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WELCOME, DELTS!

So say Delta Tau Delta President Joel W. Reynolds (left) and Executive Vice-President Hugh Shields as they prepare to receive visitors to the National Headquarters building on the occasion of its official housewarming, February 26, 1955.

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Presenting—Our Fraternity's New National

DELTA TAU DELTA's Central Office is officially "at home" now.

It opened wide its doors on Saturday, February 26, for its formal housewarming—at 3242 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

With members of the Arch Chapter, Executive Vice-President Hugh Shields, and the Central Office staff playing the part of host, the business "Shelter" of the Fraternity was proudly exhibited to Delts, guests, and the college and fraternity world in general. Simply and effectively, our national headquarters building was dedicated to its primary task—that of serving the best interests of the Fraternity's undergraduate chapters, alumni chapters, and more than 50,000 members, wherever dispersed around the globe.

Although the Central Office has actually been in operation at its new site since August, 1953, it was not until recently that complete decoration and furnishing of the building were accomplished. And it was generally agreed that the national headquarters could not be officially christened until every detail of its design and decoration was satisfactorily concluded.

Bear this in mind, too: the demands of a vigorous national organization would not permit a Central Office "vacation" even for redecoration, and almost as soon as the last moving van disappeared, the typewriters were banging away on a current basis.

But, when all *was* in readiness, then the housewarming was heralded by engraved invitations which went out post haste to all active chapters, alumni chapters, officials of other fraternities and sororities, presidents of nearby colleges and universities, and others of Delta Tau Delta's many friends.

DESIGNED FOR BUSINESS

The new home for our Central Office, which passed in review on February 26, was acclaimed by all who saw it as a happy blending of good taste and functional business design.

It is not a costly monument. It is not a show case. It is first and foremost a business office, planned for

work and efficiency. Every square foot of it is dedicated to the performance of the job which the Fraternity has cut out for its Central Office.

On the other hand, the new headquarters is not a gloomy workshop. It is bright and cheerful. It has a friendly atmosphere. Its rooms are warm and comfortable.

On the main floor are the accounting, secretarial, and filing departments, as well as the reception room and the principal executive office. On the second floor, a conference room, reference room, the field secretaries' room, and the Presidents' Room. On the ground floor is the records depart-

ment, with its heavy addressing equipment and the thousands of metal plates which help send the Fraternity's mail to every corner of the earth. Here, also, are the duplicating department, storage, and the non-current file room.

Two offices in particular deserve mention. The Presidents' Room, so called in honor of the former chief executives of Delta Tau Delta, is the perfect board room. Panelled in rich walnut, carpeted in blending hues, and furnished with a huge, highly polished directors' table and chairs, it will serve as an appropriate meeting room for the Arch Chapter. A



Exterior view of Delta Tau Delta's National Headquarters building in Indianapolis.



The Arch Chapter of Delta Tau Delta in 1914, shortly after the Fraternity's first Central Office had been established in New York City. Seated, left to right: Western Division President C. F. AXELSON, Secretary HENRY T. BRUCK, President JAMES B. CURTIS, and Northern Division President CLARENCE PUMPHREY. Standing: Eastern Division President R. U. REDPATH, Treasurer H. F. CAMPBELL, Manager of the Central Office and Editor FRANK F. ROGERS, Ritualist HARRY R. HEWITT, and Southern Division President CARL H. BUTMAN.

Headquarters!

bronze plaque on one wall is inscribed with the names and chapters of all ex-Presidents and includes their years of service in the Fraternity's highest office.

The entire decoration and furnishing of the room were made possible by cash donations for this specific purpose from the living past Presidents. They are: A. Bruce Bielaski (1919-1925), Norman MacLeod (1927-1933), Harold B. Tharp (1933-1935), N. Ray Carroll (1935-1939), Paul G. Hoffman (1939-1943), Charles T. Boyd (1943-1945), Fran-

cis F. Patton (1945-1946), G. Herbert McCracken (1946-1948), W. Harold Brenton (1948-1950), and Martin B. Dickinson (1950-1954). Just to make it unanimous, the incumbent President, Joel W. Reynolds, also declared himself in on this generous gesture in behalf of the Central Office.

Another room of particularly attractive appointments is the executive office. It is panelled in light Philippine mahogany, carpeted in soft grey, and its fireplace is framed with Vermont marble. A curved, specially designed desk and indirect, cove lighting are other features which give this room a distinctive air.

The house itself is set well back

from the street on a large and well-shaded lot. It is adjoined on one side by the state headquarters of a church organization. On the other side, a new \$600,000 medical clinic is under construction. Almost directly across the avenue is the Trinity Episcopal Church. Meridian Street, which fronts the Central Office, is the main artery leading to Indianapolis' Monument Circle, approximately three miles distant.

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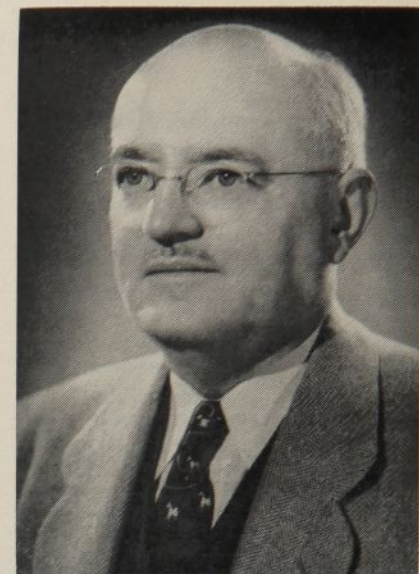
Here and now, in tribute to the business management of Delta Tau Delta, it should be noted that this elegant national headquarters is *fully paid for*. This feat was accomplished



Delta Tau Delta's Arch Chapter held its first meeting on February 25 and 26 in the beautifully appointed Presidents' Room, dedicated to all the past Presidents of the Fraternity. Members of the Arch Chapter are (left to right): Western Division President ROBERT W. GILLEY, Secretary of Alumni HOWARD D. MILLS, Treasurer W. EDGAR WEST, Secretary JOHN W. NICHOLS, President JOEL W. REYNOLDS, Supervisor of Scholarship FRANCIS M. HUGHES, Northern Division President ERNEST L. MILLER, Eastern Division President FORREST H. WITMEYER, and Vice-President WILLIAM H. MARTINDILL. Not pictured: Southern Division President MARION K. COLEY.



One end of the Executive Vice-President's office, part of the front unit of the building which is general reception area of headquarters.



EDWARD D. JAMES, Butler, '21, consulting architect of the Fraternity for a number of years, who blueprinted Operation Central Office.

Left: In a portion of the Secretarial Department, adjoining the executive office, Miss MARYNELLE AUMANN performs her duties in pleasant surroundings.

Lower left: Another section of the Secretarial Department, from whence all those carbon copies emanate. Ladies are Miss JANICE GREGORY and Mrs. PHYLLIS JOHNSON.



FRANK F. ROGERS, first manager of the Central Office, 1913 to 1923. He died in 1924.

without assessments of any kind and without solicitations.

Further, the Central Office now has approximately 6,000 square feet of usable space—or nearly three times the amount previously rented in a downtown office building, and the total cost when amortized is no more annually than the former lease rate.

DELT TEAMWORK

It was a Delt team all the way that saw the project through to a successful conclusion.

Once the house had been located, the Fraternity's architect, Edward D. James, Butler, '21, swung into action. Mr. James, who is widely known as one of the best in his profession, has designed many of the new buildings on the Indiana University campus. His practiced eye took in every detail of the structure and readily visualized the appropriate scheme for conversion, which he then personally followed through every step of the way.

With plans blueprinted, a Delt builder—Ray C. Fatout, Butler, '08, & Purdue, '08—was summoned, and under his direction the transformation took place. Mr. Fatout, who built the Purdue Shelter, one of the best constructed fraternity houses in the country, has added another credit in the Delt ledger.

Hugh Shields, of course, was in the thick of it from start to finish, but it remained for his charming wife, Virginia, to command the division where men, even Deltas, are so inept—that is, the selection of drapes, and

color schemes, and the myriad of other finishing touches which need a woman's appreciation of the difference between what is satisfactory and what is right.

Another in the Delt combination is A. Don Buschmann, Butler, '39, of Buschmann & Company, heating contractors, who keep the Central Office's heating plant at top efficiency. The refreshments for the housewarming were even of Delt origin. They were handled by the catering department of Roselyn Bakeries, whose president is John S. Clark, Purdue, '30.

The decision to invest in a permanent headquarters was reached by the Board of Directors early in 1953, after careful study had demonstrated that the amount of rent required to accommodate the Central Office was ample to amortize in a short space the entire investment, both land and building. Current appraisals indicate that the property has already appreciated considerably in value. Last August, Martin Dickinson, then President of the Fraternity, reported to the Karnea: "I feel that what we have done in this matter has saved money for the Fraternity and has improved efficiency."

NERVE CENTER OF FRATERNITY

Today the Fraternity has a Central Office that is not only well housed but also armed with the modern equipment required to operate at maximum efficiency. All departments are provided with an intercommunication system, so that every office may

be in touch with any other with the push of a button. Duplicating of the many reports required of headquarters may be accomplished by mimeograph, hectograph, or photostating. Dictaphone is employed as a time-saving factor. Addressograph is used daily to speed up mailings and in compiling membership rosters.

In the 41 years since it was established, the Central Office has become the nerve center of the Fraternity. Into it daily flow scores of communications, reports, suggestions, requests, and other data. Here they are digested, collated, and evaluated. They eventually result in the actuating impulses, which, emanating from the Central Office, set in motion the programs that keep Delta Tau Delta uniformly strong and vigorous across the nation.

Information center, command post, clearing house, business office, speakers bureau, counseling service—all of these are the Central Office, and more. Few people, including many Deltas, realize the vast scope of activities and functions performed by this unit. One issue of THE RAINBOW hardly suffices to enumerate the manifold duties it performs. Here is but a sampling:

Maintaining the vital records of the Fraternity, the Central Office now services more than 100,000 metal Addressograph plates, with every member catalogued by chapter and by geographical location. At a minute's notice, a chapter may secure a list of its entire membership, or a list of all Deltas in, say, Altoona, Pa. In this department of the office, your RAINBOW is addressed, as are all other volume mailings.

Supervision of all phases of undergraduate chapter management is accomplished through the Central Office. Here are shaped the tools which help the chapters do their jobs—pledge manuals, rushing aids, mailing labels, administrative supplies, operational manuals, scholarship suggestions and techniques, and the like. Here the chapter's uniform accounting system is administered, monthly financial reports corrected, annual audits and budgets examined, and budget commentaries prepared. Here all but one of the Fraternity's publications are edited. Here the field secretaries are trained, equipped, and their itineraries charted.

As business headquarters, the Cen-



The executive corner of the first Central Office in New York City, 1913.

tral Office supervises the Fraternity's investment in nearly one million dollars worth of chapter house loans, acts as agent of the Board of Directors in handling corporate duties, counsels the house corporations in financing and building, and submits monthly and annual reports under a budget system to keep the Fraternity's officers currently posted at all times.

Through the Central Office, the Fraternity has the benefit of architectural consultation and legal counsel. Edward D. James is the Fraternity's architect. Francis M. Hughes is legal counsel.

When the Karnea rolls around every two years, the Central Office packs its bags, sets up shop, and helps the local committee run the show. When a new chapter is installed, the Central Office again moves in and does the spade work. When the distress signal is flown anywhere in the country, the Central Office is

the doctor, the fire department, the rescue squad. When—well, when almost anything of any consequence crops up in Delta Tau Delta, the Central Office is there with the know-how to get the job done properly.

That is why, through the years, the Central Office has earned its reputation as the work horse, the cornerstone of the Fraternity's national operations. That is why, too, we applaud today the foresight of those loyal Delts who, 41 years ago, put the idea of a Central Office in motion.

ESTABLISHED IN 1913

Actually, the establishment of a Central Office was the natural outgrowth of progress and was born mainly of necessity. Until 1913, when the office was officially opened and put in operation, the business of the Fraternity had been conducted by its officers, members of the Arch Chapter, who were widely scattered around the country and performed their fra-

ternal chores as their spare time permitted.

As the Fraternity grew, taking in more members and establishing new chapters, the task of keeping pace with the bounding organization imposed serious responsibilities on its part-time servants. In 1911, the need for better organization and business management had been recognized by incorporating the Fraternity under the laws of the State of New York. About this time, the Karnea had considered the idea of a business office for the Fraternity, but the idea was dismissed as "premature, except possibly as a wild excursion into the realms of the possible for the dim, distant future."

Less than two years later, however, in January of 1913, the pressing demands of the expanding Fraternity resulted in the quiet and unheralded announcement that Delta Tau Delta's business office was open and ready for business at 116 West 58th Street



Miss LUCILLE MADDOX and Miss RUTH OWEN in the sunny Accounting Department. Miss Owen (right), chief of the Central Office's bookkeeping operations, is completing her 22nd year as a valued member of the Central Office staff.



Arch Chapter members HOWARD MILLS (left) and ROBERT GILLEY (right) extend interfraternal hospitality to guests from Delta Upsilon and Sigma Nu.



A corner of the Records Department, which has a total of 700 square feet of floor space. Ladies are Mrs. RUTH ELY and Mrs. ROSELLA MILLS.



The Current Filing and Mailing Department, strategically located in the center of operations. Central Office ladies at work here are Mrs. PHYLLIS JOHNSON and Miss MERRILL CONOVER.

in New York City. During this era, an active Delt alumni group had established the New York Club House, and the ground floor of the home it occupied was given over to the Central Office.

"We have felt the need," commented the March, 1913, RAINBOW, "of such an office for several years and have gradually been working toward its establishment. . . . With the growth of the fraternity system and the mass of detail required for the successful administration of such an organization, this improvement along the lines of business efficiency is imperative for any fraternity that intends to keep in the front rank."

That these pioneering Deltas knew what they were doing 41 years ago is attested by this additional prophecy: "It [the Central Office] will also contribute to the economy and efficiency of our administration by eliminating much of the work now being in whole or in part duplicated by different officers. It will also make possible the inauguration of various new enterprises for the greater benefit of the Fraternity."

MOVED TO 58TH STREET

In its early days the Fraternity's Central Office moved around a great deal. For a while it kept pace with the New York Club House. Originally this live-wire group had been housed on 36th Street, adjacent to Keene's Chop House. It moved to 58th Street and took in the first Central Office. For the third time the Club House migrated—this time in the fall of

1914 to 122 East 36th Street, where "magnificent quarters on the second floor" were provided for the Central Office.

Three years later, in the spring of 1917, the office moved to 12 West 12th Street, and again, in September, 1919, it moved to 7 East 8th Street.

In 1923 the itinerant office hopped to 22 East 38th Street, and remained there until 1927, when headquarters were established at 285 Madison Avenue.

KARNEA INITIATES STUDY

By 1931 the Karnea had begun to concern itself with the location of the Central Office, and a committee was appointed to study the Fraternity's organization and make recommendations. The results of this survey led to a recommendation that the central office be removed to a more central location, and after scrutiny of several possibilities Indianapolis was settled upon. So it was that in December, 1932, the Central Office was established on the sixth floor of the Architects and Builders Building, 333 North Pennsylvania Street. That was the last move until the most recent one, in August, 1953.

The years have proved the Hoosier city to be a happy choice. Its location is the geographic heart of the Fraternity, which results in savings in mailing, transportation, and time. It abounds with Deltas. At the present moment it even has a Delt mayor: Alex Clark. It is the capital of a state friendly to fraternal organizations, ex-

empted from taxation within its boundaries.

ROGERS FIRST MANAGER

Much of the credit for the successful inauguration of the Central Office must go to its first manager, Frank F. Rogers, Stanford, '99, who served for 25 years as a member of the Arch Chapter and Editor of THE RAINBOW.

He had been the logical choice to undertake direction of the experiment in 1913. As President Curtis reported to the Karnea in that year: "After careful consideration, it was determined on account of his devotion to the Fraternity, his high ambitions for the same, and his tested qualifications, to appoint to the position Brother Frank F. Rogers. . . . In a remarkably short time, he has organized the office and procured results in such a way as to justify its creation and his selection."

President Curtis came back to the 1915 Karnea more than ever convinced that the project which had been considered "a wild excursion" only four years earlier was a fruitful undertaking for the Fraternity.

JUDGED SUCCESSFUL

"It is today a success," he said. "No fraternity ever solved the problem of a field secretary, traveling visitor, and centralization of work before as yours. . . . Where can one find a combination of editor, traveling visitor, and central secretary except in your good luck in having Frank Rogers?"



Many who viewed the new Central Office were amazed by its beauty, as these expressions of HOWARD MILLS (left) and Mrs. FRANCIS HUGHES would seem to indicate. Somewhat less amazed are FORREST WITMEYER and FRANCIS HUGHES.



An informal exchange of appraisals in one corner of the executive office involved WILLIAM MARTINDILL, Mrs. HUGH SHIELDS, Mrs. FRANK FAIRCHILD, Mrs. and Mr. SAMUEL R. HARRELL, and FRANCIS HUGHES.

For exactly ten years Frank Rogers served the Central Office, firmly establishing that institution as the cornerstone of sound business management. When poor health prompted his resignation in 1923, he was succeeded by Frank S. Hemmick, George Washington, '09, who also took over editorship of THE RAINBOW.

"Brother Hemmick has brought to the work of the Central Office," reported the Fraternity's officers, "enthusiasm, intense love for the Fraternity, business ability, and systematic handling of its affairs."

Mr. Hemmick served for seven years, resigning in September, 1930. A few years later, in recognition of his productive efforts, he was cited to the Distinguished Service Chapter.

THE THIRD MANAGER

At this juncture the rare good fortune which has characterized the progress of Delta Tau Delta manifested itself in the emergence of Hugh Shields, that fabulous fraternity man who has served Delta Tau Delta with distinction to the present moment.

During his senior year at Indiana, Mr. Shields had been singled out by the inimitable Alvan Duerr, who had such a genius for recognizing and developing qualities of leadership in men. This was 1926, when the Loyalty Fund was just getting nicely under way, and Hugh joined the Fraternity's staff as a Loyalty Fund secretary.

His ability at fiscal management, however, shortly became apparent, and in 1927 he was given the job of organizing and directing chapter fi-

"This office has done more to perfect your organization from a business standpoint than any step which has been taken by the Fraternity since 1883, when it changed from undergraduate control practically to alumni control."

—President James B. Curtis in his report to the 1919 Karnea.

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nance. This assignment was subsequently extended to the whole realm of the Fraternity's financial structure and with it, the title of Comptroller. His sharp pencil during these and later critical years earned him the sobriquet "Hawkeye Hugh," bestowed by the one and only Stuart MacLean, then Editor of THE RAINBOW.

ADVANCE IN DEPRESSION

In 1931, when Hugh Shields assumed command of the Central Office, this nation was in the throes of a depression, there were despair and pessimism on every hand, and colleges and fraternities were as hard hit by these forces as any element of society. Is it not, then, remarkable—the record which was compiled during this period?

When the history of the Fraternity is some day written, the careful historian will reveal these years of the thirties as an era of unparalleled gain in Delta Tau Delta's rise as a truly great national fraternity. While circumstances had reduced many fraternities to the survival level, to holding on and waiting for better days, Delta Tau Delta was actually gathering strength, forging ahead.

"We Capitalize the Depression," Stuart MacLean reported in THE RAINBOW in late 1932, and he gave facts and figures to back up this bold assertion. "These figures," he wrote,

"tell a story of progress and actual success, in the face of adverse economic conditions that, so far as can be ascertained, is without parallel in the current experience of Greek-letter organizations."

EVERY STEP A RECORD

By 1935 the pace had quickened. The roughest stretch of road lay behind. Stuart MacLean's banner in THE RAINBOW proclaimed, "From here on every step will be a record." And he quoted Hugh Shields's keynote appraisal of the situation: "Most important, the whole Fraternity is establishing the winning tradition, which is based on facts. . . . The winning tradition, together with increasing dependability and pride in doing a job well, are the fundamental reasons why the Fraternity will sustain its arrival."

How well Delta Tau Delta has measured up to these ambitions and the important role the Central Office has played in this progress are readily apparent to every Delt.

Paul G. Hoffman, one of America's leading industrialists and statesmen, told Delts in 1941, when he was President of the Fraternity, "Here and now I should like to say that the Central Office of Delta Tau Delta, under the direction of Hugh Shields and his staff, is one of the best-run organizations of which I have any knowledge."

INSURANCE FOR FUTURE

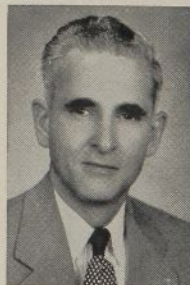
Today, as Hugh Shields begins his 25th year as the Fraternity's incomparable works manager, the Central Office in its new home is better equipped than it has ever been to serve the broad interests of Delta Tau Delta.

G. Herbert McCracken in 1948, when he was President of the Fraternity, echoed the sentiments of thousands of Delts when he said of the Central Office:

"Its continued maintenance, under its present standards of efficiency, is the best insurance we can provide for the future of Delta Tau Delta."



It was a Delt show all the way for open house. Catering service, with a colorful, crested cake, was by Roselyn Bakeries, whose president and owner is Delt JOHN CLARK.



JOHN S. CLARK
Purdue, '30
President
Roselyn Bakeries

SWIFT'S NEW PRESIDENT

As Swift & Company swings into its Centennial celebration, Porter M. Jarvis, Iowa State, '24, becomes president, fifth in the history of the firm.

SWIFT & COMPANY, one of the ten largest businesses in the United States from the standpoint of sales volume, inaugurated its centennial celebration by naming a Delt—Porter M. Jarvis, Iowa State, '24—its new president.

The fifth president in the history of the meat-packing company, Mr. Jarvis heads an organization which embraces 78,000 employees and 600 operating units. From his office in the heart of Chicago's teeming stockyards district, he directs Swift's far-flung activities, encompassing such greatly diversified operations as plant food factories, cotton gins, and a phosphate rock mine.

THOROUGH GROUNDING

Mr. Jarvis' rise to the top position of leadership and responsibility has

been underlaid with a thorough grounding in many phases of the company's operations. It all began, as a matter of fact, close to the bottom rung of the ladder.

He joined Swift in June, 1926, and was sent immediately to the South St. Joseph, Missouri, meat-packing plant as a student trainee. Basic training consisted of the full gamut of jobs, including mastering the most fundamental task in the business: livestock dressing.

Later he received equally valuable training in other phases of Swift's operations. In August, 1928, he returned to Chicago as a member of the provision department staff in the company's General Office.

ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT

At that time John Holmes, whom Mr. Jarvis succeeded as Swift's president and who is now chairman of the board, was vice-president in charge of pork operations. In 1933 Mr. Jarvis was appointed assistant to Mr. Holmes.

In 1938, after the latter had become president, Mr. Jarvis transferred to the president's office as assistant to the president. Three years later he was elected a vice-president.

At various times since 1941, Mr. Jarvis has had supervision of several divisions of Swift's business, including meat-packing plants, cotton oil mills, soybean

mills, animal feeds, industrial relations, agricultural research, and public relations. At one time, moreover, he had supervision over the company's widespread dairy and poultry operations.

In January, 1949, he was elected a director of Swift & Company and one year later became the first man to hold the title of executive vice-president.

WEST VIRGINIAN

The circumstances which steered Mr. Jarvis into the packing industry were set in motion by his intent on a different sort of destiny. Like another famous Delt, Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, Swift's new president had the prenatal judgment to select the state of the Fraternity's birthplace—West Virginia—as his own, and, since his family was interested in farms, he too developed an interest in livestock.

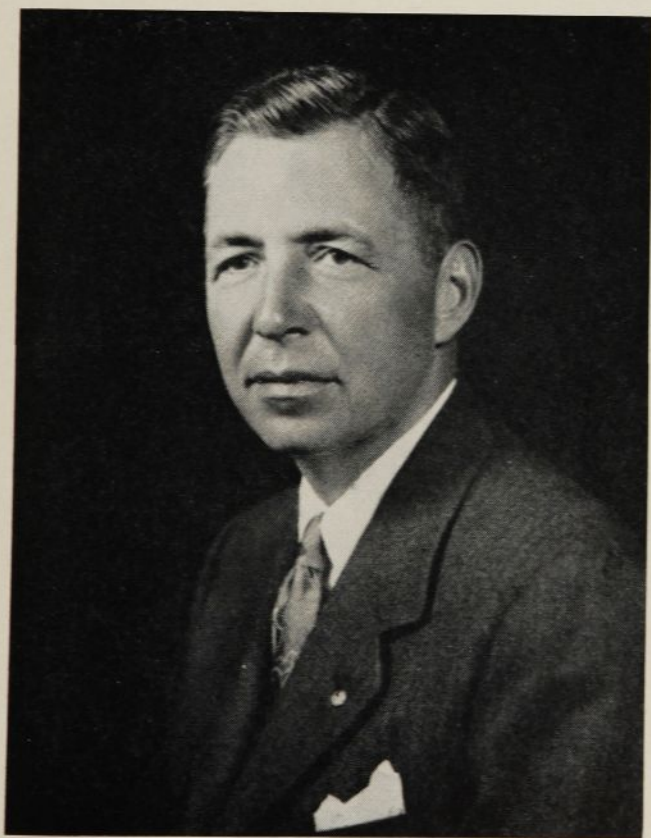
With this in mind, he migrated to Iowa State, one of the best agricultural colleges in the nation, and took his degree in animal husbandry. Returning to West Virginia, he became interested in what happened to the cattle after they left the farm, and he enrolled for a six-month meat-packing course at the University of Chicago.

Instructors included representatives of Swift & Company. Impressed with young Jarvis, they invited him to cast his lot with their organization.

BROAD RESPONSIBILITIES

As Mr. Jarvis came up through the ranks during the ensuing years, he gained experience in many phases of the company's business, and today he shoulders responsibilities that embrace far more than putting choice meats in milady's refrigerator.

Although the purchase of livestock and the processing and distribution of meat make up the bulk of its business, Swift is engaged in many other activities as well. In the United States and Canada there are 56 meat-packing plants, 290 sales units, 26 plant food factories, 7 refineries which produce



PORTER M. JARVIS

shortenings and other products, 26 cottonseed and soybean processing mills, 19 cotton gins, 116 dairy and poultry processing units including ice cream plants and other miscellaneous plants such as soap factories, livestock feed mills, a phosphate rock mine, and a peanut shelling plant.

CIVIC ACTIVITIES

In spite of the pressures of directing such corporate destinies, Mr. Jarvis takes an active part in civic affairs. He is a trustee of Englewood Hospital, trustee of the Washington and Jane Smith Home, a member of the Board of Governors of the Metropolitan Housing Council of Chicago, and a director of the Foundation for American Agriculture, as well as of the Farm Foundation.

In addition, he serves with another Delt—Fowler B. McConnell, Chicago, '16, president of Sears, Roebuck & Company—on the board of trustees of the University of Chicago. They are



Mr. and Mrs. JARVIS snapped in an informal pose at the recent National Food Conference at Hollywood, Florida, sponsored by Swift & Company in celebration of its centennial.

re-enforced by two Delt honorary trustees: Sewell L. Avery, Michigan,

'94, and Charles F. Axelson, Chicago, '07.

DELT INTERESTS

Delta Tau Delta also claims a share of Mr. Jarvis' interest. He had a hand in the campaign which netted a new Shelter for Gamma Pi Chapter at Iowa State, and he was present for dedication ceremonies last fall. Of course he has been since college days a close personal friend of Delta Tau Delta's former President, W. Harold Brenton, Iowa State, '20, who, incidentally, is also a director of Swift & Company. Mr. Jarvis' son, Hugh, was pledged to Gamma Pi Chapter in September, another factor sure to keep him in the collegiate and fraternal groove.

Like many another Delt who has risen to prominence in contributions to this nation's growth and greatness, Mr. Jarvis commends the Fraternity as a positive force in the constructive development of college youth. The ideals of Delta Tau Delta, if practiced and applied in undergraduate days, he believes, will establish a pattern for a life of honor and usefulness.

DePauw University Library Named for Roy O. West

DEPAUW UNIVERSITY'S new million dollar library, for which ground was broken in Greencastle, Indiana, last October, will be named in honor of Dr. Roy O. West, DePauw, '90, one of the outstanding men in the school's history and a member of Delta Tau Delta's Distinguished Service Chapter.

Dr. West, Chicago attorney and former Secretary of the Interior, has brought to DePauw University more than \$10 million, including the Edward Rector and John H. Harrison grants. He was president of the University's board of trustees from 1924 to 1950 and a member of the board for 36 years.

The library is being built with funds contributed to the Greater DePauw Program, the school's current development campaign. Actual construction on the brick-and-stone structure is expected to begin shortly.

PRESENTED SCROLL IN 1950

This is not the first time that Mr. West's service to DePauw has been formally recognized. In 1950, when

he resigned as president of the board of trustees, he was presented a scroll by the University, attesting his outstanding service and naming him president emeritus of the board.

On the same occasion, Beta Beta Chapter presented Mr. West a bronze plaque commemorating his more-than-60 years of loyal service to his chapter and Fraternity. Among the first Delts to be cited to the Distinguished Service Chapter, he received his Citation in 1930.

SERVED ON COOLIDGE CABINET

Dr. West, who served in President Coolidge's cabinet, began his public service as assistant county attorney of Cook County (Illinois) in 1894. He was city attorney of Chicago from 1895 to 1897 and from 1898 to 1914 was a member of the Board of Review of Cook County.

Elected chairman of the Republican State Central Committee of Illinois five times, Mr. West was a delegate to the Republican National Conventions of 1908, 1912, and 1928. He was a member of the Republican

National Committee from 1912 to 1916 and from 1924 to 1932.

In 1924 Dr. West was chosen secretary of the National Committee, serving in that capacity during Mr. Coolidge's campaign. During 1928 he was western treasurer of the National Committee.

On July 25, 1928, he was appointed Secretary of Interior, continuing in that post until March 5, 1929.

Liberal Arts Assist

On December 13 Mr. Eugene Holman, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, made a significant announcement. He stated that Standard Oil was giving without restriction a total of \$450,000 to 138 private colleges of this nation.

This magnificent gesture was widely acclaimed throughout the country as a new stimulus to the liberal arts education and a forward step in maintaining an educational system independent of outside control.

Here they are

THE BIG TEN

of Undergraduate Scholarship for 1953-54

At a recent meeting of the Arch Chapter of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, the following ten undergraduate chapters were announced as having achieved the high scholastic standings for the college year 1953-54. Relative rank is determined on the basis of the percentage of the chapter's average above the All-Men's Average of the individual campus. The Fraternity Division in which each chapter is located is also indicated.

1. Gamma Eta—George Washington (Southern)
2. Delta Epsilon—Kentucky (Southern)
3. Mu—Ohio Wesleyan (Northern)
4. Beta Delta—Georgia (Southern)
5. Beta Psi—Wabash (Northern)
6. Beta—Ohio (Northern)
7. Delta Kappa—Duke (Southern)
8. Gamma Psi—Georgia Tech (Southern)
9. Delta Gamma—South Dakota (Western)
10. Alpha—Allegheny (Eastern)

Winners of the Division Scholarship Awards for 1953-54 were also announced as follows:

SOUTHERN

Gamma Eta—George Washington

NORTHERN

Mu—Ohio Wesleyan

WESTERN

Delta Gamma—South Dakota

EASTERN

Alpha—Allegheny

Chicago's John A. Dienner Merits Rank as Leading Patent Attorney

WE OF THE Chicago Alumni Chapter have a Delt in our midst of whom each and every member of the Fraternity can be mighty proud.

The name of John Astor Dienner, George Washington, '13, of Evanston, Illinois, is no stranger even to *Who's Who In America*. As a member since 1914 of the firm now known as Brown, Jackson, Boettcher, & Dienner, "Jack"—as most of his friends call him—has gained wide recognition as one of the most respected patent attorneys of our time.

Hailing from Elkhart, Indiana, Brother Dienner found Purdue University a logical choice for "higher education." Graduating in 1910 with a B.S. in electrical engineering (and as a member of Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering society), he went on to Washington, D. C., where he took up his law studies and worked as an assistant examiner in the United States Patent Office at the same time. In 1913 three different degrees were conferred upon him: LL.B. from George Washington University, M.L.D. from Georgetown University, and E.E. from Purdue. In addition to these degrees, Purdue University in 1939 honored Jack with a Doctor of Engineering degree.

John Dienner has distinguished himself in the business world in a variety of ways. In addition to his regular patent law practice, he has rendered service on the boards of directors of a number of companies and organizations: Alloy Metals Company and LaBour Company, Elkhart, Indiana; Process Metals Company, White Pigeon, Michigan; Clad Metals Industries, Inc., Chicago; British-LaBour Pump Company, Limited, London; North Electric Manufacturing Company, Galion, Ohio; Purdue Research Foundation, Lafayette, Indiana; and others.

Also recognizing his superior capabilities, the United States Government availed itself of Mr. Dienner's services by appointing him member of the Patent Advisory Panel of the Atomic Energy Commission; member of the Patent Office Advisory Committee; delegate of the United States

to the London meeting in 1934 of the conference for revision of the International Convention for Protection of Industrial Property (for which he also served as a member of the board of directors in 1934-35); accredited representative of the United States to German Government for Berlin Congress of AIPPI, 1936. In January of 1939 Secretary Hopkins appointed Mr. Dienner Special Counsel for the Department of Commerce to present evidence on the United States Patent System before the Temporary National Economic Commission. In addition to these many duties, he served as consultant to the Department of Commerce in 1942-43, and as a member in 1944 of the Penicillin Advisory Committee for the Office of Scientific Research and Development.

One would think that with all these "extracurricular" activities there would be little time left for anything else. But Brother Dienner's list of accomplishments seems to keep going on like Ol' Man River. Since 1941 he has been giving special lectures at John Marshall Law School in Chicago, where he now also serves as a trustee. He has served as president of the Chicago Patent Law Association, president of the American Pat-

ent Law Association, president of American Judicature Society, and chairman of the Patent Section of the American Bar Association.

Among the many other organizations of which he has been a member, Delta Tau Delta has always been high on Brother Dienner's list. He rendered his services as president of the Chicago Alumni Chapter in 1938. His son is also a Delt.

—ROBERT C. SWANSON, *Purdue*, '48

Delt Record Holder Captains Swim Team Second Straight Year

DELT BOB WAGNER, senior from Augusta, Georgia, has been elected swimming captain at the University of Delaware for the second straight year. The holder of several Delaware tank records, he led his squad to a highly successful season last year.

First appearing in collegiate competition as a freshman at Lehigh University, Wagner transferred to Delaware in 1951 and made his first varsity bid the following year.



BOB WAGNER
Delaware
Swim Captain



JOHN A. DIENNER

As a breastroker, he set a Delaware record of 2:35.7 for 200 yards on January 8, 1953. A month later he shaved one-tenth of a second from that mark at Swarthmore. Constantly improving, the lanky athlete covered the 200 yards in 2:32.8 on February 13, 1954.

On the breaststroke leg of the '53 medley relay team, Wagner, along with two teammates, posted a new pool record of 1:23.8 for the 150-yard relay.

Under Wagner's leadership last season, the Blue Hens swept to an 8-1-1 season, losing to Pennsylvania and tying Lehigh.

FIFTY YEARS AT PITT

By LYNN A. WATSON, *Pittsburgh, '55* and
WILLIAM P. RAINES, *Pittsburgh, '48*

"THE YEAR WAS 1904. Teddy Roosevelt was President. Over in Asia, the Russians and Japanese were fighting a bloody war. Down in Panama, United States engineers were planning to connect the Atlantic and the Pacific. On the local scene, people were talking about combining Pittsburgh and her northern neighbor, the City of Allegheny. And in this troubled City of Allegheny (now Pittsburgh's Northside) stood the Western University of Pennsylvania.

"A small institution with an enrollment of approximately a thousand students, the University was predominantly an engineering school. It was here we had our beginning. Two years previous, a group of students petitioned the university officials for recognition of a local fraternity. A charter was granted along with the privilege of applying for membership in a national fraternity. The local was named Alpha Alpha. This was our ancestor."

So reads the introduction to "Fifty Years at Pitt," a handsome, illustrated booklet published last fall by the undergraduates and alumni of Gamma Sigma Chapter of Delta Tau Delta in celebration of their Fiftieth Anniversary.

On the week end of November 19-20, the celebration came to an outstanding climax as more than two hundred Gamma Sigma Delts and alumni attended an Anniversary Banquet, a pre-game football luncheon, and a Golden Anniversary Ball at Hotel William Penn.

Of course, the Anniversary celebration really began early in July when, after returning from the Karnea at Pasadena, Gamma Sigma's energetic president, Perry (Dick) Swanson, '55, called a meeting of undergraduate

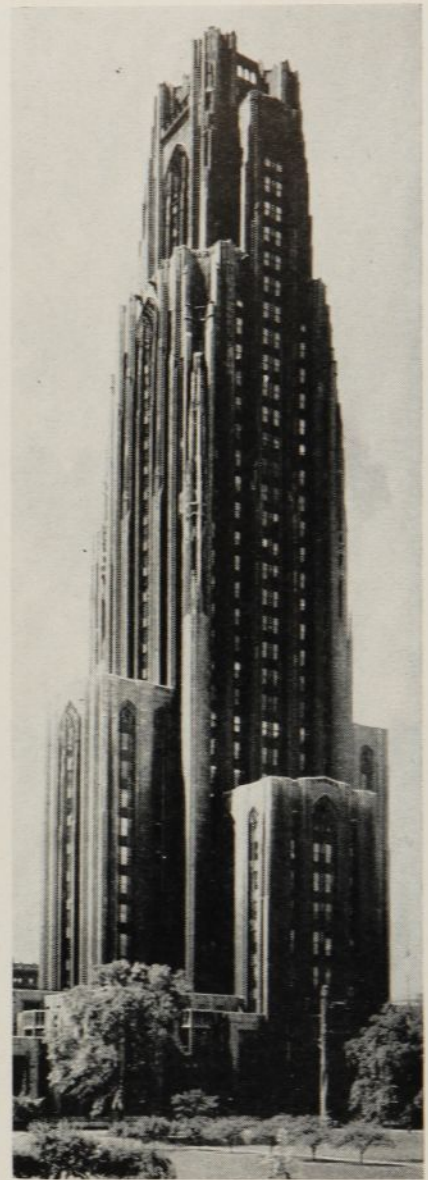
and alumni members to plan the November Homecoming.

As plans for the Anniversary moved along, the committee grew until it included Chairman Jack Kelso, Past National President Norm MacLeod, Art Stroyd, Dick Swanson, Alex Schreib, Bill Raines, Lou McLinden, Stan Goehring, Lynn Watson, Don Dalton, Bill Catrow, Bob Levis, Dick Barnhart, Jack Neslage, Harris Hawkins, Frank Grimm, Bob Schar, and Bill Swanson.

Work began on the Anniversary booklet, to be mailed to each of Gamma Sigma's 600 living alumni. Tickets were printed, menus set up, a dance band hired, and arrangements made for personal telephone calls to alumni living in the Pittsburgh area. A publicity campaign that netted coverage in local and neighborhood papers, television, radio, and a Sunday supplement "Roto" section was initiated.

The banquet at the swank University Club on November 19 fully justified the long months of hard work and careful planning. When Toastmaster Norman MacLeod opened the dinner, the audience included: two past national Presidents of Delta Tau Delta; the Chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh; two trustees of the University; a member of the present Arch Chapter; 23 charter members of Gamma Sigma; and a 100 per cent turnout of the undergraduate chapter and pledges for a total of 225 Gamma Sigma Delts and alumni.

Principals in Gamma Sigma Chapter's anniversary observance. Left to right: G. HERBERT MCCracken, past national President; Dr. RUFUS FITZGERALD, President of the University; NORMAN MACLEOD, past national President and trustee of the University; FRANCIS M. HUGHES, Supervisor of Scholarship and principal speaker; and JOHN S. KELSO, general chairman of the event.



Pittsburgh's Cathedral of Learning, tallest college skyscraper in the world.



SPRING, 1915, and the first members of newly incorporated Gamma Sigma Chapter. Seated on floor, left to right: STEYTTLER, EDGAR, LACOCK, and NEWTON. First row: MCCONNAUGHY, FRAZIER, THOMPSON, AHLERS, TRIMBLE, HAMOR, BOTKIN, MILLER, and ENGELHARDT. Second row: LANSINGER, ZINDEL, RICHARDSON, FRAZIER, MACLEOD, KNEEDLER, KIPP, BENZ, SPEER, and REED. Back row: TOTTEN, FRIESELL, SQUIER, SOPPITT, SWENSSON, MESTA, HARNISH, and KERNOHAN.



Charter members of Gamma Sigma Chapter were seated at special tables at the banquet. Here are ten of the twenty-three who attended.



Gamma Sigma of today, in the living room of the redecorated Delta Shelter.

Addresses by Chancellor Rufus J. Fitzgerald; Francis M. Hughes, Supervisor of Scholarship and member of the Arch Chapter; and G. Herbert McCracken, '21, Past National President of the Fraternity and alumnus of Gamma Sigma, underscored the importance of fraternity life in an urban university, the contributions that Gamma Sigma has made to the University and Delta Tau Delta, and the high esteem with which the chapter is regarded by officials of both organizations.

An unusual and most effective feature of the program was the presentation of a "Living History" of Delta Tau Delta at Pitt, as told by five Delts—a charter member from old Alpha Alpha local and Gamma Sigma alumni from each of the four decades that have followed the re-establishment of the national Fraternity in 1914.

Among the high lights of this historical recap are the following, again quoted from the chapter's anniversary booklet:

"In 1908, the old Western University of Pennsylvania changed its name to the more fitting title, the University of Pittsburgh, and with the change in name moved to the site of Schenley Farms (now Oakland, Pittsburgh's magnificent Civic Center). The men of Alpha Alpha packed their baggage and moved to Lothrop Street, three blocks from the new campus.

"In 1914 Alpha Alpha took a step ahead of the rest of the hard-pressed local fraternities by applying for membership in Delta Tau Delta, even then one of the strongest of the national fraternities. After proving herself worthy of the standards of Delta Tau Delta, Alpha Alpha was granted a charter as Gamma Sigma Chapter. The wisdom of her decision has been proven many times in the last forty years.

"November 6, 1914. This date was one of the most important in the history of Delta Tau Delta. On this day Delta Tau Delta came back to Pitt after a forty-five year absence. Old Delta Tau first settled at the Western University of Pennsylvania in 1864, five years after the national Fraternity was founded at Bethany, West Virginia. The old chapter, known as Beta Eta Prime, was forced to go inactive in 1879 because of a general

bad feeling against fraternities everywhere. For years, the Pittsburgh Alumni Association strived to re-establish a Delt chapter at Pitt to no avail. But this day saw their efforts crowned with success.

"Festivities began on the previous day as open house was held for scores of Alpha Alpha alumni and numerous Delt who dropped in to extend congratulations and wish success to the rejuvenated chapter. That night an informal reception was given for the Chancellor of the University, Samuel B. McCormick, visiting Delt, the Pittsburgh Alumni Association and also for Samuel B. Linhart, a Delt from Psi Chapter and also Secretary of the University.

"The national officers of the Fraternity, including President James B. Curtis, and the initiating team from Washington and Jefferson took over the agenda for the November 6 evening. The old Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music on Dithridge Street (now the Central Christian Church) was obtained for the occasion, and at eight o'clock the first six men passed from the halls of Alpha Alpha into the sacred shrine of Delta Tau Delta. By midnight fifty-seven other men traveled the same route making a total of sixty-three new Delt in what was one of the largest initiations in the Fraternity's history.

"Prominent in the management of this far-reaching event were Joe Gardner, Marcus A. Follansbee, Dr. Harold Kipp, C. R. Helt, W. F. Trimble, Dr. Roy Kernohan, Richard W. Ahlers, Robert Totten, Howard A. Thompson, Joseph A. Richardson, and a host of others who had worked for years to bring Delta Tau Delta back to the Pitt campus.

"The following evening, a banquet was arranged at the University Club (now the Pittsburgh Athletic Association Annex) for everyone connected with the installation of the new chapter. After much merry-making plus some old Delt songs, the formalities began as President Curtis led off the array of prominent speakers. Perhaps one of the most touching incidents of the occasion was the response of Brother Henry Meyer, one of the few living members, at that time, of the old Delt Chapter at the Western University of Pennsylvania (1864-79). Brother Meyer told of the many dif-

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Northwestern University Receives Grant of \$500,000 From Evanston Delt



SAMUEL J. SACKETT (second from right), Michigan, '03, turns over to Dr. J. ROSCOE MILLER, President of Northwestern University, an initial grant for the new \$500,000 Samuel J. Sackett Foundation for rheumatic fever research work at the University's medical school. Looking on are Dr. LOWELL D. SNORF (right) and FRANK T. MURRAY, trustees of the Foundation.

ESTABLISHMENT of the \$500,000 Samuel J. Sackett Foundation for scientific research at Northwestern University was announced in December.

Donors of funds to institute the Foundation are Samuel J. Sackett, Michigan, '03, Mrs. Sackett, and their daughter, Mrs. R. D. Crocker.

The first project will be a study of rheumatic fever and its related diseases. Initial funds, Mr. Sackett told newsmen, will be used to purchase essential research equipment to be installed in the new Morton Medical Research Building, which is scheduled for completion in April at Northwestern's Medical Center on the Chicago campus.

A broad and continuing investigation is planned, rather than any specific study related to a limited aspect of rheumatic fever. By providing funds and better facilities for research, Mr. Sackett said that he hoped greater advances may be made in conquering the disease.

Rheumatic fever strikes hardest at the young. A major cause of heart disease in adults, it is the principal cause of death in the 5-to-19 age group and the second-ranking killer in the years 20 to 24.

A resident of Evanston, Illinois, Mr. Sackett is a member of Northwestern Associates, an organization of business and civic leaders active

in behalf of the University. He was a practising attorney for many years but since the early 1930s has been a developer of oil properties in Oklahoma and Texas. He is former owner of Petroleum Securities, Ltd.

Prominent in civic activity on Chicago's northside, Mr. Sackett is a former chairman of the board of trustees of Evanston's First Congregational Church and former president of the Northeast Park District.

One of his interests a few years ago was the Michigan Memorial-Phoenix project, whereby \$7½ million was raised for research work on the development of atomic power for peaceful uses. Mr. Sackett was a large donor and helped set up the undertaking.

When it comes to Delt participation, Mr. Sackett gets around a bit. Of course he has been active in his own backyard, Beta Pi Chapter at Northwestern, where he has served as chapter adviser. But he has also seen service in other cities, including Denver and Fort Worth.

At the latter city, he participated in some of the preliminary negotiations, along with members of the Fort Worth Alumni Chapter, which give promise of resulting in the establishment of the Fraternity's 85th undergraduate chapter at Texas Christian University.

Coaches Undefeated Carleton Eleven

HEAD COACH of an undefeated and untied college football team—that's Walter L. Hass, Minnesota, '33. He turned the trick last fall with his Carleton College eleven at Northfield, Minnesota.

Given an outside chance in pre-season polls of finishing sixth in the Midwest Conference, the Carls, under Hass's tutelage, came on strong game after game to sweep eight straight contests, to establish a new conference and school record, and to give Carleton its most successful season since the gridiron sport was first played in Northfield in 1883.

Although Wally Hass has had uniformly good teams since he came to Carleton in 1939, this year's squad topped them all. It ranks right along with the 1916 Carleton team, which also went undefeated and even beat Amos Alonzo Stagg's University of Chicago eleven 7 to 0.

"We were a little lucky," Hass commented at season's end, at the same time commending the spirit and determination of his boys.

Much of the credit, however, must go to the coach himself. In the words of a Delt who knows him well: "The outstanding thing about Walt Hass is not only his coaching ability but also his personality which stresses the inspirational values of the game and never follows the 'win-at-any-price' logic.

"The welfare of the men on the squad comes first with him, and around here it is considered a real tribute that a school which does not emphasize athletics any more than Carleton does can have such an outstanding record. . . .

"Walt's outstanding qualification is his even-tempered, almost easy-going manner of coaching. It inspires confidence in his players. . . . He does not key his team to highly emotional outbursts but rather trains them soundly in fundamentals and expects them to play consistently at a high level of perfection, with a firm determination which is uniformly applied throughout the game."

As a University of Minnesota player, Hass was quarterback for three seasons and captain of the team during Bernie Bierman's first year with the Gophers. He holds a master's



WALTER L. HASS

degree earned at the University in 1942.

After his graduation from college, Hass coached at the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg and Hibbing, Minnesota, High School. His teams at the latter school lost only three games in three years.

Hass, who is also Carleton's athletic director and holds the rank of Professor of Physical Education, served in the United States Navy from 1942 to 1946 as a lieutenant at the Naval Pre-Flight Training Station in Iowa City, Iowa.

Another Delt helped Wally Hass bring in his unbroken pelt of wins this year. He is Melvin H. Taube, Purdue, '26, Carleton backfield coach and chief scout. Taube, basketball mentor at Purdue several years ago, is also head coach of basketball and baseball at Carleton. His cagers have been conference champs three times and his diamond squad took the Midwest pennant in 1952 and 1953.

Celebrating their victorious season in November at the Fall Sports Banquet, the Carls chose as guest speaker another Delt—George E. MacKinnon, Colorado, '27 & Minnesota, '27, U. S. District Attorney from Minneapolis, former United States Congressman, and an All-American football player at Minnesota.

A brother of Coach Hass—John,

also a Delt and an attorney today in Santa Barbara, California—teamed with Wally to make one of the most famous brother combinations in Minnesota athletic annals. Captain of the track team, John Hass set the Minnesota record in the 100-yard dash during his undergraduate days.

Missouri Delts Ready for 50th Anniversary

THIS SPRING, Gamma Kappa of Delta Tau Delta will celebrate its fiftieth year of service on the Missouri campus. Founded in 1905, Gamma Kappa Chapter has since initiated nearly 600 men, and pioneered the settlement of "Greek Town," which now comprises the majority of fraternities and sororities at the University.

The anniversary celebration, slated for the week end of May 7, is being planned to be a memorable one. Committees, manned by both members of the active chapter and alumni throughout the state, have been set up to handle each phase of the program. A statewide telephone personal contact program has been instituted, and a very extensive publicity campaign is under way, including over 7,000 mailings of newsletters, news releases, and invitations. An alumni directory is being published, containing the names, addresses, and class years of every Gamma Kappa alumnus and every Delt alumnus residing in the state of Missouri.

One of the outstanding features of the celebration itself will be a re-initiation of the original charter members of the chapter by an initiating team composed of alumni from the St. Louis area. There will be, of course, a grand banquet with entertainment featuring skits and a prominent Delt as guest speaker.

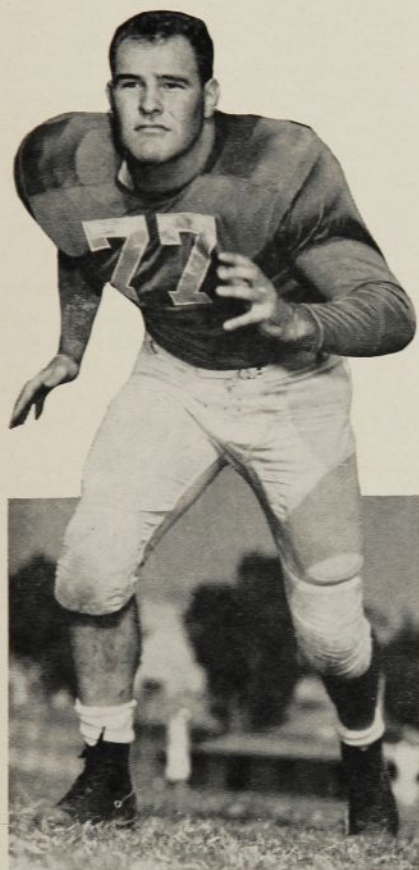
To promote attendance, the event has been planned as a family affair. Though the banquet on Saturday night will be a stag affair, the Gamma Kappa Mothers' Club will sponsor a dinner for Delt wives at the Shelter on the same evening, including an entertainment program. A baby sitting service, staffed by female acquaintances of members of the active chapter, will be set up to keep the Delt offspring under control.

—CHARLES WOLFE

JACK ELLENA, ALL-AMERICAN

By GERALD G. STEWART, *Stanford, '27*

Here's a tackle who played mostly in the backfield—his opponents', that is—which helps account for his selection on practically every All-American eleven in the books.



Big and fast and rugged—that's JACK ELLENA, No. 77 at U.C.L.A. and an All-American in everyone's book.



"The fifth man in the backfield" is JACK ELLENA, shown here about to pounce on the passer—a maneuver for which he became famous last fall.

ville, smack dab in the middle of the Redwoods. He grew up in this great logging country and worked in the lumber camps during vacations, which undoubtedly gave him his terrific build, a height of six feet two inches and a weight of more than 223 pounds, all of which not only enabled Jack to become a unanimous choice for All-American tackle but also helped him become one of the outstanding wrestlers in collegiate circles.

When Jack first hit the U.C.L.A. campus at Westwood, he was big, raw-boned, and willing. Around the Delt house he was handled gingerly, but firmly, and he soon became one of the most enthusiastic pledges in the group. Under the direction of the expert Bruin coaching staff (headed by this year's Coach of the Year, Red Sanders), young Ellena soon became a standout and great things were predicted for him. That he lived up to these predictions is attested by the fact that he made All-Pacific Coast honor teams during his three years on the varsity, climaxed, of course, by his sweep to All-American honors during the 1954 season.

Here is a quick capsule of his

achievements and the teams he made for All-America this year: All-America—AP, UP, INS, *Collier's*, All-America Board, NEA Service, *Jet Magazine*, *Sporting News*, and *Movietone News*; All-Coast—PCC, AP, UP, INS; post-season games—cocaptain of the West team in the East-West Shrine game and one of the outstanding players in the College All Stars' victory in the Hula Bowl, played in Honolulu January 10, along with Carroll Hardy, Delt from Beta Kappa, Colorado.

During the past season, Jack's outstanding games were those with Stanford, Southern California, and Maryland. During these games Ellena spent so much time in the respective backfields of the three teams that, as one sportswriter phrased it, "Jack was a fifth member of the backfield and should have been awarded a letter from each school." Red Sanders, U.C.L.A. coach, termed Ellena one of the fastest big men he ever had the pleasure of coaching, and it was the consensus of every football expert on the Coast that in Ellena the Bruins had a true All-American in every respect.

But, although Ellena, the massive tackle from U.C.L.A. swept the

MUCH LIKE the legendary hero of the Pacific Northwest, Paul Bunyan, and his blue ox, Babe, who wreaked havoc in that territory and used Sequoia trees for toothpicks, so Jack Ellena, All-American tackle from U.C.L.A., during the 1954 football season blazed an indelible trail on every gridiron in the Far West, and today the fable of his prowess continues to grow and flourish wherever strong men gather.

Jack also came from the Big Tree Country, having been raised in Susan-

boards this past season as far as football honors were concerned, it is not surprising to learn that he possibly might forego professional football (he is the property of the Los Angeles Rams, having been drafted last year) and confine himself to the Grunt & Groan sport of professional wrestling, where the pay is better and the season is longer.

Despite all his honors in football, there is little doubt that Jack eagerly looks forward to intercollegiate wrestling each year. As a physical education major at U.C.L.A., Jack took to the mat with an avidity that pleased the entire wrestling coaching staff. As a gentleman who fits snugly into a size 48 sports jacket, Delt Ellena had all the physical attributes to become a good wrestler: strength, brains, agility, and competitive spirit, and in two short seasons he became the heavyweight champion of the Pacific Coast and was runner-up in the NCAA wrestling tournament held last year in Norman, Oklahoma.

This year, of course, Jack has as his goal the intercollegiate wrestling championship, and it is a good bet that he will rate one of the top favorites for this honor. He has been deluged with offers to turn pro and has been described by his college coach, Buzz Hunt, as "one of the fastest and most outstanding wrestling prospects" he has ever seen in his entire coaching career. No less a person than Jimmy Londos, perennial heavyweight champion of yesterday, has offered to manage Jack and to guide him through the pitfalls of the Wrestling Jungle.

But Jack Ellena's greatest achievement during 1954 was when he married cute, petite Miss Jacquelyn Dumbauld, who had just won the title of "College Queen of America" in a con-

test, staged by the Don Lee Network, in which more than 1500 colleges throughout the country were represented. Miss Dumbauld, a student at Montecello Junior College, in Illinois, had been Miss Illinois of 1953, and had qualified to enter the contest in Hollywood. Here Ellena, in company with, of all people, Mario Dá Rã, a tackle on the S.C. Trojan team, met Miss Dumbauld, and the big All-American was bowled over as he had never been bowled over before. Following the Stanford-U.C.L.A. game, in which Jack played a prominent part in disassembling the Stanford team in a 72-0 rout, Miss Dumbauld and he were married at the Westwood Christian Church.

So, all you Delts, kind of keep an eye on "Lumberjack" Ellena during this spring. It's a good hunch bet that he'll win the intercollegiate wrestling title and bring additional glory to Delta Iota and U.C.L.A. As vice-president of Delta Iota, Jack still finds time to take care of his duties around the chapter house. He's a

loyal Delt, and make no mistake about that.

It seems a cinch that you will see this husky young giant next winter flexing his muscles and testing the ropes of the wrestling ring as he comes forth to meet his opponent after being introduced as "the Paul Bunyan" of wrestling.

But, of course, Jack's first love is football. He has signed for the 1955 season with the Los Angeles Rams, and, come fall, he will be one of the eager beaver rookies that will dash out on the training field at Redlands University and assay his opponents with a piercing eye of a gladiator.

Jack's ambition, for a few years at least, is to emulate Leo Nomellini, who plays a mean tackle for the San Francisco '49ers and wrestles during the "off" season. Leo has become one of the best in the business, both in football and wrestling, and there is little reason to fear All-American Jack Ellena cannot do as well as All-American Leo Nomellini and emerge some day as a champion in both sports.

Bowl Games Attract Many Delts

THERE WERE ALMOST as many Delts in "bowl" games at the end of the grid season as there were bowl games, which is sort of a left-handed way of saying that the Delt stalwarts of the gridiron earned honors aplenty. Here's the way they lined up.

In the annual East-West classic, played January 1 in San Francisco, it was Delta Tau Delta's All-American Jack Ellena who led the West team as co-captain and star tackle. He was ably supported by two Delt backfield aces: Colorado's great kicker, Carroll Hardy, and Corky Taylor of Kansas State, both All Big Seven selections.

Squaring off against them for the East was John Damore, president of Northwestern's Beta Pi Chapter and one of the best defensive centers in the business. He was Wildcat co-captain last fall.

Ellena, incidentally, on top of all the other honors he won this year, ranked third in United Press's selection of the college football player of the year. He received more votes than any other lineman in the nation.

Hardy was runner-up in balloting

for the outstanding back of the year in the Big Seven-Missouri Valley Conference area.

In the Rose Bowl at Pasadena, also on New Year's Day, four Delts helped Ohio State bring home the bacon for the Big Ten. They are: John Borton, quarterback and co-captain; Fred Kriss, end; Dick Guy, tackle; and Frank Elwood, end. On the losing side, Laird Willott played at guard for the U.S.C. Trojans.

Four Nebraska Delts were not enough to turn back Duke in the Orange Bowl, but giving a good account of themselves were Don Glantz, tackle; Don Erway, quarterback; Leroy Butherus, end; and Joe Bayer, guard.

Don Glantz, who won high praise from his coach for his performance in that game, went on to play in the Senior Bowl at Mobile, Alabama, on January 8. He was starting right tackle for the North.

On Christmas day at Montgomery, Alabama, in the annual Blue-Gray classic, Penn State's Gene Danser was a starting tackle for the Blue and turned in a stellar performance.

THE AUTHOR, Jerry Stewart, is one of that loyal legion of Delts who keep Delta Tau Delta forging ahead in the Southern California area. At one time or another, he has taken on just about every job in the books, including alumni chapter service and chapter adviser duty. During the recent Karnea he was publicity chairman for the Karnea Committee.

He is, moreover, a walking encyclopedia where Delt sports are concerned, and he keeps us on our toes to make sure that our chronicles are both accurate and inclusive. This story on a Delt All-American was a natural for Jerry.

National Interfraternity Conference Proposes Fraternity Goals for Year Ahead

THREE GOALS FOR THE YEAR ahead were submitted to representatives of national fraternities attending the 46th annual meeting of the National Interfraternity Council, held last December 3-5 at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

These goals are: (1) the launching of a vigorous campaign to improve relations between college administrations and fraternities and to expand service to college communities; (2) the development of a public relations program that will help the communities to understand better college fraternities and what they are doing; and (3) the cleaning up of those things about fraternities that are the cause of just criticism.

Such objectives were outlined by the newly-elected chairman of the Conference, Herbert L. Brown, a member of Phi Sigma Kappa, when he addressed delegates and visitors at the final banquet.

Delta Tau Delta was represented by President Joel W. Reynolds, who attended sessions of the new House of Delegates; Charles T. Boyd, past President of the Fraternity; Francis M. Hughes, Supervisor of Scholarship; and Executive Vice-President Hugh Shields. A number of undergraduate Delts represented their respective interfraternity councils in the Undergraduate Conference. These included John Heiney, Indiana; Bruce Kirk, Stevens; James Swab, Wisconsin; Spencer Hedger, Delaware; and John Lewis, Missouri.

CONFERENCE RESOLUTIONS

Among the resolutions passed by the National Interfraternity Conference or by the House of Delegates are the following:

Resolved: That the National Interfraternity Conference commends the sound educational policy of Northwestern University, Ohio Wesleyan University, the University of Pennsylvania, and others, in their recognition of the college fraternity as an instrument of student self-government and

as an agency of co-operation between alumni and college administrations in practical education, and also their clearly stated principle of fraternity autonomy with respect to membership, free from college interference.

Resolved: That the National Interfraternity Conference recommends to its Executive Committee consideration of a survey of the matter of self-government in colleges and a comprehensive report thereon, and also the possibility of financial support from

Foundations or others in aid thereof.

Resolved: That the National Interfraternity Conference recognizes the need for developing a constructive program for the inculcation of good manners and morals among fraternities and their members with special emphasis on the problem of drinking and recommends that the Conference participate in the implementation of such a program jointly with the member fraternities on the national level, the local interfraternity council level,



Delts and their ladies dined together at the Conference Banquet. They are (beginning in foreground left and reading clockwise): Former President CHARLES T. BOYD; JOHN LEWIS, Missouri; JAMES SWAB, Wisconsin; President REYNOLDS; Mrs. REYNOLDS; BRUCE KIRK, Stevens; Executive Vice-President HUGH SHIELDS; Mrs. SHIELDS; Supervisor of Scholarship FRANCIS M. HUGHES; and Mrs. BOYD.



DELTA TAU DELTA'S representatives on the undergraduate level included (seated, left to right): SPEN HEDGER, Delaware; BRUCE KIRK, Stevens; JAMES SWAB, Wisconsin; and JOHN HEINEY, Indiana. National President JOEL W. REYNOLDS, Executive Vice-President HUGH SHIELDS, and Supervisor of Scholarship FRANCIS M. HUGHES represented the Fraternity in alumni sessions.

the local chapter level, and the college authorities.

Resolved: That the House of Delegates of N.I.C. adopt as basic requirements of sound fraternity operation among and between its members the maintenance of satisfactory scholastic performance by their active chapters subject to suitable effective penalties by the member fraternities where and when necessary, and the observance by their chapters of college regulations or recognized standards of gentlemanly conduct in morals and the use of alcoholic beverages, subject to effective penalties imposed by the member fraternities in instances of abuses.

Resolved: That, in the opinion of the National Interfraternity Conference, any agreement between a college and a fraternity to the effect that the chapter shall receive or continue to receive college recognition upon condition that the chapter shall violate the national constitution of the fraternity or the accepted and established rule of the fraternity concerning membership is a breach of the proper relationship of college and fraternity.

CONFERENCE AWARDS

The Ohio State Interfraternity Council, a consistent winner of the award given in the division for large educational institutions in cities over 75,000 in population, not only repeated in 1954 but also won the grand trophy. The University of Michigan IFC won first award among large schools in cities under 75,000 population, with the University of Illinois as runner-up. First honors for small schools in cities of less than 2,500 population went to Wake Forest, with Hanover as runner-up. M.I.T. was runner-up to Ohio State among the larger schools in large cities.

Two former Conference chairmen were presented with gold medals "for distinguished service to American youth through the American college fraternity." They are Judge Frank H. Myers, Kappa Alpha Order, and Dr. Maurice Jacobs, Phi Epsilon Pi.

WILL MEET IN ST. LOUIS

Just prior to the adjournment of the meeting, it was announced that the next meeting of the National Interfraternity Conference will be held

in St. Louis, Missouri, on December 2 and 3. This move follows the policy of recent years in moving the session occasionally to a point in the Midwest, in order to make the Conference accessible to more fraternity members.

This year's session benefited by three inspiring addresses, the speakers being Robert T. McCracken, Psi Upsilon, chairman of the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania, on "The Influence of the Fraternity"; Dean James C. McLeod, Northwestern University, on "When in Athens"; and Dr. Kenneth McFarland, educational consultant to General Motors, who discussed leadership.

The Saturday evening banquet at which Dr. McFarland spoke was the climax of the social activities of the Conference. Guests of honor included Mrs. Robert Carlton Byars, Delta Gamma, chairman of the National Panhellenic Conference; Miss Vera A. Gerhart, Phi Gamma Mu, president of the Professional Panhellenic Association; and Dr. Walton Van Winkle, Alpha Kappa Kappa, president of the Professional Interfraternity Conference.

Selections from the Hagerman String Band, one of the units of Philadelphia's famous Mummers organization, and the University of Pennsylvania Glee Club added much to the pleasure of the evening.

NEW OFFICERS NAMED

Besides Mr. Herbert L. Brown, chairman, the following were elected as officers of the Conference and members of the Executive Committee: vice-chairman, Horace G. Nichol, Delta Upsilon; secretary, Houston T. Karnes, Lambda Chi Alpha; treasurer, Francis S. Van Derbur, Kappa Sigma; educational adviser, Donald P. Mallett, Alpha Tau Omega, Dean of Men at Purdue University; additional members of the Executive Committee, class of 1955, Charles M. Carpenter, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Howard P. Locke, Kappa Alpha Order, Theodore R. Rich, Phi Sigma Delta; class of 1956, Dr. Clyde S. Johnson, Phi Kappa Sigma, George S. Ward, Phi Delta Theta, Roland Maxwell, Phi Kappa Tau; class of 1957, Carl J. Gladfeter, Chi Phi, E. George Lavino, Delta Phi, and Marsh W. White, Delta Chi.

Twenty-five Years Ago

THE YEARS MARCH by swiftly, and so crowded are they with events and happenings written into the Delt chronicle that we soon forget the triumphs and honors of the past. Just a quarter of a century ago, in the year 1929-30, these were the Delt headlines:

Purdue Deltas moved into their new Shelter, and the chapter's debate team won the interfraternity crown.

Four Deltas played for Pitt in the Rose Bowl, and one of them, Ray Montgomery, was named All American.

The first Citation of Delta Tau Delta's new Court of Honor (later the Distinguished Service Chapter) was presented to John R. Scott, Ohio, '65.

George H. Dern, Nebraska, '97, was pictured in THE RAINBOW as Governor of Utah.

Robert Shanklin, Brown, '29, joined the Fraternity's staff as a field secretary, and another secretary-to-be, Ted Bergman, was president of the chapter, the senior class, and the interfraternity council all at once at Albion.

Buffalo's new Central Passenger Station, an example of the outstanding architecture of Alfred Fellheimer, Illinois, '94, was opened.

The Interfraternity Club of Chicago opened its doors.

Frank "Pinky" Higgins was elected baseball captain at Texas.

Nelson T. Johnson, George Washington, '10, was appointed American minister to China.

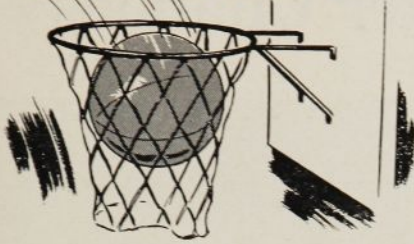
Lost Battalion?

SHIRLEY POVICH, Washington, D. C., sports columnist, has spoken up in a recent issue of *The Sporting News*, for what he calls the Lost Battalion—great baseball players of another era who have been passed by in the balloting for the Hall of Fame at Cooperstown, New York.

Included in the handful of such former stars which he names is a Delt: Glenn Wright, Missouri, '24, a great shortstop for the Pittsburgh Pirates some years ago.

How about it, Delt sports fans? Anybody want to make out a case for this Delt diamond great?

THE SHOT-



THE UNIVERSITY of Alabama is the home of the longest field goal in the world, thanks to Delt George Linn.

It all happened this way: On January 4 the Crimson Tide basketball squad had a match with the North Carolina Tarheels. With some eight seconds left in the first half, North Carolina's Len Rosenbluth missed a shot; the ball was tipped around a couple of times, and then Linn grabbed the rebound.

As he turned around to face his own basket, he looked up and saw only a couple of seconds left on the big score-board clock at the far end of the court. With the crowd yelling "shoot, shoot," Linn reared back like a baseball outfielder and let fly down court. Just as the ball reached mid-court the horn sounded, ending the half. A split second late the ball grazed the backboard and swished through the net.

The fans were on their feet immediately, stunned, not believing what they had just witnessed. Few of the 3500 spectators in Foster Auditorium realized that they had seen history made, for George Linn's fantastic shot had sailed 84'11" for a new world's record.

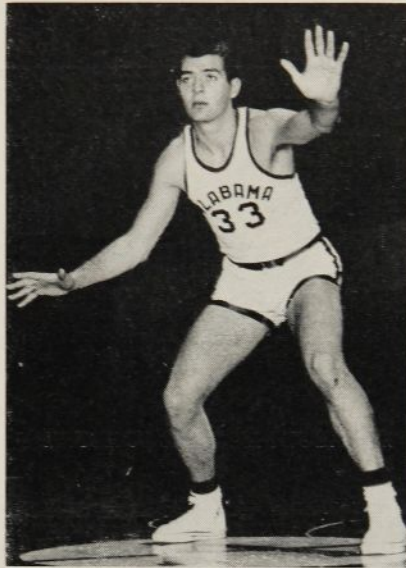
The crowd carried on a wild, standing ovation for five full minutes, and then it was announced that George Linn's shot had broken the conference record held by Kentucky's Cliff Hagen. With a day or so of retrospect, it was established that Linn had made the longest field goal on record in collegiate ball or for that matter the longest made anywhere—high school, college, or pro.

Tarheel Coach Frank McGuire rushed onto the court before the shot was two seconds old and marked the spot of the shot. After the game he said, "I never saw a shot like it, but I knew it was going when he let go

Heard 'Round the World

By SANDY WHEELER, Alabama, '57

When Delt George Linn reared back and cut loose, he little realized that he was making the longest field goal of all time.



GEORGE LINN . . .
who fired the fabulous goal.

because I was in line with the ball and could follow it all the way."

Plans are being made to mark the spot where Linn stood with a bronze plaque inserted in the floor. Tide Coach Jonny Dee said that the basketball would be sent to the National

Basketball Hall of Fame in Springfield, Mass. Not one to miss a chance on giving his boys full credit, Dee added that he hoped to get a trophy case put in the lobby of the basketball field house to display George's uniform.

Incidentally, we might mention that this was not as much a pure luck shot as many might think. George has been slated for All-America honors this year, and at the moment holds a 19.5 point game average. He stood in the exact same spot the day following the Tarheel game and took three shots. One was high and went over the backboard, the second was barely an inch short of the basket, and the third one hit the rim. Call that luck?

George is a junior from Columbus, Ohio, and has been a member of Delta Eta for a year. He is active in such campus organizations as Cottillion Club, Student Spirit Committee, and the "A" Club.

His modest comment to us on his shot was: "The buzzer went off when the ball was in the air and my first reaction was to go to the locker room. When it did go in, I was so astonished, I just kept walking."

Tomsic Burns up West Coast Nets

OUT ON THE PACIFIC COAST, basketball fans are finding new adjectives for sharp-shooting Ron Tomsic, Stanford Delt, who is writing records into the book with every game.

"The kid with the built-in radar," wrote one sports columnist in describing the Indian guard who has set a new Stanford scoring record with a total of 1298 points (as of February 4), which topped Hank Luisetti's previous mark of 1291. "Probably the best natural shot in conference history," said another writer of Tomsic after he had shattered the Southern

Division individual scoring record with 40 points against U.S.C. on February 4.

As a sophomore, Tomsic set a new Stanford all-time single season scoring standard of 515 points.

A mere 5 feet 11 inches, the Stanford Delt is regarded as a little man in this giants' game. His ability to drive, a strong desire to win, and his uncanny eye on the outside, however, have merited his reputation as the best in the West this year.

Ron Tomsic is pictured on Page 164 of this issue.

Four Members of Fraternity Receive Distinguished Service Chapter Citations

CLARENCE R. HELT
Pittsburgh, '14

Treasurer of Gamma Sigma House Corporation for over thirty years;

Through two wars, a depression, and the reconstruction period, his steadfast loyalty, business judgment, sympathetic attitude toward alumni and actives has done much to increase the prestige of Delta Tau Delta at the University of Pittsburgh;

Quiet, unassuming friend, and wise counsellor, he considers these acts of loyalty not a duty but a practical application of the Fraternity's ideals.

WALTER RAYMOND WEBER
Colorado, '14

Member of Denver Alumni Chapter since 1915; director of Beta Kappa Chapter House Committee since March, 1933; chairman of Beta Kappa Chapter House Building Committee during 1933 and 1934, in which capacity he gave freely of his engineering knowledge and experience in supervising the remodeling and addition to the chapter house. Never too busy to make sacrifices for his chapter and Fraternity, he is present at the many meetings of the House Committee at Boulder each year, and his faithful service through the years has earned him the gratitude of all Beta Kappa Deltas and of the Fraternity at large.

GEORGE SLOAN LESSER
Colorado, '33

A bulwark of strength to the chapter during his years as an active; since graduation he has continued as an active counsellor to the chapter in its finances, in rushing, in intramural sports, in alumni and University relations; served as house manager to the financial betterment of the chapter during the summers from 1931 to 1941, and as a director of Beta Kappa Chapter House Committee since January, 1952. More than any other alumnus of the chapter since 1934, he has given of his time and interest from week to week, calling at the house at regular intervals, and lending help wherever needed; the debt owed him by members of his chapter and of the Fraternity can never be fully paid.

EVERETT MURRELL SCHOFIELD
Butler '09

For more than forty-five years a devoted and capable worker in the Fraternity; a constant supporter of Beta Zeta Chapter, house corporation director, and officer and member of the Indianapolis Alumni Chapter; frequent in attendance at Division Conferences and Karneas; his adherence to the highest ideals of the Fraternity is an inspiration to his brother Deltas.



CLARENCE R. HELT



At a recent meeting of the Denver Alumni Chapter GEORGE S. LESSER (second from left) and WALTER R. WEBER (second from right) received their Citations. Presentations were made by PHILIP S. VAN CISE (left), former Vice-President of the Fraternity, and L. ALLEN BECK (right), former Secretary. Both are themselves D.S.C. members.



EVERETT M. SCHOFIELD

From the Editor's Mailbag



RUSSELL GOWANS, Oregon, '24, has been elected president of the Crown Cork & Seal Company, Inc., according to an announcement released in December. He assumed his new duties January 1.

Mr. Gowans, who served until recently as a vice-president and director of the Company, has been closely concerned with the over-all management of the corporation for the last three years.

A native of Scotland, Mr. Gowans received all of his education at the University of Oregon. In 1931 he joined the Western Stopper Company, San Francisco, which was acquired by Crown Cork & Seal Company in the same year. In 1936 he was elected president of that subsidiary and later served in the same capacity when the Company name was changed to Western Crown Cork & Seal Corporation.

In 1953 Mr. Gowans was made vice-president of the parent company and general manager of the division. Since 1952 he has been increasingly active on special assignments from

the president and has spent most of his time in the East.

During the war the new president was Deputy Director, Container Division, War Production Board, Washington, D. C.

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DR. PAUL B. SEARS, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '13, professor of botany at Yale University, was named president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science at the conclusion of the Association's convention in Berkeley, California, this winter.

A consultant and lecturer on scientific subjects, Dr. Sears is the author of *This Is Our World*, *This Useful World*, and other books.

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WILLIAM H. MARTINDILL, *Ohio*, '32, Vice-President of Delta Tau Delta, has been elected president, treasurer, and chief executive officer of the South Bend Bait Company, of South Bend, Indiana.

Mr. Martindill joined the South Bend Bait Company as executive vice-president early in 1953 and was named general manager a year later.

The South Bend Bait Company, with manufacturing plants in Spencer, Maquoketa and Estherville, Iowa, and general offices in South Bend, Indiana, is one of the world's largest manufacturers of quality sport fishing tackle.

Elected Vice-President of the Fraternity by the 63rd Karnea last August, Mr. Martindill has also served as Treasurer, Secretary of Alumni, and President of the Northern Division.

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KENNETH W. HEBERTON, *Lafayette*, '29, has been elected vice-president of the Western Union Telegraph Company in charge of federal government relations, a newly created post. He has served with Western Union since his graduation from Lafayette, where he headed Nu Chapter in his senior year.

Mr. Heberton occupied a number of managerial positions in eastern states before he was assigned to Washington in 1943 as assistant to the vice-president for public relations. After a tour of duty in the



WILLIAM H. MARTINDILL
President, South Bend Bait Co.



RUSSELL GOWANS
President, Crown Cork & Seal Co.



KENNETH W. HEBERTON
Western Union Vice-President

public relations department in the company's New York headquarters in 1946, he returned in November of that year to the National Capital as assistant vice-president.

He has a wide acquaintanceship in Congress and among top-ranking government officials ranging from the White House to all departments and agencies. He handles all matters of top policy for the nation's telegraph system in its relations with the federal government.

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Major General CHARLES L. DASH-ER, *George Washington*, '23, has been assigned as deputy commander, 5th Army, with headquarters in Chicago, Illinois.

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Hagan Corporation has announced the appointment of GEORGE B.



GEORGE
MOTHERAL

MOTHERAL, *Lehigh*, '40, as advertising manager. He will manage the consumer and industrial advertising, sales promotion, and public relations programs for Hagan and its subsidiaries: Calgon, Inc.; Hall Laboratories, Inc.; and

The Buromin Company.

Mr. Motheral is a director and immediate past president of the Pittsburgh chapter of the National Industrial Advertisers Association.

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"Man of the Year" of Columbus, Ohio, named by the Columbus Junior Chamber of Commerce, is JOHN DEAN STRAUSBAUGH, *Duke*, '40, first assistant city attorney.

Mr. Strausbaugh, who received his award from Dr. Bland L. Stradley, vice-president of Ohio State University, was lauded for his leadership in a great many civic enterprises. His citation praised him "for having displayed the highest quality of citizenship in a democratic republic through interest, activity and leadership in the political life of the community."

A leading factor in his selection as man of the year was Strausbaugh's participation in the 1954 United Appeals campaign. As chairman of the

city and state employees division, he brought in the quota for the governmental employees branch for the first time in the history of the drive.

The recipient has also been active in many other worth-while community projects, including Red Cross, YMCA, Polio Fund campaign, and Jaycees. A past president of the Capital City Young Republican Club, he has also headed the Duke Alumni Association and the Columbus Harvard Business School Club.

He is currently president of the Columbus Alumni Chapter of Delta Tau Delta.

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WILLIAM R. BROWN, *Kansas*, '18, of Ponca City, Oklahoma, has been re-elected president of the Oklahoma chapter of the American Institute of Architects. An interested supporter of Delta Chi Chapter at Oklahoma A. & M., he has served as architect in drawing up plans for a new Shelter for that chapter.

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ROSS M. NICHOLS, *George Washington*, '22, executive vice-president of the Weston Electric Instrument Corporation, Newark, N. J., currently serves as president of the Newark Chamber of Commerce.

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C. ROBERT SCHAR, *Pittsburgh*, '38, has been elected president of the Pittsburgh Life Underwriters Association, a professional organization for 1268 men and women of Allegheny and seven adjacent counties.

A former chapter adviser of Gamma Sigma Chapter, Mr. Schar has also been president of the Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter and vice-president of the Eastern Division.

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KARL J. ERTLE, *Western Reserve*, '23, has been unanimously named by Cleveland Heights councilmen as the mayor of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, following the resignation of the incumbent mayor.

Mr. Ertle, who had been acting mayor since the turn of the year, is an attorney, with offices in the National City Bank Building in Cleveland. A graduate of Western Reserve University's law school, he was a nine-letter man, excelling in football,

baseball, and track. He set several state track records which lasted for a number of years.

Mr. Ertle has been active over a period of many years in support of Zeta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta and served as an officer of the house corporation.

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Starting end for the East squad in the Pro Bowl football contest, played in Los Angeles on January 16, was DANTE LAVELLI, *Ohio State*, '45, regular end for the Cleveland Browns. Lavelli, a veteran of many successful campaigns with the Browns, has been cited as one of the greatest pass receivers of all time.

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HARVARD C. WOOD, JR., *Pennsylvania*, '28, is president of H. C. Wood, Inc., which is celebrating its 100th anniversary during 1955.

The H. C. Wood firm, Philadelphia's leading designer and builder of cemetery memorials, was established in 1855 by Aaron Wood.

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EARL G. MAUCK, *Indiana*, '40, has been named administrative assistant to Mr. F. M. Hadley, executive vice-president of Eli Lilly and Company. Mr. Mauck is former assistant treasurer of Lilly's.



EARL G. MAUCK

First vice-president of the National Society for Business Budgeting, he served as the first president of the society's Indianapolis chapter in 1952-53.

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LOY W. HENDERSON, *Northwestern*, '15, is undertaking what many believe the most challenging assignment of his distinguished diplomatic career.

As deputy undersecretary of state for administration, he tackles the big chore of integrating thousands of key department employees into the foreign service, making them subject to assignments abroad.

The change was recommended by a committee headed by another Delt—DR. HENRY M. WRISTON, *Wesley-*

an, '11, President of Brown University. Now the wrenching process of being incorporated into the foreign service is referred to as being "Wristonized."

The creation of an integrated service has been recommended many times in the past. This time, however, Secretary John Foster Dulles has given a firm go-ahead. And the Eisenhower administration is relying on Mr. Henderson not only to help restore the morale of his diplomatic colleagues abroad but to preside over the most radical change in the State Department in years.

His appointment, it is said, should ease the complaint from foreign service personnel that they have no friends in court. Mr. Henderson is one of them, and they know him to be a man with the courage to defend them against unreasonable criticism and attacks.

The former Ambassador to India, who has served in many critical posts around the globe, received the State Department's highest award in October for his role in negotiating a settlement of the Iranian oil crisis early last year.

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HORACE H. JOHNSON, *Carnegie Tech*, '22, Pittsburgh branch manager of the National Cash Register Company, has been appointed Community Chest 1955 campaign chairman for the Pittsburgh area.

An active Chest worker for more than ten years, Mr. Johnson has long been a leader in civic activities. He is a director of Hill City, past president of the Pittsburgh Executives Club, Pittsburgh Sales Executives Club, Mt. Lebanon Civic League, and the Findley Lake, N. Y., Property Owners Association.

A charter member of Delta Beta Chapter at Carnegie Tech, he has served two separate terms as chapter adviser.

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The Reverend JOSEPH G. WICK, *Butler*, '43, pastor of the East Side Christian Church of Evansville, Indiana, has been named Evansville's "Outstanding Young Man." He is the first minister to receive the award which is presented annually by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Rev. Wick's ministry in Evansville, which began in 1951, has been char-



HORACE H. JOHNSON
Pittsburgh Community Chest Chairman.

acterized by wide participation in civic activities. He is a member of the Mayor's Commission on Human Relations, president of Evansville Ministers Association, vice-chairman of the Evansville Housing Authority, YMCA director, and member of the board of Child Guidance Clinic. He is also a member of Evansville Council of Churches board and holds office in the national council.

Before coming to Evansville, he served churches in Versailles, Ohio, and Indianapolis, Indiana, and was pastor of the Purdue University Christian Foundation.

Rev. Wick attended both Butler University and Texas Christian University. At the latter school he was a star guard on the T.C.U. basketball team.

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HERBERT W. CORNELL, *Pennsylvania*, '08, & *George Washington*, '15, has retired after 34 years of service to the City of Milwaukee, the last 30 of them spent as chief examiner and secretary of the city service commission.

During his years in Milwaukee and before that with the United States and the Colorado civil service commissions, he attained a national reputation as an authority on civil service law.

Mr. Cornell is a past president of the Milwaukee Astronomical Society.

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ROY V. WELDON, *Tufts*, '22, has been named executive vice-president

of the Great Northern Paper Company, of Bangor, Maine. He had been serving as vice-president of engineering and research.

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A new departure in fraternity housing is in the planning stage on the Carnegie Tech campus, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, according to an announcement by the school's news service in November.

Basic plans have been approved to house four fraternities under one roof without losing the important individual features distinguishing one fraternity chapter from another. It is predicted that the building will set a pattern for future fraternity housing at Carnegie.

The approved plan calls for a unit of four distinct houses joined under a common roof. A driveway circling the building will provide parking space for 50 cars. There is a solid wall between each two houses to insure corporate entity. Only the basic structures of the houses are alike. The front and rear court areas can be landscaped, used as an outdoor living room, a dance hall, exhibition space for characteristic fraternal displays, or cemented for additional parking space or athletics.

Each unit is designed to house 36 men and provide dining facilities for 50.

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N. SIDNEY NYHUS, *U. C. L. A.*, '33, has been named executive vice-president of the Caribbean Atlantic Steamship Company, which will operate cruises out of Washington. He is also vice-president of the United States Travel Agency, Washington, D. C.

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DR. JAMES T. MACKENZIE, *Sewanee*, '11, has been elected a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He is chief metallurgist for the American Cast Iron Pipe Company in Birmingham, Alabama.

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GEORGE A. GARRETT, *Chicago*, '10, former U. S. Ambassador to Ireland, was recently elected president of the new Federal City Council of Washington, D. C., a permanent citizens' committee of business and civic leaders formed to attack problems threat-



GEORGE A. GARRETT
Heads Federal City Council.

ening the economy and development of the Nation's Capital.

Director of Communications

A PROMINENT HOOSIER, Hugh A. Barnhart, Indiana, '15, who is president of the Rochester, Indiana, Telephone Company, has been selected to represent the communications industry as Director of Communications Division of the Business & Defense Services Administration in the Federal Government. He started serving in that post for a six-month period on a "loan basis"



HUGH BARNHART

the latter part of January.

Mr. Barnhart, who was president of his class in his senior year at Indiana University and also of Beta Alpha Chapter, besides heading the telephone company, is president and publisher of the Rochester *News-Sentinel* and a director of the Public Service Company of Indiana and of the U. S. Independent Telephone Association. Active in affairs of his community and state, Mr. Barnhart

was a member of Indiana's "little Hoover" Commission from 1951 to 1953 and served from 1941 to 1945 on the Indiana Economic Council and as Director of the Indiana State Department of Conservation, a cabinet post in the state government. He was Director of the Indiana State Highway Commission, 1931 to 1932; Director of State Excise Department, 1937-41; and a member of the Indiana delegation to the Council of State Governments from 1939 to 1943.

For the past three years he has been a member of the Indiana University Alumni Advisory Council. At the University he played end and forward respectively on the varsity football and basketball teams. He likewise in his youth became familiar with National Capital affairs during the service of his late father, Henry A. Barnhart, as a Congressman from 1907 to 1919.

Delts will want to rush out and grab up some back issues of the *Saturday Evening Post*. A great new novel by ROBERT ORMOND CASE, *Oregon*, '19, began in the February 19 issue of that magazine.

The story is called *Bootleg Gold*, and it features Mr. Case's fabulous character, Ravenhill, the swashbuckling bush pilot, who finds high adventure in the far north. It's a fine yarn; better catch up on it, Delts.

Fifty Years at Pitt

(Continued from Page 135)

faculties and hardships that they had to contend with and closed with the plea that 'this new chapter would live forever.'

"It was the middle of the roaring twenties when Gamma Sigma took its next big step—the purchase of a house. Nearby, the University of Pittsburgh was making its next big move—in the form of a skyscraper school building to be over forty stories in height.

"The new house was a well-built brick structure of twelve rooms, with ample dormitory accommodations for twenty-five men on the third floor. On the first floor are two large living rooms and a spacious dining room that

will seat more than forty. The entire first floor is so arranged that house dances, entertainments, and so forth can be handled very effectively.

"Since the initial purchase of the chapter's house, pride has never dimmed in 4712 Bayard Street. Even in the worst years of the depression the chapter Shelter was successfully maintained while other fraternities were dropping off campus because of financial troubles. When World War II struck, many of the fraternities that had been able to hang on through the depression were forced to relinquish their charters—but Gamma Sigma, through her firm financial structure and the generosity of her alumni, stuck it out and kept her home.

"Soon after the close of the war, the Gamma Sigma House Corporation conducted a drive to raise funds for the rehabilitation of the chapter's Shelter. Close to four thousand dollars were raised for extensive repairs on the house. When this refurbishing was completed, the House Corporation mortgaged the house to secure funds for a complete redecoration program.

"No expense was spared as the living room was redone in blonde wall paneling with wall-to-wall carpeting, indirect lighting, and a new modern ceiling. The trophy room, too, got its share of improvement with a new wall-length trophy case enclosed in beautiful knotty pine paneling. The whole house took on a new lustre with new paint, flooring, and lighting fixtures. Now Gamma Sigma boasts the most modern house on campus, envied by all the other fraternities."

But a fine Shelter is only a small part of what makes a successful chapter in Delta Tau Delta. People—undergraduates achieving leadership on campus while maintaining high scholastic standard . . . alumni creating careers of service and success while maintaining a loyal interest in the chapter and the Fraternity . . . two alumni whose loyalty carried them to the national Presidency of Delta Tau Delta—these are the real measure of Gamma Sigma's greatness and the best assurance that the Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration last fall will prove to have been but one of the *early* milestones in her history.

THE DELT BOOK SHELF

"POINT!"

By Horace Lytle, Allegheny, '08
(The Stackpole Company, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.)

Pick yourself a cold winter's night, preferably when the wind is blustering around the house and you're feeling warm and secure and comfortable with a blazing log in the fireplace. Then take this book down from the Delt shelf, pull your easy chair up by the fire, heave your feet up on the hassock, and settle down for the evening with some of the most soul-satisfying reading you have ever had.

From cover to cover, this is a perfectly delightful book. It is easy-going and relaxed, at times humorous, at times nostalgic—but always enjoyable.

The author, Mr. Lytle, who probably knows more about pointing dogs than any other man in America, relates anecdote after anecdote of his 70 years which have been crammed full of warm human experiences. His stories deal mainly with hunting, of course, but they are interwoven with sound philosophy and character sketches which make the whole narrative absorbing reading even for the man who has never had a gun in his hand.

For the hunting man, Mr. Lytle's stories are the sort which will warm the heart, the kind that deserve retelling around the camp fire. No matter how seasoned a hunter the reader may be, he is certain to find in these pages valuable information to add to his store of experience.

Certainly the author speaks with authority. Having served for 20 years as Gun Dog Editor of *Field & Stream*, he has bagged grouse, partridge, woodcock, ring-necks, prairie chickens, Hungarian partridge, Bob Whites, ducks, and geese all the way from Mississippi to Saskatchewan, from Ohio to Florida. He has judged field trials from Minnesota to Georgia, including the National Championship of 1933. He has written several other books on such subjects as training bird dogs and how to win field trials.

Another point in Mr. Lytle's favor: he makes out an excellent case for conservation. His arguments are as sound as his conclusion: "The one certain thing is that we must never quit trying to find solutions, whether that be new species or how to do more for the old, for, 'If we ever efface the joys of the chase from the land, and uproot the stud, goodbye to the Anglo-Saxon race, farewell to the Norman blood.'"

The book gives us glimpses of personalities, often revealed in better perspective during the hunt. There is, for instance, the story of Mr. Lytle's trip with the famous athlete, Jim Thorpe, with



Author HORACE LYTLE with his favorite horse in Saskatchewan, summer of 1946.

the author's corroboration of Thorpe's tremendous vitality.

Many of the anecdotes which are related reveal in Mr. Lytle a keen sense of humor. Take, for instance, the invasion of the land of dogs and field trials by the movie industry, 'way back in 1935. The humor of this situation is mixed with infinite patience on the part of the author as he attempts to explain to directors and cameramen the fundamentals of his craft, including the difficulty of making a dog point without something at which to point.

Through the volume runs the thread of an idea, convincingly presented time and again, that there are few pleasures to be found which can compare with shooting and dogs.

The author summarizes it well at the very end: "In short, as it seems to me, the joys of a hunting life net down to two factors above all else: The first of these is your *dreams*, and the second will be the *memories* you'll build up to live with you always."

Certainly they do live for Mr. Lytle. And he makes them live for us, too, or for anyone else fortunate enough to read this book.

MODERN TRIALS

By Melvin M. Belli, California, '29
(Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis.
Three volumes.)

Review by George W. Rochester,
Chicago, '22

The last of the three-volume set of *Modern Trials* has been published and

is now in the hands of legal libraries, lawyers, doctors, state compensation boards, Federal claim agencies, and corporation claim departments throughout the country and in many foreign countries.

The Delta Tau Delta Fraternity is especially proud that the compiler and author of this outstanding work on personal injury law is Melvin M. Belli of our Beta Omega Chapter at the University of California, Berkeley. For truly this work far surpasses any effort yet accomplished to gather together in one edition the comprehensive knowledge of our American law pertaining to personal injury cases.

The Introduction of the edition is written by Dean Roscoe Pound, who is conceded to be pre-eminent in the field of general law over all the world. He terms the book "indispensable for the trial lawyer in personal injury cases," and declares that Brother Belli, in his book, "is a master . . . of presenting cases, and the fulness of exposition of the technique in application to all manner of cases, and of the legal questions and course of decisions upon the method as a whole, and details of its application are a contribution to the administration of justice."

When one realizes in the mechanized life of today that our nation sustains an annual total of 9,000,000 victims of personal injury, or one in 18 of our population each year, we begin to appreciate what a great service Brother Belli has rendered to the field of law in which more citizens are involved than in any other field of law—or medicine, for that matter. To emphasize further what these volumes mean to those who serve the public in time of injury, statistics prove our people suffer 2,000,000 annual accidents in factories and workshops, and 7,000,000 more are injured each year in automobile, railway, airplane, shipping, store, or home accidents. Never in the history of the world did any war demand such annual attrition of limb and life!

These unfortunate victims of our mechanical, electrical, and now atomic, age call for proper medical and legal advocacy. The interests of industry and business are eager for good counsel safeguards, for the humanitarian attitude of management today desires adequate compensation for those injured, as does the victim. It is how to arrive at this agreed quantum under the law that is so exhaustively treated in *Modern Trials*.

Brother Belli called for and invited the wide experience and co-operation of many able and experienced lawyers, doctors, teachers, judges, librarians, police investigators, claim agents, and



WILLIAM F. ZORNOW

photographers throughout the United States and abroad to contribute to his work. There are 405 such specialists named who responded and contributed to his *magnus opus* of personal injury law. We are not guilty of exaggeration when we say that never before has such a work been so unanimously contributed to and supported by so many authorities in this field of law and its collateral professions.

Modern Trials begins at the moment after an accident and proceeds step by step until the time for an adequate award of damage for the injury. The author explains and illustrates the technique of investigation—the need for medical, neurological, or psychological advice and how to apply it. He then leads the reader in the determination of the appropriate legal remedy, cautioning thorough study of statutory regulations, and all surrounding circumstances, to arrive at the proper liability for the

injuries. Indeed the whole law of torts is reviewed, which should permit the assiduous advocate to know how to be prepared and to accomplish justice for the plaintiff and defendant.

Another bright star is to be placed in the celestial field with those many of our Fraternity who have contributed so much to all facets of our social culture. Brother Belli has earned the permanent position of his star in our Fraternity's firmament.

LINCOLN AND THE PARTY DIVIDED

By William F. Zornow, Western Reserve, '42
(University of Oklahoma Press.)

Review by C. H. Cramer,
Ohio State, '27

This is an able and well-written study of the grandeurs and miseries of the exciting presidential election of 1864. It provides good reading for all strategists of political campaigns—past or present—whether their observation post is an armchair or a sniper's position on the hustings.

The volume has a special interest for Clevelanders. The author was born in this city, received his graduate training at Western Reserve University, and served for several years on the faculty at Case Institute of Technology.

Because of the regard in which he is held today it is difficult to reconcile the serious opposition to Lincoln's re-election, opposition that came not alone from Democrats but from a strong faction of "Unconditional Republicans." These pseudo-colleagues—led by Charles Sumner of Massachusetts, Benjamin F. Wade of Ohio, and Thaddeus Stevens of Pennsylvania—could not abide Lincoln's moderation and tolerance. Within and without his party the President was called a dictator, a vulgar joker, a "third-rate lawyer who once split rails and now splits the Union."

For a time the possibility for re-election



C. H. CRAMER

seemed so remote that Lincoln suggested Secretary of State William Seward as the Republican candidate in 1864; he even offered to step aside for Horatio Seymour, the Democratic governor of New York. Republican Horace Greeley favored a military ticket—Gens. Grant, Ben Butler or Sherman for the top spot, with Admiral Farragut as vice-president.

Grant and Sherman were not interested—Lincoln, usually bland in his comments on individuals, once characterized "Cockeyed" Ben Butler as a man "full of poison gas as a dead dog." Looking back on the campaign from the vantage point of time, it appeared that everyone was against the President except the people.

In due course Lincoln's confidence and courage manifested themselves. He admitted that "when the presidential grub gets in a man it hides well." He won the election because of unexpected help from two quarters: from Sherman at Atlanta, and from the Democrats everywhere.

The opposition party had the impossible task of reconciling two factions, one favoring peace and the other the continuance of the war. They impaled themselves on the horns of this dilemma by adopting a peace platform and nominating a war Democrat—the "Little Napoleon," Gen. George B. McClellan. George Train, eccentric promoter and author, quipped: "As you are a railway man, General, you know that it is dangerous to stand on the platform." It was.

In concluding this interesting volume, Prof. Zornow points out the significance of the victory and the irony of the result. By losing, the Democrats were deprived of their chance for a generation. In holding the party together, Lincoln "did much to assure the ultimate victory of the Unconditional program he had so long opposed."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. Zornow, author of *Lincoln and the Party Divided*, is assistant professor of history at Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kansas. He came to this school in 1951 after having instructed at Washburn University in Topeka, Case Institute of Technology in Cleveland, and Western Reserve University, also in Cleveland.

Dr. Zornow, who has published more than 50 magazine articles dealing with various aspects of American history, has collaborated with several other historians in Kansas on a two-volume history of the state which is scheduled for publication early next year. Under a research grant from the College, he is now writing a volume on the history of the United States Army in Kansas before 1880.

The review of his recent book, which appeared in a November issue of the *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, is of special interest because it is not often that we find a review by a Delt of a book written by a Delt. The author of the review, Dr. C. H. Cramer, Dean of Adelbert College of Western Reserve University and himself an able historian, was not aware when he wrote the review that Dr. Zornow is a member of Delta Tau Delta.

"In fact," Dr. Cramer writes, "I am glad that was the case to forestall the implication of literary favoritism. As you know, it is an excellent and scholarly volume."

THE RAINBOW reproduces Dr. Cramer's review with his permission and hereby acknowledges its original appearance in the *Plain Dealer*.

THE DELT CHAPTERS

Alpha—Allegheny

College Turkey Trot Won by Deltas

A successful season of rushing paid off when the Deltas took the largest pledge class on campus. All of the men are now in the midst of pledge training under the guidance of their pledge master, Rod McLean. Recognition goes to Fritz Fries, who proved himself an excellent rush chairman.

Elections were held on Monday, January 10, for chapter offices. Junior Mike Garrett was elected to the presidency and Art Steffe, also a junior, received the vice-presidency.

In spite of rushing, elections, and the many other activities of college life, the Deltas are able to hold currently second place in intramurals. In volley ball the men of Alpha Chapter achieved the distinction of being undefeated. They now hold second place in basketball. In the over-all picture, they are three points out of first place.

Once again the Deltas showed their ability by winning the College Turkey Trot. The race, which is an annual event at Allegheny, was held on November 12. Jim Lauffer placed second, Art Steffe fifth, Dick Stewart sixth, and Bob Ozmun eighth.

The Delt Christmas Formal, held on December 10, was again a tremendous success. The traditional hog's-head table setting and evergreen archways transformed the Shelter into a Christmas wonderland.

RAY BILEK

Gamma—W. & J.

For Second Consecutive Year Denny Must Is Class Head

Two Deltas won honors in the class elections which were held in November. Denny Must, a junior, was elected class president for the second consecutive year. Len Strobel, another junior, was elected to the athletic council.

The Deltas are well represented in extracurricular activities. Bill Temple and Jack Raymond are members of the varsity rifle team. Bill Novogradac is artist for the college literary magazine. In addition, we have men on the newspaper and yearbook staffs, and several of the brothers represent the chapter in the college band and in the chorus.

In scholastic achievement five Deltas were initiated into the chemistry honorary.

Things are looking up in intramural athletics with the house in strong contention for the basketball crown. The big social event at Gamma was the "Mardi



Taking over the helm at Michigan are NORT STUART (left), chapter president, and DON H. DUFF, vice-president.



Gras" party which was the Saturday following the Greek Swingout.

HAROLD MEHAFFEY

Delta—Michigan

Chapter Chorus Performs on TV

Congratulations go to the following new officers who will be heading Delta Chapter for the coming year.

Elected to the presidency is Nort Stuart. Our new vice-president is Don Duff. Taking care of the finances will be Treasurer Frank Barger. Steward for next year is Jack Ryan. Don Davidson is the new house manager and Vic Krause obtained the post of recording secretary. Filling out the slate are Paul C. Vitz, recording secretary, and Bill Koepke, sergeant at arms.

On behalf of the University of Michigan Interfraternity Council, the chapter presented a program of Christmas music on Saturday, December 18. It was carried over WWJ-TV and other state TV channels.

As only a small group could be accommodated, a total of 16 of the chapter's more talented voices got together under the direction of Charlie Schafer for the program. They put in several



Left: DENNIS DOOLEN, Delt president at Albion. Right: FRANK BARGER, Michigan's new treasurer.



hard weeks of practice and came out with an excellent performance. Selections included were "Winter Wonderland," "White Christmas," and "Hark! How the Bells."

Shortly after parting with the chapter's Great Dane mascot, Major IV, his young successor, Major V, arrived at the Shelter. This keeps the line of Majors unbroken for almost three decades. Major V's training program, "Operation Major," is now in effect, and the chapter hopes that young "Maj" will shape up in a few short weeks.

PAUL C. VITZ

Epsilon—Albion

Most Valuable Player and Cocaptain Elect Are Deltas

As the first semester of the college year draws to a close, Epsilon looks back on 1954 and the start of 1955 with pride. It has been a period of great accomplishment, and has seen the realization of many dreams.

In the fall, the college football team was strengthened by nine Deltas, seven of them being on the starting eleven. Cocaptain Bob Kouts was voted most valuable player on the squad by his teammates. Throughout the year, Bob called defensive signals and led the team in tackles, chalking up 106 in eight games. Chosen to lead next year's team as cocaptain was Jim Bishop, outstanding guard and the most explosive lineman on the team.

One of the outstanding events of early fall was the annual fathers' banquet which took place at the Shelter on November 13. Before the dinner, the fathers, along with their sons, attended the Albion-Hillsdale football game.

Four of the five newly elected upper-class officers of Phi Eta Sigma, national freshman men's honorary society, are Epsilon Deltas. They are: Edmund Jenkins, president; Thomas Leavy, secretary; Dennis Doolen, treasurer; and Jerry Timmons, historian.

Epsilon has done exceedingly well in intramural sports this year, having placed second in cross-country and first in football so far.

Robert Reynolds and James Timmons were chosen in the annual election of candidates for *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*. Selections were made by a student-faculty committee on the basis of leadership, personality, scholarship, character, and campus participation.

Two members of the chapter were recently elected to Omicron Delta Kappa, national honorary men's leadership fraternity. Leo Borrello and Richard Swanson are the two Deltas chosen. Borrello, who is present treasurer of Epsilon,

is also Forum Club president and recipient of the Weiss Memorial Trophy for Extemporaneous Speaking. Swanson, who is a past president of the Deltas, is noted for his participation in the Chemistry, Sociology, and Psychology Clubs. In his freshman year, he was also president of the freshman class.

With the coming of the new year, elections of Fraternity officers again came to the foreground. The newly elected officers of Epsilon are: Dennis Doolen, East Lansing, president; Charles Howie, Detroit, vice-president; Henry Cage, Saginaw, treasurer; Edmund Jenkins, East Lansing, assistant treasurer; Brad Zuver, Saginaw, corresponding secretary; John Steverman, Saginaw, recording secretary; Ken Collins, Saginaw, sergeant at arms; Joe Munk, Albion, guide; Richard Cooley, Fenton, student council representative; and Mac Thurston, Mullet Lake, interfraternity representative.

BRADLEY R. ZUVER

Zeta—Western Reserve

Bill Moley and Gil Davenport Lead In Organizing Greek Week Show

Zeta Deltas are in the two key positions in Western Reserve's 1955 edition of the annual Greek Week activities. Retiring Chapter President Bill Moley again has been appointed General Chairman of Greek Week, a position he ably held last year. Former Sophomore Class President Gil Davenport, a dramatics major, has written this year's show. Brothers John Lepp and Phil Cochran, two of the leading players in the 1954 production, have assisted Gil in writing the script for "Down to Earth." Each year the man whose script is selected by the faculty script committee becomes the student director for the production; so Gil will have plenty to do for the next three months.

In University intramural competition, the Deltas are leading in the race for the all-sports trophy. University champs in football, fraternity champs in volleyball, and at last word, leading in total points in the badminton tournament, the Zeta-men are holding down second place in each of the fraternity basketball leagues.

Senior Class President Bob Theiss is playing his fourth year of varsity basketball for the Reserve Red Cats. Delt sophomores on the varsity are Bill Fisher, Ed Sarbiewski, and Ron Miklovic. Brothers George Malindzak and Bill Moley are wrestling for the Red Cat mat squad in the 177- and 123-pound brackets respectively.

During the past few weeks Seniors Tom Bode and Skip Diederich have been leading the work in remodeling the recreation room in the basement. Knotty pine panelling, asphalt tile flooring, and a built-in refreshment counter are among the improvements. Two partitions have been removed, thus making the recreation room about one-third larger and allowing more elbow room at future Delt parties.

Gene and Larry Schwartz, a Zeta brother act, have recently been elected to two important campus positions. Larry succeeds Gene as president of the Western Reserve band, while Gene has been elected secretary of the Beta Theta circle of Omicron Delta Kappa.

Zeta officers for the coming year were recently elected and have now taken office. They are: president, Ray Alfred; vice-president, Harry Gallagher; treasurer, Tony Greco; recording secretary, Ray Molson; and corresponding secretary, Larry Seidl.

Delt Pledges Reasor Woodling, Fred Peters, and Larry Weiss play for the Reserve freshman basketball squad, and Pledge Class President Paul Park is treasurer of the freshman class.

LARRY SEIDL

Kappa—Hillsdale

Pledge Class of 27 Represents Chapter Well on Campus

The pledge class of Kappa Chapter at Hillsdale College started pledging December 7. Twenty-seven of the campus' top men put on the famous pledge pin with all the pride and glory that it stands for. Following all past tradition, Kappa's pledge class of 1955 is made up of men that excel in individual fields of endeavor.

There are three freshman class of-

ficers: Jim Sturgess, president; Larry Girard, treasurer; and Ron Piercall, federation representative, who, incidentally, is president of the pledge class.

In sports our pledges are well represented, placing seven men on the M.I.A.A. championship football team, four of them varsity letter winners. Jim Sturgess is the number one diver on the Dales tank team. Dick Day is a sprinter. In varsity basketball, Jack Johnson and Jack Thierback lead the way on the court.

In the spring, Kappa Chapter will continue to dominate the golf team. Leonard Winzer, All-City from Detroit Cooley High School, and George Grossfuss from Detroit Denby High School, will bolster the golf team which last year consisted of five Deltas out of the squad of six. The baseball outlook shapes up as a scramble of many Delt pledges for berths on the squad. The track team looks as if it will have another full load of pledges from ΔΤΔ led by Half-miler Dick Sommers and Jack Thierback, a fleet-footed halfback of the football team.

Besides having leaders on the campus and athletic ability, the pledge class is well represented in scholastic achievement. So the pledges join the active chapter with a well-rounded organization that will continue to keep the high standards of Kappa Chapter.

LARRY GIRARD.

Mu—Ohio Wesleyan

Hancher Earns All-Ohio Honors

Mu Chapter again started off the first semester of this year with the All-Men's Scholarship Trophy under its belt. Along the same lines, President Dave Hunt returned from this summer's Karnea with the plaques for being tops in the Northern Division and on top in the whole Fraternity for the past two years.

Athletically, Bob Hancher, quarterback of Ohio Wesleyan's Battling Bishops, was voted by the Associated Press All-Ohio Conference quarterback. Frank Lescinsky, at left end, also enjoyed an exceptionally fine year. Hancher will return next fall to take up where he left off, while Lescinsky transfers to Purdue to continue his work in engineering.

We again pledged a fine class, which numbers 25. President of the class is Ernie Caliendo, the brother of Senior Art. The pledges are keeping up their end of the intramural athletic program as they copped the fall volleyball championship for freshmen and are well on their way to the freshman bowling crown.

On the social scene, the Deltas have enjoyed their annual Ozark Party which was held on November 12 at Butler Farm and the Winter Formal on November 20. The theme of the formal was Stairway to the Stars and the Shelter was decorated appropriately under the able direction of the social cochairmen, Carver Hendrix and Frank Lescinsky.

Homecoming was a big success this year at the Shelter as the largest group of alumni in recent years returned to the home of their college days. Fran



Hillsdale Delt pledges include in their ranks such luminaries as three freshman class officers, seven members of conference champions in football, ad infinitum.

Hughes, Supervisor of Scholarship of the Fraternity, addressed the group at the banquet on Saturday.

RAY BRANT

Nu—Lafayette

Elbert Cocaptains Swimming Team

As the fall semester comes to a close, Nu Chapter Deltas look forward to the spring session with increased optimism. Plans are under way for the initiation of a sizable number of candidates in mid-February and for the dinner and dance that will follow that event. Maintaining its original pledge group and increasing it by two additional men, the chapter hopes that most of these fellows will have joined the ranks of brethren by the time this issue is published. Hopes are also high that the Deltas will be able to garner some spring intramural athletic and political plums. Presently the chapter's basketball and bowling teams are pressing for championship laurels in those sports.

The campus activities of the Deltas thus far this year have resulted in a second-place win in cross-country competition and the earning of the runner-up trophy in the Fall I.F. House Decoration contest.

Leading the college swimming aggregation this year is Brother Ed Elbert, premier performer in the distance events, who has recently been elected cocaptain of the team. In addition, the freshman elections held in November resulted in Pledge Don Kress triumphing in the vice-presidential race. Don joins Brother Tom Good in campus politics, Tom being sophomore veep. The chapter began its new change in administration also by selecting Bob Jeffery as treasurer and Ray Carey as assistant treasurer.

FORREST SCHAFFER AND DICK LEMEN

Omicron—Iowa

Publish "Omichronicle," Chapter Magazine

The 1954-1955 year finds Omicron very active. One of our most important accomplishments has been the printing of a chapter magazine, the *Omichronicle*, which tells of all our chapter activities. We plan to publish it regularly in the future.

Social activities got off to a good start with our annual fall "Hell's Holiday" party. The pledges constructed a huge 30-foot-high devil's head for the front of the house, and Deltas and their dates entered the house through its mouth. Two caroling parties were held just before Christmas. We sang carols to the married students and to Veterans' Hospital.

Our pledges are well represented in campus activities. Peer Hegg (6' 6") is in the first five of the freshman basketball squad. Bruce Appleby plays percussion in the University Symphony, and Dennis Dowd is in the concert band. Pledge Jim Kaster has become the first male member of University Women's Association and is in charge of student-

WES HARKER Omicron Chapter President



faculty coffee hours. He is also the third Delt in four years to be head of orientation. Brother Dick Hansen has been chosen president of the sophomore pharmacy class.

Beginning this year, Omicron plans to sponsor a cash scholarship award to be given to the freshman male student showing the most achievement scholastically. We are the first fraternity on campus to do something of this nature.

New officers were chosen for second semester. Wesley Harker takes Ken Sher's place as new president. Ken has done a particularly admirable job this semester in strengthening the Deltas' position on campus. Other new officers are as follows: vice president, Carl Anderson; treasurer, Harold Haver; recording secretary, Dean Polton; and corresponding secretary, Rex Bills.

Plans are now in the making for our 75th anniversary next fall. A week-long celebration is being planned.

REX BILLS

Rho—Stevens

Kirk Interfraternity Council Head

Since the last issue of THE RAINBOW, eight men have been initiated into the Fraternity. At this time the older brothers would like to extend their congratulations to Wally Thompson, Thorpe Aschoff, Bill Pepper, Wels Bryan, Bill Dengler, Neil Stuart, Bob Stewart, and John Bogdon. Bob Stewart was awarded the Best Pledge Trophy by the brothers in the Shelter.

Deltas are again taking the lead around campus this year. Bruce Kirk was elected president of the Interfraternity Council. Jim McGrory, in addition to being initiated into Pi Delta Epsilon, was elected editor in chief of *Events*, the college humor magazine. Al Canham and Jim were also initiated into Gear & Triangle, a Stevens honor society. Bob Stewart was appointed IFC representative to the student council.

As for IFC sports, the Rho Deltas are leading the field with 132 points out of a possible 135. This score has netted us a plaque for the softball and football championship. The outstanding players on the teams are Brothers Wels Byran, John Tunney, and Emory Egler, and Pledges Mo Meaney, Woody Woodward, and Roger Swiss. Continuing with sports, John Tunney and Chuck Morgan are high scorers on the Stevens basketball team. Together they are averaging 35 points per game.

Our alumni relations have improved

greatly under the direction of Bill Snyder. There is no room to name the thirty odd alumni who came to winter carnival, but this certainly is indicative of the alumni's renewed interest in the Shelter. We have been trying to revive the *Rho Chronicle* again, but we've had a little technical difficulty; so, if our alumni will bear with us, the first issue should be out in March, '55.

The Mothers' Club has been active this year; with money raised they gave the Shelter many new furnishings and a Christmas party. The brothers certainly appreciate it and thank Mrs. Haug, club president, and all the mothers for their efforts.

ROBERT CUSHMAN

Tau—Penn State

Danser Plays in North-South Classic

During our Christmas vacation, the interior of Tau Chapter's Shelter was completely repainted. Following the purchase of new furniture in September, the rooms have been completely redone.

In conjunction with this, Tau Chapter has a "construction week" planned for the period between semesters, at which time the third floor, which is at present unfinished, will be converted into living accommodations for eight more persons. An addition to the party room is also planned.

In the way of campus activities, Tau has done quite well since last fall. Bill Devers, our new chapter president, was elected business manager of the *Collegienne*, college newspaper. Bob Bullock, junior Navy ROTC student and chapter treasurer, was elected commander of the Quarterdeck Society (Navy ROTC honorary). Bill Joyce was elected first football manager.

Tau Chapter was proud to have one of its members, Gene Danser, participate in the annual North-South football classic.

ROBERT McMILLAN

Upsilon—R.P.I.

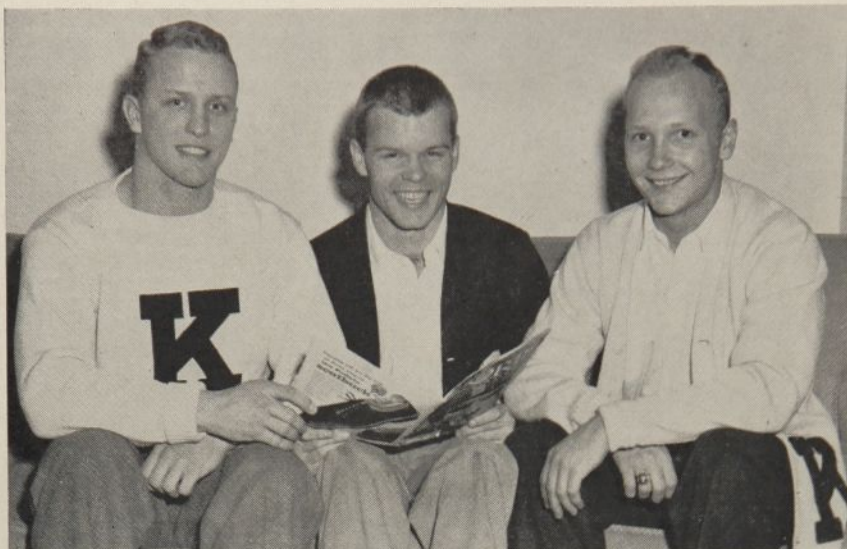
Team Effort Puts Chapter Ahead in Barker Trophy Race

The Deltas of Upsilon are proud, at the time of this writing, to be leading in the Barker Trophy race. This trophy provides the incentive for intramural athletics among our 28 fraternities.

We won the school football championship this fall by defeating AXA in the finals 12-6 (their first defeat in four years). The team went on to outscore the independent champs by one touchdown also, for all-campus honors.

We have done well in other sports, too, with a third place in horseshoes and a fourth in the I.F. swim meet. Winter sports look good. With a league lead in basketball and a 5-1 record in bowling, everyone has hopes of bringing the Barker Trophy to the Shelter this year.

During Interfraternity Week End, top honors for its exhibit in the "Beat Worcester" contest went to Delta Tau Delta. The winning suggestion was made by



VARSITY CAPTAINS at Kenyon College are these Delts: ROWE (baseball), RICHARDSON (swimming), and EVANS (lacrosse). Captain HARRISON, also a Delt, led the football team last fall but couldn't be found when this picture was taken.



Washington & Lee's three top wrestlers, all Delts, naturally: JOHN ELLIS, team captain; GIBBY McSPADDEN, winner of Southern Conference Outstanding Wrestler award last year; and Dick Whiteford, who has most pins this year.



Six Phi Chapter Delts on W. & L.'s soccer team. JIM LEWIS and CARL BAILEY (fourth and fifth from left) are co-captains.

Warren Leibfried, an affiliate member, who is a recent graduate of Duke. The idea stemmed from there and had previously won a similar contest for the Delts at Duke. Although impeded by rain, Brother Mike Graul did a great job in leading the construction party to a fine conclusion.

Not to be overlooked is varsity sports. Vic Nadaskay is cocaptain of the basketball team. He has been the mainstay of the varsity for four years in which he has consistently scored in double figures.

Again this year the Delts dominate our N.C.A.A. champion hockey team by an 8 out of 17 proportion. Frank Chiarelli is cocaptain and has scored almost half the goals on the team. Also returning and doing a fine job at defense is Jimmy Pope, along with reliable Bob Fox at goal. Other Delts playing wing include Bill Mouzavires, Pete McArthur, Harry Williams, Arnie Perrett, and Bruce Baum.

In swimming, Delt Bob Irwin is the top 440-yard man and Howie Dalton is swimming as a 100-yard freestyler. In other sports, Bob Davies is running indoor track and Bert Wickberg and Ken Kinsley are members of the ski team.

DAVE NORTON

Phi—Washington & Lee

Wide Campus Representation Includes Three Varsity Captains

The big news around here right now is the Fancy Dress Ball, the South's outstanding collegiate social event. Fred Easter is president of the affair, with Watty Bowes one of the vice-presidents. Bill Henley, vice-president of the Dance Board, is also hard at work, making the final arrangements for the band (which, by the way, is the Dorsey Brothers Orchestra). The theme is an odyssey through the Roman and Greek Empires.

The 1954 varsity soccer team ended a highly successful season by holding Maryland to a scoreless tie. This was especially gratifying to us, since the four primary defense men are all Delts. Jim Lewis and Carl Bailey have been elected cocaptains for the team next year. This makes Jim's third year as captain of the squad.

The varsity basketball team is surprising quite a few people. Though having a losing season (against the top teams in the Southeast), it ranks twentieth in the nation in scoring and tenth in percentage of shots made. Bob McHenry, guard, is cocaptain. Nick Nichols, forward, and Frank Hoss, center, help him spark the team.

In wrestling, too, we are doing more than our share. Gibby McSpadden, John Ellis, and Dick Whiteford have the best records on the squad. Gibby won the Southern Conference Outstanding Wrestler award last year, and John is captain of the team. Dick Whiteford has more pins than any other man on the team.

In other activities, Buck Buchanan is having a last-minute rush as fraternity editor of the *Calyx*, Editor Mike Clark is laying out the Fancy Dress issue of

All-American



THREE TIMES ALL-AMERICAN hockey player is Rensselaer's FRANK CHIARELLI, team co-captain and one of the two leading scorers in the East for three years. He was selected to the N.C.A.A. All-Tournament Team last year.



Undefeated boxing champions at Kenyon are Delts ANDERSON, URNES, and GREISER.

the *Southern Collegian*, Jim Lewis has just become student director of the University Band, and everyone is bracing himself for exams.

CLAY B. CARR, JR.

Chi—Kenyon

Swimming, Football, Lacrosse, Baseball Captains Are Delts

Chi Delts topped off the fall sports season by taking second in the intramural football contest, one game behind the powerful freshmen from Lewis Hall. Six brothers earned varsity football letters, and Al Halverstadt again led the soccer team to a winning season. To add to this, Brothers Dettlinger, Webb, and Wilcox copped the title in the intramural badminton matches by going undefeated and untied, in both doubles and singles.

In winter sports, Middle Leonard's "B" basketball team is again leading the league with three wins and no losses, and is the favorite for the championship after defeating our traditional rivals, the Betas, by a score of 35-15. In varsity basketball, Veteran Center Pete Keyes is again sparking the team, while Brothers Kendrick and Schwartz are holding down starting positions. Kenyon is again undefeated in swimming, which is due in no small part to the efforts of Cocaptain Bruce Richardson, while Sophomores Al Halverstadt and Skipper Kurrus are starring in their various events.

Chi is graced this year by four team captains: Brothers Richardson, Rowe, Harrison, and Evans lead the swimming, baseball, football and lacrosse teams, respectively.

Word from sunny Florida has it that former Chapter Adviser "Cap" Eberle is enjoying himself immensely, no doubt working on his book, which he always threatened to write. He reports "Der Himmel ist Blau, der Sonne schient," as he so often told some of the not-too-bright Delts in his German classes.

The undefeated intramural boxing champions also hail from the Chi Shelter this year. Brothers Anderson, Urnes, and Greiser, despite broken noses and cauliflower ears, have won every match in this newly-created intramural event. This has proved to be a very popular sport, and it has been one of the most competitive here at Kenyon. Brother Urnes, to add to the laurels, again plans to enter the Golden Gloves bouts this year.



FRED EASTER (right), president of W. & L.'s Fancy Dress Ball, works hard on planning, as does BILL HENLEY, dance board vice-president.

where the chances are great for his taking more than the regional championship which came his way last year. Says Jon, "With more experience behind me, I should really go to town. This will be my last year, and I hope to make it my greatest."

WILLIAM HUMPHREY

Omega—Pennsylvania

Leach Leads Quaker Netters As Successful Season Begins

Omega Chapter has been spending much time preparing itself for the coming fraternity rushing period which will start on February 14 and end on the 26th. Bob Paulus is rushing chairman. This is the first year in which Omega Chapter will have rushing in the spring under a new University ruling. The Shelter will be going all-out in an effort to get a class that will be able to keep up the past record in which Omega Chapter has been able to win the outstanding-fraternity-on-campus award three out of the past four years.

Before the Christmas holidays Omega Chapter had its usual round of Christmas parties with sororities on campus. One of the best parties, however, was that held for the underprivileged children. After a turkey dinner the kids were treated to toys of all kinds by the Shelter brothers. It was one of the most successful parties at the Shelter.

Founders Day at the Shelter will be celebrated on March 12. There will be a banquet on that date and a prominent Philadelphia Delt will be the speaker. The banquet will be held at Houston Hall. All Delts are welcome to attend this affair, which is one of the biggest held at the Shelter.

Dan Schmauss was elected cocaptain of the 150-pound football team for next season. Dan is the regular center on the squad.

Bart Leach, cocaptain of the Pennsylvania basketball team, has been averaging over 19 points a game as the Quakers have compiled a 9-1 record. Leach had a single game high of 32 points against Princeton on January 8. Leach has been called one of the ten top players in the East.

Varsity Club President Chuck Shaffer is heading Varsity Week at the University. This is the week during which Penn honors its athletes.

Jack Guest has been named as one of the four University undergraduates to be honored by the alumni on Founder's Day, January 15. The award is for service to the University.

Omega Delts welcome back to the Shelter Charley Mellon, Class of '52, who is out of the service and now employed by the University in the Admissions Office.

Beta Alpha—Indiana

Chapter Paper Ready for Mailing

Through the efforts of Brother Steve Davis, Beta Alpha's recreation and TV room has been completely remodelled.



A DEAD HEAT was this finish of the dessert at Wisconsin's kids party. Guests were Miss CHARLENE BANBROUGH and Miss KATHY DALY.



Wisconsin's AL SITTNICK, playing Santa, disburses presents for the chapter's tiny guests.



Floor lamps and comfortable couches were purchased and the walls painted. This addition to the Shelter's spaciousness was one of the most worth-while accomplishments of the year. Assisting in the project were Arnold Brock and Larry Fleming.

Brother Chick Anderson, editor in chief of the *Beta Alpha News*, reports that his publication is ready for mailing. The circulation of the paper has been one of the chief projects of the chapter, and all friends and alumni can expect their copies soon. It is our hope that this medium will serve to foster alumni relations.

Santa Claus, in the person of Jack Tichenor, a Beta Alpha alumnus, visited the Shelter the last night before the Christmas holidays. Gifts were distributed and later given to the Bloomington Underprivileged Children's Fund.

ROBERT TRINKLE

Beta Beta—DePauw

Sights Set on Sports Trophy

Beta Beta Chapter has its sights set for both the intramural and varsity sports trophies. By annexing the swimming and golf titles, we soared to top position in the intramural competition. Dwight Walton and Dave Stone gained individual honors in swimming, as all other participants placed for points. Wally Johnson, Tim Ubben, Jim Gauss, and Larry Johnson composed the championship golf team.

After finishing second last year, Beta Beta Chapter is making a strong bid to win the Varsity Trophy award. The Deltas will be well represented on the baseball diamond. Walt Martens and Nick Osmer will be holding down the center and right field posts respectively, with Bud Johnson and Keith Schroeder giving the infield added strength.

One of the most lavish of Delt social functions, the annual Christmas party, highlighted the social calendar for the first semester. Faculty guests, including the President of the University, were in attendance for the dinner and skit.

We are now planning for our annual Sweetheart Banquet. The Banquet is for all engaged and pinned girls and any other girl on campus who has a Delt in her immediate family.

JOHN WOODWARD

Beta Gamma—Wisconsin

Christmas Party Entertains Underprivileged Children

The few months past saw Beta Gamma successful in sports, social events, and campus activities.

A rugged football squad fought to third place in its fraternity division as the climax to a race not decided until the last game. In basketball, sporting an

TED STOWE, at the piano, finds willing carollers at Beta Gamma's Christmas party.

unbeaten record for the season thus far, the Beta Gamma five is assured of a place in the University championship play-offs and is rated a good chance to beat the campus favorites in its remaining game. The badminton squad also remains unbeaten.

A Christmas in Olde Englande was the theme of the winter formal. Deltas and their dates strolled past ancient English storefronts or admired the stained glass windows which overlooked the dance floor of the Shelter.

One of the most unusual Christmas parties on campus was that which Beta Gamma, with a sorority, gave for a local children's center. On a December afternoon the Shelter was taken over by 26 probing, whooping boys and girls. Santa Claus distributed presents; cocoa and cookies were served; and carols were sung in what proved an unnecessary effort to provide a lively party.

The incoming officers are: president, James Swab; vice president, Chuck Forsberg; treasurer, Don Morton; corresponding secretary, Lee Baxandall; recording secretary, Bill Kramer; guide, Les Klevay; and sergeant at arms, Charles Spalding.

Beta Gamma is represented on almost all winter and spring Wisconsin squads: Les Klevay and Don Jefferson in gymnastics, Jim Aune in baseball, Bob Taylor in boxing, Don Hoffman in swimming, Fred Tischner in wrestling, Vic Sandman as captain of the ski jumpers, and Craig Laurenz and John Glidden in golf. Stan Stitgen, drum major of the Wisconsin marching band, and Bob Cotanch, a varsity cheerleader, will cheer them on.

Two major campus choirs are dominated by Badger Deltas. Roger Trumbore is president of the combined IF-PanHel chorus and Bill Cotanch directs the MediChoir. Four Deltas, two of them holding major roles, will appear soon in the first college presentation of "Annie Get Your Gun."

Vic Sandman has been chosen as chairman of the Hooper ski meet, a feature of Winter Week on campus.

LEE BAXANDALL

Beta Delta—Georgia

"The High and the Micey" Wins Homecoming Contest

All Hail, Brother Deltas! Fall quarter was indeed eventful for Beta Delta. First, to start things off with a bang, we walked off with the annual Homecoming Decoration Prize.

Appropriately, with the title of "The High and the Micey," a gargantuan monster 25 feet high was constructed in our front yard. This colossal creation stood over a ship representing the sinking Commodore of Vanderbilt. Eleven rats, each bearing the name of the Vandy football players, were seen emerging from the sinking vessel. The co-eds went wild when they viewed this towering Georgia football player with blinking and roving eyes. Artistry was that of Russ Poteet. This eighth wonder of the world was stared at by so many people that

traffic was held up for three blocks on this day of days. It was rumored that the local constabulary was called upon to restore order. Fortunately, there were no fatalities involved, but the size of the mobs assembled in front of the Shelter was enough to cause neighbors to bar their doors, thinking that the Yankees were mustering for another belated attack on the Classic City.

On the political scene, Russ Poteet was unanimously elected to fulfill the unexpired term of President Jim (O.D.) O'Daniels who "mysteriously" left the University at Christmas. (He received his B.B.A. Degree.) Another victim of these circumstances was Brother "Sid" Tucker—who received his B.S. in psychology.

Beta Delta now has an air armada of three airplanes purchased by Brothers Wade Ragsdale, Harry Pierce, and Dave Crane. It is rumored that they plan to buzz some of the Delta Shelters in this area. Watch out, Brothers!

The annual Sadie Hawkins dance was held during fall quarter. Dog Patch citizenry wandered in, as did a number of other persons.

And as the famed Jackie Gleason said, "Away we go"—into winter quarter with high hopes for a successful season of wildcat rushing.

T. R. WILLIAMS

Beta Epsilon—Emory

Chapter Sponsors Yule Party For Methodist Children's Home

At the dance which climaxed the 1954 social season, Memye Curtis, our beautiful new sponsor, was crowned and pinned. A junior at Agnes Scott College, she is a participant in the glee club, a member of the honor roll, and an officer of the Christian Cabinet Association. Memye is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walker L. Curtis of College Park, Georgia. Dr. Curtis is an alumnus of Beta Epsilon.

As is our custom each year before Christmas, we entertained some boys, about seven years old, from the Methodist Children's Home. We invited Delta Sigma Epsilon Sorority to help us. Individual gifts were given to the "kids"; in addition, our ping pong table was donated to the Children's Home. Dr. Curtis and Memye had surprised the chapter with a new table for a Christmas present.

We have done well in interfraternity contests. With our sponsor to accompany us, we placed second in the IFC sing. In the Empty Stocking Drive we waged a door-to-door campaign one Sunday morning to collect money to buy gifts for underprivileged children. We placed third with a collection of \$600.

JIM FRISBIE

Beta Zeta—Butler

Three Honored at Grid Banquet

Thirteen Deltas and their dates attended the annual Beta Zeta outing held at Spring Mill State Park during the

Thanksgiving vacation. This is the only Greek function off campus which is authorized by the faculty.

At the football banquet which honored this year's Butler team three Beta Zeta Deltas received awards. Seniors Dick Berndt and "Chuck" Boltin were awarded letter sweaters as members of this year's varsity squad. In recognition of their four years of service to the team, both Dick and "Chuck" were also presented with individual trophies. Junior Tom Wheeler received a letter sweater for his services on the Butler squad for the second straight year.

Joe Ditmire, junior forward, is a member of the Butler Bulldog varsity basketball team. Joe, a 6' 2" lad, is seeing considerable action in the Bulldog line-up. At present Joe is the fourth leading scorer on the quintet.

Don Powers, sophomore, has been appointed co-editor of the *Butler Collegian*, University newspaper. Previously Don served as sports editor.

John Fish has been elected sophomore vice-president in the school elections. Ron Gray was elected freshman class president according to Political Chairman Vic Lewis. Ron is also active in varsity sports.

At the Christmas dinner, held annually by the Mothers' Club of Beta Zeta, the chapter was presented with two neon lights. One light has the fraternity name inscribed upon it, while the other has the address of the chapter. The Mothers' Club also gave the chapter a wonderful turkey dinner before the season's holiday.

On December 17 the pledge class sponsored the annual Rose Dance which was held at the Shelter. This dance is regarded as one of the major functions on the campus social calendar. A pin shaped in the form of a rose plus a dozen real roses were given as favors.

DON POWERS

Beta Eta—Minnesota

Twin Cities Alumni Chapter Lends Helpful Hand to Actives

Beta Eta Chapter is on its way to bigger and better accomplishments, thanks to the active Twin Cities Alumni Association. The newly formed alumni Rushing Guidance Committee, composed of Glenn Schodde, John Madson, and Fred Stockdale, has been handling the bulk of alumni recommendations to the active chapter. Since the committee's formation, "rushing has never been so good!"

A very pleasant communication between the active and alumni chapters is the weekly dinner meetings held at the Covered Wagon Restaurant. Here delegates from the active chapter report to the alumni and receive good suggestions for chapter management. Close co-operation has been the byword, and it has paid off for Beta Eta Chapter.

Speaking of rushing and pledging, the week of winter formal rush netted five new men for Beta Eta Chapter, including two fine freshman football prospects. Bill Chorske and Al Gustafson, both of

Edison High School and engineering majors, ran at right half and tackle respectively for the Gopher hopefuls. A new rushing program by Chairman John Webber is certainly paying off with quality as well as quantity.

Beta Eta also found itself the possessor of some BMOCs this fall quarter. Ron Dick, business junior, was elected to the chairmanship of the Board in Control of Student Publications, following his election to treasurership of the Gopher Progressive Party, reigning campus political party. Ron Erhardt served on the executive council for the Interfraternity Council Pledge Camp. Kurt Pfeiffer is on the IFC Executive Committee as head of Intercouncil Relationships. Incidentally, Kurt's committee is now working on a program for the exchange of rushing pamphlets with other schools.

In other activities, Beta Eta is drilling on "Battle Hymn of the Republic" in an effort to retire another IFC sing trophy. Beta Eta retired the last one in 1950, a supreme effort requiring three years' winning. The bowling team got its proverbial second place in intramural competition. Haven't had a champion since last spring.

RON DICK

Beta Theta—Sewanee

Decorations Cop Second Place

In the contest for decorations at the annual Homecoming, the entry of Beta Theta Chapter was based on the theme of "St. George and the Dragon." A large castle was constructed on the battlements of which the "Sewanee Tigers" were depicted valiantly shooting the dragon on which a player of the opposing team was riding. Brother Pete Knapp, assisted by the pledges and some of the brothers, did an excellent job, for which the chapter received second place among the fraternities on the Mountain. An informal party was held on Friday night of this week end. This was followed by an-

other party after the dance which was held Saturday night.

The Christmas party, complete with Christmas decorations, was planned by Brother Bill Senter, social chairman. It was a great success. If the ego of the members had not been completely shattered by the skit which consisted of a satire on a fraternity meeting, the job was completed by the gifts exchanged among pledges and actives.

The chapter will hold its Rainbow Ball on February 11. This will be followed, on Saturday, but a banquet which will be held at the local inn before the Mid-Winter's dance.

In addition to play, the brothers have been working on their living room which is, at the present time, "wallless" and ceilingless but for the first time in several years, not beamless. The pine paneling of the walls and subsequent re-decorating of the room are to begin shortly.

An election of new officers was held in January, with this result: president, Brian Smith; vice-president, Dick Hayes; corresponding secretary, Frank Harrison; recording secretary, Ulysses Steele; and guide, George McCowen.

Beta Kappa—Colorado

Retain Intramural Water Polo Crown in Strong Field

The winter months have brought many wonderful times to Beta Kappa. The high light of the winter has been the annual pledge formal, following the theme of "Saints and Sinners," held in the Shelter. The first floor of the Shelter was decorated with a "heaven atmosphere" with dancing held in the living room to the music of Hoggy Harper. The recreation room, of course, held an entirely different fascination for the party-goers. The decorations and lighting were of a fiery furnace motif. The room was filled with red-checked, tableclothed tables and candle-filled wine bottles. It was here that the brothers and their

dates were able to relax to the excellent jazz of another branch of Hoggy Harper's musical aggregation. The *Colorado Daily*, a University publication, looked upon the dance as the "formal of the year."

Intramurally, the Delt water polo team successfully held its all-school championship by defeating two strong Sig Ep and Phi Gam teams.

Beta Kappa is well represented in winter sports. Dirk DeVries and Bob Reed have both been consistent high-point men on the swimming team, Dave Mowbray and Jerry Spicer are currently making their marks in the basketball world, and Dick Becker is once again setting a fast pace on the ski team.

The current calendar is now full with Delt Week, initiation, election of officers, and a complete intramural schedule in the not too distant future.

PHIL DURIAN

Beta Mu—Tufts

Homecoming Display Wins First

Rush Week is over and Beta Mu came through with flying colors, pledging 16 men.

Under the capable leadership of Brother Karger, Beta Mu walked off with the annual Homecoming Trophy for the best display.

Brother Cogliano was elected to Lambert-Kingsley, which is the honorary biology fraternity of Tufts College. He has also been editing the Ivy Book for the junior class honorary society.

The Christmas season was ushered in by the annual Pledge Formal which was held at the Salem Country Club. The following evening the pledges presented a party for the brothers which featured a quartet of pledges including Bruce Werner, Paul Bergstrom, Rich Lightcap, and Earl Kennan.

The brothers entertained 16 youngsters from an industrial school in East Boston. George Morse played Santa and presented each of the children with toys.

FRED BLISH

Beta Nu—M.I.T.

Boston Police Assist With Children's Yuletide Party

The Christmas season was held in the true Delt spirit here at Technology. Beta Nu had its annual Christmas party for underprivileged children just before vacation got under way. Phil Meyfarth played Santa Claus after he had been unanimously elected to do so at Sunday dinner. St. Nick arrived by Boston police patrol car while the kiddies hung out of the windows anticipating the goods he carried on his back. The presents were distributed and from that point on a stranger could not tell the brothers from the children, for all were fascinated with the various mechanical aspects of modern childhood's toys. Many games were played, and magic was performed by Brother Robert Cra-ven, retiring treasurer.



This husky squad is Beta Kappa Chapter's water polo team, University champs at Colorado.

M.I.T. Delts became league football champions late last fall, placing third in the final play-offs. We can thank Mike Tym, captain, and W. Oman, manager, for the team's wondrous improvement over that of last year.

We can all be proud of Bob Biehl, '56, as a member of the chapter. Bob's newly lected position as president of the M.I.T. Athletic Association is an accomplishment that can be blamed only on his hard work in other extracurricular activities. As his outstanding record now exists, he is the chapter rushing chairman, manager of the wrestling team, member of Beaver Key (athletic honor society at M.I.T.), and past Master Councilor of DeMolay.

WM. J. HALL

Beta Xi—Tulane

Delts Score in Midyear Rush

Beta Xi started off the present semester by picking up what we think will be fine Delt material. The total was 14 men. Much of the credit for this fine job goes to our excellent rush chairman, Ernie Hawkins. Rush week did not end for us, however, as this activity has been stressed throughout our new program.

Homecoming this year was a little discouraging because Beta Xi lost the first-place cup for the first time in three years. Homecoming day saw many of our alumni at the Shelter, singing and talking over the good times they had at the Shelter. The alumni have been backing us all the way, and with that strong force behind us, Beta Xi will always be a power on the Tulane campus.

"The Snow Flake Swirl" was the theme of our annual Christmas party. Gleb J. Aulow should be given much credit for his fine selection and preparation of our parties this year.

Interfraternity sports will resume after the holidays and we hope to be right up there when the season is over. Our winter formal is to be held March 25.

We wish to invite all alumni who can possibly make it, for it promises to be one of the best ever.

TED K. MESERVE

Beta Omicron—Cornell

Multitudinous Activities Place Chapter Second on Hill

Activities at the Shelter have been at a continued high note throughout the fall term. We achieved second position on the Hill in activities during the fall.

This activity has included our pledges. Pledge Lee Drake, who has been in every match so far, and Pledges Hugh Dingle and Mike Feakens are members of the wrestling team. Everett Westa is rising with the frosh crew.

Chances are that the 150-pound crew will again be predominantly Delt. We have seven men rowing now, including Barry Hart, last year's stroke, John Holton, Don Corey, Charlie Dane, Bob Winship, Keith Stewart, and Don Whittier. The fencing team, undefeated thus far, boasts two Delts, Joe Crisanti and Denny Caverly. Bob Nagler plays varsity lacrosse and Keith Stewart and Don Whittier are out whenever there is snow to practice with the skiing team. Dud Norton and John Holton, after being tapped last fall, are now members of the Red Key.

The house held its annual faculty reception during December. It was well attended, with over 300 faculty members and their wives in attendance. The reception was extremely well received, and many of the guests stayed later than scheduled.

The pledges are busy at work preparing for their pledge formal, to be held February 26. They are ironing out the details and after the exam break will have only the actual decorating to do.

Next year deferred rushing comes to Cornell. The program will be very much different from the old system of rushing the first week in the fall. It appears that there will be moratorium through-

out the fall term from now on, with formal rushing starting early in the spring term.

FRANK SULLIVAN

Beta Pi—Northwestern

Bob Christensen Captains Wildcat Wrestling Team

Beta Pi is mighty proud of Brother Don Williams. Don, the top artist on campus for three years, recently won the national art contest sponsored by *Leatherneck* magazine, publication of the Marine Corps.

Beta Pi's Bob Christensen is currently leading the Wildcat wrestling team. Captain of the team, Bob reached the finals of the NCAA tourney two seasons ago. Bob didn't compete last year because of Tech school co-op.

Ken Coffey has been appointed to the top post in the NROTC organization, Midshipman captain. Two others brothers are serving on the battalion staff: Andy Lampe is operations officer and Andy Van Sickle is public information officer.

Chapter President John Damore, co-captain of the '54 Wildcat football team, played in both the East-West Shrine charity football game and the Senior Bowl game.

First-string center for four seasons, John was one of the top linemen in the nation last fall.

Beta Rho—Stanford

Seven Delts Seeing Action With Indians' Hardwood Team

Beta Rho can certainly be proud of its contribution to Stanford's varsity basketball team this year. Out of 15 team members, seven are Delts, and of the starting five, we can claim three. Ron Tomsic is back in the line-up after losing a year because of a knee injury. George Selleck returns as guard, and Bill Bond is starting at forward. Ron and Hap Wagner, Carlos Bea, and Bepo Dyer are also seeing plenty of action as secondaries.

Larry Heim, Carver Nixon, and Don Koll will be competing again for Stanford this winter on the varsity swimming team. Sophomores Pete Likins (who was undefeated in freshman competition), Don Manoukian, and Kirk Nieland will be on the varsity wrestling squad.

At a recent alumni banquet, football Captain Win Wedge was awarded the Coaches' trophy for the year's player's player. This he received along with his fourth varsity letter.

The Delts received honorable mention for their float entry in the USC Homecoming parade and topped off the fall intramural competition by reaching the semi-finals in football. Intramural Coach Bob Gledhill is looking forward to a victorious season in basketball this winter.

TONY THOMPSON



A lucky combination for Tufts is this class of thirteen new pledges.

Beta Tau—Nebraska

Chapter's A and B Teams Sweep Grid Championships

Beta Tau Chapter made a clean sweep of the championship play-offs as they won both the A and B team touch football championships for the first time in the history of the intramural program. The A team then went on to capture the all-University trophy with a thrilling victory over the independent champs.

Delt dominance was even more apparent as Beta Tau captured nine out of 28 berths on the all-University all-star teams. Ray Mladovich and Dick Grant, top vote-getters in the balloting, were named to the first string on the A team, while Dick Geier and Bob Burnham made the second team and Jim Harvey

and Leonard Lingren were listed as honorable mention. In the class B all-star selections four of the seven first-stringers were Delts.

Delta Tau Delta continued to lead the intramural competition by winning second place in the swimming meet, by claiming three of the five flight champions in free throw competition, and by placing third and fourth in wrestling and tennis respectively. At this writing, Beta Tau has qualified the second highest number of men for the indoor track meet.

Delta Tau Delta has been among the leaders in other fields. We placed second in the Kosmet Klub Fall Revue and received an honorable mention for our Homecoming display. We participated in two Christmas projects by adopting a needy family and by helping the I.F.C. put on a Christmas party for orphans.

Miss Agnes Anderson, a senior member of Gamma Phi Beta and the fiancée of David Olson, was revealed as the 1954-55 Delta Queen at our winter formal January 8.

Don Glantz, 219-pound tackle, did yeoman duty as he went both ways for Coach Paul Brown's North all-star team in the Senior Bowl January 8.

Glantz, Don Erway, Leroy Butherus, and Joe Bayer all saw a good deal of action against Duke in the Orange Bowl, January 1.

Jack Parris, a junior drama student, is starring in the University Theater production of "The Madwoman of Chailot."

Bob Manley, first Beta Tau pledge, and Colonel "Hobb" Turner, retired chapter adviser, were the principal speakers at an alumni smoker held at the Shelter November 15.

PAUL E. COOK



University of Illinois Track Champions. Members of the Delt team, ED DELONG, BOB RANKIN, BOB MCKOWN, TOM HALL, RUSS BLAKE, and DAVE LANDRAM, receive their trophy from the intramural manager.



All-University touch football champions at Nebraska are these Beta Tau Delts. The headline says so.

Beta Upsilon—Illinois

Chapter Scores Decisive Win In Indoor Track Finals

Beta Upsilon continued its winning ways in the field of track by scoring an easy victory in the Intramural Indoor Track Finals. Bob McKown set a new meet record of 6.2 seconds in the 60-yard dash and also placed first in the broad jump. Ed Delong, former two-time winner of the state prep 880-yard run, placed first in the 600-meter event; and the Delt relay team composed of McKown, Delong, Tom Hall, and Dave Landrum won in its event. It was a fine first showing for the boys, who



Miss AGNES ANDERSON is presented as Delt Queen at Nebraska. Her escort is DAVID OLSON.

should see plenty of action for Illinois' track squad this spring.

The Delt pledges' fine showing earned them a third-place trophy in the Annual Skull and Crescent Pajama Races. There will be no shortage of trophies to decorate the Shelter library this year.

The winter formal, "Blues in the Night," was one of the social high lights this season and was well attended by several members of other fraternities on campus.

As usual, scholarship has been highly stressed, but we were a little surprised when two pledges in electrical engineering, Bob Eggers and Bob Rankin, received 4.8/5.0 averages, extremely high for mid-term. As final exams rapidly approach, we retire for a brief hibernation period, feeling pretty certain that there will soon be several new active members of Beta Upsilon.

DON KULL

Beta Phi—Ohio State

Four Delts Represent Buckeyes in Rose Bowl

Beta Phi Chapter held its annual Christmas party for underprivileged children this year with Delta Gamma Sorority. Twenty-five children attended. After movies and refreshments, Santa Claus arrived to give each child a gift. The party was a great success, due to efforts of hard-working Committee Chairman John Melchiorre.

New Year's Day, when the Ohio State Buckeyes played in the Rose Bowl, the Delts of Beta Phi were well represented. Those Delts seeing action were John Borton, quarterback and cocaptain; Frank Elwood, end; Fred Kriss, end; and Dick Guy, tackle.

John Borton is also vice-president of the Senior Class, while Dick Guy holds the position of vice-president of the Sophomore Class.

Pledge Jim Milliken has recently been elected president of the Freshman Class Council. Jim is also active in the Student Union Activities Committee and is vice-president of the pledge class. Another pledge who is also interested in campus activities is Joe DeCola. Joe is vice-president of the Freshman Fraternity Council and a member of the Fraternity Affairs Office.

Election of officers for this year was held recently. The men into whose hands was delivered the task of running Beta Phi Chapter were Ken Rengering, president; Dick Guy, vice-president; Fred Kriss, treasurer; Bill Machenbach, assistant treasurer; Frank Elwood, recording secretary; Bob Birch, corresponding secretary; Dave Wagner, guide; and Bill Onuska, sergeant at arms.

Three of the more dramatic members of Beta Phi—Dick Wray, Dave Wagner, and Pledge Bob Winters, held top roles in the recent stage production "Stalag 17." Beside these men in the spotlight, there were other Ohio State Delts who helped make the play the success that it was. These men, Dave Smith and Pledges John Gidcombe and Bill Bowen,

did their work in the public relations committee.

The Delts of Ohio State are eagerly awaiting the completion of the new Delt Shelter here in Columbus. Although cold weather has somewhat slowed up construction, the dream of Beta Phi is slowly materializing. At present, the final bricks are being laid in place. The Shelter is of colonial design and will house about 45 men. If all goes well, the house will be completed by mid-summer.

BOB BIRCH

Beta Psi—Wabash

Three Elected to Blue Key

By the time this letter gets to print, the second semester will be under way. Summing up everything, we had a good first semester with better expected in the future.

Charlie Reinhardt, Ralph Fenesy, and Buzz Koch were honored by election to Blue Key, national honor fraternity, several weeks ago. Leadership has been outstanding in the chapter this year. Seven of the 25 names on the B.M.O.C. list have a $\Delta T \Delta$ after them.

Bucky Dennis is high scorer in intramural basketball so far. And speaking of basketball, Dave Howarth, Jim Padgett, and Red Traviolia, all frosh, are on the varsity squad now and went to the Quantico Tournament where Wabash won third place. Our bowling team is undefeated in intramurals.

This first semester also saw the advent of a four-times-a-year newspaper, *Little Giant Delt*, to replace the once-a-year, expensive, and outmoded magazine that we used to publish. Finally, we gained one new pledge just before Christmas, Lary Shearer, a freshman halfback with a promising future.

The new semester will start with new house officers. Stan Matheny was re-elected president of the chapter. Jere Weliver will be vice-president; Don Caplinger, corresponding secretary; Ralph Fenesy, treasurer; and Bruce Olson, assistant treasurer. We wish them all the best of luck in this coming year.

BUZZ KOCH

New Shelter Going Up



Up goes the new Shelter at Ohio State. Delts will be moving in next fall.

Beta Omega—California

Delts Shine in Spring Sports

The election of spring officers, initiation of 100% of last semester's pledges, and finals have been occupying the time and energy of Beta Omega Delts.

Beta Omega's neophytes include Alan Rutledge, Timothy Railton, Lowell Waite, Ronald Freeberg, William Stuart, and James Walsworth. The pledge with the highest grades for the last semester was Tim Railton. He was awarded the Gilmer Scholarship Award by Amos Johnstone. The outstanding pledge award was made to Ron Freeberg, who has been cited for his fine house work and outside activities. Doug Tanner made this award.

New officers for Beta Omega are: president, Tom Wright; vice-president, Charles Welsh; recording secretary, Amos Johnstone; and corresponding secretary, James Walsworth. Along with the new committee heads, these men are planning spring rushing, an even more active social program, and a higher scholastic goal for the coming semester.

Spring sports will find many Bear Delts bringing home honors. Jere Brooks, Fred Beresferd, Doug Stowell, and Frank King will be on the baseball diamond. Jim Clinton, Frank Packard, Bill Stuart, and Jim Farmer will be out for track. Tony Torrance, Wylie Keeler, and Jim Clinton will be on the sailing team. Ron Woods will be in his third year holding down a top singles position on the Cal tennis team. Steve Van Tress, Bruce Towne, and Jim Walsworth will be seeing action on the golf course. John Pelkan is going into his second consecutive term as leader for the Cal rooting section during the basketball season. Brian Brennan and R. B. Richards will be managers for the freshman gymnastics teams.

JIM WALSWORTH

Gamma Beta—Illinois Tech

Delts Engineer Victories

The Delts here at I.I.T. carried quite a few offices in the recent mid-term elections. Elected by a landslide as Junior Member at Large was Dale Gruninger, who was also elected to an office in Beta Omega Nu, the local interfraternity honorary. Roy Anderson and Whitey Eschenlohr were elected to president and secretary respectively of the Junior Class, while Don Busam was elected to social chairman of the seniors. Don is also presently local and national treasurer of Pi Nu Epsilon, a national music honorary for technical institutions which do not confer a music degree.

Succeeding Jim O'Neill as president of the house is Gene Foley. Gene is also this year's I.F. Ball chairman, making him the third Delt in a row to hold this position. Other new house officers are Bob Baum, vice-president; Dave Geupel, treasurer; Roy Anderson and Art Payton, recording and corresponding secretaries respectively; and Dick Bright, guide.

The Delt pledges really outdid themselves with this year's Pledge Formal. It is the only formal dance held on the row itself, and the house was enhanced with a myriad of stars in the ceiling and a full moon hanging above the "horizon," adding to the theme of the dance, "Celestial Magic."

Following the completion of the bowling alleys in the new Commons Building, leagues were formed. The Delts, not wishing to bow and scrape to the mere whims of any league manager, formed a league of their own.

The semi-annual alumni party was held recently at the Shelter and was as usual a riotous success. The evening was crowned by a skit, presented by the pledges, that had everyone in stitches.

TOM BAUMGARDNER

Gamma Gamma—Dartmouth

Increased Activity in Revamped Shelter for Dartmouth Delts

The New Year saw quite a change around Gamma Gamma Chapter. First of all, the number of brothers was increased, as 28 pledges were initiated in December. The living room received a new rug and the Shelter took on a new look.

House activities made use of the revamped Shelter. A costume party given by the new brothers was one of the high lights as the house swarmed with arctic frogmen, fruit peddlers, dowagers, and assorted generals and Pharaohs. The only disappointment was when two rickshaw boys were unable to squeeze their equipment through the door.

A Christmas party for the Hanover grade school saw Fred Crocker as Santa Claus, while the other brothers alternated as horses for the hard-riding second graders.

The Delt hoopsters held a winning record as Brooks Parker, Larry Hagar, Bob Johnston, Fred Crocker, and Al

Congdon were the court stars. The hockey team turned out to be one of the strongest ever to grace interfraternity leagues as Bruce Bergquist tended the nets. The first line of Doug Archibald, Ken Thomas, and Jim Sanderson was ably backed up by Bill Faunce and Jim Green. Besides these stalwarts, Delt had a wealth of reserves who could keep up the scoring punch of the team while the opposition was trying to catch its breath.

Winter Carnival was planned to be the usual good time, as the house hoped to see some more of its graduates back. Ky Lewis is up often, while Milne Holton, Howdy Russell, and Billy White have also dropped by at the Shelter. The house is glad to have any of the grads come back to see us when they are in town.

Gamma Zeta—Wesleyan

Faculty Christmas Buffet Supper

As has always been the case for the past 26 years here at Gamma Zeta, one of the high lights of the winter season was the annual Faculty Christmas Buffet Supper. A large number of the men who serve Wesleyan either in a teaching or an administrative capacity came to the Shelter with their wives to enjoy an evening of preholiday cheer. Both guests and the Delt hosts agreed that the supper was a success, and those of us who have attended others in past years concurred with the older guests that this year's function even carried an extra measure of pleasant atmosphere. The house was simply but effectively decorated with greens, and a large tree freshly cut and artistically trimmed by our freshmen pledges graced a prominent corner of the living room.

Extracurricular activities of the University have been drawing continual manpower from Gamma Zeta. In the theatrical field Brothers Eager, Katis,

and Moore displayed their Thespian qualities. Graduate Division Brothers Hoyt and Smith are both preparing their own productions as partial fulfillment of their Master of Arts in teaching requirements. Tim Duffield, when still a pledge, showed an early interest in dramatics when he was cast in a recent production.

Several brothers who have previously been reported as members of Wesleyan publications are still retaining said positions with an eye toward advancements in the near future. Outgoing Costeward Dick Burrage has been successful in his capacity as director of Radio Station WESU. During his term in office the station has revised and extended its coverage, and now WESU offers many new and useful services to the College community. A loudspeaker with a direct line to the station has been installed on the Shelter's ground floor. It is expected that any events of special campus interest which originate here will be relayed henceforth via this system.

Athletically, five Delts and three pledges carried the name of the Fraternity in several areas. Brothers Lunsford and Pratt both found berths on the squash team, whereas Brother Pooley again brought honors to Wesleyan and Delta Tau Delta through his aquatic skills. Pledge Tummel, who prefers his water frozen, proved to be a valuable hockey player.

Shown seated in the accompanying photograph, Brothers Swanson and Go-belle and Pledges Burns and Sorenson assume rather relaxed and debonnaire poses for four successful wrestlers who succeeded in acquiring additional sports laurels for Gamma Zeta.

Still maintaining an enviable record as a long-standing member of both the Jibbers and the Cardinals is Brother Hume. Although this singing Delt will be graduated in June, freshman Pledge Dick Donohue is already well on his way toward his own fame in this field of "do re mis." He has been a featured



Following initiation in December, Gamma Gamma Chapter at Dartmouth.

soloist at University functions, and each week he conducts his own radio show of songs and piano accompaniment over the Middletown station.

At the time of this writing plans are being made for the forthcoming initiation ceremony which will already have passed when this article is read. Consequently, those men technically referred to as pledges will be brothers when in print.

ED. KONOPKA

Gamma Eta—George Washington

Two Rate Who's Who

The first semester in our new Shelter has come to a successful close. The brothers here have many achievements to reminisce about while studying for finals.

This was the semester that will be remembered for the establishment of the now very active Women's Auxiliary, which has already done much for the chapter and will continue to prove to be helpful in the future.

The past few months will also be remembered as the "semester of exchanges." We have had many successful exchanges with the Kappa Kappa Gamma, Pi Beta Phi, Sigma Kappa, Chi Omega, and Kappa Alpha Theta Sororities. The newest idea in exchanges—the exchange lunch—has been tried three times so far with the Pi Phis, the Kappas and the Chi O's and has been fabulous each time.

The semester has not been without its humorous situations. Take, for example, the night when the pledges brought back a Christmas tree for the Shelter—a tree two stories high. We solved the problem of where to put it by placing

it in the stair well, and trimmed it from the third floor. Or, we remember that fatal night when the Kappas and the Pi Phis, by mistake, both held their pledge formals. This caused many difficult decisions to arise concerning with whom and where to go.

In athletics the chapter has done well so far. Right now we are second in the race for the All-University trophy, not far behind the perennial victor. We

took first place again in swimming for the fifth straight year. In basketball, still in progress, we have entered two teams, the first still unbeaten.

On campus two of our brothers were selected for *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*. They are Jay Howard and Bob van Sickler. Jay is our present vice-president and a member of last year's Student Council. Bob is a member of several honoraries and editor of the engineers' rag.

Several good functions have been held in conjunction with the Delta Sigma Chapter at Maryland. The first followed the GW football team's near upset of Maryland (48-6) and the second came in January when we had the Maryland brothers over to our Shelter in a pre-game celebration for somebody's victory in the Md.-GW basketball game that was held a few days later.

We are all looking forward to the annual Founders Day celebration with the

JAY HOWARD
George
Washington
Member of
Collegiate Who's
Who
Chapter
Vice-President.



Wesleyan's Delt athletic representatives. Back row: AL LUNS福德, squash; BILL PRATT, squash; BOB POOLEY, swimming; and KEN TUMMEL, hockey. Seated, all wrestlers, are: CARL SWANSON, ERNIE GOBEILLE, TOM BURNS, and TOM SORENSON.



Gamma Eta's newly acquired Shelter at 1915 G Street, N. W. The welcome mat is always out for Deltas visiting the Nation's Capital.



Victorious swimming team at George Washington. Continuing a Gamma Eta tradition, these Deltas won for the fifth straight year.

Maryland and Delaware chapters and the alumni in this area on March 5.

BOB VAN SICKLER

Gamma Theta—Baker

Outlook Bright for Sweeping Intramural Crown Third Year

Gamma Theta at Baker University is again having a successful year in varsity and intramural athletics, campus club and class representation, and scholarship.

The Baker Delts have won championships in softball, volleyball, and basketball this year; so the chances of their winning the sweepstakes trophy for the third consecutive year look very good. If that is the case, the trophy will remain permanently in the trophy case at the Shelter.

The seniors are few in number this year but strong in scholarship. All of the candidates for graduation this spring have been included on the Dean's Honor Roll. They are Bob Ewbank, Bill Ore, Frank Terry, and Larry Haskin.

Bill Ore, president of the International

Relations Club, was Baker's representative to the Model United Nations meeting in Chicago over the Christmas holidays. He is also employed by the University as a student promoter.

John Layle and Larry Haskin are vice-presidents of the sophomore and senior classes respectively. Wayne Icenogle is at the helm of the Young Democrats.

Swede Malm, 6' 4" junior all-conference basketball star, is again proving his value to Gamma Theta. He is holding a strong 20-point-per-game average. Swede also was recently elected to succeed Charles Hill as treasurer of this chapter and is president of the Baker athletic club.

Neal Malicky, president of the chapter, is vice-president of the International Relations Club, an honor roll student, and a strong intramural competitor.

Dick Moherman, Baker quarterback last fall, was chosen to the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference second all-star team. He is a junior and will return next year as a contender for a first-team berth. Dick Purdy, junior tailback, received Conference Honorable Mention.

BILL MILLER

Gamma Iota—Texas

Swimming and Volleyball Titles Captured by Delts

This has indeed been a good semester for the Texas Delts, thanks chiefly to a 100% successful fall rush, a well-oiled intramural machine, and the usual participation in affairs-of-campus. What's more, plans for a \$175,000 addition to the present Shelter have been approved, and initial plans laid for the 1956 Karnea, slated for Houston—170 miles to the southeast.

The semester's report, by categories:

Intramurals: At semester's end, the Delts were well out front of the campus 'mural field, in competition that includes some 30 fraternities. The record presents unerring testimony to the ability of the chapter's athletes. The first sport of the term was football. The Delt A team finished second in fraternity play, the Delt B team was third. **Swimming:** the Delts copped their third all-UT title in the last four years. **Volleyball:** the Delt A team won the all-fraternity and all-UT championship for the third year in succession; the B team, also defending champs, took the fraternity cup and finished second in the all-UT competition. **Tennis:** Jim Woodson of Austin reached the finals before losing. The man behind it all is Dave Alter, who avows he'll bring the Campus Cup home to the brothers this year.

Scholarship: Winners last year of the Western Division scholarship cup, the Delts would like to have it again. In chapter ranks are 13 Phi Eta Sigmas, with prospects of three or possibly four or five more from the fall pledges.

Campus participation: Jack Little is serving as vice-president of the student body. Dave Williams has been re-elected president of Silver Spurs, one of the campus' two men's honoraries. It contains UT's 60 most outstanding campus leaders. Delt representation in Silver Spurs and Cowboys, the other service honorary, is one of campus' largest. Bunch Brittain is chairman of Student Party, one of UT's two political groups. George Beedle is a Phi Beta Kappa. There are ten varsity athletes in Gamma Iota's ranks. Willie Morris is secretary of Silver Spurs, president of Phi Eta Sigma, sports editor of *Daily Texan*. Roland Dahlin is one of three to be chosen Goodfellow in the yearbook.

Addition plans: Plans for a \$175,000 addition have been approved by the house corporation. Plans call for a swim-



FUTURES AT TEXAS include this addition to the present Shelter. Plans call for large patio, chapter room, and swimming pool. Anybody want to transfer schools?



Gamma Iota Chapter keeps moving ahead at Texas with this fine group of pledges.

DAVE WILLIAMS
Re-elected president of Silver Spurs, men's service honorary at Texas.





This bug-eyed giant earned second place for Santa Barbara Delts in Homecoming float competition.



WILLARD FIFIELD, Florida, '30, presents LARRY CARROLL, '56, first-place trophy for Delts' winning skit in the Gator Growl.



A Colgate football player finds himself caught in a trap drawn by Gamma Omicron Chapter at Syracuse.

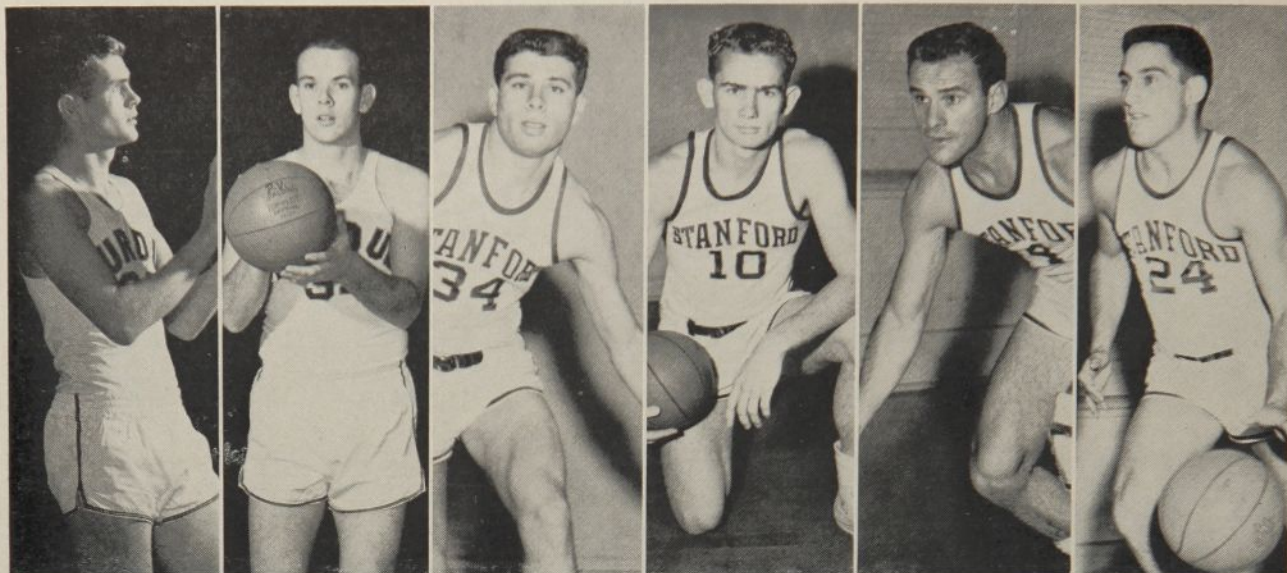


Prize-winning display of Delts in Rensselaer's "Beat Worcester" contest.



U.C.L.A. Delts and members of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority put together the float which was judged "most beautiful" in the mixed division during Homecoming on the Los Angeles campus.

Around the College Basketball Circuit . . .



DAN THORNBURG
Purdue

JOE SEXSON
Purdue

GEORGE SELLECK
Stanford

BILL BOND
Stanford

RON TOMSIC
Stanford

RON WAGNER
Stanford

ming pool, a large patio, a recreation room, chapter room, and new bedrooms and baths, all to be added to the present Shelter, which was built in 1941.

TCU Colonization: Delts Jack Little and Bob Keith were on hand in Fort Worth to help colonize a new local fraternity at TCU. Their report: mission accomplished, prospects good.

Gamma Kappa—Missouri

Lewis Represents Local IFC At National Fraternity Meeting

John R. Lewis, a junior in the School of Business and rush chairman in the house, was one of the two persons elected by the Missouri Interfraternity Council to represent the school at the National Interfraternity Conference, held in Philadelphia the first week end in December. An all-expense trip for four days and the meeting of our national officers and other Delt representatives were the things most enjoyed by John. This has been an honor bestowed on Gamma Kappa for the last two out of three years.

This honor is given only once a year; thus, Gamma Kappa has taken its place in campus politics as it usually does. The chapter hopes to report again at this time next year that John will have an administrative position representing the chapter in his Interfraternity Council work.

Though expecting a first-place trophy, the Gamma Kappa Delts were forced to be satisfied with a third in the Homecoming decoration contest this year.

The decoration slogan was "Tigers Hit

The Jackpot." We used a slot machine being played by a 12-foot tiger. Badly mutilated Jayhawks (Kansas was our Homecoming foe) came tumbling out of the slot when the jackpot was hit. The chapter worked hard up until the last minute preparing the exhibit for the judging.

We were all proud of our final achievement, but we can still go along with Brooklyn and say, "Wait 'till next year."

The annual Orchid Ball winter formal was held at the chapter house on December 3, in a setting of tropical splendor. Spanish moss and 2000 baby orchids flown in from Hawaii covered the walls and ceilings of the living and dining room areas where the Delts, their dates, and guests danced to a nine-piece orchestra.

The formal banquet was at Hathman House. After the dinner the party went to the Shelter, where Chapter President Warner Noxon crowned Miss Audrey Allen, Gamma Phi Beta, "Orchid Queen." She was presented a 30-inch-high trophy, a silver-crested crown, and bouquet of white orchids.

HENRY PILGRAM

Gamma Lambda—Purdue

Sexson and Thornburg Lead Boilermaker Basketball Fortunes

About the time Brother Bill Murakowski was hanging up his football shoes at the end of the football season, three other Gamma Lambda Delts were getting out their basketball shoes as that season got under way. These three are

Joe Sexson, Danny Thornburg, and Dan Alvarez. Unfortunately Dan Alvarez hurt his ankle early this fall and has been unable to operate at full effectiveness, but the other two, Thornburg and Sexson, are very much in evidence in Purdue's basketball plans.

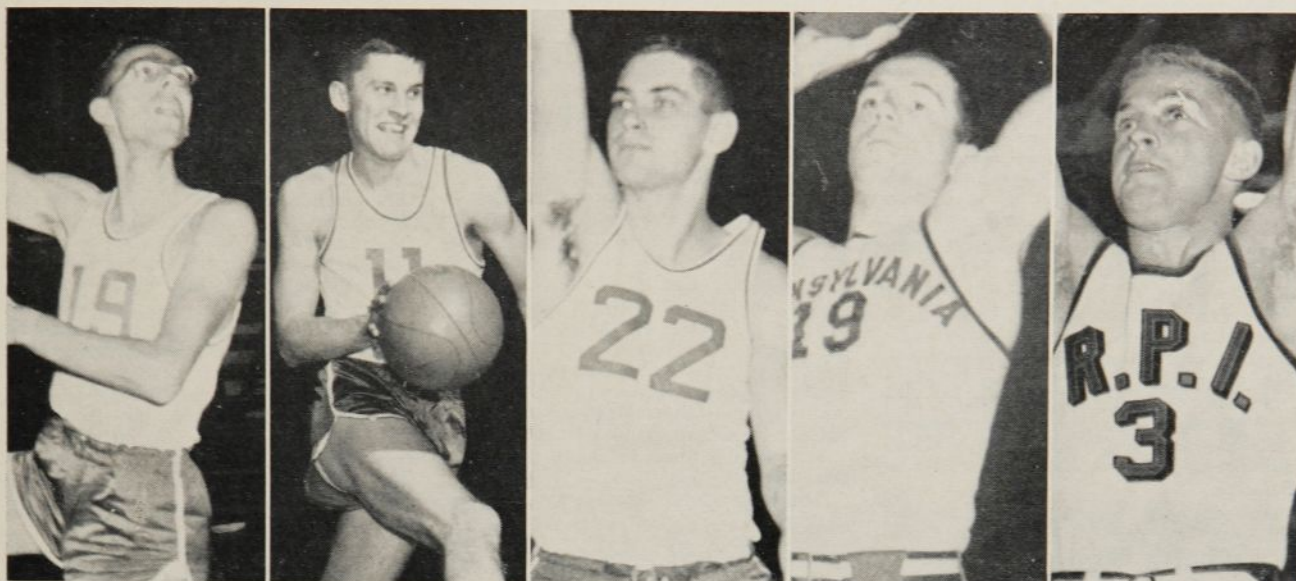
Purdue now has a record of eight wins and two losses, of which our two boys can claim a goodly part. They have averaged together 30 points a game; Joe has hit for 17 and Danny for 13 a game. Besides being high scorer for the Purdue five, Joe has done some very fine work in ball handling, defense, and rebounding.

Perhaps the most spectacular of Joe's feats is his stealing of the ball and subsequent lay-up under our opponent's basket. Another tribute to his shooting and ball-handling ability is the fact that he is called upon to play the pivot position many times despite the fact he is comparatively diminutive in size.

Danny Thornburg has been referred to many times as the play-maker and rebounder for the Boilermakers. Everyone around campus quite agrees that when Danny gets his hands near a rebound, there will be the devil to pay to any of the opponents that have similar designs on the basketball.

The rest of the chapter have been doing things, which, though they will never make the headlines of the local newspaper, are important here in this Shelter. We had a house dance early in December under the title "Blue Magic." We did some serenading with several sororities and to several other houses and the women's residence halls, had a special Christmas dinner for 13 underprivileged children of Lafayette

These Delts Are Parting the Nets



PHIL WEBER
Lawrence

DICK GAST
Lawrence

WARREN MANTHEY
Lawrence

BART LEACH
Penn

VIC NADASKY
Rensselaer

and vicinity, and spent the rest of the time trying to improve our social and scholastic rating around campus.

GEORGE F. MEISTER, JR.

Gamma Mu—Washington

Delts Win Frosh Presidency

Gamma Mu Delts continued their prominence in campus activities this year by boosting Pledge Jim "Bones" Parson to the Freshman Class presidency in the hotly contested frosh elections. Parson, a forestry major from Longview, Washington, has taken his seat along with Delts Jerry Windham and Wilson Arnold on the Board of Control.

Other Delts occupying key positions in campus life are Chapter President Ken Erickson, sports editor of the *Washington Daily* and publicity chairman of the Varsity Ball, annual all-University dance; Eric Van, who has been named rally chairman for the coming year; and Dom Driano, law student, who heads the judiciary committee of the student body. Ken Erickson and Warren Miller are the Delt members of Oval Club, activities honorary.

Harold Henkel, chapter treasurer, received academic and athletic honors. He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and was chosen the outstanding intramural volleyball star at the University. He was, in addition, the recent recipient of a \$500 General Electric engineering scholarship.

Sportswise, the Delts captured the all-University volleyball crown for the second consecutive year, thus obtaining permanent possession of the trophy. At

present, chances are good for another trophy in basketball.

On the social side, the Delts started off the season with the annual pledge dance held this year at the Seattle Tennis Club. Later in the quarter, they donned their Western duds for the barn dance. Winter quarter brings the annual Iris Formal and, in addition, many week-end ski parties are slated.

RALPH WETZEL

Gamma Omicron—Syracuse

Intramural Gridders Impressive

Colgate Week End was highlighted by the largest number of returning alumni in many years. Friday and Saturday night parties and a Saturday buffet dinner topped the list of activities for the grads, who also saw the local eleven score an impressive win. It's always good to have the familiar faces drop in and say hello.

Intramurally, the Delts have really been successful this year. In football, we swept through our flight with impressive 24-13, 22-6, 22-0, and 33-0 wins. Only some highly disputed calls by officials held us back in the play-offs as we fell 8-6 in a field of snow. Our basketball squad started in good form with an easy win in its opening and only battle to date, while the cross-country squad impressed with a fifth-place finish.

Our Colgate Week End poster was complimented as definitely one of the outstanding on campus and our Christmas Decorations entry was good enough to merit a second-place award.

Academically, the report is good around the Shelter with the news that the house is now in the top half of fraternities and above the All Men's Average. The move is up, up, and up.

Activitywise, the roster continues to grow with members daily adding new activities and honors to the already impressive list. Pete Latham has been named to Alpha Xi Alpha, the design honorary, and Karl Lerch has been initiated into Pi Mu Epsilon, the mathematics honorary, in addition to working as football manager. Bob Lefko was named cochairman of IFC Week End, while Pete Giopoulos is working as decorations chairman. Brad Bowers is on the senior band staff as property manager and Ed Thornton, Don Barlow, and Don Kessler are other members of the group. Ed Currier is a strong member of the frosh swimming squad and Roy Place was elected vice-president of Alpha Delta Sigma, the advertising honorary.

BOB LEFKO

Gamma Rho—Oregon

Needy Children Entertained

Oregon Delts got off to a flying start this term with their studies and activities mixed with plenty of Oregon rain.

Just before Christmas vacation the Delts and the Tri Delts gave a Christmas party for a few needy children of the Eugene area. The Portland Alumni Chapter's annual Christmas party was attended by Delts from the Oregon State, University of Washington, and the Oregon chapters.

This year's formal dance was held on January 15. "Mood Indigo" was the theme of the dance which honored the pledge class.

We have been active in intramural sports this term. In volleyball the Delt "A" team was second in its division. In intramural basketball we have a team in the "A" and "B" divisions. Both teams play four games before the division playoffs. With all of last year's championship bowling team back again this year, prospects for another winner look very good.

Two top men in handball should give us a good chance for the championship in that sport. They are Paul Peterson and Gene Henry.

So far this year seven Deltas have been active in drama and campus radio work. Dan Frank, Scott Lehner, Ron Morgan, Jack Baker, and Tom Waldrop have appeared in University plays.

Working on the radio station has occupied much of the free time of Deltas Bill Stanard, Frank Waldrop, and Phil Sanders.

Leading the Oregon cheering sections this year are Yell Leaders Larry Kromling and Walt Ching, giving us a good showing in that activity.

Activities planned for this term include a ski party, desserts, bowling parties, and stress on grades.

JACK BAKER

Gamma Sigma—Pittsburgh

Cotten Tapped for OΔK

The past semester has been a fruitful one for both the members of Gamma Sigma and the chapter itself. Standing out among the individual accomplishments was the tapping of Jarvis Cotten to OΔK. Jarvis, a physics major with an excellent scholastic record, was chosen for this honor on the basis of his work in the music field. He is president of the Men's Glee Club and is an outstanding member of Pitt's Varsity Marching Band.

Another illustrious brother, Bill Lane, a junior in prelaw, was recently tapped into Druids, the University's top sophomore honorary. Bill, the chapter's scholar, was selected for his work in student government.

Henry Lange, a Distinguished Military Student in Army ROTC, has been promoted to the rank of major in the Corps. Henry is also vice-president of the Senior Class and a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta and serves on Men's Council.

The members of Phi Eta Sigma have elected Jack Livengood as vice-president of that honorary service fraternity. Another brother who has made a noteworthy accomplishment is Don Kruper. Don, whose hypnotic powers have entertained the chapter for four years, has been accepted to the University's Graduate School of Psychology. Lynn Watson, a sophomore in prelaw, has been undefeated thus far in debate. Jim Zurcher, one of the chapter's contributions to Pitt's varsity swimming team, recent-

ly set a new pool record at the Pittsburgh Athletic Association.

In keeping with our outstanding athletic record, the Delt grid squad brought home the third-place trophy, and the bowling team captured first place in interfraternity competition.

Perhaps more gratifying than all the honors we have accrued in the past semester was the Christmas Party we gave for a group of 13 children from the Allegheny County Temporary Home for Children. It would be misleading to say we did it as a public service, considering all the enjoyment the brothers got out of playing with the kids and watching their eyes light up as they opened gifts. The Shelter took quite a beating and so did some of the actives, dodging toy arrows and playing "horsey." Ice cream and cake added to the festivities, which were climaxed by Ted Shaffer's appearance as Santa Claus. The party left the chapter so enthused that we are already looking forward to next year's get-together with our new little friends.

YOUR BROTHERS OF GAMMA SIGMA

Gamma Tau—Kansas

Cage Teams Rack Up Nine Wins

December was a short month for members of Gamma Tau Chapter at the University of Kansas as far as studies were concerned, but the preholiday period was the scene of three big events for the K.U. Deltas. The traditional winter formal, with the huge orchid tree and large all-white Christmas tree, turned the Shelter into a winter wonderland.

Many Deltas and their dates drove into Kansas City for the annual alumni party. The finale to the year-end activities was the Christmas stag, held the night before the Deltas traveled home to be with their families for the holidays.

The new year started off right as the K.U. Delt basketball teams won a couple of cage contests. The two victories ran the Shelter's consecutive winning streak to nine games without a defeat thus far in the season. If the basketballers continue to hustle, a couple of new championship trophies may grace the Shelter trophy room soon.

A number of K.U. Deltas have made individual accomplishments during the past several months. Don Johnson, Bill Nofsinger, Tom McCall, and Jerry Nelson were recently initiated into the Arnold Air Society, an honorary Air Force society. Jim Devlin was initiated



BILL GRAHAM
Homecoming King
Miami University.

into Scabbard and Blade, an honorary R.O.T.C. society. For achieving the highest score on a recent stanine test in A.F.R.O.T.C., Dick Glenn received the Convair Cadet Award. Roger Jones was named to the K.U. Relays committee.

LARRY STROUP

Gamma Upsilon—Miami

New Regime Installed

A new regime has taken over the Shelter here in Oxford, Ohio. Joe Ellsworth was elected president, and Terry Stanton vice-president. To assist Joe and Terry, Bruce Bell, Dave Burr, Bill Swanson, Ed Grabill, and Bill Willis hold down the offices of recording secretary, corresponding secretary, treasurer, sergeant at arms, and interfraternity council representative respectively.

Two of the more prominent high lights of the social calendar have been the "Lost Week End Party" and the Christmas formal. Under the direction of Forbes Taylor, social chairman, both affairs were successful and attracted students for all over campus.

Brother Bill "Otto" Graham now reigns as Homecoming King here at Miami University. After a lapse of several years, Bill has returned the crown to the Shelter, where we hope it will stay. "Otto" piloted our interfraternity football team at the quarterback slot during the grid season, and because of his capable signal calling, the team reached the finals. Bill, a senior in the school of business, is majoring in accounting and will try his hand at the business world after a stint in the armed forces.

Brother Tom Shaver was elected to the Iota Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa here at Miami University. Tom was one of the two men chosen for this high honor. Brother Shaver is a government major in the college of arts and science with minors in the fields of economics and history. Upon completion of his enlistment in the Marine Corps, Tom plans to pursue graduate studies in the field of law.

CHARLES BOUDREAU

Gamma Chi—Kansas State

Wildcat Halfback Corky Taylor Roms in Two Bowl Games

Cecil (Corky) Taylor continued to star on the football field. The senior Kansas State halfback and cocaptain played in two postseason bowl games. He played for the West in the East-West game in San Francisco and for the North in the Senior Bowl game in Mobile, Alabama. Taylor was named to the All Big Seven Conference first team by several ratings.

In intramurals, Gamma Chi has taken division championships in both fall sports. Deltas won their division in football, but were eliminated in semi-final play. They also won their division in basketball and won their semi-final game before suffering a one-point loss in the finals, thereby finishing second among

the 22 fraternities at the College. In other events, Doug Heath was individual champion among the fraternities in horseshoe play.

Bill Patton was runner-up in the annual FMOC (favorite man on the campus) contest at K-State.

Stu Hazard has been elected president of the chapter for the coming two semesters. Wilbur A. Schleifer is vice-president; Don Pope, treasurer; Bob Quanz, assistant treasurer; Gerry Day, corresponding secretary; Dave Larson, recording secretary; Delwyn Dickey, sergeant at arms; Dick Haines, guide; and Bill Patton and Walt Orloff, historians.

Three Delts are on the debate squad. They are Gerry Day, Dave Larson, and Pat Loyd.

Charles Imthurn is a member of K-State's championship livestock judging team.

Two pledges, Tom Riemers, and Jim Morelock, are on K-State's freshman basketball squad.

LEE RUGGELS

Gamma Psi—Georgia Tech

Fourteen More Delts Move in As Shelter Addition Completed

We of Gamma Psi Chapter are pleased to report that the addition to our Shelter has been completed. In the past two weeks 14 additional brothers have moved into the enlarged house. Although we have not finished all of the painting and trimming, we are only a few weeks from our goal.

Back in December we held our annual Christmas party. Brother Gordon Oliver reluctantly agreed to don a Santa Claus suit and to give out the presents. So we gathered around a large Christmas tree in our partially finished living room and waited for gifts. As is customary here at Gamma Psi, we provided Christmas gifts for four needy children.

We would like to extend a special invitation to all our alumni to come see our remodeled house. If you'll come by real soon, we'll let you borrow a paint brush and help.

ROBERT C. SMITH

Delta Alpha—Oklahoma

Denner Elected President

Tom Denner was elected president of Delta Alpha Chapter in a recent meeting. Other new officers include Bob Randolph, Ronnie Vaughan, and Travis Brown, who will serve as vice-president, secretary, and treasurer respectively. Besides his new duties as president, Denner is secretary of the IFC and head cheerleader here at O.U.

Dad's Day at OU found a record number of dads spending the week end at the Shelter with us. Fifty-five dads attended the dads' meeting and the football game with Missouri afterward. It is always a pleasure to have our dads here with us.

Aside from winning the football game with Nebraska, the spotlight fell on our

many alums who returned to the house to renew old acquaintances. A buffet style dinner was served after the annual alumni meeting in the lounge. We also entered homecoming decoration competition, placing fourth among 32 entrants.

One of the most inspiring events around the Shelter this year is the way the members and pledges together got behind the Campus Chest Drive for the Community Chest Fund. Under the able leadership of Dan McNatt, the house contributed a record \$323.

Under the able leadership of Lee Kennedy and Jim Jackson, the OU Delts have been enjoying some fine social events. Our fall formal was held in the Beacon Club in Oklahoma City. The Christmas party found a buffet style dinner with Santa Claus presenting presents to all, then dancing afterward at the Norman Country Club. An outstanding event of January will be the annual Tulsa Alumni Dance held by our Tulsa alumni. The chapter will trek to Tulsa January 29 for the event.

The Delts placed second in the all-school wrestling tournament held in December. Harry Holt, Chuck Williams, Don Treps, Bud Cole, and Jim McSherry represented the Purple, White, and Gold in the meet. Our basketball teams, both A and B, are undefeated and will play in the finals. We are hoping to add two more trophies to the collection with these teams. Delt bowlers won the fraternity championship for the third straight semester in the recent play-offs.

BILL MOFFETT

Delta Beta—Carnegie Tech

Football and Wrestling Trophies Come to Carnegie Delta Shelter

At the time of this writing, the men of Delta Beta are finishing the fall semester with final exams. We are hopeful that the end of this semester will find us above the All Men's Average in scholastic attainment. A concentrated scholarship program in the last year has raised us from 12th to 7th among the 12 Tech fraternities, but nothing less than leadership in this department will satisfy us.

The Delts copped a first-place trophy

in touch football, and John Kummer, Bill Wilton, Ken Laughery, and Jack Cunningham were elected to the campus all-star, six-man team. We took the campus championship in wrestling this fall with a fine team led by Earle Bisbey and George Bangs. Among the minor intramural sports, at the present time our bridge, bowling, and water polo teams are undefeated.

Together with Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority, we again put on our annual Christmas orphans' party a week before Christmas vacation. With a real Santa Claus (played by Dan Walker), movies, cookies, hot dogs, ice cream, and a present for each orphan, it is easy to see why the children enjoyed it almost as much as we did.

MAX PORT

Delta Gamma—South Dakota

Coyote Basketball Roster Boasts Four Delta Taus

Delta Gamma is in the midst of preparation for the annual all-University vaudeville Strollers show. This year we're joining Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority. We are trying to win our fourth Stroller award for the best act.

Four Delts are on the USD basketball roster this winter. Dick Wold, sophomore forward, has been one of the top performers. Bob Middleton, junior center and forward, was hampered early in the season by an injured ankle, but is beginning to hit his usual good form. Jim Ryan and Dave Paulson, both consistent players, add reserve strength to the Coyotes.

Pledges Clayt Kiewel and Rog Nelson are both leading scorers on the freshman squad. Bill Arteman, another pledge, plays with the Pups also.

Bob Enders, junior business administration student from Kadoka, was elected president of Delta Gamma for the next two semesters. He succeeds Ben Blumenthal.

We have four teams in the intramural basketball league. The A team, champions last year, lead the pack with a 3-0 record. The only other intramural sport in season now is bowling. Chances



Mrs. RUTH MARTELLE, housemother at South Dakota, poses with her charges—pledges, all 35 of them.

look good to recapture the trophy lost last year.

"Our Own Jim" Walters, dramatic arts student, has been quite busy on the play, *The Mad Woman of Chaillot*. In addition to being stage manager, he plays the part of Pierre, a typical French lover.

CHARLES ALLEN

Delta Delta—Tennessee

Play Santa Claus for Thirty-five Needy Children

The new year brings the election of new officers at the Tennessee Delta Shelter. New president is Bill Hoskins. Other new officers include: John Rose-land, vice-president; Bob Tate, treasurer; Maurice Parker, corresponding secretary; and Pete Peletz, recording secretary.



BILLY JOE
HOSKINS
Recently named
head of the
chapter.

We were host to 35 underprivileged children at Christmas time. On the Sunday afternoon before we left for our holidays, the group, from a neighboring school, was entertained at the house with games, movies, songs, and a visit from Santa Claus himself. Pledge Jerry (Tiny) Merritt took the part of old Saint Nick and gave a creditable performance without the necessity of any padding at all. Delt Queen Anne Thompson and a group of girls from Sigma Kappa Sorority assisted with the party. Ice cream and cake were served to all after Santa had given out presents to every child.

Every two weeks Delta Delta entertains one of the sororities with a short get-acquainted party. Groups which have been entertained thus far include: Delta Delta Delta, Alpha Omicron Pi, and Sigma Kappa.

JOEL CARTER

Delta Epsilon—Kentucky

Delts Co-ordinate Greek Christmas for Children

For the seventh year, Delta Epsilon has organized parties at Christmas time for the less privileged children of Lexington. Twenty-one fraternities and sororities participated in this heart-warming endeavor and over 250 children experienced a happier Christmas because of Kentucky's Greek organizations. Brothers Everett Pfanstiel and Bill Riheldaffer were the Delt chairmen in charge of arranging the parties this year.

Brother Terry Regan contributed his Santa-like anatomy to the cause and spread benevolence and presents of clothing, toys, candy, and fruit to the children. Many of the brothers felt that they had benefited as much or more than the children for having given of their time and effort in the making of the parties a success.

"Tomorrow's Travelers," a WHAS radio feature broadcast in the interest of safe driving in Kentucky, recorded two numbers by the Delt chorus last December for delayed broadcast presentation on January 15. The two songs aired during the half-hour show were spiritual "Pore Ol' Lazarus" and a Handel-like arrangement of "Old Mother Hubbard." The producer of the series of radio shows is Brother Jack Feierabend, Delta Epsilon alumnus.

Retiring Chapter President Marvin Suit, commerce senior from Flemingsburg, was designated as a "distinguished student" by the University of Kentucky Department of Air Science and Tactics.

Twelve other U.K.R.O.T.C. students were similarly honored.

Brother Jim Crawford has been accepted into Lances, junior men's honorary society. Brother Jack Nelson was accepted into the national scholastic honorary fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa.

Brothers Harry Conley, Jim Smith, and Pledge Jim Deacon were recently initiated into Phi Eta Sigma, the freshman scholastic fraternity.

With the advent of the new year, the boys of Delta Epsilon are looking forward to a new semester, initiation of the last fall pledge class, mid-term rush, and the everyday enrichment of fraternity living.

DON LENNARTSON

Delta Zeta—Florida

Win Two Homecoming Awards

The University of Florida prepared for 1954 Homecoming with its theme of "Take a Holiday the Gator Way." Delts captured the Homecoming spotlight by having one of its alumni, Willard Fifield, DZ, '30, act as master of ceremonies at Florida's Gator Growl. The Gator Growl is held on the night before the Homecoming game on Saturday. At Gator Growl Delta Zeta captured the first-place trophy for the presentation of "Oklahamlet" in the fraternity skit participation. "Oklahamlet" was the story and words of the tragedy *Hamlet*, cleverly set to the music of "Oklahoma" for a rollicking musical comedy.

Delts continued to dominate the Homecoming scene by winning second place in the fraternity division in the Homecoming parade. Although winning only second, the Delts' float was judged one of the most colorful in the parade. Adorning the float were several Southern beauties including Delt Sweetheart Phyllis Jones, Chi Omega president; Lynn Taylor, Miss University of Florida; and Ruth Garst, Orange Bowl Queen. This gave the Delts the singular honor of being the only fraternity on campus to win two homecoming trophies. The Homecoming scene was closed with a barbeque chicken supper attended by about 300 alumni, actives, pledges, and their wives and dates.

Also at Homecoming, the house corporation held its annual meeting and elected its officers for the next year. They include John V. McQuitty, president; James L. Wattenbarger, vice-president; William H. Jones, secretary; Robert Z. Jenkins, treasurer; and Sidney Lenfestey, member-at-large.

BEN GRIFFITH

Delta Eta—Alabama

Burn Mortgage at Homecoming

The past four months have been extremely fruitful, especially since we were able to finish paying the debt on our house and to burn the mortgage at Homecoming. This, of course, means that now we can go ahead with full-scale plans to construct a badly needed



"Gator Land Express," Delt entry in Florida's Homecoming Parade won second place. Delt Sweetheart is PHYLLIS JONES.

new Shelter in the not-too-distant future.

Delt Brothers Bill Berry and William Gould had the unusual honor of being chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Bill is also president of Quadrangle, a junior-senior men's honorary, and treasurer of Jasons, the campus senior men's honorary. William Gould is also a member of Quadrangle and was cited for his executive work in numerous campus functions. It might also be mentioned that Joe Cocke, Sandy Wheeler, and Norman Waddle were tapped for Druids, the sophomore men's honorary, and that Sandy Wheeler was elected vice-president of that group.

In football the Delts were picked to win the championship but were upset in the finals and finished in third place. We bounced right back, however, from this setback and won the football field meet trophy by a landslide.

Basketball season has begun, and we have won our first three games, leaving us four more before the end of the season and the finals (in which we have also been slated to run very strong).

Delts held the annual Bowery Ball, which was a huge success for everyone present. The Christmas Party was also acclaimed by all, and as usual the Delts played host to about 25 underprivileged children from in and around the city of Tuscaloosa.

IAN N. WHEELER

Delta Theta—Toronto

Rush Efforts Meet Crisis

The continued efforts of our rushing committee have resulted in pledging a total of 14 men since September. Since we were weakened by a large graduating class and consequently had only 11 actives return this year, most of the credit for a successful year should go to the rushing committee. Led by Jim Crysdale, it has laid the foundation for future years assuring us that we will never have to meet such a crisis again.

Our annual Initiation Banquet was one of the best in years. Many alumni turned out to meet the neophytes and renew old acquaintances. Our Hard Times Party, rapidly becoming a tradition, was one of the high lights of our fall social calendar. The pledges are to be congratulated on their excellent skit imitating the actives, which they presented at the party.

As is the custom of this chapter, we had a Christmas Banquet for twelve underprivileged children from Woodgreen Community Centre. After the children left, the chapter had its own Christmas banquet followed by dancing. Still to come is the Fraternity Formal at the end of January and the Founders Day Banquet in February.

The Delts are well represented in University activities. Jack MacLeod is president of his engineering class and the Aeronautical Club. Dick Bright, a pledge, besides attending college on a scholarship, is making a name for himself in basketball circles and is presently trying out for the intermediate team.

Alec Fraser, another pledge, is playing basketball for the engineers and Bill McCachen is playing hockey for the same faculty.

During Work Week the pledges renovated the basement, adding another room and redecorating the present ones, besides generally cleaning up the house and grounds. We would like to thank Delta and Iota for the hospitality they accorded our pledge safaris and hope for a return visit soon. The welcome sign is always out at Delta Theta for any and every one of our brothers.

S. A. C. KING

Delta Iota—U.C.L.A.

Leadership Award for Don Black

Another semester has ended and several Delts have made names for themselves in the world of sports. From the Number One football team in the nation Jack Ellena was voted All American. Roger White lettered at tackle. On the oval, Bobby Hunt will be after some records next semester. Wayne Werling is out for baseball and Bob Hedenburg will compete in gymnastics.

Officers for next semester were just elected. Dick Bardin, an engineering student, is president. Vice-president is Bob Stickney. Dave Owen is treasurer and house manager.

This semester the house had several exchanges and parties, highlighted by the "French Apache." The top event, however, was the Christmas Formal. The Tri Delts and Delts pooled their resources on this one. It was held in the Mayfair Room of the Beverly Wilshire Hotel.

Don Black, president last year, was voted the Emmett Bishop Award for scholarship, loyalty, and leadership in Delta Iota. The award for the best all-around athlete last year was given to Malcolm Riley. In intramurals Walt Alves, end on the Delt team, was chosen outstanding player for his play on the "All Star" team in the game against the fraternity champs. Walt received a fine trophy.

A Christmas dinner was given for several underprivileged children. For Christmas presents they received small footballs autographed by All American Jack Ellena.

ROBERT SPROUL

Delta Kappa—Duke

Stage Carpet Bagger's Ball

The Duke Delts' social curve swept to a new high this fall as brothers and dates took to the woods en masse for an afternoon and evening of fun and frolic.

Determined to keep the social program at the required pitch, Social Chairman Sterling Brockwell next planned a dinner dance with a take-off on the Kappa Alpha Order's "Old South Ball" as the theme. You guessed it—a "Carpet Bagger's Ball." Costumes ranged from "Sinbad Sims the Sailor" to an authentic

Ku Klux Klan outfit, complete with bull whip. The piano may have been a whole step flat, but who needs music to dance with a beautiful girl in Delta Hall?

Delta Kappa was riding high with a Division II football championship safely tucked away in the record book, but the "spirited and powerful" pledge class, under the direction of a Phantom Pledge who has an amazing knack for making chairs, benches, and coffee urns disappear under the wary eyes of the brothers, figured how they could easily show our championship team a thing or two. The outcome demonstrated that, with a little practice, the pledges would have a fairly good scrimmage team.

Christmas time came and Pledge Norm Gregersen went home to Coral Gables, Florida, expecting to see about 20 brothers pitching tents on his lawn a few days prior to the Orange Bowl game. How many finally showed up wasn't determined.

We challenged Beta Tau at Nebraska to a skin, but they wisely declined.

WILLIAM J. WORTMAN

Delta Lambda—Oregon State

Observing 25th Anniversary

On May 21 and 22 of this year, Delta Lambda will observe its 25th anniversary of the chapter installation which was held on May 24, 1930. Bob Scott, general chairman, is working on obtaining speakers and entertainment for the celebration.

A section of the Shelter was rebuilt this term in order to furnish living quarters for our new housemother, Mrs. Francis G. Spencer. Mrs. Spencer, who recently moved to Corvallis from St. Joseph, Missouri, is the first housemother in Delta Lambda history.

DICK COYNER
Oregon State
Editor of School
Paper and Last
Year's Editor of
Yearbook.



As usual, the Delts have been active in campus activities. Marv Smith, Dave Beadling, and Bill Strader were elected school senators, and Dick Jones was elected junior class treasurer. Bill spends most of his nights practicing his lead role in the play, "Country Girl," which will be presented in February. Senior Dick Coyner added another activity to his already large list this term, with his appointment as editor of the school paper, *The Barometer*.

Four honor roll students last term with a 3.5 or better were Bob Hermesen, Dave Beadling, Bob Miner, and Tom Boennighausen. Seven of the pledges made above a 3.00 average, and three others were above a 2.5.

Last fall, the intramural football team finished the season in a tie for second place in the league. Marv Smith and Larry Haller were voted to the fraternity all-star team and Hod Wells and Ralph Holland received honorable mention. Ronald Pattee and Dave Neilson placed high in intramural golf and will go out for the varsity team this spring. Gary Coyner, speedster from Tule Lake, California, is out for freshman track this term.

As for extracurricular activities, early one November morning pajama-clad Delts were engaged in capturing students from the rival University of Oregon campus who were attempting to burn the Oregon State Homecoming bonfire. Amateur barbers and artists tried their talents on ten unlucky Ducks who fell prisoner to the OSC students. Pledge Gary Coyner disappeared during the skirmish and was not seen again until late afternoon, when he was returned from the University of Oregon campus with a pate almost as bare as that of our venerable faculty advisor, Fred "Casper" Zwahlen.

LEROY S. MARTIN

Delta Mu—Idaho

Sophomore Dick Weeks Elected Class President

Gene Dickey received a \$400 scholarship for the 1955 fall term in medicine at Washington University in St. Louis. Earlier in the year, Gene was awarded a book by Phi Beta Kappa, scholastic honorary, as one of four outstanding juniors. Gene is also on the A.S.U.I. Executive Board and in many other activities.

Dick Weeks was elected sophomore class president. Roger McPike, another Delta Mu activity man, was tapped for Pi Gamma Mu, social science honorary. Roger was also campaign manager for the Greek Party in the class elections. Al Reeb served on the Election Board. Others being tapped for honoraries were Dan Davis, Steve Harrop, and Bill Bauscher. Dan was tapped for Hell Divers, local swimming club; Steve Harrop and Bill Bauscher for Scabbard and Blade, military honorary. Bill is also treasurer of the I.F.C. and vice-president of the "I" Club.

On the sports scene, Delta Mu is well represented. Bill Bauscher is one of the five "Iron Men" on the Idaho varsity. Bill is an outstanding ball-handler. Also playing basketball is Gary Simmons. Gary is a starter on the frosh five. Although he is the smallest, he is the top scorer. On the frosh swimming team are Dick Galloway and Dan Davis. They swim distances and sprints respectively. Ken Goodwin and Jerry Duffy are on the gymnastics squad.

Since the last State Legislature convened, Delta Mu has been represented there. John Kugler, a senior law student at Idaho, was elected Representative to the legislature from his county. John is a Phi Beta Kappa. John is also the youngest person in the legislature.

Delta Mu is in the top ten in intramurals. We are winners of the intramural debate trophy. The team was composed of Al Compton and Don Lawrence. In addition, we tied for first place in tennis. On the team were Dick Weeks, Ed Russ, and Dick Galloway.

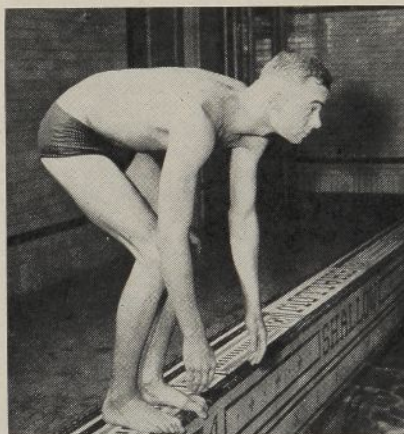
In return for the annual Pledge Formal put on by the members, the pledges put on a party for the members. Following the Pledge Party, Delta Mu had its annual Halloween Party with the Delta Delta Deltas. The girls led the Delts blindfolded through a "crazy house" in the cellar. January 8 was the date of the Annual Odd Ball Dance. Attended by more than 200, it was one of the greatest dances held on the Idaho campus this year.

W. ALLAN REEB

Delta Nu—Lawrence

Swim Trophy Won by Delts

Last October 16, Brother Ralph Jaenicke re-introduced a long forgotten custom on the Lawrence campus—the formal pinning serenade—accompanied by a noble toss of a dozen red roses to his girl, Theta Gretchen Sieg. Al-



ROLF DEHMEI, sophomore swimming ace at Lawrence College.



Much in demand on the Lawrence campus are the Deltones, popular singing group.

though Brother Jaenicke is not spectacularly graceful, he made a perfect throw as the chapter sang "My Delta Queen." All is all, it was well received and caused much discussion about campus.

Another "first" by the Delts this fall was the coping of the interfraternity swim meet with Brothers Dehmel, Dohr, Palmer, and Thorson receiving the honors. Third place in football was also taken by the Delts, giving us a present standing of second in the interfraternity athletic ratings.

Swimmer Dehmel, in addition to interfraternity participation, holds down a berth on the varsity swim team, where he is Lawrence's candidate for the backstroke and the 150-yard medley. *The Milwaukee Sentinel* describes his last meet as follows: "As a sophomore, Rolf has shown exceptional potential. In his first intercollegiate meet against a powerful St. Olaf squad, he scored two individual firsts and was a member of the winning relay team."

Socialwise, we entertained with our annual fall formal and again with a Christmas tree-decorating party, both of which met with a great deal of success. In addition, we had a Christmas serenade with one of the sororities on campus which was also very successful, due in large to the presence of Gordy Palmer, Jack Tichenor, and Ron Seinnwill, who as a trio make up the "Deltones."

In varsity basketball the Delts this winter have donated three men to the first team: Dick Gast, guard, and the team's highest scorer, and Phil Weber and Warren Manthey, who hold down starting forward positions. Gast, by the way, is our chapter president.

The participation of Delts in school functions can probably best be illustrated by the part they play in The International Relations Club, consisting at the present of approximately 75 members. John Fisher is the president, Floyd Hudec is vice-president, and Ward Young is secretary-treasurer. They're all Delts.

CHUCK MONTAG

Delta Xi—North Dakota

Delt Defensive Stalwart For National Hockey Crown Contenders

The Kris Kringle Christmas Formal, held just prior to Christmas, was most successful.

Second semester rush plans are well under way, with Bruce Listoe heading the rush committee.

Brother Delt Rudy Slupski is playing defense for the North Dakota hockey team which figures to be in strong contention for the National Hockey Crown by virtue of two victories over last year's runner-up, Minnesota.

Delta Xi's intramural teams rank fifth on a campuswide basis in their quest for the intramural trophy which is given to the organization which gains the most points in all competitive sports.

DENNIS HOLWEGER

Delta Omicron—Westminster

Will Attend Washington Semester

Jim Whitney was recently chosen to attend Washington Semester, which is held at American University in Washington, D.C. In order to receive this appointment, a student must be a junior, have an 88 average, and be considered by the faculty to display outstanding ability and leadership.

In the line of appointments, John Gunn, a junior, has recently been elected to join the ranks of the ODK, honor fraternity.

For the sixth consecutive year, the Delts' track squad dominated the annual Father's Day meet and added another athletic plaque to the Shelter walls. Standouts of this year's meet were "Big John" Cantwell and Sophomore Pledge Pete vanDam, who between the two of them captured six firsts. The tennis and golf teams, after starting slowly, managed to finish in the upper division; toward the close of the season they provided some stiff competition for their opponents. Last year's championship softball team, benefiting by the return of most of the veterans and with the aid of freshman potential, again did the trick by sweeping the series to bring home the trophy.

The second annual "Orchid Ball" was held the week end before Xmas vacations started and was the high light and climax of the first-semester social events. The Shelter's ceilings were draped with baby orchids and evergreen boughs, and the front of the house was decorated with a massive wreath measuring over 20 feet in diameter.

Graduating in January will be Sheldon Crossette, who has been an active member of Delta Omicron since his freshman initiation. During these four years "Shel" held many fraternity positions and in his senior year was elected to the office of vice-president. He is planning to study law after doing service in the armed forces.

THOMAS H. HICKS

Delta Pi—U.S.C.

Gilchrist Elected Delta Pi President

Spring elections were held early in January. Allen Gilchrist was chosen to succeed Glenn Hoagland as president of the chapter. Gilchrist served as vice-president under President Hoagland. A four-year letterman and former captain of the swimming team, Gilchrist has been voted an All-American swimmer, and was a member of the Canadian Olympic swimming team. "Gillie," as he is known by fellow S. C. Delts, is a senior and is majoring in business administration.

The major activity of the spring semester is the famous "Mardi Gras" party. The entire population of Fraternity Row converges on the Delt house to take part in this annual event. Costumed guests and their dates enter the party via a gigantic slide that is constructed for the

occasion from the second floor of the chapter house. The ride down the slide brings guests into the party area on the wall-enclosed, sprawling lawn at the side of the house. Balloons and colored lights add to the atmosphere created by the New Orleans-type decorations, to make it a real Mardi Gras in miniature. Plans are now being made to make this year's Mardi Gras the most successful in its history.

Although we are well-known for our parties, Delta Pi is proud to report that it has done well in the scholarship field also. After fraternity averages were figured in November, we emerged as second in a field of 34 fraternities. We led all the big houses by a substantial margin.

We are one of three leading contenders for the "Iron Man" trophy in I.F.C. sports. Although Delta Pi has not recently won the award, we have always been a top contender. We hope, however, to secure enough points in spring sports to win the trophy this time. Our teams have won volleyball, and in addition, placed in every other sport. Since we are traditionally strong in the spring sports, we are making room in our trophy case for the "Iron Man."

ANDY CASTELLANO

Delta Rho—Whitman

Welcome New Housemother

With the reopening of school following Christmas vacation, we members of Delta Rho were honored to have Mrs. Helen Struthers accept the position as our new housemother. Mrs. Struthers has replaced much respected Mrs. Towle, who was unfortunately called to Alaska by a family crisis. Our new housemother is already exhibiting the friendliness and activity which so distinguished her predecessor.



At Maryland, JACK O'NEIL receives the Outstanding Pledge Award from BOB MCGROARTY, ex-president of Delta Sigma Chapter.

At the first chapter meeting of the new year, new chapter officers were elected. Bob Johnson has replaced Arol Masters as chapter president.

Phil Craig, our new vice-president, is active in the Student Union and recently participated in planning for the Student Union Council held at Whitman. Paul Lewis, one of our pledges, is the College general photographer and is active on the *Wailatpu*, school annual; on the *Pioneer*, campus weekly newspaper; and on the Whitman College News Service.

Terry Townley is rehearsing for his part in the Whitman Theater's coming production of "Romeo and Juliet," while John Cope is active in the College choir. Clint Pelto, a varsity four-event skier, is experiencing his second year as Number Two man on the ski team. Clint recently placed 15th at the Rossland Intercollegiate Ski Meet.

In intramural sports Delts have participated wholeheartedly. The group placed second in the interfraternity swim meet and to date claims an undefeated doubles team in badminton.

With the advent of the new semester, the house will have an enrollment of 16 actives and 11 pledges. The encouraging enrollment, together with the spirit of co-operation and alertness, which has been stimulated by the redecoration of the house and by the presence of ten top-quality pledges, promises to insure a noteworthy spring semester.

JOHN COPE

Delta Sigma—Maryland

Chapter Sponsors Greek Party For Orphans at Christmastime

Delta Sigma Chapter started the year with one of the best rush weeks in its history. Under the direction of Oscar Mueller, rush chairman, we netted 35 pledges for the second largest pledge class out of 24 fraternities on campus. Initiation followed and eight men were given their gold badges with Jack O'Neil being selected outstanding pledge.

Next on the program was an open house for all alumni in the area. Immediately after the Maryland homecoming game, everyone gathered at the Shelter for a buffet dinner and stayed on for a party that evening. Many alumni were in attendance and there was no food left.

At Christmas time Social Chairman Bruce Hetherington got four other fraternities and five sororities together and erected a large Christmas tree in front of the houses on Fraternity Row. Several orphan homes were contacted and children were brought in for a large orphan party. It was the largest the University has ever seen. Brother Tom Clark, Supreme Court Justice, came out and lighted the tree for us as a large crowd from the area stood around and sang Christmas songs. Every member of the fraternities and sororities helping bought a toy and then a Santa Claus gave each orphan a gift.

New officers for Delta Sigma are:



Campuswide, Delt-instigated Christmas party for orphans at Maryland, gave Santa Claus a chance to peddle his wares.



Following the Maryland Homecoming game, Delta Sigma Chapter held open house for Capital area Delt and guests.

president, Oscar Mueller; vice-president, Jack O'Neil; corresponding secretary, Llewellyn Heigham; recording secretary, Bruce Hetherington; treasurer, Jerry Hartdagen.

ROBERT W. RIEGEL

Delta Tau—Bowling Green

Sweep Intramural Sports Slate

With the close of the first semester at Bowling Green State University, Delta Tau Chapter closes the books on one of the most successful periods in the chapter's short history.

Delta Tau's annual Christmas Formal, held at the Findlay Country Club, was preceded by a buffet dinner. More than 50 couples danced to the music of the Star Dusters in the spacious ballroom of the Club.

The high light of the evening was the crowning of Delta Tau's 1955 queen. Miss Doris Phillips of Alpha Xi Delta was crowned queen by the 1954 Queen, Miss Nancy Gebhardt, while Findlay alumni, alumni of Delta Tau, and active brothers sang "Delta Queen."

On the athletic field, Delta Taus have taken the championship of every sport they have entered. The chapter went undefeated, winning eight games, to sweep the interfraternity football league. The powerful sextet then met the independent champions under the lights in the University's football stadium.

Before a crowd that was comparable to many of the varsity games, the Delt gridders nosed out the independent team, 32-31.

A four-man golf team took an early lead on the local links and was never headed as they swung themselves into the second consecutive golf title. Members of the golf team were Dick Thomas, Jack Gee, Dick Groth, and Jack Huffman.

Delt swimmers also regained the interfraternity swimming crown. However, the chapter's nators had to share the first place with Sigma Nu. Dave Dearington splashed his way to a first in the

breaststroke event, while Jerry O'Connor, Bob Gorton, and Hal Van Tassel piled up points with seconds and thirds. The relay's third place cinched the share in the meet.

Although basketball season is just beginning, the Delt quintet is looking forward to a successful season. The team has the magic combination of speed and height.

New officers for the coming year are Dick Weaver, president; Ross Smith, vice-president; Dick Jewett, treasurer; Tom Carlyon and Tom Schnell, assistant treasurers; Bob Gorton, recording secretary; Dick Jones, secretary; Mike Scholler, guide; and Joe DeLuca, sergeant at arms.

The annual children's Christmas party was held at the Shelter before the holiday vacation. Brother Frank Fusco was dressed as "Jolly Old Saint Nick" and passed presents out to the third grade class from the University Grade School.

This event plus the ice cream given to the Children's Home at Thanksgiving and Christmas have helped Delta Tau Chapter in winning the fourth consecutive Wood County Interfraternity Social Service Award.

Brother Joe Zingale backed a musical concert of the "Fabulous Four Freshmen." After the show, in the local high school auditorium, the popular vocal group was given a reception at the Delt Shelter.

Dr. Frank J. Prout, President Emeritus of the University, and Mrs. Prout were guests of honor at our annual Christmas Banquet. Mrs. Cora Peters, housemother, was given a mother's pin by the chapter. Dr. John Gee, chapter adviser, was presented with a leather wallet.

At the deadline writing of this news, the brothers have their "noses to the grindstone" studying for finals. Outgoing president of the chapter, Dick Brown, predicts, "We will emerge from the semester with a point average equal to, or better than, the previous semester's, which was above the All Men's Average and above the all fraternity average."

HAL L. VAN TASSEL

Delta Upsilon—Delaware

Delts Comprise Two-Thirds of Delaware's Debate Team

William K. Brown, vice-president of Delta Upsilon Chapter, was recently selected as the one student delegate from Delaware to attend the annual National Association of Manufacturers Conference in New York. Bill, also recently elected to Omicron Delta Kappa, national honor society, spent a week at the Waldorf-Astoria, meeting many international celebrities.

Succeeding Warren Beh as Delt Upsilon's treasurer is Larry Lore of Collingswood, New Jersey. We are sure that Brother Lore will do as fine a job as his predecessor in handling the monetary affairs of the chapter.

The recently installed chapter of Beta Beta Beta, national biology honorary, has elected Brother Karl Buretz as its chief executive.

Four Delt form the main part of Delaware's debating team this year. Bill Brown, Jack Grant, Spen Hedger, and Pledge Dick Sutton make up two-thirds of the team, which faces a rough schedule of intercollegiate debates this spring.

One of the big social events of the semester was the party held for 30 orphans from Siena Hall in Wilmington. After enjoying cokes, ice cream, and cake at the Shelter, everyone adjourned to Carpenter Field House to watch the Delaware basketball team defeat Rutgers.

In the field of sports, Bob Wagner was recently elected captain of Delaware's swimming team for the second straight year. Sophomore Frank Davidson won his varsity letter in cross-country this fall. The Delt football team ended the season with a 7-5-1 record, while the basketball team was still looking for its first win in three games.

We were recently honored by the visits of Field Secretaries Jack McClenny and Jim Morison, who dropped by to discuss chapter affairs. We hope they



Miss DORIS PHILIPS, presented as Delta Queen at Bowling Green by Chapter President DICK BROWN and Miss NANCY GEBHARDT, former Delta Queen.

had an enjoyable stay, as we enjoyed having them here.

WALT JEBENS
BOB WILSON

Delta Phi—Florida State

Homecoming Skit Wins Award

Delta Phi Chapter has had a busy semester since our last report. FSU Homecoming with Furman was a big event, with Delta Tau Delta winning first place for the Homecoming Skit, awarded yearly by the alumni association. Our skit, "Gene Autaby and the Fighting Seminoles," was presented the night before the Homecoming game, at the Pow Wow in the stadium. It was ably directed by Don Van Nuss with Dean Platt playing Gene and the rest of the cast made up of other Deltas. Two "Indians," Grant Conibear and Dick Cutler, later helped light the bonfire and liven up the cheering section with Indian yells and war dances. Open house was held immediately after the Pow Wow with many Delt alumni and friends attending. A banquet was held Saturday evening after the game in honor of our visitors.

Saturday night, December 11, our president, Dellwood McDonald, presented our Sorority of the Year Award to Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority. We just started the award this year, but judging by the enthusiastic response on the part of the sororities competing for it, it will become an annual event. The award is an engraved, rotating silver flower bowl.

Two Christmas parties were held. The first was for underprivileged children in the community, with Alpha Xi Delta Sorority our cosponsors. Santa (Bob Bagovitch) distributed the toys to the little kids, but Santa (and the rest of us too) spent most of the afternoon playing with them. A few nights later we had our own Christmas party, with each of us drawing a name and bringing some small gift for exchange. This was followed by a record dance dur-



VICTORIOUS Bowling Green Deltas, following the championship intramural football game played under the lights in University Stadium, pose as both interfraternity and intramural champs.

ing which we used our new phonograph.
RICHARD O. CUTLER

Delta Chi—Oklahoma A. & M.

Christmas Serenade Rated Among Best Ever at A. & M.

After three weeks of intensive practice the Delt Glee Club presented its annual Christmas Serenade. The Deltas, who are noted for their top-notch singers again, proved their mettle by presenting what was probably the best serenade in the history of the chapter. The program, organized by Don Doty and directed by Joe Marsh, utilized flashlights for unusual lighting. Sound effects were achieved by the use of jingle bells donated by the high school. Plans are now being laid for the I.F.C. Sing which the Deltas won last year.

Plans are well under way for the annual Founders Day observance at the Delta Chi Chapter house this year. The dinner, which is expected to attract about 150 Deltas from all over the state, will be held in the Student Union.

This fall saw the publication of *The Delt Crest*, a chapter newspaper directed especially to the interests of the Delt alumni. Brother Darrel Smith is to be commended for his untiring effort on this first Delta Chi newspaper.

Five men were recently initiated as Delt brothers. These men are a welcome addition to Delta Chi Chapter and are expected to make their mark in campus activities. The men are: Mack Summers, Jr., Kenneth Casey, Ernani Lopes Filho, Ronald Sanders, and Robert Jones.

Scholastically, the Deltas are "bragging" about their excellent pledge class. Of the total of 11 pledges there are six with a grade-point of over 3. This should put them at the top of the fraternities on campus when the final standings come out. Three of the pledges—Jim Chandler, Don Dickinson, and Carlos Alexander—will be eligible for Phi Eta Sigma next semester. Brother Bill

Swim was recently elected to *Who's Who* and *Blue Key*.

Delta Chi should be well represented on the various varsity athletic teams this year. Brothers Cecil Morgan and Don Doty are representing the Deltas on the baseball squad. Don Dickinson and Max Jourdan are the cinder men with Dickinson in the dashes and Jourdan in the high and low hurdles. J. B. East is competing for a berth on the varsity tennis team. In intramurals the Deltas are making their finest showing in history. At the last recording the Deltas had jumped from 20th to 8th in the standings. Joe Marsh won the 40-yard dash in the intramural swimfest. Sparked by the sensational shooting of Mack Summers and Max Jourdan, the basketball team has won its last two games.

Other Deltas prominent in campus activities are: Terry Starr, campus radio disc jockey; Joe Marsh, who presented a specialty act at the annual Men's Glee Club Concert; Tom Mays and Buddy Gibbell, who compose two-thirds of the College Trumpet Trio. Mays is also varsity cheerleader.

DONALD D. DOTY

Delta Psi—Santa Barbara

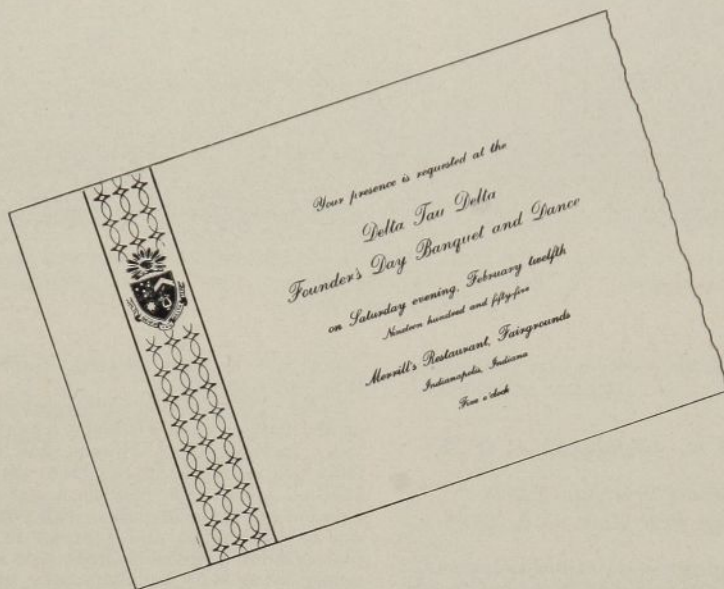
Three Trophies Inaugurate Year

Delta Psi has completed another successful semester with three new trophies in our cabinet to give us a good start in the coming year.

The golden cups were won for placing first in the fraternity division, intramural basketball, second place in the annual fraternity-sorority talent show, and second place in the fraternity division in the Santa Barbara College annual homecoming parade. This homecoming parade was publicized in the local community newspapers as the most successful parade of all time. Ron Boorman officiated as parade chairman and Duane Mittan was presiding chairman over all homecoming activities; both of these men are Deltas.

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THE DELT ALUMNI CHAPTERS



Thousands of Delt alumni around the country were invited to observe Founders Day during February and March. Here is how one alumni chapter did it.

Akron

Our first meeting after the summer let-down was held last November. It resulted in a fine turnout, with George W. Roesing, W. & J., budget research secretary of the United Community Council of Summit County, giving us a fine talk on his experiences in Greece while in the service of the United States Government in public welfare work.

New officers were elected as follows: president, Leonard Turk, Carnegie Tech; vice-president, Richard Miller, Ohio; secretary, Dr. L. P. Carabelli, Kenyon; and treasurer, Walter Munroe, Penn State.

Our next meeting was held in January. We are now looking forward to the annual Founders Day Banquet to be held in conjunction with Delta Omega Chapter at Kent State University some time in the spring.

Several new Delts are now working and making their homes in Akron. To them we say welcome and hope to see you at our meetings.

DR. L. P. CARABELLI

Boston

All alumni in the Boston area will have a chance to renew acquaintances during the Eastern Division Conference to be held on March 11-12 at the University Club in Boston. A gala Founders Day Dinner is being planned for Fri-

day evening at the Club. This will give all alumni an opportunity to get together again and also to get caught up on the latest Fraternity developments. A good dinner and some fine entertainment will be awaiting all who can make it.

Our luncheons at Patten's Restaurant on Thursdays at 12:15 have been held weekly with two exceptions during the holiday season. The regulars, headed by Prexy Joel Reynolds, Jasper Peairs, "Shorty" Brothers, Elliott Smith, Tony Shallna, Ed Clark, Dick Pierce, and Joe Olive, welcome all those in the area to drop in and get their problems solved.

RUDY HELGESON

Chicago

It was with much pleasure that we recently learned of the new library at DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana, being named in honor of our good friend, Roy O. West. Brother West, long known for his national political leadership, is a former United States Secretary of the Interior. He serves as a trustee of DePauw University.

We in Chicago are making ready for our annual Founders Day observance to be held this year in February. This always well-attended affair promises to be bigger and better than ever this year and will be held again in the facilities of the Chicago Bar Association.

Bridge players please note: if you are

missing our weekly Monday luncheons, you really don't know what you are missing. We have a super special panel of experts—Harry Axelson, Gamma Alpha, '07; his brother, Charley, Gamma Alpha, '12; and "Doc" Grossman, Beta Upsilon, '13—who can't always understand how Culbertson and Goren can be so wrong.

Our hats are off to Brother John H. Hutchinson who was inducted into the Delt Distinguished Service Chapter at the last Karnea. It couldn't happen to a nicer and more deserving guy.

BOB SWANSON

Cincinnati

The Cincinnati Alumni Chapter rounded out the year with a very enjoyable Christmas party at the Cincinnati Club, thanks to the efficient planning of Brothers Forrest Maddux and Art Jacobs. Brother Dick Baker, sports director of WSAI Radio, was master of ceremonies, and as a special guest, Dave Grote, publicity director of the National League, spoke about baseball in general and some interesting sidelights on a few of the professional baseball players of the past and present.

At this party were three father-son teams of Delts: Bob Heuck and son, Ken; Hilman Smith and son, Dick; Red Johnson, Sr., and son, Red, Jr., from Milwaukee, in Cincinnati for a Christmas visit. With this occasion we closed a very successful year for the Delt alumni in Cincinnati, and we are looking forward to bigger and better things to come from the new officers.

The results of our annual election of officers were as follows: Paul Berner, Michigan, president; Al Ruehlman, Cincinnati, vice-president; Bob Dhonau, Kenyon, treasurer; Hal Purvis, Miami, secretary. Ray Wuerth, Cincinnati, was elected as the new member to the house corporation of Gamma Xi at the University of Cincinnati.

If there are any alumni in the Greater Cincinnati area who are not on the mailing list or who have changed residence recently, please contact Hal Purvis, 2606 Fernview Court, Cincinnati, Ohio, or phone ELmhurst 2199.

ROBERT W. WILLIAMS

Clarksburg

Since our last report, the following events took place. A Steak Fry was held the latter part of August, which 60 rushees and alumni attended. "Karnea Hound" Esker Neal, immediate past president of the West Virginia University Alumni Association, showed movies of an extensive motor trip throughout the West-

ern United States and of the 1954 Karnea at Pasadena, California.

This will also serve to notify you that our meeting place has been changed. Future meetings of the alumni association will be held on the second Thursday of every month at 12:00 noon in the Stonewall Jackson Hotel, Clarksburg, West Virginia.

EUGENE R. KERSTING

Columbus

The center of activities for the Columbus Alumni Chapter remains focused on a piece of property located between the new Lambda Chi Alpha house and the recent Kappa Kappa Gamma house.

Many recent Beta Phi graduates find many excuses to drive on Fifteenth Avenue to check every brick and building block in the new Shelter for Beta Phi. Needless to say, the undergraduates manage to scrutinize every move of the builders too.

Even the wives, mothers, sweethearts, and just casual dates somehow are led to 67 East 15th Avenue and proudly shown the building which promises to demand plenty more attention when finished.

The Delt Wives Club caught the spirit of the new Shelter by once again dedicating its annual dance and raffle to the new furnishings. A novel idea was woven into the raffle by offering two round-trip airline tickets to a choice of Cleveland, Cincinnati, or Pittsburgh. The dance was well attended and guests found an unusual setting of many, many candles.

Dean Strausbaugh, Delta Kappa, '40, now heads the Columbus Alumni Chapter as president. Mac Mallett, Chi, '34, retiring president after two terms, is now vice-president of undergraduate relations, while Dick Heer, Delta Beta, '41, is vice-president of alumni relations. Jim Hogan, Beta Phi, '53, and Curt Horning, Beta Gamma, '47, were re-elected as secretary and treasurer, respectively.

The Founders Day banquet was held March 1 at the Athletic Club and was well attended by both alumni and undergraduates of Beta Phi as well as the Columbus Alumni Chapter.

Seems as though our group was adopted last fall by football enthusiasts as well as by some who more recently followed scoring antics on the basketball court and in the Natatorium with the swimming team. Maybe baseball season will prove to be unanimous. Seems as if there always is something to talk about in the world of sports in Columbus at the noon lunches every Friday at the University Club, 40 S. Third St. We always welcome new faces too!

JAMES HOGAN

Fort Worth

The Fort Worth Alumni Chapter is having its finest hour! During the interim since the last RAINBOW, our chapter has put together a tremendous effort which has resulted in the establishment of Delta Tau Delta's newest petitioning undergraduate colony: The Crescent Club of Texas Christian University.

Nice Going, Fort Worth Alumni!



Proving that they still have what it takes, "The Four Alumni," vocal (?) quartet, were exhumed from a bygone era at Gamma Iota Chapter to perform for the Fort Worth Alumni Chapter at T.C.U.'s rush week. For a report on how well they succeeded, read the Fort Worth Alumni Chapter news on this and the next page.



Texas Christian University's Crescent Club, Delt colony. Back row, left to right: McKELVAIN, OVERTON, THOMPSON, WATSON, BOGLE, ANDERSON, BRANNON, and EOFF. Middle: CROSLIN, GRAF, COX, MCCORD, SANFORD, and LEAMAN. Front: HICKS and RUDOLPH.



Alumni and faculty members of the Crescent Club are: Dr. AUGUST SPAIN, chairman of the department of government; Judge JACK LANGDON, U. S. District Judge; Dr. OTTO NIELSON, Dean of Education; and LEWIS GILLIS, director of the famous Horned Frog Band.

Delta Tau Delta was one of eight national fraternities invited last October to colonize at TCU, thus breaking an 87-year antifraternity tradition at that University. Our selection was, of course, a tribute to our recognized position of leadership in the fraternity world. Due credit, however, must be given to our strong local alumni set-up (110), to the outstanding efforts of our own Dr. William O. Hulsey, Texas, '44, and to Hugh Shields and John Nichols, who really produced in our behalf.

The road has not been easily traveled since last October. The University set up a highly accelerated program to forestall possible TCU alumni interference, and imposed a rigid control over all activities. A "rush week" date was set, and the colonizing fraternities given a six-week period to compile all necessary information on the interested students, *without* any personal prerush contact. This in itself was a considerable obstacle in our path, and could have been disastrous without the gratifying state and nationwide response to our rush questionnaires.

"Rush week" itself was a farce, when compared to the usual conception thereof, since only ten alumni and two undergraduates from each fraternity were allowed to participate in three rush parties, rushing 150 men! This, too, could have been our downfall, had it not been for the tremendous efforts and personal sacrifices made by the two undergraduates involved—Jack Little and Bob Keith, from Gamma Iota at Texas University. These men, exhibiting the highest type of Fraternity spirit, provided the perfect finishing touch to the previous leg-work, and gave us the final push to our outstanding success.

And success it is! When the smoke finally cleared away, we found ourselves in possession of our full quota (16) of "pledges," comprising without question the finest, best balanced group of men on campus. For example, among our new pledges are the president of the student body, two varsity football players, two varsity fencing team members, two band members, one cheerleader, the associate editor of the college magazine, the news editor of the college radio program, three members of honorary service groups, and two men of Phi Beta Kappa scholastic calibre.

Up to this point, no mention has been made of Delt faculty representation. Starting with *no* Delt faculty members or, naturally, prominent TCU alumni, we faced still another serious problem. Brothers Tom Law, Texas, '39, and Budge Lee, Oklahoma, '40, however, took charge of this situation and produced our second smash victory! Due to the seriousness of the whole idea of taking non-undergraduates, since they can be initiated *only* with the charter members of a new chapter, only the really top men were considered. Five men—the five *best* men associated with TCU—were selected; and, proudly, all five are now on their way to becoming our Fraternity brothers. These new TCU faculty members and outstanding alumni are as follows: faculty: Mr. Lewis Gillis,

director of the TCU Horned Frog Band; Dr. Otto Nielsen, Dean of Education; and Dr. August Spain, chairman of the Department of Government; alumni: Mr. I. B. Hale, former TCU football great, now security director at Fort Worth Convair, and the Honorable Jack Langdon, District Judge.

Nowhere is the true purpose of Delta Tau Delta more evident, than in just the type of endeavor outlined here. The example of men from every age group and walk of life, banding together voluntarily and enthusiastically, to offer the advantages and lifetime benefits of their common beliefs to yet another group of men, is profoundly stirring. We in Fort Worth are deeply proud to be Delt alumni, and know that Delts everywhere will have reason to be proud of their forthcoming chapter at TCU.

THOMAS B. ROMINE, JR.

Houston

Two lively monthly meetings and a Christmas party have comprised the program of activity since the last RAINBOW report. Our meetings are held each month on the second Friday at noon in the Normandie Restaurant in downtown Houston.

Thad Grundy, Gamma Iota, was the speaker at the December meeting. Thad, who took a big dish in Ike Eisenhower's successful Texas campaign, spoke on the need for making Texas a two-party state. His remarks, logical and conservative, were well received.

The January luncheon meeting honored fathers of Houston Delts, active now at Gamma Iota, and the talk was by Warren L. Baker, himself the father of a Delt. Mr. Baker, editorial director of *World Oil* magazine, spoke on "What's the Story in the Oil Industry?" Some 30 Delts and guests enjoyed the account he gave of the recent Supreme Court ruling in the Phillips natural gas case and heard him say that unless there is remedial legislation, oil price control may be next expected. He was given a rousing round of applause for his excellent talk.

President John Fry reported on the situation at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, where a Delt chapter is being established. It seems that there, too, Delta Tau Delta is doing all the good.

Our Christmas party was held on December 19 at the new and very interesting home of Delt Otto Wymer. Sixty-five people registered during the afternoon and enjoyed the fellowship in a distinct Christmas atmosphere. This is the second year that a Christmas party has been held and it looks as if it may become a Houston tradition.

Our city is attracting many newcomers and some of them are bound to be Delts. These come-latelies are invited to contact President John Fry at Tennessee Gas Transmission Company or Secretary John Evans, who is connected with the local office of the New York Life Insurance Company. In that way they can get in on our activities from the start.

SILAS B. RAGSDALE, SR.

Indianapolis

The Indianapolis Alumni Chapter had a very successful Christmas party at the Naval Armory. A fine dinner with group singing afterwards was enjoyed by all.

Dr. Robert Pierce, Minister of Broadway Methodist Church, will be the principal speaker for the Annual State Day which is being held on Saturday, February 12, at Merrill's Cafeteria (State Fairgrounds). Mayor Alex Clark will serve as toastmaster. Plans are being made for the biggest State Day to date—see you there.

All Delts are cordially invited to attend our weekly Tuesday noonday luncheons at the Warren Hotel.

M. DEAN DOOLEY

Kansas City

By the time you read this, the heart-of-America chapter will have (1) elected new officers for 1955, and (2) in large numbers attended an annual Founders Day Banquet.

Just checked the results of a poll of alumni chapter members to find that 17 undergraduate chapters are represented in our group. There's still room for the others who we know live in our area. Come join us . . . every Thursday at 12:15, University Club.

Our fourth annual Christmas dinner-dance (Georgian Room, Hotel Continental) was the best yet. Ralph Hedges said that the orchestra was real "George" and that the members who couldn't make it really missed a good party.

Kansas City is a big league town now (K. C. Athletics make their home-game debut April 12) and we're building a big league alumni chapter. Don't forget to come to lunch, any Thursday you're in downtown Kansas City.

FRANK R. SCHULTHEIS, JR.

Lexington

It isn't death, but merely drowsiness, that has come upon the Lexington alumni group. Possibly there'll be some activity to report when the jonquils appear again, in the wake of the hibernation. Meanwhile, it's a pleasure to report winter visits in the Blue Grass by a number of Delta Epsilon men of former years, among them Jim Hagler, from distant Boston and the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration; Bob Pate, who makes it this way too infrequently from New Jersey; Tinker Dean, who works in and from New York on community concert series; and John Calvin Cramer, an Esso stalwart in Baltimore.

LAURENCE SHROPSHIRE

Lincoln

As most people know by this time, Nebraskans played a big part in the New Year's activities of this nation. Nebraska sent four teams to the different bowls this year. I'm sure that this is a first for any state. Naturally, the Beta Taus of Nebraska played a big part in the Orange Bowl game. From the Delt chapter came four big fellows that

played a darn good game. They are LeRoy Butherus, Don Erway, Joe Bayer, and Don Glantz. After the Orange Bowl game Glantz went to the Senior Bowl game and did very well for himself and his home state. I know that all the Delt alums from around Nebraska want to congratulate these boys for the fine game they played.

Another team that represented Lincoln was the midget football team that went to the Santa Claus Bowl. These boys are not old enough to be Delts, but I am sure that in a few years we shall have some of them on the list of new pledges. The main reason for this is that a brother Delt was the big boy behind the midget football program in this city. Ed Dosek eight years ago started a midget football team sponsored by a local dairy. This started more teams under the direction of the Lincoln Junior Chamber of Commerce.

After a fine season the Pop Warner Foundation invited an All-Star team from Lincoln to the Santa Claus Bowl. By the way, the Lincoln All-Stars won the championship. Ed Dosek was one of the coaches who helped to make this victory possible.

Another local Delt, when he heard of the victory by the midgets, got the ball rolling to send the "champions" to see the Orange Bowl game. All credit must be given to Mr. Carl Olson. I know that all the future Delts who will come from that championship midget football team want to thank you, Carl.

After our last article in THE RAINBOW, we received several letters from Beta Taus away from Nebraska. We want to thank you all for these letters and to assure you that we have shown these letters to Delt brothers and classmates of yours. All who read these letters mentioned how glad they were to hear from you. Thanks to all the Beta Taus who wrote. We hope the rest of you will write so that we can remember you at one of our meetings.

It may be of interest to all who know Mr. "Rusty" Joynt that he has gone back into the real estate business. He and a friend have formed a new agency called "Blue-Joynt Real Estate." He sells anything and everything.

Stan Portsche is now the manager of the Commonwealth Real Estate Department.

Remember, all of us here in Nebraska want to hear from all of you out of Nebraska.

JEROME J. DOSEK

Milwaukee

On December 17, 1954, Milwaukee area Delts celebrated the Holiday Season with a dinner-dance. The popular and beautiful main dining room of the Alonzo Cudworth Legion Post was the setting for the festive affair. About 25 of the comparatively younger brothers and their wives dined and danced the evening away from their vantage point high on the bank overlooking Milwaukee's beautiful harbor on Lake Michigan. It

was a very satisfactory commencement of the round of Yuletide gatherings.

Monthly luncheons (on the first Tuesday of each month) at the Skyroom of the Plankinton House have been graced by a gradually increasing number of participants.

Tentative arrangements are being made for the coming Founders Day banquet, and for the budding year, in general, by a recently stimulated nucleus of the younger brethren.

Herbert W. Cornell, one of the more active older alums, recently retired after many years of distinguished service to the City of Milwaukee, as secretary of the City Service Commission. He plans on writing a book and doing some traveling.

DAVID L. HALVERSON

Minnesota

During the month of December, the first issue of the "Minnesota Delt Alumni Newsletter" was published. The letter will be a monthly publication and will be sent to all Minnesota alumni who have paid their alumni dues of \$1.00. If you would like to be included on the mailing, send your buck to Fred Souba, 5720 Xerxes Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn.

Incidentally, Major Fred Stockdale is the brother who started the newsletter, and we wish to thank him for his interest and the time that he has given so freely.

A number of non-Beta Eta Delts, affectionately known as "the foreigners," are truly doing more than their share in working for the cause of our alumni chapter. The foreigners include: Clarence Portmann, Western Reserve, '20; Glenn Schodde, Illinois Tech, '32; Stanley Aufdemberge, Kansas State, '50; and Major Fred Stockdale, Missouri, '40.

The November alumni meeting found Major Stockdale speaking on "Our Air Defense." The speech was very enlightening, and a goodly number of Delts were in attendance. Because of the holidays, a meeting was not scheduled for the month of December. The January meeting consisted of the 1954 Gopher football movies.

Plans are already under way for the Annual Founders Day Banquet to be held during the month of April. You'll receive more news on this later.

The Alumni Association still meets every Friday noon at the Covered Wagon in Minneapolis. Your attendance would be appreciated.

TOM ALLEN

National Capital

It begins to look like a big year for Delta Tau Delta in the Nation's Capital. Over 150 alumni have paid their annual dues of \$2 and will receive notices of our monthly luncheons, which are being well attended. For reasons of economy, we can send notices only to those who have paid their dues.

Outstanding and nationally known Delts have been guest speakers at our luncheons. Maj. Gen. Edwin P. Parker, George Washington, '12, formerly Provost Marshal General of the Army, now

retired, addressed the group at the December luncheon. There was a large turnout for this annual Christmas get-together. The Kentucky chapter was represented by its first president, Brig. Gen. Elbert DeCoursey, '24; G. Russell Page, '24; and Col. Alvin C. Welling, '32. John Mudge, Iowa State, '19, now residing in South Pasadena, California, distributed brochures of the new Gamma Pi Chapter house. John G. Norris, George Washington, '28, military editor of the Washington Post and Times-Herald, will address our January luncheon meeting.

Founders Day will be celebrated March 5 at the National Press Club with a dinner followed by a dance sponsored by the active chapters at George Washington and Maryland Universities. The second edition of the roster containing names of more than 1200 Delts residing in Maryland, Virginia, and the District of Columbia, arranged by chapters, is in the process of preparation. Only five of the newer chapters are without representation. The first edition proved to be so popular that the supply was soon exhausted because of requests for additional copies. All active and alumni chapters and members of the Arch Chapter were mailed copies.

Whenever you visit the Nation's Capital, refer to Delta Tau Delta listings in the telephone directory or contact the undersigned, also listed, for information concerning scheduled events of interest.

ROBERT E. NEWBY

New York

Initial plans were announced at the January meeting of New York Delts for the annual Founders Day dinner. George Luxenburger was appointed chairman. A system was suggested whereby we plan to canvass several hundred Delts in the New York area to encourage their attendance at this annual function.

It was also decided at this meeting to select a well-known Delt as a speaker and develop a program which will give New York Delts an evening long to be remembered.

In addition, the Founders Day dinner this year will be themed to "fund raising." Tentative plans call for the dinner to be held during the middle of March on a Friday evening. Exact date and place will be announced within the next few weeks. Interested New York Delts can learn of later details by calling Brother Luxenburger at the New York, New Haven, Hartford Railroad.

Regular mid-month (second Wednesday of each month) meetings have been held at the Williams Club, 24 East 39th Street, New York 16, New York, this fall.

Luncheons feature a 15-minute talk by New York Delts and have ranged from exciting new details of latest developments at A.T. & T. to "How to Carve a Turkey" at the pre-Thanksgiving meeting. Attendance varies from 15 to 20.

Details of monthly meetings can be learned by calling MUrray 6-4600.

WILLIAM B. CECIL

Northern Kentucky

No one can accuse the Northern Kentucky Delts of standing on convention.

Anyone can—and practically everyone does—have a Christmas party during the Yuletide season; but we have ours in January.

As this letter went to press, the whole gang, under the guidance of our new prexy, Tommy Leonard (Gamma Xi), was making preparation for our "Xmas" get-together for our Delta Dames. This one is scheduled for January 21 at one of Northern Kentucky's night spots.

Our group offers its condolences to Brother Bill Schwarberg following the death of his mother during early January. Bill is assistant football coach at Cincinnati.

We are glad to welcome Brother Fred Hall back to town after a sojourn of several years with the "Yankees" up around Hamilton, Ohio.

There are also several rumors making the rounds that Brother Dick Sullivan is planning on landing back in Northern Kentucky in the near future.

In the new income tax deduction bracket are young Miss Pamela Ann Leonard, who is affectionately dubbed "Deffer," by Brother Tom and his Kappa Delta Peggie, and a son (didn't catch the name), born December 31 to Brother Ernie and Jane Zimmerman.

Brother Boots Wuest, "The Pride of Miami U." and recently promoted to a big wheel with the Bavarian Brewing Company, threw another of his popular parties in the fall.

Brother Ollie Hall is currently serving as chairman of the Red Cross drive in Fort Thomas and is being assisted by Brother Ollie Hunter and Brother Boonie Fennell.

Brother Dick Fritsche is getting up in the world and is building a new home on Meadow Lane, Fort Thomas. He has extended a cordial invitation for any brother Delts to drop in anytime for a snack. Right decent of the ole chap. Brother (Dr.) Fred Stine is deserting his colonial mansion in North Fort Thomas for a new home in the south end of town.

Our fall rush party was quite a success (we thought) with a large contingent of going-away-to-college lads attending. However, Delta Epsilon of Kentucky is the only chapter that reported any new pledges, which were three. Any other chapter have a report?

While on the subject of Kentucky and if it is of any consolation to our good brothers at Georgia Tech, there was "no joy in Mudville" the night that the Ramblin' Wreck basketballers snapped the Kyians' win streak at 129, but it couldn't have happened to a nicer bunch of fellows.

CAMERON COFFMAN

Oklahoma City

We were happy to have an out-of-town visitor at our last meeting—Charles B. Duffy from Ponca City, one of the

founders of Delta Alpha Chapter, and a fine Delt. Drop in again, Charlie.

By the way, that was a good meeting, and the largest turnout we've had in quite a while. Thanks to a newly formed committee for the hard work they did in getting everyone out. The committee is composed of Dr. Paul Erwin, Arnold Shelley, Harry Gilbert, Hal Treadwell, and Dick Barber. And they promise us bigger and better meetings in the future. Better come and see what you've been missing.

If you live in the Oklahoma City area and haven't been notified of the recent meetings, please contact one of the above committee members or our secretary so that we can put your name on our roster.

DON HOLT

Pittsburgh

Under the dynamic leadership of President Bill Raines, the Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter closed out a successful year. The year started with the Delt Playhouse Party, which surpassed all expectation in regard to attendance. Next came the Founders Day-Baseball dinner and game with Bill Hawkins taking over the chairmanship for this affair. The Butler Golf Party followed in September where all records for such an affair fell. December came around and the Delt Christmas Service at Trinity Cathedral closed out what may be called the most outstanding year of Delta Tau Delta in Pittsburgh.

The Delt Christmas Service had Bob Campe as chairman, with assistance from Forrest Lydic, George Wilson, Jr., and Jack Neslage. West Virginia's Gamma Delta Chapter was awarded the clock which is given to the best singing group. We were also happy to welcome Hugh Shields, who flew in from Indianapolis to attend this affair.

On Thursday, February 10, the Delts attended the Pittsburgh Playhouse where the play "The Women" was well received. Bill Swanson was chairman and his committee included Art Stoyd, Bill Hawkins, Kendal Query, Mac Cornor, Harris Hawkins, Emil Narick, Dick Berg, Jim Ludwig, Norm Tisdale, and Bob Murphy.

Again in May our annual Founders Day-Baseball Dinner will be held. In attendance will be John Galbreath, Branch Rickey, Sr., Branch Rickey, Jr., George Sisler, Jim Turner, and Don Beach—all members of the Pittsburgh Pirates Baseball Club.

Any Pittsburgh area Delts not on the mailing roll are urged to contact the chapter secretary at 310 Seventh St., Monongahela, Pa.

Your 1955 dues of two dollars may be sent to William Swanson, 1732 Oliver Building.

LOUIS MCLINDEN

Portland (Oregon)

"Give and ye shall receive" was exactly what happened at this year's Christmas Formal. If you recall in our last letter

appearing in the December, 1954, issue of THE RAINBOW, we gave local Delts the opportunity to see a smash attendance. So help us, Amato's was bulging at the seams by 10:30 p.m. and more were being received at the door by carloads.

Doing the best it could, the dance committee divided the throng into sections and requested that each side skip the light fantastic to two dance numbers and then give the other section its turn. Arrangements have already been made to hold this Formal at "Jack & Jill's" on December 17, 1955. Both dancing and seating facilities are about double.

A good deal of hard work went into the "Delta Tau Delta Portland Alumni Chapter Directory for 1955" which came off the press on November 23. Being as complete as possible, we were able to list about 200 Delts in this area, representing 21 chapters. Please contact the chapter and let us know of any additions or changes, as we are planning supplements to keep this project up to date.

Coming events are shaping up. March should see a stag, probably in Vancouver. We expect to repeat the annual meeting in May at the Blitz Weinhard meeting room. The third annual Summer Hi-Jinks is slated for Sunday, August 7, again at the Mt. Hood Golf Course. This is the outing for the entire family.

Remember to join us at the weekly luncheons at the "Broiler" on Monday noons. "Wailing Willie," the weekly air raid siren test, is our last-minute reminder. Delta Lambda has been sending a delegation up for some of these luncheons; so let's turn out and greet these undergraduates and give them a helping hand. Call a brother and "y'all come!"

SID MOORE

St. Louis

The monthly meetings of the St. Louis area Delts have continued to be highlighted by a series of interesting and informative speakers. We were fortunate to have our own Jack McDermott, Delta Omicron, '48, speak on the purpose and activities of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at the October meeting. Jack spoke with authority on the subject, since he has been quite active in this work in recent years and is now president of the St. Louis County Junior Chamber of Commerce. When he chanced to mention in the course of his presentation, the Junior Chamber's part in selecting a Missouri beauty queen last year, Dave Thomas, Beta Eta, '21, immediately applied for membership. It seems Dave forgot about the key word, "Junior," and was unable to qualify for obvious reasons.

We were also pleased to have a nine-man undergraduate delegation from Delta Omicron drop in for our monthly meeting in November. Jerry Gustafson, as spokesman for the group, brought us up to date on the chapter activities and let us in on future plans. Everyone enjoyed the occasion and it is hoped that undergraduates will make it a policy of

joining us for our monthly get-togethers whenever they have the opportunity.

Field Secretary Dick Sullivan joined us for one of our Monday luncheons at the Mark Twain hotel on December 20. There was quite a large turnout for his visit and all who attended benefited by his remarks.

Considerable attention has been given during the last few weeks to the organization and preparation of the annual Founders Day celebration. We have been striving to provide a top-notch program worthy of the fine turnouts we have experienced in recent years. We hope that everyone will make it a point to attend.

Any brothers in the vicinity who have not been receiving our communiques and would like to be included on our mailing list are invited to send their names and addresses to Dal Johnson, 114 South Bemiston, Clayton, Missouri.

ART KIRKPATRICK

St. Petersburg

The meeting place for the monthly luncheons and business meetings of our alumni chapter is the Suwannee Hotel, in downtown St. Petersburg. The time is the first Wednesday of each month at 12:00 noon. All visiting Delts are invited to attend.

At the luncheon this month three Delts attending for the first time were: Raymond B. Gallant, Brown, '14; Harold D. Colt, Allegheny, '16; and Marion J. Calbeck, Indiana, '42.

Gene Lawton, Michigan, '04, president of the St. Petersburg Alumni Chapter, is expected back in St. Petersburg for the February luncheon after being away since last April.

St. Petersburg now offers opportunities for visitors from the North to summer here, as well as to come down for the winter. The summer days are warm, but the evenings are cool and conducive to sleeping in utmost comfort. If you cannot get down for the winter, try a summer vacation in St. Petersburg.

Since the new Sunshine Skyline Bridge over lower Tampa Bay opened on September 6, 1954, visitors here may proceed to points south via this bridge, instead of the ferry, and save time, mileage, and money. The bridge is 15 miles long and 150 feet above the water at high tide. Come down and have a look.

ROBERT S. ARTHUR

Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara Delts were saddened by the death of the founder of the local alumni chapter and distinguished attorney, Charles A. A. McGee, who passed away January 11 at his home here at the age of 80. He was active in local alumni affairs until his last illness.

The Santa Barbara Delt alumni meet, usually at the University Club, for dinner once a month on notice. Officers are Dan D'Alfonso, president; John Fox, vice-president; John Jordano, Jr., secretary; Dave McKee, treasurer. A dinner meeting with the actives at their chapter house, the picturesque old mansion for-

merly known as the Child Estate, is planned for January 20.

The house, incidentally, is a magnificent old home, a real showplace complete with observation tower which can be seen from all over the city. It is on beautiful grounds, and was left to the City of Santa Barbara by its last owner, but had not been put to any community use. When the housing situation at the University was upset by the campus moving to nearby Goleta, many fraternities and individuals found themselves without housing. A coup by Alumni John Hass and Paul Jones secured the Child Mansion for the Delts until fraternity housing becomes available at the new campus.

DAN D'ALFONSO

Seattle

The start of 1955 signaled a new regime of officers for the Seattle chapter. Outgoing President Sam Morrison was succeeded by Tom Sill, and Fred Paul was unanimously selected as secretary-treasurer. Right away plans were set for the Annual Founders Day-Recognition Banquet to be held on March 4. The Cascade Plaza Room of the Benjamin Franklin Hotel is to be taken over by at least 150 Puget Sound Delts for a banquet and entertainment. Bill Hayes will be directing the ticket selling with Roland Richter arranging the entertainment. Alden Fischer heads a distinguished committee which will select certain Delts due to receive recognition for loyal service to the Fraternity. Effort has been made to invite Mr. Howard Mills, Secretary of Alumni, to come from Los Angeles and be the banquet speaker.

At present our mailing list numbers 235. Through the efforts of Jim Nelson, Bob Beatty, and Jim Boye, we are compiling a Delt directory for the Puget Sound area, which should result in a larger mailing list. We are aware of the fact that many Delts from all over the country have recently settled in the Seattle area, but they are unknown to the Seattle chapter. It is this particular group of members we desire to contact. The address committee should have its work completed by the end of February so that we can include the additional names for the March bulletin's mailing.

In the meantime, all stray Delts are cordially invited to the monthly luncheons held every second Tuesday of each month at 12:00 noon in the Olympic Grille of the Olympic Hotel.

TOM SILL for FRED PAUL

Toledo

Toledo alumni again look forward to formally recognizing the 101st birthday of Dr. William Clark Burns, Kappa, 1881, oldest living Delt, which comes on February 10.

Many of the younger Delts were at home for holidays and the welcome mat was out for them at our weekly noon luncheons. No special event was scheduled during the otherwise busy season.

The Reverend R. Malcolm Ward, Chi,

1922, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Maumee, has recently been named general chairman of a Citizens' Committee in Maumee, lately given new status as a full-fledged Ohio city, to study several of the big problems facing this suburban city. Brother Ward has served for several terms as president of the Episcopal Social Welfare Council of Toledo.

G. WILFRID HIBBERT

Topeka

Our Topeka group never fails to have its luncheon meetings the first Tuesday in the month, and while we have lost some members by transfer from Topeka, we have gained some new ones, and our attendance has been growing.

We have had no evening meetings over the holidays but plan for a party later in the winter to entertain the ladies. Our members all seem to be starting the new year in good shape. Ferd Voiland, Jr., was re-elected State Printer of Kansas, and Judge Roy Bulkley was elected County Attorney of Shawnee County.

Our Mike Oberhelman has had his usual job the past season as an official in Big Seven and Missouri Valley games. Cliff Stratton, our newspaper correspondent, has been back in Washington since the opening of Congress. Our chapter officers this year are Robert P. Mize, president; William Hale, vice-president; and the writer, re-elected secretary-treasurer. Visiting Delts always welcome.

FRANK F. HOGUELAND

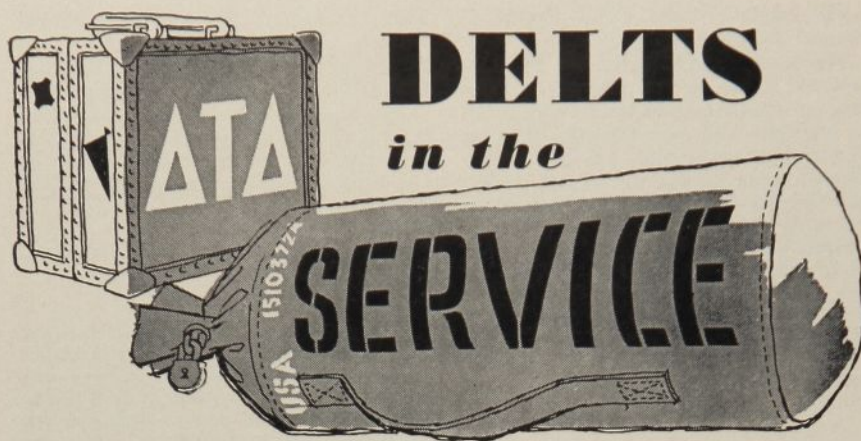
Tulsa

The principle activity of the December meeting of the Tulsa alumni was to elect new officers for the coming year. The following were elected to the corresponding offices: President, Richard Dodson; first vice-president, Don Harris; second vice-president, Walter Wamsley; third vice-president, Joe Norton, Jr.; secretary, Don Myers; and treasurer, Richard Cantrell. The new officers took over the first of the year.

The number one project for the new officers and the alumni for January is to make plans and final arrangements for the annual alumni dance which will be held on January 29. In previous years the dance has been held the Saturday evening before Easter. However, a new date was agreed upon for this year by the chapter. The new date falls between semesters for the two chapters in the state: Delta Alpha, University of Oklahoma, and Delta Chi, Oklahoma A. & M. Both chapters are invited to attend.

The Topaz Room of the Hotel Tulsa has been reserved and Joe Lindy's band will furnish the music. From the number of early reservations that have been received, it appears that we will have a larger turnout than usual. Any additional money that is taken in beyond the cost of the dance will be placed in the treasury and later applied to assisting the active chapters with rushing. We are all in hopes that this can be done.

DON MYERS



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Cadet ROBERT J. BIER, *Illinois*, '57, is a member this season of the U. S. Military Academy's freshman wrestling team. He was picked from the 700 cadets of the freshman class to participate with the team.

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Army PFC THOMAS G. JOHNSON, *W. & L.*, '56, was a member of the 12-man saluting battery at Veterans Day ceremonies at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in the Arlington National Cemetery. He is a member of the 3d "Old Guard" Infantry Regiment at Fort Myer, Virginia.

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First Lt. HERBERT D. NEASE, *West Virginia*, '53, is now serving with the Korean Military Advisory Group at Taegu. This group consists of highly trained

officer and enlisted specialists who counsel the Republic of Korea Army on all phases of military training. Nease is assistant signal adviser.

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Second Lt. MICHAEL J. RYAN, JR., *Bowling Green*, '53, recently was reassigned at Fort Hood, Texas, to Headquarters of the III Corps Artillery from Headquarters of the 4th Armored Division Artillery. He is serving as aide-de-camp to General John P. Daley, commanding general of III Corps Artillery.

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MYRON P. HARDY, *Carnegie Tech*, '52, recently was promoted to first lieutenant while serving with the U. S. Forces in Austria. Troops of the United States, Great Britain, France, and the USSR

have constituted a security force on duty in Austria since the end of World War II.

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Lt. Colonel HAROLD E. OPSAHL, *George Washington*, '33, recently arrived in Munchweiler, Germany, and is now commanding officer of the 15th Evacuation Hospital.

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First Lt. ROBERT S. TROTTI, *Northwestern*, '50, has been assigned to headquarters of Army Forces, Far East and Eighth Army in Japan. Stationed in the Far East since June, 1953, he holds the Bronze Star Medal, Combat Infantryman Badge, and the UN and Korean Service Ribbons. He is a veteran of World War II.



After receiving the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service, Colonel JOSEPH L. DRISKELL, *Oklahoma*, '32 (right), is congratulated by Maj. Gen. E. J. McGAW, Commanding General, Korean Communications Zone. Colonel Driskell was cited for service as provost marshal with the zone.



Army PFC THEODORE P. TRINKAUS, JR., *Carnegie Tech*, '53 (left), receives a cash award and congratulations after his "Heart of a Clown" painting won third place in the Fort Jay, N. Y., art competition. Making the presentation is Colonel JOHN S. ROOSMA, post commandant. Trinkaus is an artist in the 8904th Tactical Service Unit.



Colonel HOWARD COLEMAN, *Oregon State*, '27, receives the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious service in Korea from Colonel G. F. POWELL, Eighth Army ordnance officer. Colonel Coleman was cited for service from December, 1953, to last July as commander of the 60th Ordnance Group. According to the citation, the colonel led his group to improvement in its maintenance and supply support of the Eighth Army in Korea and in its training of Republic of Korea Army maintenance and supply specialists.

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ZETA—WESTERN RESERVE

Francis O. Brew, '88

NU—LAFAYETTE

Henry Klaus, Jr., '40

RHO—STEVENS

Edwin A. Stevens, Jr., '05

BETA GAMMA—WISCONSIN

Will B. Gnagi, Jr., '21

Charles A. A. McGee, '99

BETA ZETA—BUTLER

Philip V. Shrock, '51

BETA MU—TUFTS

Peter R. Cruikshank, '51

Stanwood H. Howes, '23

BETA NU—M.I.T.

Donald H. Choate, '16

BETA RHO—STANFORD

N. Orville Brookins, '15

Edward S. Hough, '18

BETA PSI—WABASH

John F. Murphy, '24

GAMMA DELTA—WEST VIRGINIA

Donald L. Boyce, '54

GAMMA EPSILON—COLUMBIA

Frank C. Hall, '07

GAMMA ETA—GEORGE

WASHINGTON

Nelson T. Johnson, '10

GAMMA LAMBDA—PURDUE

Lynn O. Knowlton, '05

GAMMA NU—MAINE

William L. Fletcher, '13 (Affil. Gamma Gamma (Dartmouth), '14)

GAMMA SIGMA—PITTSBURGH

Robert G. Hogan, '34

DELTA ALPHA—OKLAHOMA

Robert L. Nuzum, '50

DELTA EPSILON—KENTUCKY

William R. Patterson, '29

DELTA OMEGA—KENT

Homer D. Rhude, '54

Nelson T. Johnson, Former U.S. Ambassador to China, Dies



NELSON T. JOHNSON, in 1952, when he was Secretary General of the Far Eastern Commission.

NELSON T. JOHNSON, *George Washington*, '10, first American Ambassador to China and formerly Assistant Secretary of State, died December 3 at his home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Johnson, who began his diplomatic career in China at the age of 19, was an international authority on China. He was one of the few American diplomats who could speak Chinese. Chinese officials said that he spoke better Chinese than any other foreigner.

Breaking in as a language student, he soon became vice consul and interpreter in the capital of Manchuria and then deputy consul general. He was stationed in Harbin, Hankow, Shanghai, Chungking, and Changsha. He was in Hankow in 1911 during the revolution which set up the Chinese Republic.

In 1918 he took over the China desk in the Far Eastern section of the State Department. He became consul general at large when he was 34, one of the youngest men in the service with so high a rank, and was assigned to the inspection district of Eastern Asia.

While he was consul general and on a tour of inspection of Eastern Asia, Mr. Johnson became the man of the hour during the earthquake in Japan in 1923. The American consul at Yokohama

had been killed in the devastation when Mr. Johnson was called on the scene. He set up a tent colony for American residents and others in need of help, distributed Red Cross supplies, and took charge of burying American dead until the proper civil authorities could take over.

Later he had charge of the erection of the new consulate at Yokohama. He was assistant at the Conference on Limitation of Armaments in 1921.

Mr. Johnson was made chief of the Far Eastern Division of the State Department in 1925. Two years later he was appointed Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs. He was one of the first consular officers appointed to this position.

In 1929 Mr. Johnson became American minister to China. In 1931, from the roof of a cotton mill he watched bombs burst as the Japanese poured into Manchuria. President Roosevelt elevated him to ambassador in 1935 and he held that post until 1941, when he became minister to Australia.

Mr. Johnson was secretary general of the Far Eastern Commission from 1946 until two years ago. Following his re-



Mr. JOHNSON, several years ago, when he was Ambassador to China, was pictured on the cover of Time magazine.

tirement, he served as vice-president of Gallaudet College.

Throughout his life Mr. Johnson had been a loyal Delt. Among his contributions to the Fraternity was a masterful essay on the State Department as a career, which was included in THE RAINBOW's "Economic Life" series.

Just two weeks prior to his death, he spoke at a luncheon meeting of the National Capital Alumni Chapter, giving his brother Delts an insight into China and its people, which he knew so well. His son is a pledge of Gamma Eta Chapter and president of that chapter's pledge class.

Funeral services were held in the Great Choir of the Washington National Cathedral. Members of Gamma Eta Chapter were pallbearers, and Richard D. Daniels, George Washington, '09, and Henry C. Lipscomb, Missouri, '13, were among the honorary pallbearers.

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Word has been received belatedly of a Delt who died in the service of his country. ROBERT L. COFFYN, *Oregon*, '51, was fatally injured at Pensacola, Florida, on August 11, 1953, in an airplane accident. He was at the time in training in the Naval Air Corps.

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WILLIAM B. OGDEN, *Colorado*, '96, past Grand Master of California Masons, died September 12 at his home in Los Angeles.

An attorney, Mr. Ogden was senior partner in the firm of Ogden, Crocker and Steelman. He was a founder of St. Thomas Episcopal Church of Hollywood and served as a vestryman and treasurer of the church for many years.

He was chairman of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial ways and means committee.

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CHARLES A. A. MCGEE, *Wisconsin*, '99, founder and first president of the Santa Barbara (California) Alumni Chapter, died at his home in Santa Barbara on January 11. He was 80 years old.

Affectionately known as "Judge" by his many friends, Mr. McGee was Republican candidate for governor of California in 1924 and former supreme governor of the Loyal Order of the Moose of the World. Always a leader in liberal political circles, in 1908 he seconded the nomination of Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin for President on the GOP ticket and in 1912 was a leading speaker across the nation on behalf of Theodore Roosevelt and the Bull Moose campaign.

Judge McGee practiced law in his native state of Wisconsin and in California for half a century and was long active in politics and civic affairs in both states. He was co-author of the book *The Truth About Money* which the National Republican Committee designated as official handbook for speakers in the stirring 1896 campaign between William Jennings Bryan and William McKinley,



BOBBY HOGAN, at the height of his football career at Pittsburgh.

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the successful GOP candidate. Judge McGee was district attorney of Milwaukee from 1909 to 1911.

Judge McGee was prominent among the many Delts who had a hand in the formation of a local group at the University of California at Santa Barbara which was chartered as Delta Psi Chapter of Delta Tau Delta. During the same period he helped to organize the Santa Barbara Alumni Chapter and served as its first president.

An active member of the Masonic Order, he achieved the 32nd Degree. He was also a member of Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity.

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The name of B. P. WEAKS, *Texas*, '11, is to be perpetuated in Bonham, Texas, High School history.

The board of trustees of the Bonham schools has named the school's athletic field B. P. Weeks Memorial Stadium in memory of the science teacher who served Bonham High School more than 40 years before retiring in 1952. He died last April.

Among Mr. Weeks' survivors is his great nephew, William W. Morris, who is an active Delt in Gamma Iota Chapter.

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DR. ROBERT G. HOGAN, *Pittsburgh*, '34,

the "Golden Boy" of Pittsburgh football fame, died of injuries sustained from a fall on the evening of November 9. A dentist in his home town of Meadville, Pa., Dr. Hogan apparently slipped on the front step of his home at the end of a working day, struck his head on the sidewalk, and succumbed the next day in the hospital.

Bobby Hogan's football exploits made him a nationally known sports figure in the 1930s. He played four years first-string varsity competition at Pitt under the late Dr. John B. (Jock) Sutherland and gained All-American mention in many places for his performance as quarterback and kicker on the unbeaten 1932 Panther team.

Rated Pitt's greatest kicker, Hogan was holder of the Pitt punting record. His boot of 92 yards against Notre Dame in 1932 has never been equalled by another Panther player.

EDWIN A. STEVENS, III, *Stevens*, '05, outstanding marine engineer and grandson of Edwin A. Stevens, who founded Stevens Institute in 1870, died in Hoboken, N. J., on December 1.

A Delt who had served his chapter, Rho, in many capacities, Mr. Stevens donated to the Fraternity the land overlooking Stevens Athletic Field on which the Shelter now stands. Acting for the family, he also presented the key to Castle Stevens, the family home on the Stevens campus, to Dr. Alexander C. Humphreys, then president of the Institute, when the school took over the building. He was a life trustee of Stevens.

As an engineer, Mr. Stevens achieved prominence for his work in the designing and construction of ship propellers. During World War I he was a member of the Scientific Department of the United States Shipping Board, in charge of the propeller section. During World War II he worked in the Technical Section of the War Shipping Administration and again was placed in charge of the design and construction of marine propellers. Among the ships on which he had worked was the *George Washington*, on which President Wilson sailed for the Versailles Peace Conference.

Mr. Stevens' great-great-grandfather, John Stevens, was the first treasurer of the State of New Jersey.

WHAT IS DELTAISM? It is not merely a badge, however beautiful. It is not merely an organization, however strong. It is not merely a ritual, however stately. It is not merely a constitution, however firm. Deltaism is the expression of 25,000 single lives—the "loud sum" of 25,000 silent units. If any one of us pulls down the grand aggregate or lowers the glorious average, he makes sorrow for every true member of the Brotherhood.

—Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, addressing the 1929 Karnea

The Delt Chapters

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One of our new initiates, Joe Braxton, is now intramural athletic chairman at Santa Barbara College. Don Petterson, Lee Powers, a pledge, and "Satchie" Magoffin were on the varsity football team. Most of the Gaucho baseball team will be made up of Delts this year. The returning men on the team are: Dick Bartholomew, "Satchie" Magoffin, Don Petterson, Duane Mittan, Ron Boorman, Buck Taylor, and two pledges, Wayne Scholl and Don McCoy.

In the area of scholarship and service, two men were honored by being initiated to Kappa Delta Pi. They are Ron Boorman and Don Petterson. Four men are members of the Blue Key: Tom McCaulay, Ron Boorman, Duane Mittan, Don Petterson.

The coming semester's activities will be spearheaded by these newly elected officers: Bill Myers, as president; Keith Leaburn, as vice president; Glenn Still, as recording secretary; Everett Taylor, as corresponding secretary; and Thad Smith, as treasurer and house manager.

GLENN STILL
KEITH LEABURN

Delta Omega—Kent

Fifth Anniversary Observed

Delta Omega completed another prosperous quarter at Kent State University

Scholastic Records

In winning the Northern Division Scholarship Award for the year 1953-54, Mu Chapter at Ohio Wesleyan pulls itself to within one notch of equalling the all-time record in such awards of Delta Epsilon Chapter at Kentucky. The Kentuckians have walked off with nine Southern Division scholastic crowns since the award was established many years ago.

Gamma Eta (George Washington), who triumphed in the Southern Division last year, chalked up its second win. Alpha (Allegheny) in the Eastern circuit earned its fourth first place. For Delta Gamma (South Dakota), last year's top spot in the Western Division was its first.

In the all-time record, Gamma Chapter at W. & J. ranks third with a total of six wins to its credit. Gamma Iota (Texas) and Gamma Pi (Iowa State) have both won five times. Chi Chapter (Kenyon) has earned four Northern Division awards.

Although the Northern Division is the largest in number of chapters, in the years of the competition it has the fewest number of chapters who have won at least one award.

The Southern Division made a particularly fine showing in competition for the year 1953-54. Of the top ten chapters in the Fraternity, five, or exactly one-half, were from Dixie.

last year. The outstanding achievement was the winning of the Homecoming decorations trophy.

The chapter graduated two Delts this past quarter, J. Slaby and President H. Mayhew. Newly elected officers are Dick Fedosh, president; Jerry Whitmer, treasurer; and Bob Williams, recording secretary.

Dick Fedosh has just completed his term as business manager of the daily student paper, is a representative to Men's Senate, and is treasurer of Blue Key honorary.

Elected to the position of chapter treasurer was Assistant Treasurer J. Whitmer. Jerry is a sophomore and a member of Kent's Pershing Rifles.

Walt Malmer has been elected president of a newly formed club, Student Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

Three veterans rejoined the chapter at the opening of the fall quarter. They were Tom Scadding, Hal Tabler, and Bob Stopher.

February 25 marks the fifth year of

Delta Tau Delta on the Kent campus. Plans have already been adopted for our Founders Day celebration.

JAMES DIGNAN

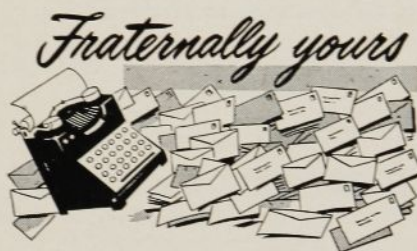
Epsilon Alpha—Auburn

Prepare for Concentrated Rush

Epsilon Alpha is looking forward to a great year. The Shelter is undergoing cleaning, scrubbing, and painting jobs inside and outside and will be wearing the "new look" for the rush program this quarter.

Fifty-four was a downhill struggle for Epsilon Alpha. After losing a great many men because of graduation, draft, etc., our enrollment fell to its lowest number since we received our charter. Not so for '55! We have started the year with an uphill move. Our goal is more good actives, more participation—and winning—in intracampus activities and scholarship. Under the leadership of our capable president, Arthur Slater, we will make 1955 our best year so far.

DALE PARKER



essing for flying training assignments. All seven were graduated last spring and received AFOTC commissions at that time. . . .

Jenkins is now in observer training at Ellington A.F.B., Texas. Bingham and Nelson are in primary pilot training at Marana Air Base, Arizona, and Barnett, Burnfield, Folger, and Brandt are in primary pilot training at Hondo Air Base, Texas.

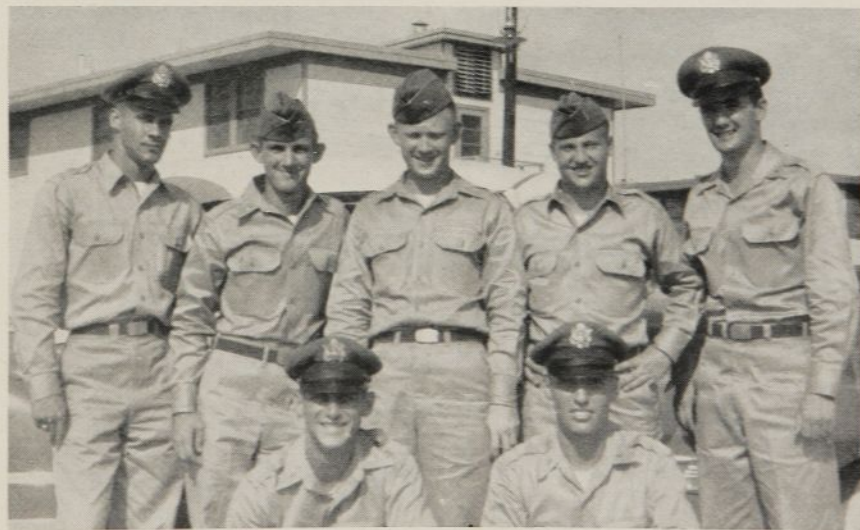
We thought perhaps you'd like to use this shot in THE RAINBOW. . . .

Fraternally yours,

GLENN H. NELSON,
Nebraska, '54

Marana Air Base, Arizona

Enclosed is a picture of seven Delts who happened to be in the same B.O.Q. at Lackland A.F.B. in August while proc-



At Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, these seven Delts, all 1954 graduates, found themselves bunking together prior to receiving flight training assignments. Front row, left to right: WARREN BARNETT, Ohio, and JERRY BINGHAM, Nebraska. Rear row: DICK JENKINS, Miami; WATSON BURNFIELD, Ohio; ALONZO FOLGER, Ohio; GLENN NELSON, Nebraska; and ELROY BRANDT, Idaho.

THE DELT INITIATES

Editor's Note: This department presents the chapter number, name, class, and home town of initiates reported to the Central Office from October 3, 1954, to January 15, 1955.

BETA—OHIO

1035. Dudley P. Kircher, '57, Dayton, Ohio
 1036. George W. Brehmer, Jr., '57, Wellington, Ohio
 1037. Frederick P. Malloy, '57, Cleveland, Ohio
 1038. Robert B. Matthews, '57, Athens, Ohio
 1039. Ronald E. Punkar, '56, Conneaut, Ohio
 1040. Alfred C. Ludlum, II, '57, Steubenville, Ohio
 1041. Richard W. Ewbank, '57, Wilmington, Ohio
 1042. Roger W. Hart, '57, Solon, Ohio
 1043. Robert J. Moore, '57, Coshocton, Ohio
 1044. James E. Bowling, '57, Williamsburg, Ohio
 1045. Charles J. Dooley, '57, Columbus, Ohio
 1046. Jerry L. Lewis, '57, Shaker Heights, Ohio
 1047. Adam Bors, Jr., '57, Cleveland, Ohio
 1048. Thomas A. Roper, '57, Middletown, Ohio
 1049. William F. Hiltz, '57, Middletown, Ohio
 1050. Richard L. Rader, '57, Niles, Ohio
 1051. James M. Kraft, '57, Strongsville, Ohio
 1052. John F. Butcher, '57, Akron, Ohio
 1053. Frank W. Gilbert, '57, Akron, Ohio
 1054. G. Scott Shotwell, '57, Canton, Ohio
 1055. Lewis B. Hodges, '57, Amelia, Ohio
 1056. A. Allen Brokaw, '57, Flushing, Ohio
 1057. Jerry H. Knox, '57, Mount Vernon, Ohio
 1058. Richard R. Graybill, '57, Dayton, Ohio
 1059. Clarence Boukas, '57, Youngstown, Ohio

DELTA—MICHIGAN

893. John Hatgis, '57, New York, N. Y.
 894. Michael E. Barber, '57, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 895. Kenneth C. Johnson, '57, Muskegon, Mich.
 896. John P. Demorest, '57, Grosse Pointe, Mich.
 897. Leonard S. Gell, '57, Royal Oak, Mich.
 898. George A. Nersesian, '57, Detroit, Mich.
 899. Donald E. Young, '57, Rocky River, Ohio
 900. James N. Holton, '57, Norristown, Pa.

EPSILON—ALBION

818. Gilbert E. Lutz, '57, Midland, Mich.
 819. George A. Vivlamore, '57, Dearborn, Mich.
 820. Stewart A. Christian, '57, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 821. Richard E. Cooley, '57, Fenton, Mich.
 822. Thomas H. Leavy, '57, Flint, Mich.
 823. Richard B. Osgood, '57, Pleasant Ridge, Mich.

ZETA—WESTERN RESERVE

651. David G. Bryant, '56, Cleve'and, Ohio
 652. William T. Fisher, '57, Wooster, Ohio
 653. Jack W. Haire, '56, Euclid, Ohio
 654. Richard G. Kinkelaar, '57, Wickliffe, Ohio
 655. Raymond J. Molson, '57, Youngstown, Ohio
 656. Dennis M. Reid, '58, Wickliffe, Ohio

IOTA—MICHIGAN STATE

481. Clifford J. Clemens, '57, Des Plaines, Ill.
 482. C. Douglas Wiest, '57, Findlay, Ohio
 483. Jon C. Davis, '57, Onondaga, Mich.
 484. Robert G. Jewett, '57, Mason, Mich.
 485. John A. Miller, '57, Dearborn, Mich.
 486. Ralph L. Braden, '57, Monroe, Mich.
 487. Robert L. Stocking, '57, Fremont, Mich.
 488. Harry J. Susla, '57, Torrington, Conn.

KAPPA—HILLSDALE

825. Richard R. Triggs, '57, Shaker Heights, Ohio
 826. David B. Carruthers, '57, Grosse Pointe, Mich.

OMICRON—IOWA

785. E. Richard Hansen, '57, Council Bluffs, Iowa

RHO—STEVENS

576. Wallace D. Thompson, '57, Passaic, N. J.
 577. William A. Pepper, '57, Jersey City, N. J.
 578. John J. Bogdon, '57, North Arlington, N. J.
 579. William A. Dangler, Jr., '57, Babylon, N. Y.
 580. Thorpe B. Aschoff, '57, Huntington Beach, L. I., N. Y.
 581. Robert D. Stewart, '57, North Bergen, N. J.
 582. Neil A. Stewart, '57, Jersey City, N. J.
 583. Welsford J. Bryan, '55, Bayonne, N. J.

TAU—PENN STATE

538. Harry E. Criswell, Jr., '55, Hollidaysburg, Pa.
 539. James B. Keisker, '56, Devon, Pa.
 540. Richard O. Olson, '55, Uniontown, Pa.
 541. Harry M. Fuehrer, '57, Havertown, Pa.
 542. Robert K. Gourley, '56, Ambridge, Pa.
 543. Herbert G. Hollowell, '57, Keyport, N. J.

PHI—W. & L.

489. William L. Kauffman, '57, Lima, Pa.
 490. James W. Lewis, '56, Lexington, Va.
 491. John M. Ellis, '56, Leonia, N. J.

CHI—KENYON

577. Theodore E. Bradbury, '57, Lynn, Mass.
 578. Robert D. Price, '57, West Boylston, Mass.

OMEGA—PENNSYLVANIA

734. James B. Aldrich, '57, Meadville, Pa.
 735. Charles W. Adams, Jr., '57, Seattle, Wash.
 736. Charles B. Hudson, '57, Cynwyd, Pa.

BETA BETA—DEPAUW

753. Lawrence S. Lemser, '57, Western Springs, Ill.
 754. Dwight F. Walton, '57, Des Plaines, Ill.

BETA GAMMA—WISCONSIN

730. Frederick W. Seybold, '57, Madison, Wis.
 731. Thomas W. Miller, '57, Madison, Wis.
 732. David M. Menzel, '57, Oshkosh, Wis.
 733. James M. Conklin, '57, Madison, Wis.
 734. Victor S. Sandman, Jr., '57, Port Edwards, Wis.
 735. Wayne M. Vetter, '56, Manitowoc, Wis.

BETA ZETA—BUTLER

727. Donald L. Powers, '57, Seymour, Ind.
 728. Charles W. Butler, '57, Indianapolis, Ind.
 729. John F. Fish, '57, Indianapolis, Ind.

BETA ETA—MINNESOTA

663. William F. Thomford, '56, Zumbrota, Minn.
 664. Richard J. Manly, '57, Clifton, N. J.

BETA THETA—SEWANEE

555. Troy O. Martin, '56, Decatur, Ala.
 556. Walter A. George, III, '57, Nashville, Tenn.
 557. Irvin C. Dunlap, Jr., '56, Urania, La.
 558. Charles G. Gladney, '57, Bastrop, La.
 559. Thomas R. McKay, '56, Delray Beach, Fla.

BETA LAMBDA—LEHIGH

481. Richard D. Ronan, '56, Larchmont, N. Y.
 482. Henry D. Benjamin, '56, Riverside, Conn.
 483. William D. Keen, '56, Williamstown, Pa.
 484. Robert G. Bessler, '57, River Edge, N. J.
 485. John J. Elliott, '57, Seaford, L. I., N. Y.
 486. William J. Grom, Jr., '57, River Edge, N. J.

487. Frederick G. Heath, '57, Essex Fells, N. J.
 488. William D. Lewan, '57, Millburn, N. J.
 489. William J. Moore, Jr., '57, Philadelphia, Pa.
 490. Eugene Mowlds, III, '57, Pittsburgh, Pa.

BETA MU—TUFTS

718. David W. Martinson, '57, Marshfield, Mass.
 719. George W. Ryan, '57, Salem, Mass.
 720. Edward P. Sklarz, '57, Ipswich, Mass.
 721. Norman H. Tracy, Jr., '57, Newton Center, Mass.

BETA RHO—STANFORD

670. Robert V. Antle, '57, Watsonville, Calif.
 671. Jon D. Barstad, '57, Fresno, Calif.
 672. William B. Bond, '57, Long Beach, Calif.
 673. Donn A. Carswell, '57, Honolulu, T. H.
 674. Jerry R. Dunn, '57, Long Beach, Calif.
 675. Richard D. Farman, '57, Menlo Park, Calif.
 676. Philip R. King, '57, Oakland, Calif.
 677. Peter W. Likins, '57, Santa Cruz, Calif.
 678. Donald Manoukian, '57, Reno, Nev.
 679. Peter J. Spittler, '57, Lodi, Calif.
 680. Arnold R. Stenson, Jr., '57, Minneapolis, Minn.
 681. Harold A. Wagner, '57, Oakland, Calif.

BETA TAU—NEBRASKA

725. Robert T. Burns, '57, Omaha, Neb.
 726. John J. Carlson, '57, Minden, Neb.
 727. Robert M. Cook, III, '57, Lincoln, Neb.
 728. Richard B. Farmer, '57, Norfolk, Neb.
 729. John F. Zinnecker, '57, David City, Neb.
 730. Richard J. Hurtz, '56, Wymore, Neb.

BETA UPSILON—ILLINOIS

821. Robert B. Most, '56, Maywood, Ill.
 822. Duane K. Kessler, '57, Irvington, Ill.
 823. Ronald E. Dempsey, '57, Aurora, Ill.
 824. Thomas A. Miller, '56, Brazil, Ind.
 826. Richard T. Oakley, '57, Chicago, Ill.

BETA PHI—OHIO STATE

806. Franklin D. R. Ellwood, '57, Dover, Ohio
 807. Patrick J. Palumbo, '57, Maple Heights, Ohio
 808. Henry H. Gary, Jr., '57, Fostoria, Ohio
 809. Richard W. Brockert, '57, Tipp City, Ohio
 810. James W. Rosenthal, '57, Bedford, Ohio
 811. David R. Wagner, '57, Brecksville, Ohio
 812. Brooke E. Tuttle, '57, Hicksville, Ohio

BETA CHI—BROWN

668. Robert Saltonstall, Jr., '57, North Andover, Mass.
 669. Joseph Solimine, Jr., '56, Essex Fells, N. J.
 670. Richard A. Chagnot, '57, Needham, Mass.
 671. H. Boyd Cameron, '56, Elyria, Ohio
 672. James R. Besser, '57, Hohokus, N. J.
 673. Eugene F. McCulloch, Jr., '56, Needham Heights, Mass.
 674. Paul B. Franz, '57, Rye, N. Y.
 675. Joseph R. Ginther, Jr., '57, Norristown, Pa.
 676. Webster E. Janssen, '57, Bronxville, N. Y.
 677. Charles F. Gordon, Jr., '57, Ambler, Pa.
 678. Walter H. Schwartz, Jr., '57, St. Albans, L. I., N. Y.
 679. Thomas B. Janssen, '57, Bronxville, N. Y.

GAMMA BETA—ILLINOIS TECH

618. John L. May, '57, Green Bay, Wis.
 619. Alan P. Warner, '57, Roselle, Ill.
 620. Harold A. Smith, '55, West Chicago, Ill.

GAMMA GAMMA—DARTMOUTH

914. Herbert S. Ellis, '57, Pittsford, N. Y.
 915. Joseph H. Lane, Jr., '57, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.
 916. Robert L. Slaughter, '57, Evanston, Ill.
 917. Frederick E. Bradley, '57, Glencoe, Ill.

918. Henry Crumbliss, III, '57, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.
 919. John W. Cramer, Jr., '57, North Tona-wanda, N. Y.
 920. Robert W. Holland, '57, Chatham, N. J.
 921. Charles W. Maschal, Jr., '57, Westport, Conn.
 922. Erik T. F. Hvistendahl, '57, Tonsberg, Norway
 923. Robert B. Young, '57, Pasadena, Calif.
 924. Kenneth D. Rakouska, '57, Hinsdale, Ill.
 925. Peter C. Buswell, '57, Gloucester, Mass.
 926. Edward G. Clapham, '57, Columbus, Ohio
 927. Ronald H. Chilcote, '57, Cleveland, Ohio
 928. Morton B. Scharmann, '57, Somerville, N. J.
 929. Kenneth W. Ragland, '57, Glencoe, Ill.
 930. Michael B. King, '57, Marshfield Hills, Mass.
 931. Rom W. Powell, '57, Atlanta, Ga.
 932. Larrie S. Calvert, '57, West Orange, N. J.
 933. George A. Mulder, '57, Montclair, N. J.
 934. Richard P. Lanahan, '57, Princeton, N. J.
 935. Edward K. Bixby, '57, St. Paul, Minn.
 936. Frederick W. Searby, III, '57, Portland, Me.
 937. Grover C. M. Farrish, '57, Huntington, W. Va.
 938. Francis D. Barnes, Jr., '57, New Rochelle, N. Y.
 939. James G. Green, '57, Phoenixville, Pa.
 940. Livingston Jenks, Jr., '57, Honolulu, T. H.
 941. William H. Uffelman, Jr., '57, Lonport, N. J.

GAMMA IOTA—TEXAS

819. Fred W. Baccus, '58, Austin, Texas
 820. James W. Gary, '58, San Marcos, Texas
 821. Larry J. Lynn, '56, Midland, Texas
 822. James A. McBride, II, '58, Austin, Texas
 823. Jan S. Roush, '57, Austin, Texas
 824. Robert M. Rucker, '57, Dallas, Texas
 825. Eugene P. Scott, '56, Corpus Christi, Texas
 826. John T. Stuart, III, '58, Dallas, Texas

GAMMA DELTA—WEST VIRGINIA

649. Robert J. Reed, '57, Parkersburg, W. Va.
 650. Raymond G. Musgrave, '57, Point Pleasant, W. Va.

GAMMA ZETA—WESLEYAN

725. Bruce R. Dubay, '56, Bristol, Conn.
 726. Carl B. Swanson, '55, Worcester, Mass.
 727. Francis S. Bancroft, III, '56, Smyrna, Del.

GAMMA MU—WASHINGTON

704. George H. Johnson, '57, Seattle, Wash.
 705. J. Allen Jack, '57, Wenatchee, Wash.
 706. Thomas L. Taylor, '57, Seattle, Wash.

GAMMA RHO—OREGON

569. Thomas W. Hemphill, '57, Eugene, Ore.
 570. Robert L. Frank, '57, San Mateo, Calif.

GAMMA SIGMA—PITTSBURGH

834. Alfred D. Bartlett, '57, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 835. Dalton L. Hoffman, '57, New Cumberland, Pa.
 836. Glen A. Ballard, '55, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 837. George F. Buerger, Jr., '57, Uniontown, Pa.
 838. Robert L. O'Rourke, '55, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 839. Thomas C. Kay, '58, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 840. Sebastian A. Russo, '56, Bridgeville, Pa.

GAMMA UPSILON—MIAMI

716. John N. Bonza, Jr., '56, Cleveland, Ohio
 717. Robert W. DeShields, '57, Shaker Heights, Ohio
 718. Philip L. Potter, '57, North Muskegon, Mich.
 719. Richard T. Farmer, '56, Cincinnati, Ohio
 720. Bruce A. Bell, '57, Oshkosh, Wis.
 721. Roger L. Koehler, '57, Ft. Thomas, Ky.
 722. Jerry F. Hanlon, '56, North Bend, Ohio
 723. Henry G. Oppmann, '57, Lakewood, Ohio
 724. Edward M. Grabill, Jr., '57, Des Plaines, Ill.
 725. Kenneth R. Smith, '55, Cincinnati, Ohio
 726. Peter H. Davidson, '57, Fort Recovery, Ohio
 727. Edward W. Swanson, Jr., '57, Cincinnati, Ohio
 728. David F. Burr, '57, Youngstown, Ohio
 729. Jerry D. Johnson, '57, Kenilworth, Ill.
 730. Terry B. Stanton, '57, Glencoe, Ill.
 731. Gary L. Silcott, '57, Columbus, Ohio

GAMMA CHI—KANSAS STATE

560. Cecil R. Taylor, Jr., '56, Kansas City, Mo.
 561. Theodore W. Heath, '56, Marion, Kan.
 562. Ross F. Siegle, '55, Manhattan, Kan.
 563. Richard D. Haines, '57, Manhattan, Kan.
 564. Olyn D. Calhoun, Jr., '57, Colby, Kan.
 565. David L. Larson, '57, Prairie Village, Kan.

DELTA BETA—CARNEGIE TECH

513. William H. Wilton, Jr., '57, Park Ridge, Ill.

DELTA GAMMA—SOUTH DAKOTA

490. Donald E. Skinner, '57, Watertown, S. D.
 491. Jerry Lyness, '56, Winner, S. D.
 492. Rolf I. Skyberg, '57, Canton, S. D.
 493. Robert D. Pulscher, '56, Watertown, S. D.

DELTA DELTA—TENNESSEE

444. Robert G. Tate, Jr., '57, Memphis, Tenn.
 446. John F. Schrankel, '54, Barnsboro, Pa.
 447. William H. Lawson, '57, Knoxville, Tenn.
 448. Peter Peletz, Jr., '55, Fair Lawn, N. J.

DELTA EPSILON—KENTUCKY

560. Henry B. Durham, '58, Cincinnati, Ohio
 561. Joe B. McCain, '56, Louisville, Ky.

DELTA ZETA—FLORIDA

589. Kenneth R. Bailey, Jr., '58, Tampa, Fla.
 590. James H. Gibbons, '56, Archer, Fla.
 591. James A. Patterson, '57, Miami, Fla.

DELTA ETA—ALABAMA

395. Donald W. Connor, '56, Gadsden, Ala.
 396. Robert L. Jackson, '57, Montgomery, Ala.

DELTA THETA—TORONTO

367. Keith L. McIntyre, '57, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 368. Howard K. Knapp, '57, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 369. Bruce M. Drynan, '57, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 370. John W. Whalen, '56, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 371. Samuel A. C. King, '58, Aurora, Ont., Can.
 372. Alexander Fraser, '58, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 373. William M. Frost, '58, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 374. Ross L. Butters, '58, Toronto, Ont., Can.
 375. John M. Eastwood, '58, Peterborough, Ont., Can.
 376. Ralph J. Spence, '56, West Ellesmere P. O., Ont., Can.

DELTA IOTA—U.C.L.A.

452. Walter H. Drane, '58, Los Angeles, Calif.
 453. Robert E. Spencer, '57, Reseda, Calif.
 454. Byron R. Vreeland, '58, West Los Angeles, Calif.

DELTA LAMBDA—OREGON STATE

379. Robert S. Gilley, '56, Portland, Ore.
 380. Frank M. Latta, '57, Napa, Calif.

381. Ronald L. Pattee, '57, Milwaukie, Ore.
 382. Donald L. Simmonds, '57, Casablanca, Fr. Morocco

DELTA MU—IDAHO

357. Max C. Durall, '56, Fairfield, Idaho
 358. William L. Herr, '56, Sterling, Idaho
 359. Charles R. Sauls, '58, Eagle, Idaho
 360. Joseph G. Wilson, Jr., '57, Moscow, Idaho
 361. Anton Dumhart, '57, Wallace, Idaho
 362. Robert T. Jameson, '57, Idaho Falls, Idaho

DELTA XI—NORTH DAKOTA

201. R. S. Lyle Hillman, '57, Mountain, N. D.
 202. Hyatt H. Holt, '57, Bismarck, N. D.

DELTA PI—U.S.C.

356. Robert B. Avery, '57, Long Beach, Calif.
 370. David L. McIntyre, '56, Los Angeles, Calif.

DELTA RHO—WHITMAN

75. Dan W. Foster, '57, Koloa, Kauai, T. H.
 76. Robert S. Johnson, '57, Los Angeles, Calif.

DELTA TAU—BOWLING GREEN

57. Richard E. Rose, '57, Troy, Ohio

DELTA PHI—FLORIDA STATE

92. Robert Bagovich, '57, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 93. Donnelle Cooper, '57, Pensacola, Fla.
 94. James F. Fadigan, '55, Margate City, N. J.
 95. Harold R. Possenti, '57, Vineland, N. J.
 96. Theodore D. Wyly, '55, Neptune Beach, Fla.

DELTA CHI—OKLAHOMA A. & M.

81. Ernani Lopes Filho, '56, Bello Horizonte, Brazil, S. A.
 82. Mack S. Summers, Jr., '57, Ardmore, Okla.
 83. Robert S. Jones, '58, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 84. Ronald E. Sanders, '57, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 85. Charles K. Casey, '58, Stillwater, Okla.

DELTA PSI—SANTA BARBARA

138. Ronald V. Magoffin, '55, Sherman Oaks, Calif.
 139. Ronald J. Boorman, '55, Sierra Madre, Calif.
 140. James F. Bailey, '56, Altadena, Calif.
 141. Keith E. Leaburn, '55, Los Angeles, Calif.
 142. Everett B. Taylor, '56, Long Beach, Calif.
 143. Donald D. Heck, '55, Altadena, Calif.
 144. Richard E. Bartholomew, '55, Pasadena, Calif.
 145. James C. Olsen, '55, Pico, Calif.
 146. Joe L. Braxton, '55, Santa Barbara, Calif.
 147. Jerry B. Furrey, '55, Altadena, Calif.

DELTA OMEGA—KENT

221. David L. Twaddle, '57, New London, Ohio
 222. James P. Dignan, '56, Akron, Ohio
 223. Jack L. Gimbel, '57, Independence, Ohio

DIVISION CONFERENCES

March 4 and 5—Northern Division Conference
 Champaign, Illinois

March 11 and 12—Eastern Division Conference
 University Club, Boston, Massachusetts

April 15 and 16—Southern Division Conference
 Lexington, Kentucky

April 29 and 30—Western Division Conference
 Manhattan, Kansas

LOYALTY FUND LIFE MEMBERS

Since the establishment January 1, 1926, of Delta Tau Delta's Loyalty Fund, its endowment fund, 15,609 men have become Loyalty Fund Life Members. Three hundred twenty-nine have been added to this group from October 1, 1954, to December 31, 1954.

Following are the names of men initiated prior to January 1, 1926, who have become Loyalty Fund Members upon contribution of \$50:

Walter A. Sommers, George Washington, '06

Silas B. Ragsdale, Texas, '18

William B. Crabtree, Syracuse, '22

Herbert L. Spencer, Carnegie Tech, '21

Notes, signed at the time of initiation, have been paid in full by the following, who are now Loyalty Fund Life Members:

BETA—OHIO

F. Loyal Bemiller, '55
Bob V. White, '29

GAMMA—W. & J.

Thomas C. Bash, '55
John P. Brown, '55
Kenneth R. Kost, '55
Russell G. Mobley, Jr., '55

EPSILON—ALBION

Leopold P. Borrello, '55
Philip R. Glotfelty, III, '55
Robert J. Kouts, '55
Thomas W. Misner, Jr., '55
Robert C. Reynolds, '55
Richard C. Swanson, '55

ZETA—WESTERN RESERVE

Frank P. Anzellotti, Jr., '55
James A. Hathaway, '55
Joseph F. Manak, Jr., '43
Thomas C. Rohwedder, '55
Eugene P. Schwartz, '55
John E. Swisher, '49

IOTA—MICHIGAN STATE

Roger S. Beebe, '55
Thomas F. Cummings, '55
Paul G. Ellison, '55
Edwin C. Houldsworth, '55
David R. Kinney, '54
Jerome E. Moore, '55
Larry L. Rice, '53

KAPPA—HILLSDALE

Charles P. Kotting, '55
Dennis N. Maxey, '55
William H. Meredith, II, '55

MU—OHIO WESLEYAN

Robert L. Bruce, Jr., '46
Arthur P. Caliendo, '55
David C. Cecil, '55
Carver E. Hendrix, '55
William Y. Hensge, '54
David L. Hunt, '55
John H. Manton, '55
Arthur H. Robins, '56

NU—LAFAYETTE

Peter J. Carril, '52
Eugene Feuerstein, '54

OMICRON—IOWA

Dale E. Fuller, '55
G. Wesley Harker, Jr., '55
Kenneth J. Sherk, '55

TAU—PENN STATE

Fred A. Ernest, '54
James G. Guerdon, '54
Norwood N. Nelson, Jr., '55

UPSILON—RENSSELAER

William A. Carmine, '55
E. Joseph Keating, '55
Alic R. Lange, '55
John Lukacz, Jr., '55
Jerome F. Pollock, '55
Richard K. Ryder, '55
James A. Tait, '55

PHI—W. & L.

Watson A. Bowes, Jr., '55
Selden W. Clark, '55
Roland C. Davies, Jr., '55
William W. Davis, Jr., '55
Walter B. DeGree, Jr., '55
Thomas S. Kirkpatrick, Jr., '50

CHI—KENYON

Floyd R. Fraley, '51
William B. Hanaford, '53

OMEGA—PENNSYLVANIA

Charles F. Fretz, Jr., '51
William H. Gallaher, '55
George L. Pauk, '54
Robert M. Paulus, '55
Charles J. Shaffer, '53

BETA ALPHA—INDIANA

Harold E. Booker, '54

BETA BETA—DEPAUW

James G. Carr, '55
Donald A. Johnson, '55
Walter L. Johnson, II, '55
Nicholas H. Kalvin, '55
George D. MacLean, Jr., '55
George E. McFarland, '55
John C. Osmer, '55
Paul N. Stenger, '55

BETA GAMMA—WISCONSIN

Robert K. Bischoff, '54
Gerald C. Gant, '55
Earl S. Schultz, '53
Marvin M. Stitsen, '55
Roger H. Trumbore, '55
Robert E. Visco, '55

BETA DELTA—GEORGIA

William C. Cumbie, '53

BETA EPSILON—EMORY

Robert C. Foy, '55
Frank E. Warinner, '55

BETA ZETA—BUTLER

Clyde H. Green, '52
Edward M. Marmion, '53
James A. Moore, '55
Charles H. White, '39

BETA KAPPA—COLORADO

Richard A. Becker, '54
Richard M. Boblit, '55
William G. Deinema, '55
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- AKRON**—Louis P. Carabelli, X, 640 N. Main St. Meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month at the Akron Liedertafel Club.
- ALBANY**—(See Capital District)
- APPLETON**—(See Fox River Valley)
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- ATHENS (OHIO)**—Francis B. Fuller, B, 117 Franklin Ave. Dinner meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 6:00 P. M. at the Hotel Berry.
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- BOISE VALLEY**—Jerome Evans, ΓI. Luncheon meeting the last Wednesday of the month at noon at the Golden Dragon.
- BOSTON**—Rudolph L. Helgeson, Jr., BM, 276 North Ave., Weston, Mass. Luncheon every Thursday at 12:15 P. M. at Patten's Restaurant, 41 Court St.
- BUFFALO**—John R. Pfeleger, A, 16 E. Winspear Ave. Luncheon every Monday at 12:30 P. M. at the University Club, 546 Delaware Ave.
- BUTLER (PENNSYLVANIA)**—H. George Allen, T, 623 N. McKenna St. Meetings in the Armco Room, Nixon Hotel.
- CAPITAL DISTRICT**—Meetings at irregular intervals at Albany, Schenectady, and Troy.
- CHICAGO**—Robert C. Swanson, ΓA, 17924 Escanaba Ave., Lansing, Ill. Luncheon every Monday at 12:15 P. M. at Hardings Restaurant, seventh floor of the Fair, corner of Dearborn and Adams Sts.
- CHOCTAW**—R. Wm. Horton, A, R. D. No. 1, Meadville, Pa.
- CINCINNATI**—Harold E. Purvis, ΓT, 2606 Fernview Ct. Luncheon every Tuesday at 12:30 P. M. at the Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race Sts.
- CLARKSBURG**—L. Esker Neal, ΓΔ, 300 Prunty Bldg. Luncheon the second Thursday of each month at 12:00 noon at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel.
- CLEVELAND**—Randall M. Ruhlman, Z, 400 Union Commerce Bldg. Weekly luncheon meetings are held at noon on Friday at the Nanking Restaurant, 729 Euclid Ave.
- COLUMBUS (OHIO)**—James J. Hogan, BΦ, 300 W. Lane Ave., Apt. 15. Luncheons every Friday noon at the University Club.
- DALLAS**—Lloyd W. Birdwell, ΓI, 3900 Greenbrier. Luncheons are held at noon the first Monday of each month.
- DAYTON (OHIO)**—Frank E. Wilson, BΦ, 6 N. Main St. Luncheon meeting at noon the first Friday of each month at the Biltmore Hotel.
- DENVER**—Robert A. Hiester, BK, 3415 Ash St. Luncheon Monday noon at Denver Dry Goods Tea Room. Dinner meeting in the odd months on the third Thursday at the Oxford Hotel.
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- FORT LAUDERDALE**—Phil H. Fairchild, ΔZ, 299 N. Federal Highway. Regular meetings will be held the first Wednesday of each month at Brown's Restaurant at 1:00.
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- FOX RIVER VALLEY (WISCONSIN)**
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- MIAMI**—Marion C. McCune, ΔZ, 3917 LeJune Rd. Monthly meeting at the University Club.
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- MINNEAPOLIS**—(See Minnesota.)
- MINNESOTA**—Thomas F. Allen, BH, 3701 Garfield Ave., S., Minneapolis. Luncheons are held every Friday noon on the second floor of the Covered Wagon in Minneapolis.
- MONTGOMERY**—Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 P. M. at the Town House Restaurant.
- NASHVILLE**—Dinner the second Wednesday of each month at 6:00 P. M. at the Noel Hotel.
- NATIONAL CAPITAL (WASHINGTON, D. C.)**—Robert E. Newby, ΓH, 2706 East-West Highway, Chevy Chase 15, Md. Monthly luncheons at Bonat's Restaurant, 1022 Vermont Ave., N. W.
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- NORTHERN KENTUCKY**—Clem R. Fennell, Jr., B, 521 N. Ft. Thomas Ave., Ft. Thomas, Ky. Meetings are held the second Monday evening of each month.
- OKLAHOMA CITY**—William D. Lunn, ΔA. Meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at 6:30 P. M. at Beverly's Drive-In on North Lincoln.
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- PHILADELPHIA—Irrving A. Miller, Jr., Ω, 24 Pickwick Lane, Newton Sq., Pa. Meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of every month at 1:00 P. M. at the Omega Shelter.
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- SCHENECTADY—(See Capital District.)
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- SOUTHEAST KANSAS—Alfred C. Runyan, ΓΘ, 113 W. 4th St., Pittsburg, Kan.
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- SYRACUSE—J. F. Wulfetange, Jr., T, State Tower Bldg. Meetings are held at 6:00 P. M. the first Monday of each month at the Gamma Omicron chapter house, 115 College Pl.
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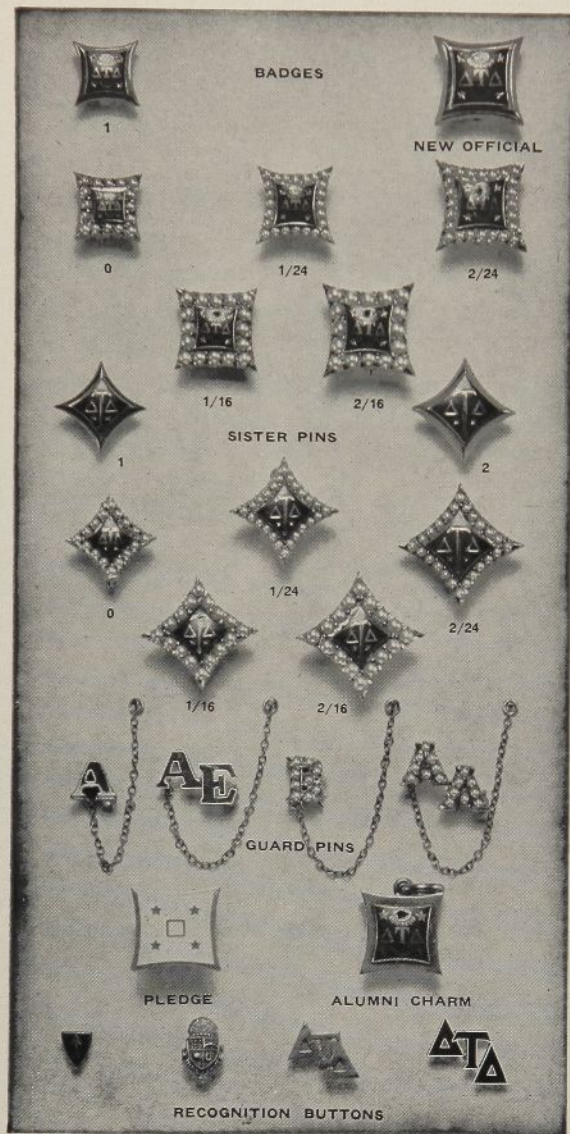
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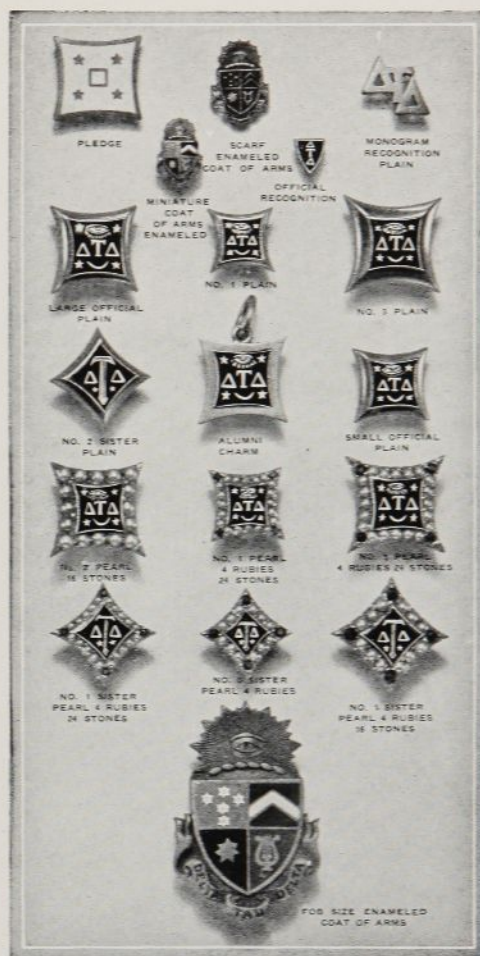
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THESE WORDS seem to me to be fitting words to live by in this age of the atom. To me, they establish beyond question our relationship to God.

My lawyer father used to say to me that God placed us here as trustees of His Kingdom. If we accept that concept, there is no need to live in terror of the energy which we, in the performance of our trust, have released from the atom.

Man has always had within him the power to destroy himself. Instead he continues to live in God's kingdom, by His power and to His glory.

Fear doubtless first seized our primitive ancestors when one of them for the first time produced fire, handling familiarly and harmlessly the terribly destructive force which had always held man in deadly fear and awe. Man, master of fire, built thereon the great civilization which we see all about us.

The energies released by atomic fission and fusion are but the latest of the many talents with which God has trusted us. Despite obvious dangers, we dare not wrap these talents in a napkin and bury them in the ground in fear of ourselves or God. If God has trusted us, can we not then trust ourselves?

With the power that God has given us we are even now taking the first steps forward in the building of a new world to replace the old. God has opened for us and for our children the bright prospect of a new and infinitely freer world. New horizons beckon us on all sides.

Let us go forward then, in God's kingdom, trusting Him as He has trusted us, unafraid.

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