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Five new chapters push total to 171

You are part of our brotherhood, you five new chapters. Now you wonder at the beauty of our noble Ritual, its secrets revealed, our coat-of-arms and badge. Wear the badge with pride. Be good chapters.

With the installation of five chapters this spring, Pi Kappa Alpha topped the 170 mark in total active chapters and reached 205 total chapters chartered. New groups include Gamma Pi (Oregon), Theta Kappa (Indiana Southeast), Theta Lambda (Creighton), Theta Mu (Massachusetts) and Theta Nu (Baylor).

March 11-12 will long be remembered by 35 Gamma Pi initiates as their happiest pre-finals weekend. Installation teams from Oregon State, Linfield and Eastern Washington, along with Gamma Pi alumni, national officers Richard Ralph, Jamie Wolff, R. John Kaegi and Dave Dyson, former officers R. B. Johnson and Harvey Thomas and charter member Jay Finley Downs, chartered the Oregon chapter which will resume its 40-year heritage after a six-year hiatus.

Junior Founder Robert A. Smythe was first initiated by Gamma Pi after he installed it in 1931. (He was "taken into" Lambda chapter in 1890.) Among Gamma Pi's illustrious alumni are the late past National President John Yerkovich, past National Treasurer Wendell Gray, early football great Mike Mikulak and the late track star Steve Prefontaine. The chapter was created in October, 1974, by Kaegi, Chapter Consultant Jim Chinnici, and alumni Ed Darnielle, Scott Barkhurst, Ed Stanley, Pat Howard, Steve Carlson and others. Dave Tyler is SMC of the group.

Today's Gamma Pi has a bright future on a prestigious campus. The 40-man group is striving to become largest on campus. It has sponsored successful community service projects and is a popular chapter among sororities. Gamma Pi's 3.2 grade average leads the Greek system which has been rebuilding from an early 1970's catastrophe which folded 14 chapters. Oregon today supports 15 fraternities and 12 sororities. Established in 1872, Oregon was named one of the top 24 members of the Association of American Universities last year. Some 16,000 undergraduate and graduate students attend the fully accredited Eugene campus.



Gamma Pi Rush Chairman John Johns, left, celebrates installation with Director of Development Dave Dyson.

IUS installation

Theta Kappa chapter, started last June by Delta Xi (Indiana) alumni Ed Pease and Ron Barr, was installed Easter Weekend with the initiation of 27 new brothers. Teams from Cincinnati and Indiana initiated the candidates while national officers John Hirth, Mike Fletcher and Keith Rylant with alumni Pease, Barr, Steve Janson, Jeffy Myers, John Ribar, Art Maley, Bob Fox and William B. Hebard all took part in the installation weekend. David Koons was installed as first SMC.

Indiana University Southeast is one of eight Indiana University system campuses. Established in 1941, it was designated as the area campus of IU in 1963. The 4,000 student campus is building a new Greek system and currently has three fraternities and one sorority.

Theta Kappa is clearly developing a heritage for campus leadership. It boasts involvement in student government claiming five of nine student senators and one associate justice and a past student body president. Five members appeared in this year's *Who's Who Among American College Students* and another is editor of the student literary magazine. The chapter has an outstanding campus involvement and community service record.

36 at Creighton

A unified chapter can enhance the priceless

commodity of fraternity — friendship, said Garth Grissom to the installation banquet crowd at Creighton University in Omaha, Nebraska. Also attending the ceremonies were national officers John Hirth, Gary Sallquist, Mike Moore, Gary Moeller and Dave Dyson, Chapter Advisor Tom Wilkinson and installation teams from Iowa State, Drake and Nebraska at Omaha. Rod Jewell was installed as first SMC of Theta Lambda chapter.

The colony attained a 3.6 grade average fall quarter at the rigorous institution and won first place in a pep rally and second place in a canned food drive, though out-manned by larger fraternities. Pikes are the fifth fraternity at Creighton which has five sororities. Creighton is a diverse school of nearly 5,000 students, founded in 1878. It is independent and operated by the Jesuits in the traditions of that Catholic religious order.

Add Massachusetts

Initiation teams from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Pennsylvania and New Hampshire — MIT without the need of Ritual Books — inducted 35 new members April 15-16 at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst. Installing Theta Mu chapter were national officers Richard Ogle, Greg Ormond, Rich Sussman, Mike Fletcher and Jerry Askew. Also present were representatives from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and Trinity

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'77 Alumni Directory still available for purchase

The publisher of the 1977 Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni Directory has made available a limited supply of directories for sale to alumni and undergraduate members only. This supply, of course, is available only to those fraternity members who did not order the directory from the Harris Publishing Co. last year.

Cost for the 924-page volume is \$25 (soft-bound) and \$35 (hard-bound). Orders should be pre-paid and sent to Alumni Directory Order, Pi Kappa Alpha

Fraternity, 577 University Blvd., Memphis, Tn. 38112. All orders will be shipped same day providing the book is in stock.

The directory includes the names of some 44,000 Pi Kappa Alpha alumni in alphabetical and chapter roll number order. Only alumni who were contacted by telephone or who returned the directory questionnaire or are *Shield & Diamond* subscribers are listed thus ensuring near 100 percent correct addresses.

Most listings include occupational and degree information as well as the name, address and telephone number.

PERSPECTIVE

Foundation gifts keep on working

By Pat Halloran
Executive Director

Many times after being solicited by worthy charities, it becomes a mental exercise to balance the worthiness of each, and to reject some simply because of personal economic limitations.



The Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation offers a unique feature that very few charities can offer donors.

When an alumnus contributes to the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation, his contribution goes into the Student Aid Fund, which offers a qualified and promising young man the opportunity to borrow funds necessary to help him complete his education.

Upon graduation, the young alumnus works out a repayment schedule. He will be paying back that original donor's contribution for future use. Ultimately, those funds will again continue to help equally qualified young men in generations to come.

Added to that repayment schedule is a small interest fee (currently 5%), so the overall fund continues to grow and the new alumnus repaying his loan becomes a contributing factor to the fund's future assets.

It's true that the cost of a college degree today is at astronomical levels with no hope for relief. I recently read an article in the *Miami Herald* which had surveyed 10 or 12 major private universities across the country, comparing the cost of tuition and fees alone. All of the institutions selected for the sampling were in the \$3,500 to \$4,100 tuition

range. Add to that the cost of room and board and the enormous amounts now being charged for textbooks, and we see that a college education is quickly approaching what once would have been considered ridiculous levels.

The cost at a public institution is naturally less, but in proportion to past levels, it is rising rapidly.

It makes one wonder what the impact of the whole process of higher education will have on the next generation when education will be more costly. The fraternity experience may be a peripheral fatality unless the fraternity system takes on a reasonable financial responsibility. It must accept the responsibility of delivering financial aid through programs such as those which are offered by the Memorial Foundation.

Right now, alumni can help insure against current and future problems in maintaining the Memorial Foundation reserves. There are many ways that you and I can support the Memorial Foundation:

1. Write a check today made payable to the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation.

2. Call your attorney right now and tell him to work out an arrangement where Pi Kappa Alpha benefits from your estate.

3. Contact your insurance agent and identify Pi Kappa Alpha as one of the beneficiaries in your insurance program.

If everybody does a little, and those who can do more take the time right now to begin supporting this worthwhile program, you will be giving a gift that keeps on giving.

Career weekend dates announced by Lendman

"Hiring activity is at an all-time high," said Stephen M. Campbell of Lendman Associates, the job placement firm aligned with Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

Lendman brings together recent college graduates and representatives of businesses around the nation for career weekend seminars and job placement. To qualify for placement, applicants must have a four-year college degree and related work or military experience. Candidates who have earned engineering or graduate level degrees need not possess related work skills. Applicants seeking sales jobs also need not have experience. Job seekers with more than eight years experience need not apply due to lack of positions requiring extensive experience.

"The strength of the Equal Opportunity Career Conference lies in the fact that you establish your credibility based on face-to-face communication with hiring authorities," Campbell said. A Lendman Career Conference is conducted in major U.S. cities every week. Hundreds of Pi Kappa Alpha alumni have participated.

Lendman Career Conferences are administered by regional offices. To receive specific information on a conference, contact the regional office nearest you: Northeast, 1212 Avenue of the Americas, Rm. 2303, New York, N.Y. 10096 (212) 221-4505... Mid-Atlantic, 1516 Harmon St., Suite 300, Norfolk, Va. 23518 (804) 583-5926... Southeast, 1945 The Exchange, Suite 275, Atlanta, Ga. 30339 (404) 433-0822... Midwest, John Hancock Center, Suite 3020, 875 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60611 (312) 337-4300... Southwest, 7540 L.B.J. Freeway, Suite 930, Dallas, Tx. 75251 (214) 661-9591... Western, 44 Montgomery St., Suite 1756, San Francisco, Calif. 94104 (415) 421-4280.

June

2-3	Cincinnati, Ohio
9-10	Washington, D.C.
10-11	Chicago, Ill.
10-11	San Jose, Calif.
17-18	Saddle Brook, N.J.
17-18	Dallas, Tx.
24-25	Atlanta, Ga.
24-25	Pittsburgh, Pa.

MEMORIAL FOUNDATION MEETING

(Clip out and mail)

Notice is hereby given of the Annual Meeting of members of the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation, which will be held at 577 University Boulevard, Memphis, Tennessee, 38112, June 3, 1977, at 10:00 a.m.

Bob T. Williams, Secretary

THE PI KAPPA ALPHA MEMORIAL FOUNDATION
577 UNIVERSITY BOULEVARD
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE 38112

I hereby designate and authorize Patrick Halloran or _____ to vote in my proxy at the meeting of the members of the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation in Memphis, Tennessee, June 3, 1977.

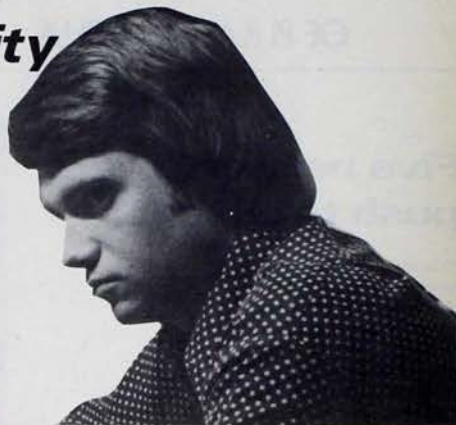
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(Print Name under Signature)

NOTE: Members and relatives of Pi Kappa Alpha who have contributed twenty-five dollars or more to the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation are voting members.

Memorial Foundation's invisible mission ...

future security



Fraternity educational endowments like Pi Kappa Alpha's Memorial Foundation will be the cornerstone of tomorrow's Greek system claim many officials. Pressure to justify the existence of fraternities — to show cause — is increasing in proportion to decreasing support for higher education.

Fraternities must foster personal development and adapt to changes in academic climate according to a recent study of the future of fraternities by the Fraternity Bicentennial Commission. As the cost of higher education skyrockets, colleges are cutting back their traditional services to Greeks. Most obvious is the decline of Greek advisors and Greek affairs offices.

"The fraternities' traditional claim that they will help the student with his studies is hogwash," says Indiana professor Dr. Robert Shaffer.

"It's an oversimplification to expect support from the university today," says Indiana Dean Thomas Schreck. "Today's issue is money. We're evaluating everything we do to find what is expendable." He adds, "We've got to understand the primary objectives of the university and develop programs for the chapters which complement both the fraternity experience and their educational enlightenment."

Fraternity money for scholarships and loans and research or library grants could go a long way toward justifying fraternity existence on tomorrow's super-efficient campus. Pi Kappa Alpha's Memorial Foundation was developed in 1948 to do just that.

The non-profit agency, first envisioned at the 1928 Convention, states its objectives:

- * To stimulate academic endeavor through chapter libraries and tutorial programs.
- * To promote scholarship by providing graduate fellowships for resident counselors.
- * To provide financial assistance to individuals and colleges through loans and grants.
- * To perpetuate the memory of great fraternity deeds and personalities.
- * To preserve and display valuable historical material.
- * To provide a Memorial Headquarters building honoring the Pi Kappa Alpha Gold Star Members who died for our country.
- * To preserve the American way of life.

\$20,000 loaned

Educational loans totaling over \$200,000 have helped more than 200 students continue their education over the past two decades. This year, 37 undergraduate members from 27 chapters received nearly \$20,000 in loans.

Foundation loans were given to student members of these chapters:

- Zeta (Tennessee)
- Alpha Zeta (Arkansas)
- Alpha Xi (Cincinnati)
- Alpha Omicron (Southwestern)
- Alpha Rho (Ohio State)
- Alpha Tau (Utah)
- Alpha Phi (Iowa State)
- Beta Zeta (SMU)
- Beta Theta (Cornell)
- Beta Omicron (Oklahoma)
- Gamma Kappa (Montana State)
- Delta Beta (Bowling Green State)
- Delta Zeta (Memphis State)
- Delta Eta (Delaware)
- Delta Xi (Indiana)
- Delta Chi (Nebraska at Omaha)
- Delta Psi (Maryland)
- Epsilon Pi (Sam Houston State)
- Zeta Gamma (Eastern Illinois)
- Zeta Eta (Arkansas at Little Rock)
- Zeta Kappa (Ferris State)
- Zeta Omicron (Calif. St. at Northridge)
- Zeta Chi (Southwest Missouri State)
- Eta Beta (Seton Hall)
- Eta Eta (Morehead State)
- Eta Nu (Northern Illinois)
- Theta Beta (Montevallo)

Scholarships, grants

Nearly \$8,000 has been granted for scholarships or research over the past two years. IKA's Foundation has given over \$90,000 in total scholarship money and has supported research and chapter libraries with special funding.

Money has been transferred from stocks to continue providing loans and scholarships to needy students in excess of income received from alumni gifts and other sources. The Foundation has approved a fund-raising program seeking large gifts through personal contact. Foundation President Gary Sallquist says any size gift is welcome, but limited Foundation resources and expert advice dictate the solicitation of large gifts.

Foundation receives gift remembering McFarland

Mrs. Nelson K. (Imo) McFarland Keough recently gave a substantial contribution to the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation in memory of her deceased husband, Nelson K. McFarland, Beta Zeta (SMU).



The 1927 initiate was active in the Dallas Alumni Association and as an advisor to Beta Zeta in the 1940's and 1950's. He was an executive with Oklahoma Contracting Corporation until his death in 1965. He is fondly remembered by many Pikes in the Dallas area. Mrs. Keough said, "His fraternity was always near and dear to his heart."

IKA maintains increased roll

Early increases in membership figures have continued throughout the year and April figures point to a good year for Pi Kappa Alpha.

On April 25, IKA had pledged 4,201 members since the fiscal year began July 1, 1976. The figure is six percent higher than last year's total on April 30, 3,972. Initiations through April 25 are 13 percent higher at 2,702 than last year's April 30 figure of 2,482.

By year's end, IKA will have pledged about 4,500 and initiated about 3,300 new members.

IKA introduces at-home training

Text, tapes polish leadership program

A personal leadership training workbook and cassette tape package will be unveiled next fall for Pi Kappa Alpha members and chapters announced Gary A. Sallquist, vice president for leadership development.

The package bolsters IKA's quest for a leadership program that really works.

"We have put together a pretty effective method for improving our members," Sallquist said. "But we aren't reaching enough of the people, enough of the time. Very few of IKA's alumni are getting the benefit of our program. And only a handful of undergraduates are involved," he added.

The workbook and cassette tape package takes the leadership message to the members instead of bringing them to conferences and seminars. "Each chapter and alumnus advisor and many national officers will get a set of notebooks and tapes for their library if we can obtain funding at the next Supreme Council meeting (May 20-22)," Sallquist said.

The package actually includes two separate notebooks and cassette tape packets: one for personal development and one for group dynamics and chapter improvement. Cost for creating the packets and providing copies to chapters, advisors and officers is about \$5,000.

Seminar speakers

Sallquist is also recommending professional lectures for next year's leadership program. Speakers with expertise in leadership dynamics such as Dr. Harry E. Olson, Jr. will lecture at regional conferences, national conventions and other special conclaves if the \$5,000 budget item is approved.

A national officers' conference is also under consideration. A major objective of the affair would be to train regional presidents to effectively find and work with local alumni advisors and to plan results-oriented regional conferences.

Pi Kappa Alpha already has one of the most sophisticated leadership programs in the fraternity world. "We're unaware of any other fraternity that provides this kind of leadership training experience," said Sallquist.

The Fraternity's leadership program includes several presidents' conferences, regional conferences, executive seminars, scientific testing and professional counseling of chapters and well-trained chapter consultants who visit each chapter.

The presidents' conferences orient

newly-elected SMC's to their responsibilities, give them ideas and approaches to be better leaders and encourages interchange of unique ideas and programs among participants. About 75 chapter presidents attended meetings this year.

The Chapter Development Program (CDP) was introduced three years ago as a scientific method for evaluating chapter strengths and weaknesses and effecting broad improvement through professional counseling. Only moderate interest in the program has been noted, and scarcity of qualified counselors has forced IKA staff to fill in as counselors. "The program has not met its potential, though it could

1976-77 IKA LEADERSHIP EXPENDITURES

Program	Endowment Fund	General Fund
Chapter Development Program		\$ 500
Presidents' Conference		5,500
1976 Convention & Workshop		42,897*
Regional Conferences	\$ 8,000	
3 Chapter Consultants & Expenses	<u>34,500</u>	<u>42,500</u>
TOTAL		\$91,397
(Programs to be added next year)		
Leadership Workbooks and Cassette tapes	\$ 3,750	
Seminar Speakers	<u>1,250</u>	
	<u>5,000</u>	
	\$10,000	

*Off-year convention reserve is \$20,000.

become a very valuable tool in the future," stated Sallquist.

The biennial national convention is a leadership experience from the legislation and politics to the day and one-half executive planning seminar preceding the convention.

Changing with the 70's

Pi Kappa Alpha first offered national leadership schools to its student members in the early 1960's. Widespread interest in improvement of personal leadership skills led to the highly praised 1973 Leadership Academy. About 250 undergraduates took part in the five-day, intense behavioral workshop. Although the results were gratifying, a relatively small audience was reached causing the Supreme Council to transfer money budgeted for the biennial academy to regional and presidents' conferences.

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College. Alumni advisors for the group include Joseph Barboza, Nick Orphan and Dr. Harold Gordon. Theta Mu was born 15 months earlier when Chapter Consultant Dave Knibbe met with five interested undergraduates and progressed rapidly under the guidance of transfer student Doug Gunton from Alpha Tau (Utah).

Pikes at U-Mass have an excellent reputation with the sororities and a well-developed positive image in the community. U-Mass presently supports 10 fraternities representing six percent of the student body which numbers 17,000. The school, founded in 1863, is rated among the top 10 universities in the nation in several disciplines.

And Baylor

A year and one-half of labor paid off for members of the Baylor University colony with their April 30 installation. Teams from Southwestern, Sam Houston State and Texas A&M performed the 32 initiations. Coordinating the weekend were officers Dave Dyson, Brick Lowry and James McLaren.

The group began under the guidance of Wendell "Chip" Black whose father is a Pike from Millsaps and Mississippi. Five others joined him and created the core group which attracted another 15 members and was colonized last September.

Baylor, chartered in 1845 by the Republic of Texas, is the largest Baptist

university in the world. It has one of the newest Greek systems as national fraternities were prohibited until recently. Today Baylor has 13 national fraternities and three locals. Pi Kappa Alpha's future is positive with the strong leadership record of its members who serve in 22 campus organizations and honoraries.

Tragedy movie to be a hit

Producers of *Fraternity Row*, a new feature-length movie about a fraternity hazing tragedy, anticipate an \$80-million in box office receipts this summer. The movie will be generally released June 30. "Technically, it's just about perfect," said Jack Anson, executive director of the National Interfraternity Conference (NIC) after viewing it in a special showing in April. "No question, it's professional and first class. And there's no question that everything they portray in the film did or could happen," he added.

Paramount Pictures bought the film written and produced as a project by students at the University of Southern California. The film portrays a 1954 hazing death, the result of a pledge choking on a piece of raw meat. The film has the approval of the family of the deceased pledge, but has generated concern among fraternity executives and others who fear its impact on the image of today's fraternity.

Anson agreed it will have an impact on the image of Greeks nationwide, but that



Pi Kappa Alpha's Membership Education Program (PIKAMEP), a broad, educational approach to chapter programming, was introduced in 1970. It was phased out within three years (although many chapters still use the terminology) for more direct leadership programs.

Charters suspended at Nebraska, Adrian

Gamma Beta (Nebraska) and Zeta Lambda (Adrian) charters were recently suspended by the Supreme Council with revocation expected at the 1978 San Francisco Convention.

After many years of trying to re-establish the Nebraska chapter, the absolute lack of competitive housing near campus resulted in failure of the chapter. "The Council clearly is interested in returning to Nebraska when housing becomes available," said Executive Director Pat Halloran.

At Adrian, the Greek system is deteriorating. With no signs of future development of the fraternity system, and with little interest among only five remaining members to salvage the chapter, closure was imminent.

It might be more productive for fraternities in the future. "We wouldn't be worried about this if we didn't have hazing," he said. "We can't put our heads in the sand because the movie won't go away." Instead, Anson hopes student members, alumni, parents and prospective members can view it and honestly say "we did away with that nonsense years ago."

Jeff Hoffman, an undergraduate member of Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity at the University of North Carolina, wrote a review of the film. "When was the last time going to see a movie became a house project? Getting your house to see it may be one of the most important things you do all year," he wrote.

"It's a film about dreams and realities, love and hate, life and death. It's a film about the Greek system, its problems and the problems of trying to change it," he added.

"*Fraternity Row* presents a very beautiful yet at times a very brutal portrayal of fraternity life in the 1950's."

Proposed programs

Even more leadership training ideas are proposed for the future. Attention is centered on volunteer alumni who counsel IKA's chapters on a local basis. Conferences, workbooks and audio-visual programs are being suggested.

Some are proposing the revival of the off-convention-year leadership academy and others are looking toward the development and marketing of video tape and videodiscs as the media of the future for teaching leadership skills.

"We want to continue to provide the most creative leadership development programs in the fraternity world," said Sallquist.

Many directory bills unpaid, publisher says

"A sizeable number of unpaid accounts" for the 1977 Alumni Directory are still outstanding stated Bernard C. Harris, president of the company which published the volume in February.

"The publisher has fully cooperated in this venture and lived up to his agreement in all regards," said Harris. The company also presented 100 copies of the publication to the Memorial Headquarters as well as the completely updated computer tape, a by-product of the directory project.

"If your account is still unpaid, it would be of great assistance if you will send your check today to clear up this indebtedness," Harris said. He added, "We thank you if you have already paid and we trust you will make good use of this fine publication."

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Initiation dates 1900 to 1939

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W. B. Gates (Millsaps) is the retired head of the department of English at Texas Tech as well as Dean of the Graduate School. He and his wife, a Spanish professor, have contributed numerous articles to scholarly journals. (3259 West Ashby Place, San Antonio, Texas 78228)

William T. Kay (Missouri-Rolla) is a former professor at Washington State University and recently retired from the vice presidency and general manager of E. J. Bartells Company. He enjoys golf in his spare time. (228 Leisure World, Mesa, Ariz. 85206)

John T. Lewis (Millsaps) is currently chief surgeon of the staff at Our Lady of the Lake Hospital and Baton Rouge General Hospital. He also serves as President of the East Baton Rouge Parish Medical Society. (2340 Tulip St., Baton Rouge, La. 70806)

Kelton Lowery (Millsaps) is director of the city of Jackson (Mississippi) water department. (1032 Meadowbrook Rd., Jackson, Ms. 39206)

Harold J. Nicholas (Missouri-Rolla) is a professor of biochemistry at the St. Louis University School of Medicine and serves as director of experimental medicine at the Institute of Medical Education and Research. He has been very active in the society of Sigma Xi, having served as president. Harold has several patents and has written many books and articles dealing with his research. (12456 Merrick Dr., Creve Coeur, Mo. 63141)

Ken F. Sheckler (Missouri-Rolla) presently is chief engineer for the Pyro Engineering Company in Alhambra, California. Every Saturday he plays golf and his other spare time is taken up by woodworking projects. (1807 South Doncrest St., Monterey Park, Calif. 91754)

Paul R. Sheffield (Millsaps) is a retired Army colonel and port director in Memphis. He is a clock and model train collector and wood worker. Brother Sheffield is a member of the Society of American Military Engineers and the National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors, Inc. (296 Belle Meade Lane, Memphis, Tn. 38117)

Robert C. Weigel (Missouri-Rolla) has retired after a 42-year career with Kaiser Refractories and the Mexico Refractories Company. During his four decades in the refractory industry, he worked in sales, engineering, research and manufacturing capacities. He lived in Mexico, Missouri, for 36 years working in various capacities with the Mexico Refractories Co. which in 1959 merged with Kaiser. In 1970 he was transferred to Kaiser's headquarters in Oakland, California. Brother Weigel is also a member of the American Ceramic Society, the Institute of Ceramic Engineering, the Clay Minerals Society and the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineering. He and his wife, Margo, are living in Danville, California. (120 Emerald Dr., Danville, Calif. 94526)

Virgil L. Whitworth (Missouri-Rolla) is a consultant on conservation photo geology in Houston, Texas. He received an honorary degree from UMR-Geological Engineering in 1975. Brother Whitworth is also very involved in the Shrine Arabia Temple. (1617 Fanning St., Houston, Tx. 77002)

Initiation dates 1940 to 1959

H. Parker Evatt (South Carolina) is now serving his second term in the South Carolina House of Representatives. He was

recently chosen to receive the Christian Action Council's award for 1976 for his outstanding work in civic, church and community affairs. Brother Evatt presently serves as director of the Alston Wilkes Society, South Carolina's volunteer prisoner aid organization. (258 Chartwell St., Columbia, S.C.)



Evatt



Nielsen

Grant L. Nielsen (San Diego State) was recently honored by the San Diego County Council of Boy Scouts of America as the recipient of the coveted Silver Beaver Award. The Silver Beaver is awarded by the National Court of Honor and is the highest award that can be bestowed by a local Scout Council for distinguished service to boys. Brother Nielsen is employed as the Controller for San Diego State University. (16831 Orchard Bend Rd., Poway, Calif. 92064)

Jerry Alyea (Missouri-Rolla) is a registered community advisor and lumber purchasing consultant in Lamar, Missouri. Last year he was picked by Gov. Bond as one of 10 town leaders in the state. He is also active in the Community Betterment Council, the church and little league coaching. (305 Gulf, Lamar, Mo. 64759)

Robert A. Anderson (Marshall) was recently elected to his second term as a member of the Brevard County School Board in Titusville, Florida, winning by nearly a 2-1 margin.

John R. Barr (Millsaps and Mississippi) is a colonel, command pilot and logistician for the Strategic Air Command. He was recently named Outstanding Senior Supply Officer. (12437 S. 32nd Street, Omaha, Neb. 68123)

Charles E. Carlberg (Missouri-Rolla) is on the board of directors of the Tri-City Athletic Association in Oklahoma City and serves as treasurer of Oklahoma City's Geophysical Society. He is presently employed by Mobil Oil Corp. as a geophysical specialist. (3728 Pallos Verdas, Dallas, Tx. 75229)

Joseph S. Clark (Auburn) is associated with Tidley-Moor Insurance Agency, Inc. in Tallahassee, Florida. (P.O. Box 749, Tallahassee, Fla. 32302)

P. Truly Conerly, Jr. (Millsaps) is vice president of the Universal Saw and Tool Company of Tylertown, Mississippi. He enjoys golf and swimming in his spare time. (P.O. Box 423, Tylertown, Ms. 39667)

Woody Davis (Millsaps) has been elected to a three-year term on the board of directors of the Greater Meridian Chamber of Commerce. (Country Club Drive, Meridian, Ms. 39301)

Glenn Dobbs, Jr. (Tulsa) is President of the Tulsa Drillers Baseball team. The team's parent club in the American League is the Texas Rangers. (4898 South Darlington, Tulsa, Okla. 74135)

Marion L. Dodson (Millsaps) recently opened his office for the practice of ear, nose, throat and also facial cosmetic surgery. (4500 15th St., Gulfport, Ms. 39501)

Servet A. Duran (Missouri-Rolla) is a professor of materials science at Washington State University where he teaches courses in physical metallurgy, X-Ray crystallography and phase transformation. He is a consultant in physical metallurgy to industry and the legal profession as well as being responsible for establishing the materials division of the American Society of Engineering Education. (S.E. 250 Derby St., Pullman, Wash. 99163)

Robert W. Harlow (Missouri-Rolla) is working for Oklahoma Gas and Electric in Shawnee, Oklahoma. He is active in the Lion's Club, Chamber of Commerce, City Planning Commission and coaching kid's baseball. (6 Comanche, Shawnee, Okla. 74801)

R. T. Hollingsworth (Millsaps) is a general practitioner in Shelby, Mississippi, and a member of the Rotary Club. He also serves

as President of the Shelby Development Corporation and as past president of the Shelby Chamber of Commerce. (Drawer 87, Shelby, Ms. 38774)

Robert R. Parker (Millsaps) is an engineer and consultant in data processing. He is also a member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers and his favorite hobby is gardening. (415 Owens Dr., Huntsville, Ala. 35810)

John C. Sandefur (Millsaps) is a surgeon in Greenville, Mississippi. He is a member of the Diplomatic American Board of Surgery and is chief-of-staff of Kings Daughters' Hospital. (181 Oak Drive, Greenville, Ms. 38701)

Bert L. Smith (Missouri-Rolla) is a professor at Wichita State University. He has received both the ASEE Midwest Section Award for excellence in instruction and the SAE Award for significant contributions to teaching. (7011 Foster Lane, Wichita, Ks. 67201)

Dale A. Strub (Missouri-Rolla) is an associate with Arnold and Osheridan Inc., Consulting Engineers in Madison, Wisconsin. He serves on the advisory board to the state of Wisconsin building code, YWCA Advisory Board of Directors and is active in the Girl Scout financial board. (5717 Barton Rd., Madison, Wisc. 53711)

Walter I. Waldrop (Millsaps) is President of B & W Metals Co. which manufactures composite rods. Brother Waldrop is also serving as President of the Houston Touchdown Club and is a member of a golf and racquet club. (11551 No. Loyal, Houston, Tx. 77024)

Chester E. Shepperly (Penn State) has been appointed senior vice president of marketing and administration for Johns-Manville Corporation in Denver. He is also a member of the firm's six-member management committee. In his new position he is responsible for administrative services, employee relations, labor relations, corporate marketing and growth planning and corporate real estate departments. He has been with the corporation since 1959 and has held various management positions, the most recent being that of senior vice president of the building materials group. Brother Shepperly also serves on the executive committees of the Construction Action Council of the National Chamber of Commerce, the Joint Center for Urban Studies of the Policy Advisory Board (Harvard/MIT), and the National Council of Housing Industry of the National Association of Home Builders. He is a director of the Continental Bank of Englewood, a member of the executive committee, treasurer and trustee of Swedish Medical Center and past chairman and council member of the Bethany Lutheran Church. He and his wife have two children and reside in Littleton, Colorado. (5051 S. Birch, Littleton, Colo. 80120)



Shepperly



Baker

Initiation dates 1960 to 1969

William Harold Baker (Lamar) is a chartered life underwriter with the Houston-Seger general agency of National Life Insurance Company. He recently earned the firm's Ethan Allen Award for insuring with life or disability insurance 26 lives in his first four months with the company. A specialist in group insurance plans, Baker earned his CLU designation in 1975 from the American College of Life Underwriters in Bryn Mawr, Pa. He currently teaches a CLU course at the University of Houston. A member of the Optimist Club, Memorial Church of Christ, the National Association of Life Underwriters, Life Underwriters Training Council, Houston Association of Life Underwriters and the American Society of Chartered Life Underwriters, Brother Baker is married to the former Sharon Robinson of Houston and the couple has three children. (11219 Wilding Lane, Houston, Tx. 77024)

Steven Alexander (Kansas) is a practicing attorney at law in Kansas, City, Kansas. (7910 Waverly, Kansas City, Kansas 66109)

Bob Archer (Memphis State) recently completed a tour in the U.S. Air Force. He is married and the father of two children and is presently teaching in the Memphis City School System. (635 Capewood Place, Southaven, Ms. 38671)

David A. Bagwell (Oklahoma State) was transferred to Indianapolis where he will be in charge of installation of telecommunications equipment for the State of Indiana. He is employed by Western Electric. (210 Orchard Blvd., Noblesville, Ind. 46060)

Leigh A. R. Bandekow (Delaware) is employed as an assistant treasurer at Farmers State Bank of the State of Delaware and is in charge of the student loan and Master Charge departments. He has earned Standard and Basic Certificates in banking and is presently working towards an MBA degree at the University of Delaware. (2109 Grant Ave., Gwinhurst, Wilmington, Del. 19809)

Michael P. Barrett (Illinois) is an attorney with the Chicago law firm of Chapman and Cutler. (928 Newcastle, Westchester, Ill. 60153)

Durwood J. Barton (South Carolina) was recently cited by the Richland County (S.C.) Council for his record-breaking performance at the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy. Brother Barton was a recent participant in an eight-week mandatory training course attended by 46 law enforcement officers from throughout South Carolina. At the conclusion of the session, it was discovered that in addition to finishing first in his class, he had attained the highest point average in the 10-year history of the Criminal Justice Academy. Brother Barton is very active in PKA's Central South Carolina Alumni Association and he and his wife, Diane, have one son. (107 Bridgewater Circle, Irmo, S.C. 29063)



Barton



Stephens

Richard A. Stephens (Central Arkansas), secretary of Appraisal Consultants, Inc. in Little Rock, was recently elected President of the Little Rock and North Little Rock Board of Realtors. The 1977 President of the Arkansas Chapter of the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers is also a member of the Downtown Little Rock Lions Club and a past president of the University of Central Arkansas Alumni Association. He was the 1975 Realtor of the Year honoree of the Little Rock and North Little Rock Board of Realtors for which he has served in 1976 as vice president and president-elect of the board.

Robert Beall (Central Arkansas) has been appointed language arts consultant for the department of education of the state of Florida. He is connected with the Regional Office of Compensatory Education.

Jerry R. Belote (Old Dominion) is employed as a sales manager for Sea-Land in Virginia Beach. He and his wife have one child. (4744 Dawes Court, Virginia Beach, Va. 23455)

Brian J. Bober (West Virginia) is now employed with John Hall Inc. in Ligonier, Pa., where he is in charge of industrial sales. (2319 1/2 Patterson Ave., Apt. E, Pittsburg, Pa. 15218)

James R. Bogert (Valparaiso) is a laboratory technician for Tosco Oil Shale Company (TOSCO) in Greeley, Colorado. (311 E. Oak Street, Lafayette, Colo. 80026)

C. J. Bonnell (Eastern Kentucky State) is presently teaching seventh and eighth grade speech and English outside Washington, D.C. (2121 Columbia Pike, Arlington, Va. 22204)

Robert D. Borders (Tennessee) is currently serving as a Lieutenant in the Navy Dental Corps stationed at Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C. (473 Dogwood Dr., Laurel Bay, S.C. 29902)

George S. Brockman (Northwestern) graduated from Northwestern University Dental School in June of 1976 and is now engaged in private dental practice in Winnetka, Illinois. (605 Sheridan Rd., No. 1-1, Evanston, Ill. 60202)

Capt. James F. Buhl (Florida State) was recently transferred from Myrtle Beach Air Force Base, S.C., to the Tactics Division of headquarters, United States Air Force in Washington, D.C. (3965 Wilcox Dr., Fairfax, Va. 22030)

Thomas D. Bull (Gannon) is working for Rowe International, Inc. in Whippany, N.J. as an industrial engineer. (Mansfield Village, Hackettstown, N.J. 17840)

Theo V. Caldwell, Jr. (Tennessee-Martin) is coaching at Riverwood High School in Atlanta, Georgia. He was named the 1977 AA Wrestling Coach of the Year by the Metro-Atlanta Takedown Club. (893 Millwood Dr., S.W., Marietta, Ga. 30060)

Ronald T. Candido (Missouri-Rolla) has recently been promoted to superintendent of product control for the central foundry division of General Motors. (41 Shorewood South, Danville, Ill. 61832)

Richard A. Carlson (Illinois) attended law school in Portland, Oregon, and liked the Northwest so much he has made it his home. He is presently working in the district attorney's office. (10920 S.W. 83rd St., Tigard, Ore. 97223)

Thomas B. Chance (Western Kentucky) is an account executive with Merrill Lynch in Knoxville, Tennessee. (11557 Midhurst Dr., Knoxville, Tn. 37922)

Dr. Phillip E. Cochran (Oregon) is employed as an associate veterinarian with the West Eugene Animal Hospital in Eugene, Oregon, where he works with both large and small animals. (2035 McKinley St., Eugene, Ore. 97405)

Joseph T. Coleman, Jr. (Concord) received his Doctor of Education degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. He is currently employed by Roanoke City Schools as a social studies supervisor. He married the former Catherine Farris of Hinton, and they have two children. (3248 Davis Ave., S.W., Roanoke, Va. 24015)

Cliff Conneighton (Case Western Reserve) was recently promoted to senior applications engineer in the computer marketing department of Texas Instruments, Inc. He previously served as project manager in the computer systems engineering department. (7201 Wood Hollow Dr., No. 265, Austin, Tx. 78731)

Ashby M. Cook, Jr. (Wake Forest) is vice president of sales and agent development for the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company in Charlotte, North Carolina. (3926-L Providence Rd., Charlotte, N.C. 28211)

Phillip C. Cooke (Maryland) was recently promoted to district personnel manager for Xerox Corporation's Mid-Atlantic district headquartered in Rosslyn, Virginia. (11731 Quay Rd., Oakton, Va. 22124)

Scott Downing (Delaware) has recently finished 3½ years at the Army Chemical Center at Edgewood Arsenal and is going to Korea for 12 months. He will be promoted to Captain this summer and is currently trying to build a complete collection of Civil War era U.S. fractional currency. (4029 Greenmount Ave., Baltimore, Md. 21218)

James L. Farley (Marshall), executive director of Pleasant Valley Hospital in Point Pleasant, West Virginia, is the 1977 recipient of the Young Hospital Administrator of the Year award, presented by the American College of Hospital Administrators, a Chicago-based professional society. Brother Farley is President of the West Virginia Hospital Association and, at age 34, is the youngest state hospital association president in the United States.

Charles E. Farrell (Duke) is presently a candidate for his MBA in 1978 attending Harvard Business School. He recently married the former Angela Thompson from Atlanta. (2 Peabody Terrace, No. 611, Cambridge, Ma. 02138)

Keith E. Faulkner (Arkansas) is an area marketing manager for Miller & Associates. He and his wife Pat have one daughter, Amy Jennifer, age 1½. (2100 Plymouth Rock, Richardson, Tx. 75081)

Robert C. Felts (Cincinnati) has been appointed industrial coordinator for the office of the Governor, department of industrial development, for the state of Oklahoma. (1404 Apollo Rd., Edmond, Okla. 73034)

Paul B. Fields (Auburn) has been admitted as a partner to the firm of Wilson, Price, Barranco & Billingsley, certified public accountants, in Montgomery, Ala. (2113 Bowen Dr., Montgomery, Ala. 36106)

Gary A. Frye (Western Kentucky) is presently in Dallas attending undergraduate pilot training at Lubbock. (6016 Bay Pine Dr., Louisville, Ky. 40219)

Gerald N. Fulks (Hampden-Sydney) recently moved to Fort Worth, Texas, to become manager of Smith Brothers Carpet, a retail carpet chain. He is married to the former Cindy Jamison. (6317 Juneau Rd., Fort Worth, Tx. 76116)

J. Leonard Garland (Tennessee-Martin) is employed by Monsanto as a senior manufacturing engineer. He was re-elected to a second term on the Decatur City Council and serves on the Planning Commission. (Route 4, Box 840, Decatur, Ala. 35603)

Sid Garland (Vanderbilt) is employed by J. E. Sirrine as an environmental engineer. He received an MS in environmental health engineering from the University of Texas in Dallas. (12107 Hollystone, Houston, Tx. 77070)

Bruce L. Golden (Pennsylvania) received his Ph.D. in operations research from MIT in June, 1976. Since then, he has been employed as an assistant professor at the University of Maryland. (9888 Good Luck Rd., Apt. 7, Lanham, Md. 20801)

Gregg O. Guy (Western Kentucky) has taught business and coached football and golf at Ballard High School for the last four years. He is presently employed by Convenient Industries of America as a field coordinator. (45 Narwood Dr., Louisville, Ky. 40299)

William H. Hartman (Miami) was recently married and moved to Atlanta, Georgia, to accept a Procter & Gamble promotion to head up advertising and promotions for their Southeast district office. (6909-F Roswell Rd., N.E., Atlanta, Ga. 30328)

Jack Harvard (Lamar) has been elected to the City Council of Plano, Texas, a suburb of Dallas. Brother Harvard is a financial and planning analyst for First International Bancshares in Dallas, a bank holding company. He is married to the former Elaine Wolff and they have two daughters. (2360 Claridge, Plano, Texas 75075)

Erik Hearon (Millsaps) is a certified public accountant and pilot in the Mississippi Air National Guard. He is a member of B'nai B'rith and is the treasurer of PKA's Alpha Iota chapter house corporation. (3515 Edmar Place, Jackson, Ms. 39216)

Lt. Greg Heckrodt (Southwestern State) is in the U.S. Navy flying twin engine jets off the carrier USS S. Saratoga. (AIRANTI-SUBRON 22, FPO, New York, N.Y. 09501)

Dan L. Hurt (Georgetown) owns Hurt Auto Sales in Paducah, Ky. He and his wife, Marsha, have a 1-year-old daughter named Shannon. (3604 Alameda, Paducah, Ky. 42001)

Kerry Jambon (Nicholls State) will receive his Masters Degree in vocational rehabilitation counseling next December. (326 Guilbeau Rd., No. 139, Lafayette, La. 70506)

Ronnie D. Jones (Central Arkansas), after coaching at Conway Junior High School for 3½ years, has joined the sales force of Ambassador Cards, a division of Hallmark Cards, Inc. (15 Susan Lane, Conway, Ark. 72032)

Alan C. Jost (Miami) is a captain in the USAF stationed at the University of Arizona completing his master of science degree in computer science. He previously completed his master of art degree in psychology. He and his wife and daughter are living in Tucson. (1924 Anklam Rd., Tucson, Ariz. 85705)

G. Richard Karran (Florida) is currently employed in Jacksonville, Florida, at Florida Steel Corporation's new steel mill. His position is quality control supervisor. (5024 Homer Avenue, Tampa, Fla. 33609)



Walter Eichhorn, right, admires 50-year award presented here by Eta Phi little sister Cheri Brand and SMC Jim Thomas.

William G. Kenney (Pennsylvania) graduated from Washington University's School of Law in May and is presently looking for work in the Boston area. (1015 Highland Ave., Fall River, Mass. 02720)

Dennis C. King (Cornell) recently married the former Patricia Sullivan. Dennis is working as an administrative assistant to the president for Dietary Consultants, Inc., a hospital and college food service management company. (P.O. Box 425, Danville, N.Y. 14437)

Douglas A. Koehler (Iowa State) graduated in 1975 from Northwestern University Dental School. He is finishing two years of service in the Navy Dental Corps and will be opening his own practice in Winfield, Illinois, this summer. (3675 Barnard, Ocean-side, Calif.)

Charles R. Kundtz (Bowling Green State) was recently promoted to systems analyst at the Naval Air Station supply department in Alameda, California. He and his wife have a two-year-old son and are expecting their second child in August. (8040 Winthrop St., Oakland, Calif. 94605)

Charles Kurz II (Trinity) is class agent for the alumni fund for the class of 1967 at Trinity College. In addition, he has been appointed to the Board of Fellows for a three-year term by the trustees of the college. In his capacity as class agent he recently accepted the Alumni Fund Trophy, awarded to the class, out 10 years or less, which achieves the best record in the alumni fund. The scoring is based on percentage of givers, average and total gift, and total number of contributors. (313 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19106)

Dr. Kenneth R. Lawson (Eastern Kentucky) is editor of *A New Concept*, a Springfield publication. (1664 N. Fountain Blvd., Springfield, Ohio 45504)

Jan P. Lowrance (Old Dominion) is teaching high school level health and physical education and is head football, basketball and baseball coach at Parkley High School in Virginia. He and his wife are expecting their first child this summer. (P.O. Box 41, Parkley, Va. 23421)

John Mamalakis (Georgia) is vice president of the personal lines department of Mercer Insurance Agency in Savannah. He is a charter member of the PKA Savannah Alumni Association. (23 E. 61st Street, Savannah, Ga. 31405)

Jim Marshall (Linfield) is the new advertising director at the Freeport Journal-Standard. He is married to the former Tina Johnson. (419 South Saxby, Freeport, Ill. 61032)

Robert P. Mast (Drake) recently became a Fellow in the Society of Actuaries and is now a pension actuary with the Wyatt Company in Cleveland. (4477 Michael Avenue N., New Hope, Mn. 55428)

Marion C. Mattingly (Eastern Kentucky State) is a conservation education supervisor with the Kentucky Dept. of Fish & Wildlife Resources. (204 Flanders Court, Apt. 2, Louisville, Ky. 40218)

Thomas J. Mazeika (Bowling Green State) is working for Ashland Oil, Inc. in Ashland, Kentucky, as a chemist. He and his wife Connie have one child. (Route 4, Box 98, Catlettsburg, Ky. 41129)

James M. McDuff (Missouri-Rolla) is living in Hays, Kansas, where he is employed by

Southwestern Bell Telephone as a district plant manager. Brother McDuff is active in the Lions Club and presently is chairman of the Boy Scout district committee. He and his wife, Susan, have three children. (2922 Canal Blvd., Hays, Kansas 67601)

William H. McNally (Miami-Ohio) is currently living in the Akron, Ohio, area where he is the director of the Master Plumbers Association. He and his wife Mandy have one son. (2823 Revere Dr., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44223)

Lee Merritt, Jr. (North Carolina) graduated from Walter F. George Law School in May and will be employed by the Georgia Legal Services in Macon. (Box 736 Mercer Univ., Macon, Ga. 31207)

Glen Daryl Moore (Oklahoma) is employed with Phillips Petroleum Company in their home office in Bartlesville, Oklahoma. (804 S.E. Adams Blvd., Bartlesville, Okla. 74003)

James E. Nelson (Pittsburgh) wrote an article entitled "Child Care Crisis and the Role of the Supervisor" which has been accepted for publication in 1978 by the *Child Care Quarterly*. (79 Mohawk Rd., Greensburg, Pa. 15601)

R. Michael Niemeyer (Eastern Kentucky State) is a senior claims representative for Travelers Insurance Company and is currently a sophomore at the Salmon P. Chase Law School in Kentucky. (502 W. Chelsea, Apt. 2, Fort Mitchell, Ky. 41017)

Michael A. Parnell (Millsaps) is presently doing his surgical residency at Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas. (6775 Eastridge, Apt. 2068, Dallas, Tx. 75231)

Steve Pennington (Kansas) recently returned from an extended vacation in which he visited Ireland and the USSR. (831 Southwest Blvd., Apt. F, Jefferson City, Mo. 65101)

Lt. John R. "Bud" Peticolas (Toledo), a Naval aviator, was recently assigned to VR-24 in Sigonella, Sicily, flying CT-39 aircraft. He was promoted to Lieutenant last year. (VR-24, FPO, New York, N.Y. 09523)

Ronald L. Rehm (Cornell), after 3½ years as a Lieutenant in the U.S. Army as a paratrooper at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, is now in his first year of law school at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland. (2684 Mayfield Rd., Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44106)

Peter J. Richardson (Millsaps) is a computer applications engineer with the Celanese Chemical Company in Corpus Christi, Texas. His outside interests include tennis, golf and fishing. (4125 Meridian, Corpus Christi, Tx. 78411)

Robert O. Rochester (Richmond) is a realtor in Richmond with Rennie & Wallace Gallery of Homes. He asks that any brother moving to Richmond give him a call. (4617 W. Franklin St., Richmond, Va. 23226)

Edgar W. Sawyer, III (Purdue) has been promoted to managing supervisor of the consumer credit department of Continental Bank in Chicago. (One Wheaton Center, Apt. 1007, Wheaton, Ill. 60187)

Roger W. Seacare (Florida Southern) is a Captain in the U.S. Army Finance Corps and is presently assigned as the finance and accounting officer at Hunter AAF in Savannah, Georgia. He is also an associate faculty member at St. Leo College where he teaches accounting and business law. (134 LeHandy Dr., Savannah, Ga. 31405)

W. Brad Schlegel (Delaware) is an Internal Revenue agent who analyzes retirement plan documents. He has lived in Richmond for five months having moved from Delaware where he served as Chapter Advisor to IKA's Delta Eta chapter. He is now an active member of the Richmond Choral Society and is a voluntary worker for the Virginia Museum Repertory Theater. (P.O. Box 10211, Richmond, Va. 23240)

Joseph J. Schmelzer, III (Mississippi) is President of Equipment Inc. of Jackson, Pascagoula and Columbus, Mississippi. He is a professional material handling engineer and he and his wife have one child. (P.O. Box 1987, Jackson, Ms. 39205)

Dwight D. Scott (Purdue) is President of Dwight D. Scott & Associates, financial specialists in Dallas, Texas. He is also a member of the International Association of Financial Planners, the American Marketing

Association, Toastmasters International, the Dallas County Association of Life Underwriters and the Dallas County Pharmaceutical Society. (6216 Ridge Crest Lane, No. 2122, Dallas, Tx. 75231)

Lt. Robert L. Seago (Stephen F. Austin State) is a Navy jet pilot stationed at Alameda, California. His wife is a stewardess for American Airlines. (1810 Clinton, Apt. B, Alameda, Calif. 94501)

Philip C. Spencer (Hampden-Sydney) was recently named assistant to the president of Richard Bland College in Petersburg, Virginia. (922 Northampton Rd., Petersburg, Va. 23803)

David L. Stephens (Emory) opened his own law practice in Fort Valley, Georgia, last August. (P.O. Box 790, Fort Valley, Ga. 31030)

Richard Sussman (Pennsylvania) has joined the law firm of Danzansky, Dickey, Tyding, Quint & Gordon in Washington, D.C. Rich served as Regional President of PKA's North Atlantic Region until this promotion which resulted in his relocation. (4500 S. Four Mile Run Dr., Apt. 633, Arlington, Va. 22204)

Mike P. Sturdivant, Jr. (Mississippi) is a cotton farmer in Flendora, Mississippi. He is also a member of the Greenwood Arts Festival Committee and he enjoys tennis, hunting, flying and basketball. (Route 1, Cruger, Ms. 38924)

Michael A. Taylor (Vanderbilt) was recently elected vice president of Crandall College. He also serves as a member of the college's board of directors. (1283 Adams St., Macon, Ga. 31201)

Robert W. Thomas (Western Carolina) is an area manager for the commercial products division of Scott Paper Company. (704 Rockford Dr., Harrisburg, Pa. 17112)

Bruce A. Thomason (Maryland) was promoted to branch manager of the New Jersey office of AFA Protective Systems, Inc. AFA is a leader in the field of fire and burglar alarm systems. (172 Woodrow Ave., Piscataway, N.J. 08854)

Todd D. Trimmer (Florida State) has recently been promoted to pilot in command of a USAF C141 Starlifter at Norton Air Force Base, California. The four-engine jet transport carries a maximum of 154 passengers or 70,000 pounds of cargo to all parts of the world. (125 E. Van Koeveing, Rialto, Calif. 92376)

Robert F. Trott (Southwest Texas State) is employed by the County of Riverside as a systems analyst in the property area. He and his wife recently became the parents of a daughter, born on PKA's Founders' Day (March 1). (1662 LeConte, Riverside, Calif. 92507)

James A. L. Walker (Missouri-Columbia) has been selected for promotion to Captain in the U.S. Army and is stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. (148 Luzon Dr., Fort Bragg, N.C. 28307)

Michael A. Waller (Missouri-St. Louis) recently moved to Chicago where he is employed as a product manager for Statistical Tabulating Corporation. He and his wife are expecting their second child this August. (6720 Barrett, Downers Grove, Ill. 60515)

Parker Walsh (North Carolina State) is employed by Paper Products, Inc. of Long Beach, California, where he is the Southeastern regional sales manager.

Terry R. Ward (Bowling Green State) is an advertising specialist with Armo Steel Corporation in Middletown, Ohio. He is married with one son and they are expecting their second child this summer. (4152 Webster, Cincinnati, Ohio 45236)

Andy Welch (Southwestern) is now covering the Texas Legislature at Austin for Long News Service, on behalf of 21 daily newspapers, 140 radio stations, *The New York Times* and *Newsweek*. (1002 Power Rd., Georgetown, Tx. 78626)

Larry S. Wrobel (Drake) received his Masters in health service and administration and is presently director of pharmacy and materials management at West Suburban Hospital in Oak Park, Illinois. He and his wife Bonnie have one child. (3320 Saratoga Ave., Downers Grove, Ill. 60515)

John Wulzyn (Purdue) is head football and track coach at Jacksonville (North Carolina)

Senior High School. (600 Onslow Gardens, Jacksonville, N.C. 28540)

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Wayne Adams (Georgia Tech) was recently named executive director of the South Carolina Republican Party, becoming the youngest GOP executive director in the nation. He joined the state GOP staff in 1975 as a part-time news secretary. Brother Adams was instrumental in the re-establishment of PKA's Xi chapter at the University of South Carolina. (1520 Senate St., Apt. 15-E, Columbia, S.C. 29201)

Doug Boone (Mississippi) is a law student intern at the Mississippi Supreme Court. (117 Poplar, Brandon, Ms. 39042)

Kenneth Brown (Millsaps), President of Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Jackson, was presented Pepsi-Cola's coveted Caleb Bradham Award in recognition of outstanding quality performance in the manufacture of Pepsi-Cola products by the district manager. Established in 1974 in the name of the bottling company's founder, the award cites bottlers who consistently meet and surpass superior product quality assurance standards. In addition to a top product quality rating, each plant is evaluated according to sanitary conditions and proper equipment usage. (5916 Hanging Moss, Jackson, Ms. 39206)

Jerry Caruso (Florida State) at age 21 is half owner of Compass Island Yacht, Inc., an established, successful Miami-based yacht brokerage firm. (2622 S.E. 17th Causeway, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 33316)

Bob Coury (Florida State) is an agent with Mutual Benefit Life Insurance in Miami. (2500 S.W. Third Avenue, Coral Way, Miami, Fla. 33129)

David L. Curtis (Murray State) recently received his J.S. degree from the University of Kentucky Law School. (Box 117, Bardwell, Ky. 42024)

George Guber (Millsaps) is an athletic program coordinator for the Jackson YMCA system. (3950 Council Circle, Jackson, Ms. 39206)

Bruce M. Harris, Jr. (Delta State) has been transferred to Tulsa, Oklahoma from Houston, Texas, by Nalco Chemical Company to serve as district sales representative. (4720 South 78th East Place, No. 104, Tulsa, Okla. 74145)

Paul B. Hennessy (Kentucky) is a U.S. Navy Lieutenant currently stationed at NAS North Island, San Diego, California. He is a tactical coordinator/mission commander flying in the S-3A, the Navy's new carrier-based anti-submarine warfare aircraft. (1417 2nd St., Apt. H-105, Colorado, Calif. 92118)

Greg W. Hill (Delaware) is a pastor at a two-point charge: St. John's in Lewisville and Moore's Chapel in Blake, Pennsylvania. He was ordained Elder in the Peninsula Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church in May. (Box 100, Lewisville, Pa. 19351)

Tom Johnson (Florida State) recently married Annita Roller and he serves as the chapter advisor for Delta Lambda chapter at Florida State. (2711 Allen Rd., Apt. H-20, Tallahassee, Fla. 32303)

Karl Keeton (Florida Tech and Florida State) recently joined the Walt Disney organization in the merchandise division at the Lake Buena Vista Shopping Village in Walt Disney World. Brother Keeton is married to the former Jennifer Clark from Orlando. (4779-14 Walden Circle, Apt. H, Orlando, Fla. 32805)

David L. Kreher (Missouri-Rolla) is presently attending Loyola University in New Orleans and is involved in local service and volunteer organizations. He received honorable mention as an Outstanding Young American in 1976. (Box 288, Loyola University, New Orleans, La. 70118)

Charles E. McShane, Jr. (Florida Inst. of Technology) was recently named resident claim representative for Aetna Casualty and Surety in Orange and Ulster Counties in New York. He mainly handles liability claims. (50-D Cromwell Terrace, Squire Village, New Windsor, N.Y. 12550)

Mark J. Meyer (Iowa State) has been appointed to the position of President of Meyer Homes, Inc. in Ankeny, Iowa. (No. 108, 1009 E. Grant, Ankeny, Iowa 50021)

Thomas L. Miller (Bowling Green State) is now assistant professor of driver and traffic safety education at Mankato State University in Minnesota. (Box 236, Nicollet, Minn. 56074)

1st Lt. R. E. Milstead, Jr. (Houston) is currently flying AH-1J Cobra Gunships with Marine Attack Helicopter Squadron 169 at Camp Pendleton, California. (HMA-169, DETMAG-16, MCALF, MCB Camp Pendleton, Calif. 92055)

Danny Moriarty (Kentucky) has accepted a position with the Kentucky Revenue Department as a revenue field auditor. His supervisor, Dave Powers, is also a Pike. (2300 Winchester Ave., Ashland, Ky. 41011)

Paul Oglesby (Florida State) is employed by Morrison's Cafeteria in the Tallahassee Mall in Florida. He and his wife Gail have one son. Paul is a former PKA All-American lineman. (839 Reynolds St., Jacksonville, Fla. 32205)

Robert W. Olin (Eastern Illinois) is owner of Bowen Lodge on Lake Winnibigoshish, the fifth largest lake in Minnesota. They have cabins, campgrounds and a trailer park. (Box 253, Inger Route, Deer River, Minn. 56636)

Gordon Osman (Bowling Green State) recently accepted a position with Oneida Ltd. as a general merchandise representative. (901-B Allegheny, Richardson, Tx. 75080)

Douglas F. Pedigo (Southwestern Louisiana) is working as a sales representative for Xerox Corporation out of Lafayette, Louisiana. He was married in January to the former Jacquelyn Ann Mesh. (315 Guilbeau Rd., Apt. 319, Lafayette, La. 70506)

Leonard C. Randolph, Jr. (Texas) is in Salt Lake City with the Northwest Pipeline Corporation. Brother Randolph earned his BA and BBA from the University of Texas where he lettered three years on the varsity track team. He was the Outstanding Senior of 1975 in petroleum land management. Leonard married the former Alice Babcock and they are living in Salt Lake City. (1910-A Wasatch Dr., Salt Lake City, Utah 84110)

Dr. John Satterthwaite (Southwestern-at-Memphis) has one more year as an anesthesiology resident at Talmadge Hospital in Augusta, Georgia. He and his wife have one daughter. (3111 Exeter Rd., Augusta, Ga. 30909)

Warren Sears (Florida State) has been promoted to assistant trust officer and assistant secretary with the North Carolina National Bank in Charlotte. (1801 Pewbury Rd., Charlotte, N.C. 28210)

William R. Short (Clemson) has completed his MBA at Duke University and is employed by First National Bank of Atlanta. (6008 Cove Place, Atlanta, Ga. 30339)

Earl Simpson (Florida Tech) is associated with the Ed Schlitt Agency, Inc. as a realtor associate in the residential sales department. He was formerly with Lawyers Title Insurance Corporation and has been closely involved with maintenance and management of agricultural and citrus properties through recent years. His interests include flying, water sports, cycling, skiing, photography, antiques and farming. (1905 Robalo Drive, Vero Beach, Fla. 32960)



Mark S. Hazeltime (Indiana) recently joined the account management team of Biddle Advertising in Chicago. The company is a \$17 million consumer/industrial agency with offices in Bloomington, Ill., Kansas City, Mo., Appleton, Wisc. and Chicago. (2125 S. Tonne Drive, Arlington Heights, Ill.)

Phillip James Spletter (Florida Tech) is working as an engineer for the Harris Corporation and working towards his masters degree in mechanical engineering at Florida Institute of Technology. (3000 N. AIA Bldg., 13-203, Indialantic, Fla. 32903)

BULLETIN

Past National President and long-time IKA supporter Grant Macfarlane, 78, died of a heart attack April 27. The news arrived at prestime. An article about Brother Macfarlane's life will appear in the next issue.



CHAPTER ETERNAL

Burney Foster Acton (Samford), January 13, 1977, Birmingham, Ala.

Charles E. Aldrich (Arkansas), March 15, 1977, Benton, Ark.

Michael Baker, Jr. (Penn State), February 22, 1977, Hershey, Pa.

George W. Bishop, Jr. (William and Mary), August 14, 1974, DeKalb, Ill.

Dr. William Webster Bond (Tennessee), September 24, 1975, Monroe, Mich.

Othello E. Bruton (Kansas), January 20, 1977, Sun City, Ariz.

David Ralph Burris (Georgetown), January 25, 1977, Nicholasville, Ky.

Louie A. Coshatt (Birmingham Southern), December 4, 1976, Birmingham, Ala.

Albert B. Cranwell, Jr. (Tennessee), February 5, 1977, Florence, Ala.

John A. Crow (Georgia Tech), January, 1977, Florence, S.C.

Robert J. Dagg (Florida), January 28, 1977, Gainesville, Fla.

Dr. Charles A. Eberhart (Emory), February 25, 1977, Atlanta, Ga.

Early A. Feimster (North Carolina State), March 9, 1977, Columbus, Ga.

Richard H. Fields, (Oregon), January 10, 1977, Portland, Ore.

Michael Godfrey (Utah), February 10, 1977, Brennen, Germany.

Reid W. Goldsby (Auburn), March 6, 1977, Mobile, Ala.

Frank H. Graham (Kansas State), March 12, 1977, Pittsburgh, Pa.

DeWitt E. Hooker (Syracuse), November 20, 1976, Jacksonville, Fla.

Dr. Glenn L. Hooper (Duke), December 23, 1976, Dunn, N.C.

John W. Hopkins, Jr. (Washington and Lee), December 24, 1976, Bedford, Va.

Robert D. Horn (Michigan), January 28, 1977, Eugene, Ore.

John D. Hughes (Vanderbilt), June 12, 1976, Bakersville, N.C.

Franklin P. Jones (Auburn), January 31, 1977, Hayden, Ala.

William E. Kinney (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute), December 6, 1976, Knoxville, Tn.

William H. Landry (Vanderbilt), March 18, 1977, Rolla, Mo.

Eugene A. Lindemann (Beloit), February 18, 1977, Milwaukee, Wisc.

Thomas Vaden McCaul (Florida), March 29, 1976, Miami, Fla.

John S. McCollam (Penn State), March, 1976, Drexel Hill, Pa.

Charles W. Neal (West Virginia), November 21, 1976, Amsted, Va.

Garland A. Orr (Tulane), December 16, 1976, Biloxi, Ms.

Dr. Leslie L. Parker (Alabama), December 19, 1976, Andalusia, Ala.

Ralph G. Philip (Colorado), Washington, D.C.

Walton E. Polk (Arkansas), December 15, 1976, Fayetteville, Ark.

Harry L. Rankin (Millsaps), December 22, 1976, Columbia, Ms.

Charles V. Roberts (Rollins), January, 1977, Gotha, Fla.

George M. Spalding (Texas), February 6, 1977, Wichita Falls, Tx.

Steven Neal Swanger (South Carolina), March, 1977, Columbia, S.C.

Fay E. Wagner (Iowa), January, 1977, Tipton, Iowa.

John M. Walker (Cornell), December 9, 1976, Oakmont, Pa.

Joseph M. White (Hampden-Sydney), December 1, 1976, Richlands, Va.

CHAPTER NOTES

Beta (Davidson — P.O. Box 574, Davidson College, Davidson, N.C. 28673) is very proud of pledging 28 quality men in spring rush, the largest pledge class which the chapter has attained in a decade. The class is well represented in all phases of campus activities with members of the varsity golf, swimming, soccer and baseball teams as well as the male chorus and debate teams. Two pledges were also recently inducted into Phi Eta Sigma freshman honor society. The chapter has begun a service program of infirmity visitation on campus to help students communicate with professors and other people while they are ill.

Nu (Wofford — P.O. Box 172, Spartanburg, S.C. 29301) gained seven new members this semester bringing the year's total to 27. A banquet was held in honor of Founders' Day and celebrating the chartering of Nu Chapter Alumni Association with special guests Dr. Jerry Reel and Regional President George Cox. Brother Eddie Atkins was elected to the office of regional vice president for PIKA's Carolinas Region.

Xi (South Carolina — Box 85110-USC, Columbia, S.C. 29208) recently sponsored 12 underprivileged children to the All-American Circus as one of their many community service projects. The chapter sponsored the winning candidate in the IFC-sponsored Queen of Hearts contest and also captured intramural titles in bridge, ping pong and bowling and successfully defended their title in the Little 500 Bike Race for the second year in a row.

Alpha Gamma (Louisiana State — Box PK, LSU Station, Baton Rouge, La. 70803) will enter its 75th year on LSU's campus this fall. The chapter recently moved back into their house which had been closed for a year due to \$100,000 worth of renovations. The Pikes initiated a new alumni program this spring with a reception honoring George C. Vordenbaumen who has served the Fraternity for 50 years. The reception was attended by numerous alumni including the Louisiana State Commissioner of Agriculture Gil Dozier.

Alpha Epsilon (North Carolina State — 214 South Fraternity Court, Raleigh, N.C. 27606) has initiated 29 men this year to boost their membership to 52. The 40-man house is now fully occupied with the remaining 12 brothers outside the house actively participating in all Fraternity events. The Pikes recently elected little sister Adair Gibson as their 1977 Sweetheart and she will be featured on the front of Alpha Epsilon's first Dream Girl Calendar to be published in August.

Alpha Zeta (Arkansas — 320 Arkansas Ave., Fayetteville, Ark. 72701) capped off another successful year initiating a total of 37 men. The Old South Riverboat Party, open to the entire campus, headed up the chapter's social calendar.

Alpha Delta (Georgia Tech — 211 Tenth St., N.W., Atlanta, Ga. 30318) capped a successful winter quarter by clinching the school's overall athletic trophy and winning the school title in wrestling. The chapter also claims four new members of the student council as well as the new executive vice president of the IFC.

Alpha Phi (Iowa State — 2112 Lincoln Way, Ames, Iowa 50010) recently hosted a representative of Big Brothers of America to discuss possible project areas dealing with the Fraternity's philanthropic focus. The chapter also hosted all department chiefs to their annual Faculty Dinner, a tradition of Alpha Phi.

Alpha Omega (Kansas State — 2021 College View, Manhattan, Ks. 66502) chapter boasts four members holding positions in the Student Senate on campus and Brother Dale Denning was elected vice president of PIKA's Great Plains Region.

Beta Alpha (Penn State — 417 E. Prospect, State College, Pa. 16802) has initiated 16 brothers so far this year and currently has seven pledges for spring. A successful fall rush is being planned with several already accepted bids returning to pledge in the fall.

Beta Kappa (Emory — Drawer R, Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. 30322) sponsored the second annual 24-Hour Easter Seals Skate-a-Thon in April, held at the Omni International's Land of Green Ice Skating

Arena. Over \$2,700, was pledged by the various donors and over 100 people from other fraternities and sororities participated in the event.

Beta Mu (Texas — 2400 Leon, Austin, Tx. 78705) members have had a busy year in campus involvement. Brother Eddie Marshall was recently elected president of Phi Eta Sigma and brothers Mark Elliott and Mark Lencee were both elected Student Senators.

Beta Pi (Pennsylvania — 3916 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19104) recently participated in the University of Pennsylvania's annual giving telethon. The chapter's entry in the event began as a pledge project and soon blossomed into an effort by the entire brotherhood. As a result of the chapter's concerted efforts, procuring pledges from 637 of the telethon's 1816 donors, the University sponsored a party in Beta Pi's honor and will award a \$1500 scholarship to an incoming freshman in PIKA's name.

Gamma Alpha (Alabama — P.O. Drawer B-H, University, Ala. 35486) initiated 32 pledges this spring. Scott Ludwig was elected secretary-treasurer of the School of Commerce and Business Administration and Clyde Riley was elected vice president of the IFC.

Gamma Delta (Arizona — 1525 E. Drachman, Tucson, Ariz. 85719) held an extremely successful spring retreat at a local park at which their pledge program was completely evaluated and revamped. They also set goals for next fall and pointed out the chapter's weak and strong points. Spring activities have included a formal dinner-dance, a chapter/little sisters volleyball game and participation in the campus Spring Fling carnival.

Gamma Lambda (Lehigh — 515 Delaware Ave., Bethlehem, Pa. 18015) recently hosted the PIKA North Atlantic Regional Softball Tournament. The tournaments were a huge success with the Pikes from Seton Hall taking top honors. After the competition, the brothers were treated to a chicken dinner at the chapter house followed by a cocktail party.

Gamma Nu (Iowa — 1032 N. Dubuque, Iowa City, Iowa 52240), now in its 48th year, can say with confidence that it is a major fraternity power at the University of Iowa. The chapter was on top in rush both semesters bringing in 30 new initiates. They now claim 75 active members, once again the largest fraternity on campus.

Gamma Tau (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute — 128 Twelfth St., Troy, N.Y. 12180) has been busy this year with further house renovations which included the installation of a padded bar by the senior class. A rush retreat was held prior to the start of school and the chapter's annual "house-warming party" was a big success.

Gamma Upsilon (Tulsa — 3123 East Seventh St., Tulsa, Okla. 74104) celebrated Founders' Day 1977 with a beer and barbecue feast attended by approximately 35 area alumni. Among those attending were the officers of the Tulsa PIKA Building Corporation Alumni Association, Chapter Advisor Bill Vogle, and various representatives from the faculty and administration of the University of Tulsa.

Gamma Phi (Wake Forest — Box 7749 Reynolda Station, Winston-Salem, N.C. 27109) finished second in the fraternity league in softball but stormed back to capture the campus championship winning three games in two days.

Gamma Chi (Oklahoma State — 221 South Lincoln, Stillwater, Okla. 74074) initiate Wendell Hicks was selected as "Pistol Pete" alternate for 1977-78. The chapter has decided that alumni relations will be the main focus of attention for 1977-78.

Gamma Omega (Miami — 5800 San Amaro Dr., Coral Gables, Fla. 33146) had a great 1976-77 academic year and have literally dominated the Greek system at Miami. Accomplishments for this year include winning first place in Greek Week (in both fraternity and little sister divisions); winning Anchor Splash, a charity swim meet sponsored by Delta Gamma sorority; and winning the all-campus sports trophy for the second consecutive year.

Delta Beta (Bowling Green State — New Fraternity Row, BGSU, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402) pledged 22 men last fall, tops on campus. The Bowling Green Pikes excelled this year in IM athletics finishing second in all-campus standings. A successful Founders' Day celebration was held during March and a Dad's Day and a Big Brothers Weekend rounded out this semester's active calendar. The chapter membership includes six sets of blood brothers.

Delta Lambda (Florida State — 218 S. Wildwood, Tallahassee, Fla. 32304) members are currently battling for number one in campus intramurals. The chapter has initiated 41 men so far this year and currently have 13 pledges with more to come. Brother Denny Hepler is rapidly becoming one of the top collegiate golfers in the nation having already won two collegiate tournaments this year. The PIKA basketball team won fraternity intramurals by running a 23-0 lead on the second place team in the final game.

Delta Omicron (Drake — 1234 32nd St., Des Moines, Iowa 50311) has excelled in athletics this year, capturing the all-university title in basketball and coming in first place in the fraternity division of the indoor track meet.

Delta Rho (Linfield — 435 College Ave., McMinnville, Ore. 97128) was visited by Miss America of 1972 Lori Schaffer this March. Several brothers participated in the installation of Gamma Pi chapter at Oregon and the chapter held a reception for all graduating seniors and alumni at the house before spring graduation ceremonies.

Delta Chi (Nebraska at Omaha — 121 South 51st Street, Omaha, Neb. 68132) dominated the campus intramural scene this semester. After winning first place in wrestling, the Pikes rolled on to capture titles in both the A and B divisions in IM basketball. By year's end the chapter had captured the fraternity sports cup for the fourth straight year. Social activities this semester included the first annual PIKA St. Patrick's Day party sponsored by the pledge class and the first annual PIKA Walton-Style Dinner with a menu featuring catfish, pork and beans, pheasant and other fine delicacies. The biggest event in the chapter's history was their 25th anniversary celebration held this spring and attended by over 400 people.

Epsilon Gamma (Texas Tech — Box 4422, Texas Tech, Lubbock, Tx. 79409) initiated 25 new men this semester. Four brothers attended the PIKA Lone Star Regional Conference at Huntsville where the chapter won the alumni relations award. Other spring activities included publication of the second edition of the *Pike Techsan* alumni newsletter, participation in the Big Brothers of America philanthropy project, ranking number one in all-university intramurals, the annual Dream Girl Formal and the annual Mothers' Day Banquet.

Epsilon Kappa (Lamar — P.O. Box 10080-Lamar Univ., Beaumont, Tx. 77710) has had a very exciting year. During the fall semester the chapter moved into a 20-room dormitory wing and was able to purchase \$3,000 worth of furniture for the new facility. The Pikes' Homecoming float won the Presidential Award and netted a trophy and a football table as prizes.

Epsilon Omega (East Central State — Box 227-ECSU, Ada, Okla. 74820) has won numerous awards this year including Outstanding Organization on Campus, Most Active Men's Fraternity and Most Congenial Men's Fraternity.

Zeta Beta (Delta State — Box 606, DSU, Cleveland, Ms. 38732) recently pledged 11 men bringing this year's total to 48. The chapter also inducted nine little sisters into the Sisters of the Shield & Diamond and Dream Girl Jeanie Shepherd was selected Valentine Queen in a campus-wide Heart Fund Drive election. Brother Ron Sleeper was selected Mr. Delta State University while little sister Linda Ferris was selected Miss DSU.

Zeta Mu (Idaho — 715 Nez Perce Dr., Moscow, Idaho 83843) co-sponsored a party for underprivileged children with the neighboring chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta. The afternoon consisted of games and refreshment.

Zeta Omicron (California State at Northridge — 18411 Plummer, Northridge, Calif,

91324) won the Dean's Award this year presented to the best all-around fraternity at CSUN. The chapter membership includes the campus student body president, IFC president and yearbook editor. Currently ranked fourth in all-sports intramurals, the chapter recently finished its Pike Bike Week featuring a 24-hour softball game for the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Zeta Tau (Eastern Kentucky — Box 351, Coates Admin. Bldg., EKV, Richmond, Ky. 40475) celebrated Founders' Day this year with a banquet honoring the newly founded Zeta Tau Alumni Association. The meeting was held at the Arlington Country Club in Richmond, Kentucky, and the alumni attending discussed future objectives and goals for the group and elected their first set of officers.

Zeta Phi (Missouri at St. Louis — 6014 Bermuda, Ferguson, Mo. 63135) again sponsored its annual trip to Daytona Beach. This year was a bigger success than last year and netted the chapter over \$1,100 in profit. A total of 88 people, 20 of which were chapter members, enjoyed a week in the Florida sun. One of the highlights of the week was the first annual Pikes in Florida party.

Eta Alpha (Clemson — P.O. Box 2127-Clemson Univ., Clemson, S.C. 29631) concluded another banner year with several outstanding achievements. The brothers narrowly missed first place in Greek Sing and were forced to settle for second, but they rebounded by claiming the Greek Week championship and were named by Central Spirit Association as the most school-spirited organization on campus.

Eta Kappa (South Alabama — 252 Stocking St., Mobile, Ala. 36604) continues to grow steadily after several trying years. The chapter placed second in this year's homecoming activities, first in the campus food drive, and obtained the highest grade point average of all the fraternities on campus.

Eta Nu (Northern Illinois — 827 Charles, DeKalb, Illinois 60115) pledged 32 men this spring and has teamed up with Delta Zeta sorority for Greek Week and a major fund-raising drive which features the second Biannual Tuition Raffle. The raffle offers free tuition, books and cash to the top three winners. Founders' Day was a smashing success and has sparked intense interest in the establishing of a Northern Illinois PIKA Alumni Association.

Eta Sigma (West Georgia — Box 10056, West Georgia College, Carrollton, Ga. 30117) recently acquired a new home and pledged 25 new members. The chapter won the campus IM football championship leading the point totals for its fifth consecutive all-sports trophy.

Eta Tau (Austin Peay State — Box 4716-APSU, Clarksville, Tn. 37040) has experienced a very successful year and has pledged and initiated more men than any other fraternity on campus. Thirty-three men have been pledged this year and 29 have been initiated. The winter quarter pledge class contained three members of the university's tennis team with players from Chile, Italy and Pakistan.

Eta Upsilon (Texas at Arlington — P.O. Box 654, Arlington, Tx. 76010) finished spring rush with 10 new pledges, highest on campus. The spring pledges completed a fund-raising event by sponsoring an all-school beer bust and the traditional Pike Barbecue was a huge success this year.

Eta Phi (Florida Tech — Box 26296, Orlando, Fla. 32816) held its first annual go-cart marathon this spring with proceeds going to the Central Florida Chapter of the Leukemia Society of America. The first lap was driven by PIKA National Dream Girl Nancy Groff and Mayor Carl Langford of Orlando presented the chapter with a proclamation designation Nov. 6 as "Greeks Against Leukemia Day."

Eta Omega (Pembroke State — P.O. Box 1143, Pembroke, N.C. 28372) walked away the big winner in this spring's student government elections. Elected to President was Brother David McDuffie and Vice President Charles Deaver. Two other brothers and two little sisters were elected to other SGA positions.



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Installations and Founders' Day fun

The rejuvenation of Gamma Pi (Oregon) added strength to the Northwest region. Above left: IKA members and little sisters. Above right: IKA's first little sister Kelsey Griffith is surrounded by rush chairmen John Johns and Brian Rademacher on left and legacy Clay Smith on right. Below left: Rep. Thad Cochran (R-Miss.) autographs Bicentennial book at the 1977 Congressional Founders' Day honoring Pikes in Congress. Top right: Head table included (from left) Gen. and Mrs. Louis Wilson, Rep. Cochran, IKA VP and Mrs. Billy LaForge, Historian Jerry Reel, Exec. Dir. Pat Halloran, Capt. Robert Certain, Washington, D.C. Alumni Assn. Pres. Joe Pavelka, Undergrad. VP Greg Ormond and Administrator John Horne. Bottom right: Undergraduates from Delta Eta (Delaware) pose with ageless Sen. Strom Thurmond.



By Dave Dyson
Director of Development

Perhaps the most inspiring single event of a man's fraternity experience is taking part in the national convention. There, the concept of "national" is fully displayed and understood. The catalyst that created such a network of chapters and members is the Fraternity's expansion program — the extension of Pi Kappa Alpha's bonds to new campuses, new faces, where new chapter heritages are begun.

The frequently posed question "why national?" can be answered in many ways. Most graphic is the fact that without a national organization to conduct expansion, nearly all of your chapters would not exist; your whole life would be somewhat changed.

In the 1880's, Pi Kappa Alpha's active chapter roll fell to two. The Junior Founders' initiative gave birth to a national structure that became the foundation of today's vast organization. "Extension" meant survival in 1889.

When IKA began in 1868, 92 years had passed since the first American, Greek-letter, college fraternity had been founded. Forty-five fraternities already existed. By 1960, 92 years later, IKA was the 12th largest national fraternity in the nation out of 72; in 1976, IKA was in the spotlight among expanding fraternities ranking seventh in chapter size and first in net gain of chapters. Pi Kappa Alpha credits her success over 109 years of existence to aggressive, deliberate expansion. (Only 16 percent of all IKA chapters are silent; eighty-four percent of

Expansion: IKA's lifeblood

those chartered over the past 109 years are still active compared with an overall fraternity average of 68 percent.)

Expansion sites

Expansion requires accurate future planning, campus evaluation and alumni involvement. The Supreme Council policy on expansion sets out prospective sites well in advance. It also spells out procedures and checkpoints. The Memorial Headquarters staff, through the direct efforts of the director of development, implements the program.

In 1977-78, Pi Kappa Alpha will be expanding to one former campus host — Wisconsin, where Beta Xi chapter closed in 1960 — and probably to these new campuses: (already colonized) University of Alabama at Huntsville (rapidly becoming one of Alabama's top educational centers), University of Louisville (an alumni stronghold), State University of New York-Stony Brook (where a system-wide ban of fraternities was recently lifted) and East Texas State University (where alumnus Larry Nobles built a 47-man local).

The following year, plans call for rejuvenation of three former chapters: Beta Beta (University of Washington), Alpha Psi (Rutgers University) and possibly Gamma Eta (University of Southern California).

Expansion is a team effort. Area alumni, transfer students, school officials, inter-Greek cooperation and national staff and officers all play important roles. Step number one is campus evaluation.

The Memorial Headquarters staff continuously reviews campus trends and situations recommending potential expansion sites to the Supreme Council. That process considers campus size and stature, likely future trends affecting the type of campus (determined in large part by IKA's Education Committee which meets annually to forecast educational trends), enrollment projections, student attitudes, potential alumni support and availability of other IKA chapters.

Colonizing an existing local fraternity which meets IKA's rigid criteria is the easiest route, of course. That was the universal method for decades until recent years when the number of locals has

drastically diminished. The availability of a quality local will still speed up the chartering process, but is no longer taken for granted. Today, starting from scratch is the accepted, and sometimes preferred, method, although it is much more expensive and troublesome. In recent years, quality chapters have been created in entirety at the universities of Delaware, South Carolina and Oregon among others.

In either case, especially the scratch method, alumni support is critical. The staff, through Mike Fletcher, director of alumni affairs, begins cultivating alumni interest, usually by creating an alumni association, some two years in advance of a chartering effort.

Once a local is accepted, or a core group is formed, their first objective is to become colonized. The colony members, who are pledges, are committed to Pi Kappa Alpha.

After colonization, a set of goals is established that must be met for the colony to become installed as a chapter. The colonization to installation process takes anywhere from six months to two years. Time required depends heavily upon alumni support, possible transfer members, housing and school requirements.

It is obvious there is a role for alumni, as well as undergraduates, in Pi Kappa Alpha through the expansion program. A team concept is necessary to add pages to the history of Pi Kappa Alpha. The Fraternity will continue to develop new chapters to spawn new, loyal brothers with a national cooperation. Why national? Expansion is one answer.