics are also on the rise.

"Our IFC decided to spend the money we usually use for summer rush on a whole week of Greek activities just before the fall rush," tells Roslyn Hartmann, advisor to fraternities. The week consisted of public services activities like construction of a playground and restoration of a church — "well publicized," says Ms. Hartmann and fun and games like athletics, doughnut eating contests and free movies.

Former IIKA Executive Director Garth Jenkins, Greek advisor at Auburn, reports an increase in pledges at his Alabama campus. "We were anticipating a 10 to 15 percent increase, particularly with the good reports brought back by pre-college advisors. We showed a five percent increase, mostly because of fraternity cost.

Jenkins says the Greeks were well prepared to meet the cost argument. "We could show that with any kind of social life at all, it would be cheaper to live in a fraternity house. Perhaps that argument was part of the reason for our increase, but cost does seem to be the main reason many rushees don't affiliate. They want to get their feet on the ground academically first.



Many campuses experienced similar increases in interest, but little or no rise in numbers

More people signed up to go through rush, but the same number as last year pledged, explains Ed King, Greek advisor at Bradley University in Illinois. "Some were looking at fraternities with no intention of pledging right now. Maybe next semester," he adds.

After a 35 percent increase in pledgings two years ago at the University of South Carolina, statistics have held the line. "We claim we have open rush here," says Mike Compton, advisor to the Greeks, "but the guys still rely on two open houses to get names." Compton says the number of interested rushees has increased "strikingly.

but he does not expect to pledge many of the newly interested. "The fraternities here use no follow-up to fall rush."

### **Rushees Cautious**

"The rushees (at Sam Houston State) were cautious at first," recalls II K A pledge Mitch Jones (Epsilon Pi chapter). "It changed a lot as rush went on, though. We got more optimistic and our attitudes changed totally as we learned about fraternities and how great they really are.'

Delta Kappa (San Diego State) pledge Steve Souza agrees. "Your image of what you came here with is subject to change. My attitude changed

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### "Join the '76 Club"

About 20 chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity had 76 or more members last year and a few of those had more than 100. Qualifying chapters this year will become members of the "76 Club" and the "Century Club" respectively.

As chapters reach the two plateaus, their membership will become effective and reported in the Shield & Diamond. The total will be figured by adding the number of dues-paying initiated members and the number of pledges in the chapter.

### Correction

In reporting the election of the Shield & Diamond editor to president of the College Fraternity Editors Association (CFEA) we inadvertently reported there had been only two IIKA CFEA presidents in the 82-year history of the organization. Actually, there were three IIKA's in that position tying for the most CFEA presidents with Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

K. D. Pulcipher was IIKA's first president of the CFEA in 1935-36 followed by Dr. Robert D. Lynn, 1953-54, and R. John Kaegi, current.

# **PERSPECTIVE**

### As old as America

By Pat Halloran Executive Director



The American college fraternity movement is as old as our country. Phi Beta Kappa was the forerunner to the social organization which is characteristically thought of as the college fraternity of today. There will be much done to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the college fraternity movement and, of course, Pi Kappa Alpha's contribution to that celebration will be held in conjunction with the 1976 Convention in Memphis, Tennessee, August 8-13.

Our convention will afford us the opportunity to reflect upon the impact that Pi Kappa Alpha has made over the past 108 years and look to the future to determine how we can best contribute to our society in the future.

The setting should be appropriate in that the site selected for the 1976 Convention is Memphis, the home of our Memorial Headquarters; and the emphasis will be on our alumni and the collective contribution that these alumni have made to our country. The legislative sessions will provide an opportunity for our undergraduates and alumni officers to direct our future programs. All seem to indicate a truly important gathering in the history of Pi Kappa Alpha.

Many of the great II K A's from over the past

Many of the great II KA's from over the past few decades will be attending this convention and our speakers will epitomize the leadership which Pi Kappa Alpha has spawned over the years.

This is an open invitation to all PiKA's to plan their summer of 1976 around the Bicentennial Celebration Convention which will have special programs and highlights for all the alumni and undergraduates alike. Plan now to attend.

#### Bomb blast racks ISU fraternity house

What appeared to be a homemade explosive device caused minor damage to an Iowa State University fraternity house recently.

The explosion occurred about 3 a.m. in a basement window of the Phi Kappa Tau fraternity house, blowing out windows as high as the second floor of the three-story structure. Officers said none of the fraternity's 42 residents were injured.



R. John Kaegi, ΓΠ EDITOR

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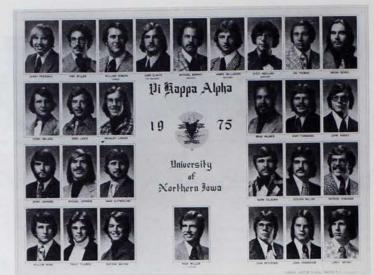
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## Theta Zeta installed at Northern Iowa

By Jim Highberger Director of Development

A beautiful Midwestern autumn weekend and a tremendous turn-out of area IIKA undergraduates welcomed the installation of Pi Kappa Alpha's newest chapter on October 10 and 11, 1975. National President Jerry Reel presided over ceremonies activating Theta Zeta chapter at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

The new group was colonized a year ago after Bill Somers, a IIKA transfer student from Alpha Phi (Iowa State), assembled several Northern Iowa undergraduates to form a new chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha. During their period as a colony, the group placed first in fund raising for the campus Muscular Dystrophy project, won first place in the homecoming parade, had the highest grades of any UNI fraternity, placed well in intramurals and conducted a number of programs which earned them notoriety on campus. As a colony they had members elected president and secretary of the IFC as well as captain of the varsity football squad.

Area IIKA alumni worked with the colony to acquire a house next to campus which holds 20 members comfortably.

Beyond the 27 men initiated at the installation,

Beyond the 27 men initiated at the installation the new chapter has four members who are transfer students from other IIKA chapters and 12 new pledges. Theta Zeta's goal is to have over 45 members in the chapter by spring.

Participating in the proceedings were initiation teams from Alpha Phi (Iowa State), Gamma Nu (Iowa) and Delta Omicron (Drake) and guests from Zeta Rho (North Dakota), Gamma Beta (Nebraska) and Delta Sigma (Bradley). An estimated 100 IIKA undergraduates participated in the weekend activities.

A formal banquet and party staged Saturday evening closed the weekend with speeches of congratulations made by Region President Gary Moeller and chapter SMC's John Hirth (Drake), Dennis Clark (Iowa) and Jeff Stone (Iowa State).

Theta Zeta's President, Mike Murphy, noted that the new brothers of the chapter were not committing themselved to a house nor a crest, but rather to a lifelong concept of brotherhood. Murphy dedicated the chapter to upholding the tradition of excellence established by the other chapters in the state and in the country.

National President Reel challenged all brothers in attendance to continue to make the college fraternity a working part of the university community.

Gifts were acknowledged by the new chapter for a new laminated wood yard sign received from Iowa State and a color television set received from Iowa. Gamm Nu alumnus Rick Miller was presented the Distinguished Service Award for his outstanding contributions to the colony and the new house corporation. Bill Somers was presented a pewter cup in gratitude for his initiative in starting the new chapter.

The University of Northern Iowa was formerly the State Teachers College but now encompasses academic disciplines from business to technology to education. With a current enrollment of nearly 10,000 students, the school will be celebrating its 100th anniversary in 1976.

#### Texas A & M colonized

On Sunday, October 28, Pi Kappa Alpha formally colonized at Texas A & M University. The colony consists of 17 members, several of which are transfer students from other IIKA chapters. The President of the colony, Chris Thomas, is a transfer from Sam Houston State.

Texas A & M is the oldest public institution of higher education in the state of Texas. In 1871 it accepted 2400 acres of land near Bryan, Texas through the Federal Land Grant Program. The school opened in 1876 and remained an all-male military school until the mid-1960's. Due to this unique aspect of its history, the fraternity system at Texas A & M is new and in the process of being developed. It is the fastest growing institution of higher education in the country with a current enrollment of 25,200 students (an increase of 7,000 in the last two years). The school has achieved distinction in a variety of academic areas including engineering, agriculture, science, economics, and has one of the 19 colleges of veterinary medicine in the United States.

With only one chartered national fraternity on campus, the colony expects to grow and improve at a rapid pace this year. Included in the immediate plans are social functions with the A & M sororities, the pledging of many of the colony's rushees and interaction with the other IIKA chapters in the area.

### Transfer names sought

Pi Kappa Alpha national officers have long recognized IIKA transfer and graduate students as one of the Fraternity's greatest resources. Of the four chapters installed in 1975, IIKA transfer students were involved with each effort enabling the Fraternity to start these new chapters. There have been many cases over the past few years where a IIKA in graduate school or having transferred as an undergraduate has become involved with a chapter program and led in its improvement throughhis unique perspective and past experience in IIKA.

The Fraternity is actively seeking the names of IIK A's who have transferred or have enrolled in graduate school. In many cases the national Fraternity can provide financial assistance to a grad student who is willing to serve as an advisor for the IIKA chapter on his campus.

If there is no chapter currently on campus, the IIKA's can be informed of each other in order to start a group and work toward establishing a

new chapter.

Any II K A who has the names (and addresses if possible) of II K A transfer or graduate students should send the information to: James A.

Highberger, Director of Chapter Development, 577 University Blvd., Memphis, Tn. 38112.

In particular, names of II K A's are needed at Texas A & M, TCU, Wisconsin, Massachusetts, Oregon, Washington, NYU, Southern Cal and Minnesota.

### Sparkman appointed gift drive chairman

U. S. Senator John J. Sparkman (Dem.-Alabama) was recently appointed chairman of the 1975-76 Pi Kappa Alpha gift campaign by President Jerry Reel.

Brother Sparkman, a charter member of Gamma Alpha (Alabama) chapter and a nominee for Vice President of the United States in 1956, is the first such chairman of a IIKA fund-raising drive in modern history. It marks the beginning of Pi Kappa Alpha's Project Bicentennial recognizing the contributions made by fraternity alumni to the development of the country since the inception of the Greek system in 1776 with the founding of Phi Beta Kappa at William and Mary. Sparkman is undoubtedly one of this Fraternity's most honored statesmen as well as involved alumni.

A letter from the Senator appears on the gift request. He enumerates his confidence in the future of Pi Kappa Alpha and its ability to continue providing leaders to the country. At the same time he mentions the Fraternity's need for alumni support in order to accomplish that task.

It is hoped that a renowned alumnus will be chairman of the Fraternity's gift campaign henceforth.

### Membership stats holding the line

Following last year's encouraging increase in both initiation and pledging statistics, Pi Kappa Alpha is holding close to the same totals in both categories this year.

The Fraternity recorded about 1,200 pledges at mid-October, the same as that of a year ago. About 300 fall initiations were recorded by

Oct. 15, also similar to the totals of a year ago. In other statistical news, the Fraternity hit a new low in accounts receivable from the chapters in September. The 165 chapters owed a combined \$28,700 last September compared to nearly \$40,000 in September, 1974. That's an average of \$173.93 owed per chapter compared to \$228.77 last year. This year's average is the lowest in the past 10 years since the average has been figured (\$210.91 was the lowest previous average accomplished in 1968-69). The accounts receivable over the past 10 years have ranged from \$28,700 of last September to a high of \$108,000 in December, 1971.

Last year Pi Kappa Alpha registered 5,183

active undergraduate members, one more than the previous year. It compares to a high of 5,889 registered in 1968-69



### Lendman schedules winter career weekends

Lendman Associates, Inc., the job placement company associated with Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, has scheduled nine career weekends for Pi Kappa Alpha graduates through the month of December, 1975.

Graduates of at least two years with some work experience or graduate work may attend the weekend seminars designed to introduce prospective employers to potential employees. Representatives of hundreds of corporations, large and small, participate in the career weekend. They provide interested grads with employment outlook and information then schedule preliminary interviews with prospective employees. The weekends have led to employment for several Pi Kappa Alpha undergraduates.

The weekends are free to participants except those from out of town who must stay in a hotel during the weekend. The upcoming weekend schedule looks like this:

### Reference guide mailed to IIKAs

All Pi Kappa Alpha alumni subscribers to the Shield & Diamond were on the mailing list last month for the IIKA Alumni Reference Guide. The guide listed the various services and programs of the Fraternity for alumni as well as a directory of contacts for each.

Among the areas covered in the guide were publications, records, alumni association activities, special services and programs, leadership opportunities and gift programs. Additional copies of the Alumni Reference Guide may be obtained from the IIKA Executive Director, 577 University Blvd., Memphis, Tenn. 38112.

#### November 1975

7-8	New York, New York
14-15	Atlanta, Georgia
14-15	Chicago, Illinois
21-22	Boston, Massachusetts
21-22	San Diego, California

#### December 1975

5-6	Chicago, Illinois
5-6	Dallas, Texas
11-12	New York, New York
12-13	Atlanta, Georgia

For more information and to apply to attend a career weekend, write Stephen Campbell, Lendman Associates, P.O. Box 14027, Norfolk, Virginia, 23518. Tell him you are a member of Pi Kappa Alpha.

#### Pi Phi's nah naked intruder

With considerable help from 40 sorority sisters police in Eugene, Oregon, recently arrested a naked man on a burglary charge at the Pi Beta Phi sorority house.

The sorority had been plagued by men exposing themselves. But when officers responded to complaints, the perpetrator could not be found. Shortly after midnight last September, though, the police got another call from the Pi Phi's They had a man in custody, they said, and would an officer please take him off their hands?

When officer Dave Wilkie arrived, he saw quite a spectacle inside the sorority house. About 12 women were holding a struggling naked man on the floor, and some 30 others were guarding doors and windows.

### 1976 convention dates announced

The Pi Kappa Alpha 1976 Bicentennial Celebration Convention will be held August 8-13 at the Holiday Inn Rivermont Hotel on the Memphis riverfront. Executive Director Pat Halloran called the hotel "Memphis' most luxurious Holiday Inn and the city's most popular convention facility.'

Room and board rates will be announced in the next issue of the Shield & Diamond. It currently appears they will be comparable or below previous rates of IIKA conventions.

Although legislative concerns are the main purpose, one convention attraction is the associated leadership academy. The convention leadership agenda is a one and one-half day concentration on a single, most important aspect of chapter decision-making. The IIKA Leadership Committee recently reviewed many possible formats. It suggested the formation of model chapters complete with officers and executive councils that would set objectives, plan activities, solve problems and study cases.



Holiday Inn Rivermont, Memphis, Tn

### **Bicentennial Celebration**

Coinciding with the U.S.A. Bicentennial is the 200th anniversary of the founding of the fraternity system (Phi Beta Kappa, Dec. 5, 1776). Chairman of the Memphis Convention Earl Triplett is working with local alumni and the Memorial Headquarters to plan a grand celebration

of both anniversaries that is expected to attract national attention. "The fraternity system has helped train many of the country's most noted leaders," said Triplett. "It is fitting that the nation's Bicentennial anniversary coincides with the 200th year of Greek-letter fraternities.

Pi Kappa Alpha is the only Fraternity using its 1976 gathering for Bicentennial recognition. The IIKA Memorial Foundation was recently granted membership to the National Bicentennial Service Alliance. Other IIKA Bicentennial projects include the Fraternity Bicentennial Commemorative History recognizing fraternity men who were instrumental in the development of the nation and the Greek system, and chapter-sponsored Bicentennial recognition

Pi Kappa Alpha biennial conventions are noted for their vigorous legislative activity, their leadership development programs and their comradery. Additional highlights will include a tour of the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters and the numerous nationally known leaders IIKA's Bicentennial program is anticipated to attract.



Delegates to the third Presidents' Conference find Executive Director Pat Halloran's style entertaining

### 32 attend July SMC Conference

Thirty-two chapter SMC's attended the third Pi Kappa Alpha Presidents' Conference held last July in Memphis. Previous conferences were held in December 1974 and April 1973, and all have been a sell-out success.

Presidents' Conferences are scheduled throughout the 1975-76 academic year with the next slated for November 28-30 following Thanksgiving. A maximum of 30 chapter SMC's are accepted for each meeting.

The conference orients chapter presidents to the administrative responsibilities of their positions and is ideally meant for recently-elected presidents. It also gives chapter SMC's an opportunity to consult the complete professional staff of the

# Pat Halloran elected to Memphis Council

Pi Kappa Alpha Executive Director Pat Halloran was elected to an at-large position on the Memphis City Council recently. Results of the October 9 primary election showed Halloran with 51.1 percent of the vote, enough to elect him without a runoff.

Brother Halloran's closest competition came from retired political columnist Null Adams who pulled 40,428 voted compared to Halloran's 59,159. Two other candidates split the remaining 17,000 votes.

Halloran is a member of the Housing Rehabilitation Board for the city of Memphis, a former executive vice president with the Memphis Jaycees and emcee of a bi-monthly community interest television talk show. He has been head of the Fraternity's national office located in Memphis for over six years and served a year as a field secretary in the mid-1960's. A former SMC of Delta Chi (Nebraska at Omaha) chapter, Halloran also served as national rush director while working as assistant dean of men at the University of Miami (Fla.) before coming to Memphis in 1969.

Halloran's candidacy brought considerable publicity to Pi Kappa Alpha over the summer and fall months. He is one of two new members of the Memphis governing body.

# Acapulco carnival offered Pike alumni

Over 100 Pi Kappa Alpha alumni and their families are expected to enjoy a sunbath in Acapulco, Mexico in February.

Information concerning luggage, clothing, insurance, refunds and payment is detailed in a special IIKA brochure available by writing the Executive Director at 577 University Blvd., Memphis, Tenn. 38112.

Fraternity and President Jerry Reel about specific problem areas and allows them to voice their opinions and ideas in return. A ratio of 3-1 is considered to be the maximum desired between staff and participants.

On the July agenda were orientation to the "national" fraternity, its structure and organization, administrative and voluntary officers and the services of the Memorial Headquarters available to chapters. General sessions concerning leadership development, expansion and Project Bicentennial in addition to policies, membership records and alumnus advising were also held. Presidents participated in four workshops in the areas of alumni and publications, rush, executive planning and financial management.

Invitations to the November conference have been distributed. Other Presidents interested in attending may request an invitation and will be accommodated if space is available.

Chapter SMC's who attended the July meeting include: David Mayberry (Beta), Rob Andrews (Theta), Louis Nettles (Xi), John McKinney (Alpha Zeta), Ray Mayhew (Alpha Theta), Richard Fleschner (Alpha Kappa), Mac Webb (Alpha Rho), Jeff Stone (Alpha Phi), Michael Mehr (Beta Sigma), Rod Nowlin (Gamma Alpha), Richard Stubbs, Jr. (Gamma Delta), Selig Kratenstein (Gamma Lambda), Glen Doane (Delta Zeta), Keith Stanton (Delta Eta), Michael McShurley (Epsilon Alpha), Paul Edgar Price (Epsilon Zeta), Mike O'Donnel (Epsilon Eta), Scott Blunk (Epsilon Chi), Doug DeLap (Zeta Beta), Timothy J. Buff (Zeta Xi), Ed Link (Zeta Eta), Robert Eckes (Zeta Pi), John Roberts (Eta Omicron), Michael G. Ferrell (Eta Tau), Glenn Cureton (Eta Chi), Michael Carden (Theta Beta), Charles Grimes (Theta Gamma) and Rick Gardner (Loyola Colony).

### "Closel Greeks" Continued from page

about fraternities because the stereotypes I had always thought about weren't reality."

"I want to get a good education," says pledge Ron Dado (Beta Gamma — Kansas), "and fraternities offer more unity during college which helps a lot with studies." Dado is but one of many examples of the changing reasons given now for pledging compared to those of the recent past.

"I was interested because of the brotherhood," says Mitch Jones. "Fraternities are young people who care about one another, and there aren't many of those around anymore."

Apparently the impersonalness of today's large campus is sending droves to the rush lines. At the same time, Greeks are looking for diversity. "They're kind of pleased when they get someone a little different from the last guy, and that's different from last year," notices advisor Roslyn Hartmann.

Ed King sees today's pledge as closer to the top of his class than fraternity newcomers of recent years. At Bradley, scholarships are again being given on merit, not need. "Most of them (scholarship recipients) are pledging," says King. "I would say today's pledge is slightly above average. The best students are still not pledging, but showing more interest than before."

USC's Compton believes the pre-60's elite type will probably never again be the fraternity stereotype. "We always thought of fraternities as being elite and they probably were in the days when the student body was, itself, elite. Fraternities today are doing what they always did — mirroring campus society."

The mirror is still tarnished in the eyes of many independents say the advisors. But the image is rapidly improving.

"They're aware of the Greek comeback," says Compton, who pointed to a "Beat the Monopoly" campaign in USC's homecoming queen election. "Why, we haven't had a Greek homecoming queen in 10 years." he says.

At Bradley, the Inter-Greek Council and Inter-Dorm Council jointly sponsored a "block party" this fall. "We never had that kind of cooperation before," boasts Ed King. "The independents are discovering the Greeks don't have the superiority attitude like the dormies thought they had."

"They're finding out fraternities are not full of snobs and rich boys," says pledge Mitch Jones. "There are still a lot of GDI's who don't like fraternities, but their attitudes are changing fast."

### Outlook

The three-year outlook is outstanding say the advisors. On many campuses, requests for new chapters are piling up. All see growth in number of pledges and some in number of chapters.

At Berkeley, six new chapters were chartered recently and another is in the colonization stage. Pi Kappa Alpha's chapter pledged three last year and 12 this year. At Northwestern, another "liberal" school, Gamma Rho chapter showed a 400 percent increase in pledgings. This fraternity's rush statistics have been increasing for several years and are showing signs of a slight increase by year's end again in 1975-76 (see related article).

"We want to expand," says Mike Compton about USC. "Our people are confident and are beginning to flex their collective muscle. All those things fraternities do best, they're getting a chance to do again. They're not having to be closet Greeks anymore."

### Computer transition completed smoothly

The Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters has completed its summer-long transition into a new computer fulfillment and service company, Data Science in St. Louis, Missouri.

Over 30,000 records changes from elimination of double listings to new addresses were made in the transition. The total was about 20,000 more than were made in all of 1974-75 while associated with another computer company.

Data Science utilizes a fail-safe keypunching system that guarantees almost complete accuracy in recording changes. It is the most advanced and perfected system available to the Fraternity at this time replacing the optical scanning system once thought to be perfect.

The computer people will keep information far in excess of previous companies on Pike alumni and undergraduates. Information such as alumnus' employer, employer's address, telephone number, birthdate, significant awards won, chapter and alumni offices held and interest in further involvement in the Fraternity can be recorded. Much of the information will be gathered during the compilation next year of the Fraternity's massive alumni directory (see associated article).

Chapters and alumni associations may obtain computerized listings of their members and/or mailing labels from the company by writing Administrative Assistant Donna Visconti at the Memorial Headquarters. It is hoped that lists of alumni by occupation, skills, former positions in IIKA and interest in further involvement may be obtained in the near future.

# **CHAPTER NOTES**

Alpha Alpha (Duke — Box 4775 — Duke Station, Durham, N.C. 27706) has for the second year in a row been cited for overall chapter excellence by the Memorial Headquarters. The Duke IIKA's are upholding their record for leading the Jim's Party Store contest for what amounts to being the best partying "living" group on the Duke campus, and the chapter recently sponsored the first annual Duke Bike-a-thon and Brew-a-thon for Muscular Dystrophy which was a huge success, raising \$1,600 for MDAA.

Alpha Rho (Ohio State — 99 East 13th St., Columbus, Ohio 43201) has more than doubled its size this fall with a strong effort on behalf of the chapter and Resident Counselor Jim Chinnici, former chapter consequence of the Fratemity. A Homecoming reception and dinner were held at the chapter house following the clash with Wisconsin, and several alumni were in attendance. The annual alumni/active football game followed On Saturday, Oct. 19.

Alpha Phi (Iowa State - 2112 Lincoln Way, Ames, Iowa 50010) held a successful rush to Ames, Jowa 50010) held a successful rush to mark the beginning of the school year with 25 men accepting bids. There are 85 IIKA's residing in the house this fall and the chapter appears well on its way to capturing all-fraternity intramural football titles with fratemity intramural football titles with three teams contending in Class A. The Dream Girl Calendar again proved to be a successful (and enjoyable) project with copies available on request. On October 10-11, the brothers assisted in the installation of a new IIKA chapter at the University of Northern Iowa. Super Homecoming was held November 1, with over 100 Alpha Phi alumni in attendance.

Gamma lota (Mississippi — Box 4475, University, Ms. 38677) is once again on the upswing with a pledge class of 40 members, the best group on campus. Various activities are in the planning stage for this year. The chapter is trying to establish a unique alumni program and would appreciate alumni up-dating their addresses with them.

Gamma Nu (Iowa — 1032 North Dubuque, Iowa City, Iowa 52240) plans many house improvements, including new carpeting, for this academic year. The house is operating at full occupancy after a successful fall rush netting 14 new pledges. The chapter is increasing its leadership on campus with at least one IIKA running for every IFC office. Over 60 alumni are expected to return to the house at Homecoming including Leo Hoegh and several other charter members. The brothers at Gamma Nu enjoyed the opportunity to help install a new IIKA chapter at the University of Northern Iowa on October 10-11 with approximately 30 brothers participating.

Gamma Rho (Northwestern — 566 Lincoln St., Evanston, III. 60201) pledged 16 new members this fall (above the campus norm) through a series of unique rush parties including jam sessions and mixed media presentations using slides and movies. The chapter is planning on continuing its Sunday brunches to further open up communications between the chapter and the campus. Prior to rush, the dining room was recarpeted and kitchen windows remodeled. A directory of Gamma Rho alumni is being prepared this year as one of the chapter's goals is for increased alumni involvement.

Gamma Chi (Oklahoma State — 221 South Lincoln, Stillwater, Okla. 74074) members are readying the second annual Joe C. Scott Memorial Alumni Award to be given during Homecoming. Three alumni entered OSU med school — Ed Brown, Paul Choate and David Folks. One 1975 alumnus, Arlyn Omtwedt, entered the OSU veterinarian school. Work week house renovations included painting and carpeting the halls, retiling the bathroom, acquiring new dining room chairs, and the Mom's Club reupholstered the living room furniture.

Delta Theta (Arkansas State — Drawer Z, State University, Ark. 72467) recently hosted the Arkansas State Little (Dympics, a program of competitive activities for ASU sororities. Girls from the eight sororities on campus vied for titles in egg-tossing, pillowcampus vied for titles in egg-tossing, pillow-fighting and tug-of-war, among others, with Alpha Gamma Delta the victor. For their efforts the girls were awarded the IIKA revolving trophy and \$100 was contributed to the charity of their choice. After the festivities, the chapter hosted an all-campus street dance. Rush at Delta Theta has been especially successful, with 31 men pledged so far this fall. Homecoming activities featured Executive Director Pat Halloran as guest speaker. guest speaker.

Delta Xi (Indiana — 1012 East 3rd St., Bloomington, Ind. 47401) completed its most successful summer rush program to date, pledging 16 men and filling the house with more than 50 men this fall. Resident



Executive Director Pat Halloran presented \$75,000 IIKA check to Jerry Lewis for Muscular Dystrophy Association last Labor Day.

Counselor Larry Lunsford (former IIKA chapter consultant) has been instrumental in the chapter renaissance, providing the guidance in pledge progamming, chapter finance and fall rush, so the group at IU is actively involved in upgrading the entire fraternity experience. A Parents Work Day was held in early October, with Indianapolis parents and members of the house pitching in together for house improvements — cleanup, painting and repairs. The chapter boasts its fourth consecutive Secretary of the IFC, various members of the prestigious Student Foundation, and the Greek representative to the Student Senate.

Delta Omicron (Drake — Box 1186, University Station, Des Moines, Iowa 50311) is continuing its rebuilding project this year and is currently engaged in rush with three new members already pledged. The chapter sent a delegation of brothers to the University of Northern Iowa on October 10-11 to help initiate the new IIKA chapter there. Intramurals are in full swing at Drake with the Pikes giving everybody a close game. Chapter membership will be well over 30 this year, so housing will be a major project.

Delta Chi (Nebraska at Omaha — 5009 Lafayette St., Omaha, Neb. 68132) brothers have completed another successful rush pledging 26 new members. Campus involvepledging 26 new members. Campus involve-ment and athletics are receiving emphasis this fall with two brothers on the varsity football squad and another serving as Stu-dent Body President. Other chapter projects for this year include assisting the national Fraternity in starting a new chapter at Creighton University and beginning prepara-tions with the alumni for the chapter's 25th anniversary in 1977 (Feb. 23).

Epsilon Kappa (Lamar University — P.O. Box 10080, Lamar Univ., Beaumont, Tx. 77710) Pikes are staying fairly busy this fall. The brothers help in cleaning up Lamar's football stadium, distribute the school paper and serve as waiters and waitresses (with the little sisters) at prestigious dinner banquets on campus. The chapter also has two actives and two associate members serving in the Student Government Association. They are actives Bill Hicks and Mike Delgado, and associate members Mitch Toups and Robert Wade.

Epsilon Nu (Georgia State — 33 Gilmer St., S.W., Atlanta, Ga. 30303) recently completed a most successful formal rush, netting 30 new pledges. In intramural sports, the Pikes have won the IFC all-sports trophy for the last three years and this past year retired it. They also won the brand new all-university intramural sports trophy. Brother Mike Sauers broke the world record on September 20 for bench pressing in the 114-pound class in the AAU power lifting championships. championships,

Zeta Eta (Arkansas at Little Rock — 5701 W. 29th, Little Rock, Ark. 72204) held a 10th anniversary celebration last May with a stag party for all alumni and actives. A banquet the following night featured a slide presentation of the chapter's history and was followed by a dance. The chapter recently purchased a 1943 Dodge firetruck and also captured second place in the campus Greek Olympics. The chapter boasts eight brothers in the student senate, one brother on the president's cabinet and two on the seven-member UALR Honors Court, one being Chief Justice. With the upsurgence in all areas, the alumni interest has shown a marked improvement, including a "rejuvena-Chief Justice. With the upsurgence in all areas, the alumni interest has shown a marked improvement, including a "rejuvenation" of the Zeta Eta Housing Corporation by the addition of several enthusiastic alumni. The chapter is planning complete house renovation and expansion and is utilizing fund-raising activities such as pin-ball and foosball machines, beer machine, TGIF bars and parties each Friday, and publishing a IIKA calendar and monthly newsletters. Chapter membership has doubled in the past year and is expected to doubled in the past year and is expected to double again by 1976.

Zeta Sigma (Florida Institute of Technology — Box 520, FIT, Melbourne, Fla. 32901) is getting back into action after a fantastic year

### Pikes raise \$75,000 against Dystrophy

Pike chapters from across the country came through again in 1975 for the fight against muscular dystrophy by participating in the Pike Bike Race project.

Chapters made the project a part of their community service programs in a variety of unique, innovative ways. At Epsilon Psi (Western Michigan) the brothers staged a dance marathon. Alpha Alpha (Duko) (Western Michigan) the brothers staged a dance marathon; Alpha Alpha (Duke) sponsored a Bike-a-thon and beer blast; and at Sigma (Vanderbilt) it was a hamburger-eating contest. These are just a few of the ways that Pikes have given of their time and talents to come up with the very "grand" total of \$75,000 which was presented by Pi Kappa Alpha Executive Director Pat Halloran to Jerry Lewis' on the Labor Day Telethon in Las Vegas (pictured above). This thon in Las Vegas (pictured above). This year's telethon was viewed by more than 82

million Americans.

The Pike Bike Race project which was adopted at the Pi Kappa Alpha International Convention in Miami in 1972 has since netted over \$300,000 for the fight against muscular dystrophy and related neuromuscular diseases

in sports and a truckload of trophies. This in sports and a truckload of tropnies. Insyear's activities began with a successful freshman rush part and an exceptional Halloween party. Recent awards won include: Greek Week Champions, President's Trophy, All-Sports Trophy, intramural softball trophy, and Greek champions in softball, basketball and football.

Zeta Tau (Eastern Kentucky — Box 351, Coates Admin. Bldg., Richmond, Ky. 40475) has pledged 16 men so far this semester and the brothers are planning a trip to the Memorial Headquarters in the near future. Scholastically, the Pikes were rated second last year and will be trying hard for first place this year. With a 3-0 record in football, the chapter is definitely on its way to winning the All-Sports trophy for the fourth consecutive year.

Zeta Phi (Missouri at St. Louis — 1077 Baden St., St. Louis, Mo. 63031) pledged an all-time semester high of 26 men this fall, making it the largest student organization at UMSL and the first group to reach a membership of 75. Two booths at the St. Louis Strassenfest this August and a book inventory for B. Dalton Bookstore netted the chapter over \$1,000 and another project is in the planning stage, expected to gross the chapter over \$1,000 and another project is in the planning stage, expected to gross more than \$300. In September, the brothers held a toll road to collect money for Spina Bifada, a spinal disease, and plans are currently under way for the annual Thanksgiving Day pumpkin pie eating contest. Proceeds from the event will go to needy families in St. Louis. The chapter's leadership at UMSL is now unquestioned, with the student body president, vice president and secretay, Inter-Greek Council treasurer and one-fifth of the student senators all wearing the letters of IIKA.

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Zeta Chi (Southwest Missouri State — 800 South National, Springfield, Mo. 65804) pledged 23 men this fall and everything is off to a good start. The Pikes made over \$200 on their annual soronity pledge class slave sale. A fantastic Homecoming is planned and the chapter is building a float with the assistance of the ladies of Sigma Kappa. Festivities include an open house before the game against Northwest Missouri State and a dance held at the Riverside Inn on the Finley River. Pikes are remaining involved on campus with positions on the Standard staff, Secretary of the IFC, President of the Pre-Law Club, and a member selected to Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

Zeta Omega (Southwest Louisiana - 1322 Johnson St., Lafayette, La. 70501) Pikes

won the national Miller Reclamation Contest last spring. This past October, they were presented with their prize, a color television. The chapter recently donated blood to re-place that used by Michael Lyle, father of Mindy Lyle (a IIKA little sister), during heart surgery.

Eta Mu (Armstrong State — P.O. Box 13082, Savannah, Ga. 31406), after one of its most productive years, is again having a great fall. On a campus of 3,000 students, Pike is the largest fraternity and has remained the most selective. After pledging 16 men last year, they have already pledged 12 this year. The new affiliates bring total membership to 46, the largest membership ever expressed at new affiliates bring total membership to 46, the largest membership ever experienced at Eta Mu. After receiving first place trophies in intramural football, basketball, track, softball, soccer and weightlifting last year. Pike began this year with a 2-0 record in both the Intramural League and the County League. The chapter also leads all others in campus involvement sporting three brothers on the senate, one on the honor council and two little sisters on the senate. In varsity athletics, Pike has three brothers and one pledge on the basketball team. In community service the brothers annually give a party for the boys of Bethseda Boys Home, supports the retarded children's olympics and participates in local blood drives. In the immediate future, the chapter plans to sponimmediate future, the chapter plans to spon-sor the introduction of Armstrong's nationally-ranked Pirates to the basketball community.

Eta Tau (Austin Peay State — Box 4777, APSU, Clarksville, Tn. 37040) pledged 22 strong, energetic men this fall. The pledge class was in charge of the IIKA Homecoming decorations, depicting the theme of "Happy Birthday U.S.A." The float was a huge Liberty Bell with the slogan, "Crack 'em Govs." The chapter has again this year taken the lead on the APSU campus in the social activities department, sponsoring campuswide dances with top name rock bands and plenty of fun, music and beer. The annual Halloween party of Eta Tau flourished again this fall. If Tex Fletcher is still alive, please call Eta Tau!!



Eta Mu (Armstrong State) football coach David Greene, left, discusses situation with player Trey Hoover.

Eta Chi (Valencia — 411 East Robinson, Orlando, Fla. 32803) participated in Downcraft I, a simulated airplane crash at the Orlando Jetport. Many of the brothers and little sisters were among the simulated injured during the authentic project. Much of the equipment was impressive and many dignitaries were in attendance. Following the crash, three brothers went to a curticue at the Johnny Unitas Sheraton Inn where they discussed ideas with the county commissioners and various aviation people.

sioners and various aviation people.

Eta Psi (Texas Wesleyan - P.O. Box 3277, TWC, Fort Worth, Tx. 76105) has been busy with Greek Week. The Pikes, as in the past, have been on top inramurally as exhibited by their winning football, basketball, base-ball and track competition last year. During this fall's Greek Week, the Pikes won two out of three first place trophies. Much effort was also put forth in the aluminum can drive, with a total of 260 pounds being collected, another first place honor. Brother Roger Gilley, past chapter SMC, took one of the biggest awards by being elected by the IFC to the Order of Omega. The Pikes have to be the busiest organization on campus with members Larry Cure, David Floyd, Jerry Honeycutt, Aubrey Allred and Brad Hollins participating in a play in the drama department. Several weeks ago three brothers, Bill Porter, Dan Yondell and Henry Franklin, rode their bicycles over 500 miles for the Heart Fund. This effort won a keg party for the Pikes at a local refinery.

Theta Beta (Montevallo - P.O. Drawer, R.

Theta Beta (Montevallo — P.O. Drawer R, Univ. of Montevallo, Montevallo, Ala. 35115) held a successful rush this fall and gained five new pledges. An Alumni Weekend is scheduled for November 22, consisting of a cocktail party, golf match, initiation of alumni, and a dance to wrap up the weekend. After winning the intramural trophy for the seventh year in a row, the chapter is hard at work for number eight.



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#### Initiation dates 1920 to 1949

David Cook (Ohio State) has been appointed Assistant Secretary and Federal Housing Administration Commissioner of the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Develop-ment. (2068 Willowick, Columbus, Ohio 43229)

Robert B. Forest (Mercer) is President of Tradewind Airways Corporation in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Joseph E. Stockwell (Tulane) is cur-Dr. Joseph E. Stockwell (Iulane) is cur-rently an English professor at Mississippi State University, where he recently partici-pated in a series of panel discussions on various themes co-sponsored by the Missis-sippi Committee for the Humanities and the American Association of University Women.

Dr. C. A. "Neil" Shepherd (Aubum) was recently named Director of Alumni Affairs at Samford University, where he has served as admissions counselor in Samford's school as admissions counsefor in samiord's school of pharmacy and as assistant registrar since 1971. Dr. Shepherd, a former B-24 pilot who was decorated for World War II service, remains active as a Wing Staff member of the Alabama Civil Air Patrol. He is listed in "Who's Who in the South and Southwest" said is weather of the Cavalif or Advanced to the Staff of the Cavalif or Advanced to the Staff of the Staff who s who in the South and Southwest and is a member of the Council for Advancement and Support of Education, Rotary, the Newcomen Society in North America, and several other honorary and professional organizations. (909 Southridge Drive, Birmingham, Ala. 35216) The church is located right next door to the Memorial Headquarters. (613 University, Memphis, Tn. 38112)

Leslie H. Wood, Jr. (Eastern Carolina) is employed by the DuPont Company as Per-sonnel Manager of their Florida plants. He and his wife, Elaine, have four children— twin boys, age 6, and twin girls, age 8.





Initiation dates 1960 to 1969

Steve Baker (Oregon) is assistant account executive with McCann-Erickson Advertising Agency in San Francisco. (782 Bay Street, San Francisco, Calif. 94109)

Steven M. Ball (East Central State) is working as a counselor for Marcoin, Inc., Marketing Consultants International in Houston, Texas. (5631 Alder, Apt. 10, Houston, Tx. 77036)

Durwood J. Barton (South Carolina) is now with the Richland County Sheriff's Department in Columbia, South Carolina. Brother Barton also serves as Secretary-Treasurer of the Pi Kappa Alpha Central South Carolina Alumni Association. He and his wife, Diane, have one son. (107 Bridgewater Circle, Irmo, S.C. 29036)

James R, Behnke (Tulsa) has completed his tour in the army and is now engaged in building a used and rare book business. He also deals in comic books and antique wood bladed ceiling fans. (Box 4170, Tulsa, Okla. 74104)

Anthony J. Faria (Wayne State) has accepted a position as associate professor of marketing in the faculty of business administration at the University of Windsor, Windsor Ontario, (9780 Esplanade, Windsor Ontario, Canada)

Edward J. Hamilton, Jr. (Wofford), a grad-uate of the University of South Carolina School of Law, has joined the law firm of Easterling and Brantley in Columbia, South Carolina. (1412 Bull Street, Columbia, S.C. 29201)

George B. Briggs (Vanderbilt) has completed a second degree in Horticulture at Virginia Tech and the Master of Landscape Archi-tecture at the University of Virginia. He is now employed as an assistant professor of Horticulture and Landscape Architecture at Virginia Tech. (220 Highview Drive, Blacks-burg, Va. 24060)

Jim Holland (Central Arkansas) was recently named head track coach and assistant basketball coach at Hendrix College in Fort Smith, Arkansas. (2402 Parkwood Drive, Fort Smith, Ark.)

Dr. Mike Hargis (Central Arkansas) is now Superintendent of Leslie Public Schools in Leslie, Arkansas. (%Leslie Public Schools, Leslie, Ark.)

Weldon U. "Joe" Howell, Jr. (Arizona) graduated from the University of Texas Law School in May of 1973 and served for one year as briefing attorney to Associate Justice Zollie Steakley of the Supreme Court of Texas. Joe has recently joined the law firm of Schramm, Raddue and Seed in Santa Barbara, California, specializing in general business, corporate and tax law. (15 West Carrillo, Santa Barbara, Calif. 93102)

Carl Jepsen (Oregon) received his JD from Willamette University and is Assistant Judge Advocate at Maxwell Air Force Base in Alabama.

Dr. David M. Lane (Western Kentucky) recently received his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree from the University of Illinois and is now practicing small animal medicine in Montelair, California. (8441 Edwin, Cucamonga, Calif. 91730)

Dr. Edward M. Mazze (Penn State) was named Dean of the W. Paul Stillman School of Business at Seton Hall University. In addition to the deanship, he was named Pro-fessor of Marketing. (15 Shelley Rd., Short Hills, N.J. 07078)

Daniel T. Meadows (Auburn) is a senior medical student at the University of South Alabama (553 Lovett Rd., Mobile, Ala.

Gary Menchhofer (Cincinnati) has opened his own businesses: Mench Realty, special-izing in the residential housing market; Mench Homes, Inc., currently building cus-tom houses in eastern Cincinnati. (2707 Whitehouse Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45244)

William E. Morris, Jr., M.D. (Vanderbilt) is William E. Morris, Jr., M.D. (Vanderbilt) is currently doing a residency in Internal Medicine at Bexar County Hospital in San Antonio, Texas. Brother Morris graduated from the University of Texas Medical School at San Antonio in 1974 where he was elected to Alpha Omega Alpha honor frater-nity. (Box 872-CC, Route 2, San Antonio, Tx. 78229)

John L. Pendergrass (Delta State) is now practicing opthalmology in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. (Box 1230, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Larry R. Ricker (Oklahoma State) is a part-ner in Ricker Auto Supply in Stillwater, Oklahoma. He and his wife have two child-ren. (1012 Sunnybrook Dr., Stillwater, Okla. 74074)

LCDR Len Sapera (Tulane) is presently attending the College of Command and Staff at the Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island, (60 Jackson Rd., Newport, R.I. 02840)

Mark Stephens (Oregon) received a master's degree in educational psychology and guidance from the University of South Dakota last summer. (205 Elm St., Vermil-lion, S.D. 57069)

Walter B. Todd, Jr. (Presbyterian) is a City Attorney in Columbia, South Carolina. (7802 Wessex Lane, Columbia, S.C. 29206)

Jeffrey C. Vaughn (Vanderbilt) is a partner in the law firm of Joslyn, Joslyn and Vaughn in Charleston, Missouri (313 E. Cypress St., Charleston, Mo. 53834)

Hubert H. Young, Jr. (Washington and Lee) has recently been named General Counsel of the Trammell Crow Company in Dallas, Texas. He was formerly associated with a Dallas business law firm, (12074 Forestwood Circle, Dallas, Tx. 75234)

Joe Fred Young, Jr. (Central Arkansas) left his coaching position at Little Rock Central

High School last year to accept a coaching position with the University of Arkansas Razorbacks, (%University of Arkansas Foot-ball Dept., Fayetteville, Ark.)

Michael L. Zenor (Iowa) graduated from Drake University Law School this past spring and has opened his own law office in Spencer, Iowa. (920 Grand Avenue, Spencer, Iowa 51301)

Mike House (Auburn), a Montgomery attorney and Governmental Affairs Chairman for the Alabama Jaycees, was recently named the Outstanding State Chairman in the U.S. in the area of Civic and Community Affairs by the National Jaycee Organization. Brother House currently serves under Alabama's Chief Justice Howell Heffin as Director of the Permanent Study Commission on Alabama's Judicial System. He was also recently elected president-elect of the Alabama State Bar Association. Brother House received his undergraduate degree from Auburn University where he was president of the School of Business and a member of Omicron Delta Kappa men's leadership honorary. He received his law degree from the University of Alabama and was president of the Chool of Business and a member of the Bench and Bar Honor Society. In 1974, he received the Alabama Bar Association's Award of Merit for his work in obtaining passage of the new Judicial Article to the State Constitution. Mike remains active in Pi Kappa Alpha by serving as President of the Dixie Region. (Box 218, Montgomery, Ala. 36101)

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#### Initiation dates 1950 to 1959

Michael Baker, Jr. (Penn State), chairman of the board of Michael Baker Corporation in Beaver, Pennsylvania, was recently elected to his 18th consecutive term as president of the Pennsylvania Registration Board for Pro-fessional Engineers. He has been a member of the Pennsylvania regulatory board since 1954. (130 Evergreen Cr., Beaver, Pa. 15009)

Edward B. Ballou, Jr. (Southern Methodist) was recently appointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Planning Commission. (3787 Patte Ann Drive, Memphis, Th. 38116)

John C. Goodman (North Carolina State) is Executive Vice President in charge of NCN Bank offices in the Raleigh area. (619 Lake-shore Drive, Raleigh, N.C. 27609)

Howard N. Hinds (Tennessee) received his Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from the University of Tennessee College of Law on June 10, 1975. His wife, Anna, is a partner in the law firm of Stone and Hinds in Knoxville, Tennessee. (P.O. Box 2526, Knoxville, Tennessee). ville, Tenne Tn. 37901)

Carlos E. Kepke (Texas) is a partner in the law firm of Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White and Waters in Houston, Texas. (28th Floor, 1100 Milam St., Houston, Texas 77002)

Col. Edward S. Puffenbarger (Cincinnati) is now residing in Columbia, South Carolina, where he is in charge of the ROTC program at the University of South Carolina. (25 Bent Ridge Rd., Columbia, S.C. 29204)

Rev. August Schmitt, Jr. (Southwestern at Memphis) is Associate Pastor of Evergreen Presbyterian Church in Memphis, Tennessee.

Mark Alan Brodsky (West Virginia) has been promoted to store manager for Hannaford Brothers in their Wellby Drug Division in Bangor, Maine. (164 Cedar St., Apt. 2, Bangor, Maine 04401)

Michael L. Brookshire (Tennessee) received his doctorate in labor economics from the University of Tennessee in March of 1975. He is now an assistant professor of Industrial Relations at the West Virginia College of Graduate Studies in Charleston, West Vir-ginia. (717 Oxford Circle, Charleston, W. Va. 25314)

Phillip C. Cooke (Maryland) was recently transferred to Dallas by Xerox Corporation. He assumed the position of Manager, Sales Incentive Planning for the recently created Office Systems Division. (523 Wentworth Dr., Richardson, Tx. 75080)

Leslie R. Crider (Missouri at Columbia) is the Chief Accountant at Nevada State Hospital in Nevada, Missouri. (Route 1, Nevada, Mo. 64772)

Randy Crowell (Central Arkansas), a former SMC of Epsilon Phi chapter, has recently opened a sporting goods store in downtown Conway, Arkansas, called "Randy's Athletic Shop."

Woodrow Cummins (Central Arkansas), a former footballer for the Bears, is the Prin-cipal of Conway Middle School. (326 South Ash, Conway, Ark.)

Gary A. Ehlers (Gannon) is Rotating Equipment Engineer for the Ralph M. Parsons Company in Pasadena, which is the world's second largest engineering and construction company. (1681 Amberwood Drive, Apt. 112, South Pasadena, Calif. 91030)





House Thompson House S. Thompson, Jr. (Georgia Tech) was recently awarded the coveted Chartered Life Underwriter designation at National Conferment Exercises of the American College of Life Underwriters in Boston, Massachusetts. He is an agent with the Nashville agency of Connecticutt Mutual Life Insurance Company. Active in professional and community affairs, Brother Thompson is a member of the Nashville Association of Life Underwriters and has served in fund-raising campaigns for the United Givers Fund, the Boy Scouts of America, and several colleges. He is currently an officer of the Nashville Coin Club and is President of the Pi Kappa Alpha Nashville Alumni Association. (1719 West End Bldg., Suite 1000, Nashville, Tn. 37203)

Leon W. Blazey, Jr. (Case Western Reserve) is a partner in the firm of Arthur Andersen & Company, Accountants & Auditors, in Cleveland, Ohio. (6567 Melshore Drive, Mentor, Ohio 44060)

Ivan G. Boynton (Ferris State) recently transferred from Omaha, Nebraska, with the Kellogg Sales Company, to Cincinnati, Ohio, as District Sales Manager. (5684 Bordeaux Way, Fairfield, Ohio 45014)

#### **Initiation dates** 1970 to 1974

Jim Anderson (Central Arkansas) has recently taken a position with the Voca-tional Technical School in Searcy, Arkansas, as an Industrial Arts teacher. (220 Dover, West Memphis, Ark.)

Raymond I. Booth, III (Emory) recently received his Bachelor of Science degree in psychology at Florida State University. Brother Booth is now attending graduate school in clinical psychology at the Univer-sity of South Florida. (4318 Fletcher Avenue, Apt. 30, Tampa, Fla. 33612)

James D. Campbell (Virginia Tech) has taken the position of Planning and Zoning Administrator for Warren County, Virginia. (732 Stayman St., Front Royal, Va. 22630)

Thomas E. Cook (Florida State) is currently working as a sales representative-for the 3-M Company out of their Cincinnati branch office. He married the former Deborah Adamson this past August. (P. O. Box 75, Branch Hill, Ohio 45108)

Joe Berry Couch (Central Arkansas) is presently the head basketball coach at Clarendon High School. Joe is a past IMC of Epsilon Phi Chapter of PiKA and was named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities while a student.

Greg Ellis (Central Arkansas) is employed by the First National Bank in Conway in a manager-trainee position while also attend-ing night school at UCA in an attempt to obtain his masters

Scott Farrell (Weber State) is now a freshman Wische Scholarship student at the Southern California College of Optometry. (2001 Associated Rd., No. 291, Fullerton, Calif. 92631)

Randy Griggs (Clemson) is employed by the Marketing Division of the South, Carolina State Agricultural Department (501 North Royal Tower Drive, Irmo, S.C. 29063)

Scott Hildre (North Dakota) was recently Scott Hildre (North Dakota) was recently appointed manager of Richman Brothers in West Acres Regional Shopping Center in North Dakota. He is currently active in Zeta Rho chapter's alumni affairs and is a member of the three-man Alumni Debt Collection Committee for the chapter, which has collected over \$2,000 in past due debts in the past 18 months. (West Fargo, North Dakota)

Robert D. Johnson (Austin Peay State) has been promoted to Senior Loss Prevention Representative for the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company in Birmingham, Ala-bama. He married PiKA Little Sister Kim Shaughnessy this past August. (2115 Green-tree Dr., Apt. 1023, Birmingham, Ala. 35216) 35216)

Tommy Opitz (Central Arkansas) is presently employed by Southwestern Bell in Hot Springs, Arkansas. He is a past "Best Associate Member" of Epsilon Phi chapter.

Thomas M. Parrett (Texas Tech) is employed with Lovett, Sellars & McSpedden, Archi-tects in San Angelo, Texas, as an architec-tural designer. (Oxford Court, Apt. A-8, 298 Robin Hood Trail, San Angelo, Tx. 76901)

John R. Reynolds (Central Arkansas) recently received the Diamond "E" Award from Evinrude Motors for outstanding sales arbievement at Art's Sport Shop in North achievement at Art's Sport Shop in North Little Rock, where he is manager. Brother Reynolds is a former IMC of Epsilon Phi chapter. (8900 Brookwood, No. 80, North chapter. (8900 Brookwo Little Rock, Ark. 72116)

Chris Robnett (Central Arkansas) is teaching Special Education in addition to his coach-ing duties at Sylvan Hills High School in North Little Rock. (912 South College, Stuttgart, Ark. 72160)

Runnells, III (Montevallo) is Charles L. Runnells, III (Montevallo) is teaching drivers' Seducation at Greensboro Public School West. Brother Runnels was a charter member of Theta Beta chapter at the University of Montevallo. (Route 3, Box 90, Greensboro, Ala. 36744)

Joseph P. Stefanowics (Pittsburgh) is now working for the U.S. Department of Com-merce in Washington D.C. (3513 Silver Park Drive; Hickory Hills Apts., Apt. 301, Suit-land, Md. 20023)

Don Sutphin (Central Arkansas), recently graduated member of Epsilon Phi chapter, was the subject of a feature article in a recent issue of the Arkansas Gazette. He has just taken on the job of coaching football in the small town of Wheatley in eastern Arkansas, along with numerous other chores in the public school there.

Michael P. Thiesen (Montana State) is attending medical school at Montana State under a regional medical program with the University of Washington called the WAMI program. (1128 Roskie, Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana 59715)

Mike A. Yazvac (Austin Peay State) is presently working for Lorain Schools, teaching Metals and Shop Math, at Admiral King High School. He is also coaching foot-ball on the varsity level. (2620 Reeves Ave., Apt. 18, Lorain, Ohio 44052)

# **CHAPTER** ETERNAL

Asher Lael "Peewee" Baker (Denver), May 11, 1975, Sheffield, Massachusetts.

Delmar W. Brobst (California at Berkeley), July 24, 1975, Oakland, California.

Arnold E. Condon (Ohio State), June 4, 1975, Columbus, Ohio.

Gilbert Pierce Cook, Jr. (Millsaps), July 28, 1975, Canton, Mississippi.

Carlisle Cravens (Texas), Fort Worth, Texas.

William H. Crocker (Oklahoma), May 13, 1975, Dallas, Texas.

Goodwyn Montgomery Davis (William and Mary), December 10, 1974, Palm Beach,

Russell Deal (Davidson), Atlanta,

Kennedy England (Southern Methodist), December 31, 1974, Dallas, Texas.

Hans Peter Gravengaard (Nebraska), July 23, 1975, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Earl Griffin (Oklahoma State), August 8, 1975, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Edward E. Gutherless (Washington), January 2, 1975, Seattle, Washington. Dawson B. Harris, Jr. (Tenn.-Chattanooga), January 6, 1975, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Larry S. Jackson (Tennessee), Nashville,

Ralph I. Johnson (Missouri-Columbia), August 15, 1975, Kansas City, Kansas.

A. Everett Jones (Purdue), June 7, 1975, Detroit, Michigan.

Dr. Edward Julien (Cincinnati), Taunton,

enedict Joseph Kristof (Carnegie-Mellon), Holly Hill, Florida.

Ottowell Sykes Lowe, Sr. (William and Mary), April 16, 1975, Washington, D.C.

Bill Mattox (Oklahoma), March, 1975,

W. James Miller (Washington Univ.), Phoenix, Arizona.

Serafin Montesinos (Syracuse), Gainesville, Florida.

Dr. James Roland Old (Southern Methodist), September 9, 1975, Beaumont, Texas.

Willis S. Pick (Syracuse), January, 1975, Sylvania, Ohio.

Walter Scheffley (Syracuse), August 12, 1974, Hazelton, Pennsylvania.

Walter J. Tanghe, Jr. (Calif. State at San Jose), June 17, 1975, San Francisco, Calif.

Arthur Webster Thomas, Jr. (North Carolina), September 22, 1975, Concord, North Carolina.

William A. Trimble (Carnegie-Mellon), January 17, 1975, San Francisco, California.

Florent E. Verdin (Syracuse), June 13, 1974, Geveland, Ohio. Dr. Gail C. White (Washington), Aberdeen,

Lutie S. Wilsdon (Syracuse), June 8, 1975, Shelby, Ohio.



M. Lofton, Gamma Theta (Mississippi State) alumnus, posed with National Dream Girl, Pam Sanders, left, and  $\Gamma\Theta$  little sister Sherry Perkins after a fashion show they organized

### 50,000 brothers to be in directory

An estimated 50,000 alumni of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity are expected to be in-cluded in the comprehensive directory to be published next academic year.

An agreement to publish the directory by the Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company in New York was recently signed. The book, expected to be about 1200 pages thick and available in either hard or soft bound editions, should be ready for distribution in about 14 months.

Listing all living alumni with mailable addresses, the directory will also contain the addresses, the directory will also contain the individual's chapter, business and position, company address and telephone number and residence telephone number. Alumni will be listed both alphabetically and by chapter.

A brief form to gather such data will be mailed shortly to all IIKA alumni. It is extremely important that each alumnus completes and returns the form in order to ensure his listing in the directory.

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ensure his listing in the directory.

The Harris Company has extensive experience and success in the alumni directory field. Pi Kappa Alpha is the first fraternity the company has accepted as a client for publication of a national directory. The agreement came after several months of investigation by the company into the potential for accuracy and sale of directories to Pi Kappa Alpha alumni.

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The 1976 revised edition of the Garnet and Gold Membership Manual has a chapter about the traditionally beautiful and functional ΠΚΑ Memorial Headquarters. Here is a preview of some photos used in that chapter.

Above. The foyer with its classic walnut

Above: The Toyer with its classic wanter paneling and original oil paintings of the Founders.

Above right. The original minutes and Preamble of IIKA are on display in the Freeman S. Hart

Right. Executive Director's office. Below right. Harvey T, Newell Library. Below. Favored wicker chair of Robert A.

Below left. Word processing center is the hub of activity for professional staff members.







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