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Collections from Alumni Dues in 1954 amounted to—\$15,754.43, and

This represents less than one-fifth of our entire membership paying Alumni Dues.

If we could encourage about six per cent more of the non-paying Brothers to start paying their dues this year, then

The income from the source of Alumni Dues would increase to about \$20,000,00, and

This being our goal for the year 1955, we are calling on you to help us realize this ambition. If you have not already paid your dues, please use the form below, enclose your check for \$5.00, and send it today to CHI PHI FRATERNITY, 312 Mark Bldg., Atlanta 3, Georgia.

THE COUNCIL wishes to take this opportunity to THANK all the Brothers who have already shown their loyalty by paying their dues promptly, and particularly do we THANK those very generous Brothers who contributed more than \$5. You have enabled us to meet obligations and eliminate further notices to you for Dues.

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Let's talk it over

T is always a great pleasure to write "Let's talk it over" because I feel that I am reporting to the Alumni and the undergraduates in detail about every phase of the Chi Phi Fraternity. Since it is your Fraternity, you ought to know as much about it as you can, and it is my great pleasure to try to keep you informed.

In the last issue of The Chakett I gave you a complete report on the happenings at the Congress. In this issue I wish to report to you that, as your National Director, I attended the National Interfraternity Conference in Philadelphia the early part of December. Your delegates were Grand Alpha Gladfelter, Brother Harlan Jessup, and myself. There were four undergraduate delegates—one from Theta Delta, one from Iota, one from Xi, and one from Eta-so you can see that we were well represented in the undergraduate department.

The Chi Phi Fraternity was honored by the National Interfraternity Conference by the election of our Grand Alpha, Brother Carl J. Gladfelter, to its Executive Committee. He will be a source of strength to the Executive Committee and a great benefit to our Fraternity.

When the National Interfraternity Conference was over, Mrs. Rosser, whom many of you remember as Miss Mildred Wells, and I visited the Zeta Chapter at Franklin and Marshall College, and found them in their usual fine condition. From there we went to the Alpha Delta Chapter at Pennsylvania State University, where we had a most inspiring meeting at the house. I wish to commend this Chapter for its fine work and its interest in the Fraternity as a whole. We had the pleasure of visiting the Chapter along with Brother Charlie Stoddart and his wife. We next went to the Xi Chapter at Cornell and we found Xi, as usual, one of our best chapters. From Cornell we went to the Psi Chapter at Lehigh University and I spent a delightful evening with the undergraduate chapter. These boys are serious about the work of the Fraternity and are taking things in stride. Our next stop was at the Rho Chapter at La-

fayette College. We found this Chapter very enthusiastic about the Fraternity, but somewhat apprehensive about Alumni support. They would like to have more of it and are putting on a campaign to bring this about. From there we went to the Delta Chapter at Rutgers. This Chapter we also found to be operating on a very sound basis. Their Alumni have spent a considerable sum of money on the house recently and we congratulate them on a fine job well done.

I returned to Atlanta to supervise the mailing of the Alumni Dues notices. These went out just before the first of the year and the response has been most encouraging. We hope all of you Brothers will pay your Alumni Dues. I have dubbed this source of income "The Life Blood of the Fraternity," and I sincerely believe it to be just that.

I have recently circularized the Chapters, calling their attention to the fact that the Congress in Lancaster authorized the holding of Zone Meetings. The Council is convinced that this is a most important function and I am asking each Chapter to consider seriously playing host to the Chapters in its zone. hope to hear from Chapters throughout the country, indicating their willingness to hold one of these Zone Meetings. You will find that it will pay big dividends in interest and enthusiasm generated by working on this project. It will be my pleasure to attend as many of these Zone Meetings as I can. If it is impossible for me to get there, one of your Grand Officers will attend.

We have had considerable discussion at the last several Congresses with reference to the most convenient time for Chapters to elect their officers. I would like for each Chapter to let me know what time suits them best for this purpose, as this matter will be presented to the next Congress for definite action. We want to amend our Constitution, setting a time for the election that will best suit the majority of the Chapters.

The entire Fraternity is very much interested in the ambitious undertaking of the Nu Chapter at

the University of Texas, in seeking to raise \$125,000.00 to build themselves a new home. Elsewhere in this issue of The Chakett you will find an article about this drive for funds, and I hope all loyal Chi Phis will support our Brothers in Texas. This is a most ambitious program and we cannot afford to have it anything but successful.

The nicest Christmas present that I have had in a long time came to me in a report from Brother Scotty Laue of the Beta Delta Chapter at the University of Washington. Beta Delta, as you know, has had considerable trouble in the last couple of years, but Brother Laue reports that they now have 10 pledges and a home for them to live in. This is mighty good news to the Fraternity! We certainly cannot afford to lose our Chapter at the University of Washington. If it is saved, and I now definitely believe it will be, the credit will be due to the untiring efforts of the Alumni, and especially to Brother Laue, a retired Brigadier General in the United States Marines. Dr. Hunter, our Scholarship Counselor, also deserves credit for the fine work he has done in the Beta Delta crisis. I hope to be able to bring you the details of Beta Delta's progress in the April issue of THE CHAKETT.

The Council of the Chi Phi Fraternity wishes to extend to Brother Robert A. Cummings, Jr., its thanks for the fine work he is doing in the Pittsburgh area in reactivating the Chi Phi Club of Western Pennsylvania. We hope all of the Chi Phis in that area will contact Brother Cummings at 300 Sixth Avenue, Pittsburgh, and help him with this work.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the many, many Chi Phis in all of the Chapters who remembered Mrs. Rosser and me with Christma's cards during the holiday season. You have been very kind to both of us and we appreciate it from the bottom of our hearts.

Respectfully submitted,

L. J. Rosser National Director

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Cover

The cover for this issue of "Chakett" comes from the campaign brochure sent to all members of Nu Chapter at the beginning of the current campaign. It was prepared by Winston Harwood Co., public relations group in Austin which has assisted in raising money for several fraternity houses on the Texas campus. Its appeal is one for the Chi Phi members in all Chapters. Your Chapter and the entire Fraternity wants you to rally

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A Home for NU is on the Way

by O. B. WILLIAMS, SR., Nu '21

OPING to build a "home away from home" for all Chi Phis who attend The University of Texas in the future, and to provide a permanent and hospitable center for those of past years who may visit Austin and the University, Nu Alumni are working enthusiastically on a chapter house project.

Traditions are numerous among the old timers and the new timers of Nu, and there are lasting memories of experiences shared and close friendships formed during the association at one or another of the houses occupied by the Chapter in past years. Some of these houses, especially in recent years, have not been quite what you would like to remember. In the early years of the Chapter it didn't much matter that the house was poor. Just about all other fraternities, and sororities, too, for that matter, were in the same boat. But times have changed, and it has taken a lot of courage and Chi Phi spirit to keep going.

There have been several abortive attempts to provide adequate housing for Nu since the Chapter was installed in 1892. One house was owned for quite a few years by the Alumni Association, but it was never fully paid for. The location, at 200 West 19th Street, was wonderful. Not much else favorable can be said. Eventually this house, always too small and poorly arranged, wore out, and, in the summer of 1930, Brother C. E. Rowe prepared

plans for remodeling and enlarging. It was decided, though, to rent the old E. M. House home at 1704 West Avenue from Brother W. T. Caswell (Alpha-Pi Vanderbilt) and here the Chapter really lived its golden years. There was a suitable setting for the men of Nu. Butcame the war and the Chapter entered hard times. Several of the fraternities suspended operations. The few with decent houses were moved out, and the houses taken over by Army or Navy trainees. Nu managed to avoid a complete shut down, thanks to the unselfish and devoted efforts of a very few who couldn't make the service, plus the temporary efforts of cadets in one or another of the training programs. It wasn't easy, and the less said about the wartime housing the

During the war the West Avenue house was sold to a sorority (they didn't lose many to the WACS or WAVES), and thus was not available for reoccupancy by the Chapter. There wasn't much else available either. The enrollment of the University climbed to 18,000, most of whom were men who needed a place to live. Houses were really at a premium. Finally, the Chapter found an old residence, still too small, but by eating in shifts, doubling up beyond reason in rooms and study space, and paying premium rent for all this, once again there was an approximation of a fraternity house.

What was the situation with other fraternities? Prior to the war out of the 30 fraternities on the campus only four had houses built especially as fraternity houses. Two of these were fairly new, and two were fairly old. Chi Phi, in the old E. M. House place, had been well housed, although in need of more rooms and a larger dining room. For the first few years after the war the same situation prevailed as before the war for just about all except Chi Phi, which had lost. As soon as building became possible, fraternity building started. Virtually all the leading fraternities have built large new chapter houses, or have a building under construction. From a position near the top in housing, Chi Phi now occupies the poorest house of any fraternity on the campus.

Early in 1946 a large group of Alumni came to Austin for a postwar reunion. There was much enthusiasm for a new house, and about \$20,000 was pledged at the dinner meeting. For several reasons, none of which need be discussed now, the house died aborning. Again in 1947 a serious attempt was made to raise funds for a new house. The Alumni Association was revived and secured a charter as a nonprofit educational corporation. Officers were elected as follows: president, Creston H. Funk; vice president, D. B. Hardeman; and secretary-treasurer, O. B. Williams, Sr. Under the vigorous leadership of Creston Funk a campaign was initiated with a plan of donations to be placed in escrow and to be refunded unless a minimum goal was attained. A newly-formed public relations firm was employed by a group of the campaign workers to prepare informational material and pledge cards, and to attend to the correspondence. This plan didn't work out very well. The firm needed *some* experience!

The beginnings of the project now under way was the result of a number of meetings of a small group of Austin Alumni. W. G. (Willie) Swenson, Jr., had suffered through all the hardships of post-war housing. He had keen memories of the pre-war fraternity, and his ambition was to return to a comparable status. Willie and Phil Moss, from the Active Chapter, began in the spring of 1953 to collect data on how the other fraternities had handled the problem of a new house. It was simple. Almost everyone had employed Winston Harwood, who had gained the needed experience in organizing and conducting a campaign in the successful undertaking of his own group-B⊕II. There were numerous conferences with and without the presence of Mr. Harwood. We learned that all of the groups with which he had worked had a history of one or more failures in an attempt to raise funds for a house. The membership roll of each was about the same size. Although in at least one instance there had been a wealthy Alumnus benefactor, the common pattern had been a widespread Alumni interest which had made the campaign a success. There was much consideration of the possible effect on the

Alumni of a paid money-raiser, and an antidote was finally evolved and submitted by the Austin group to interested groups in San Antonio, Dallas, and Houston for their consideration. The plan, which was agreed to by all, was for a limited group of Alumni to contribute in advance the fee of Mr. Harwood. Thus none of the money contributed to the house fund would be used to pay the campaign director. The Austin group organized as a club and elected Dr. R. B. Morrison as president and Eugene Parker as secretary, and sent out a call for state-wide meeting. The Nu Alumni Association was reactivated and Dr. Morrison was elected president; W. G. Swenson, Jr., secretary; and the following as directors: David H. Buchanan, Temple; Peter M. C. Buhmann, Dallas; Ben Wayne Greig, Sr., Austin; Sam D. W. Low, Houston; Alvin R. Martin, Houston; Richard Rolle, Houston; Herman P. Pressler, Houston; John E. Metzenthin, Dallas; Phocian S. Park, Austin; O. B. Williams, Sr., Austin; Richard S. Reser, San Antonio; and Arthur W. Mueller, San Antonio, Three representatives from the Active Chapter are to be added to this group to ensure close relations with the undergraduate members of the Fraternity.

At a meeting of the directors in Austin in June, 1954, Mr. Harwood was employed to start the first part of August. Since that time a number of meetings have been held over the state and a campaign organization perfected. A. M. G. (Swede) Swenson of Stamford was prevailed upon to accept the general chairmanship and O. B. Williams, Sr., to act as campaign treasurer.

Considerable effort was made to



Nu members, pledges, and dates got ready for the boatride party on Lake Austin. Nu is proud of two new trophies won this year for contributing more money per man in the campus chest drive than any other group and for gathering more wood for the Texas vs Texas A & M pre-game bonfire

get the roll of members corrected, after which the state was divided into districts, and a chairman for each district was selected. The charter of the Alumni Association was rewritten by a committee composed of Sam D. W. Low, Herman P. Pressler, and Arthur W. Mueller to conform to the BoII charter, which had secured a tax ruling. The name, according to the new charter, is the Texas Chi Phi Educational Trust.

Active solicitation was begun just before Thanksgiving on a basis of a 4- to 5-year payment period, with pledges rather than merely cash donations being sought. In this way it was expected that each Alumnus might give more freely than if the full amount was to be paid at one time. The goal is \$125,000 for a house. This figure was arrived at on the basis of information supplied by W. W. Milburn, Jr., who had much data on costs of the houses recently constructed at the University, as to the cost per man expected to be housed. It is expected that the lot and the furnishings will add about \$40,000. Brother Milburn has made a tentative design of a house in modern ranch style type of architecture, which is a popular style among recent houses at the University.

As of publication date \$100,000 has been raised. There is good reason to hope for an early end to the housing problem of Nu Chapter.

Alumni News

G. Harrison Echols, Alpha '23, is Industrial Division Adviser to the U. S. Foreign Operations Administration (U. S. Technical Coop. Mission) and will be in New Delhi, India, c/o the American Embassy, for two years.

Raymond J. Pool, Alpha Theta Chi '07, professor of botany, emeritus, was given the Lincoln, Nebr., Kiwanis Club's Distinguished Service Award and Medal for 1954 for 42 years' service to the University of Nebraska and the State.

2nd Lt. Gus Albern, Tau '54, is on a 2-year tour of duty with the USAR and is now stationed at Ft. Bliss, Texas.



Dr. Robert B. Morrison, Nu '33, is president of the Nu Alumni Assn. He is a "legacy"

HO are the officers and directors of the reactivated Nu Alumni Association? Here they are, the hardest working fellows in Texas:

Robert B. Morrison, Nu '33, president. A long time back young Charley Morrison shook the red clay of the Georgia hills off his shoes, went down to Emory and got persuaded. Later he shook again, and Texas gained. In due time, life being what it is, Bob came along, predestined to be a man among men. It is hard to talk about Bob without talking about Mr. Charley, and hard to talk about Mr. Charley without bringing in Bob. All you fathers of young sons just hope you do as well in raising the boy, and in father-son relations. Bob went through medical school, got interested in the chest and lungs and has got real good at it. A few years back he knelt on one knee, got smacked on the side of the head with a rusty scalpel and rose as a Fellow of some sort of chest surgeons' organization for the restraint of trade. How we wish there was a covey of little Bob's coming along instead of those blamed cats.

William G. Swenson, Jr., Nu '44, secretary-treasurer. It is hard to believe that one little town can produce as many good men as has been true for Stamford. But it has.

Mu Alumni Board Members Lead Campaign

And we are real glad that Otis Miller put a button on his fellow townsman, Willie's Uncle Swede, back in 1918. For this is why we got Willie, and where would this house project be today if it wasn't for this young Scandinavian? He had a hard time making up his mind what he wanted to do after he quit being a wild blue vonder boy. Finally decided that architecture was strictly for the birds, moved over to the insurance program in the Business School, and is now the only Austin architect writing insurance. Doing well at it, too. A little Pi Phi only at this writing, but be patient.

Axel Magnus Gottfried Swenson, Nu '23, general chairman of the campaign. Swede is a real allwool-and-a-yard-wide cowman. Born and raised on the SMS ranch at Stamford, and now Assistant Manager of the same. Entered the University in 1918, and prepared well for the doctoring of wire cuts, dehorning, artificial insemination, and other ranch activities by the study of history. Got his BA in 1923. Captain of the football team his last year, and a letterman in basketball. Member of two mutual admiration lodges-the Friars and Skull and Bones. Has two daughters in Wellesley and a future Chi Phi still in high school. When Swede was appointed to the Board of Regents in 1947, one of his old Fraternity brothers who knew him well appraised the situation as follows: "God, I hope the University is strong enough to survive this." One of the best known and best liked of Nu Alumni.

Samuel Donaldson Warren Low, Nu '18. Sam pulled a lot of wool over law faculty eyes, and in 1920, tucked an LLB in his brief case and set forth spewing habeas corpuses, res ipse loquitors, and other phrases he couldn't translate,



William G. Swenson, Jr., Nu '44, secretarytreasurer of the Nu Alumni Assn., is another "legacy"

all over the landscape. He has been in and out of active practice ever since. He skirted the edges from 1942 to 1945 as Special Assistant to the American Ambassador in Chile. Then he beat the drum for Harry, and skirted again as Collector of Customs for the Galveston District from 1949 to 1953. But the \$100 dinners weren't enough. Sam is working again, specializing in customs, marine, and foreign trade matters. Just bet he fools a lot of fellers, too. At least for a while.

Ben Wayne Greig, Sr., Nu '22. Ben Wayne got picked off by World War I, and never finished his degree training. He took a transfusion of printer's ink instead, and became real grateful for election time every other year because it meant business in posters, cards, and such candidate truck. For entertainment he joined up with the Army Reserve, and by the time of World War No. II, he accepted salutes from captains. He got to be an expert on transportation as a member of the staff of the First Corps, Southwest Pacific Area, between 1942 and 1945. The Army decided, in 1946, that it didn't need so many active chicken colonels and turned him over to the Reserve. In no time at all he was General Manager of the Austin Transit Company. The fare used to be a nickel. Now it is two for a quarter.







A.M.G. Swenson, Nu '23, is general chairman of the campaign and a member of the Nu Alumni Assn. Board of Directors. Center: Ben Wayne Greig, Sr., Nu '22, is on the Board. Right: And so is Richard E. Rolle, Nu '39

But no one complains. The service is that good. Ben Wayne was a power in the organization of the house campaign. But nothing he and Grace have ever done tops their contribution to Chi Phi—Ben Wayne, Jr.

Herman P. Pressler, Nu '23. At one time it was uncertain that Herman would have any hair left by the time he finished up. But by the liberal use of a variety of unguents he finally made it through the Law School in 1925, still unbald. He hasn't had to worry since. For eight years he employed in private practice those abilities which earned him a staff appointment to the Texas Law Review and membership in Phi Delta Phi. Then the law department of Humble Refining grabbed him, and wouldn't let go. He has been Associate General Counsel since 1952, following a long series of responsible conditioning assignments, including the Advanced Management Program at Harvard. And who do you reckon was the president of this class of 150 brass hats? The same! No use in trying to list all of his civic, religious, legal, et cetera, activities. Just let it be understood-he gets around.

Richard E. Rolle, Nu '39. Realizing that he was going to start work on his second million very soon after he got out of the University, and knowing he would need some

training in how to handle his money, Dick entered the Business School and, in 1939, went out, prepared with a BBA, to conquer the world. He didn't quite get the first million before he had to start in shaking sand out of his boots in North Africa. Later he contended with the rich, ripe aroma of Italy. Back to Houston in 1945, and now glad to see any of his friends in need of boots, blue jeans, or a Stetson hat at Rolle, Jewett and Beck's. No wife yet.

John E. Metzenthin, Nu '43. Johnny has a background of a family of refinement and culture, but he is a throwback—just an ordinary roughneck electrical engineer. He was good enough, though, to make Phi Eta Sigma as a freshman. His career in school was interrupted by a stint in the dash-dot, flag-waving section of the Army, and he still maintains an interest. His experience on the track team has kept him well in front when he has need to be elsewhere. Crouse-Hinds Company is providing the rent money. Seems only yesterday that Elizabeth was keeping her left hand exposed to show off that chunk of carbon, and now there are two little Metz's-one for us and one for Mama's gang of girls.

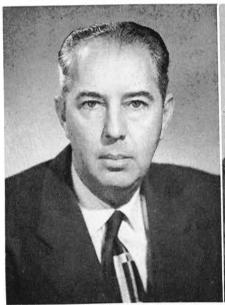
Alvin R. Martin, Nu '39. Al received his LLB in 1940, bought a two-way cap and a calabash pipe

and started working for the FBI. He was commissioned in the Navy in 1943, where he fought a good war. He was one of the hired hands, not a principal, please, at the Nuremberg trials. Since 1946 he has been a member of the legal staff of the Houston Office of the Gulf Oil Corporation. Married Laura Williams, former University student. One little Chi Phi and one little Kappa coming up.

You have heard of Ministers without Portfolio. But did you ever hear of a Director without Picture? Here are a few:



An electrical engineer on the Board is a good idea—Nu's is John Metzenthin, Nu '43







Three more members of the Nu Alumni Assn. Board are, left, Herman P. Pressler, Nu '23; center, Alvin R. Martin, Nu '39; and right, Samuel D. W. Low, Nu '18

David H. Buchanan, Nu '18. Buck left Texas, went up to Cornell, and affiliated with Xi once upon a time. He was a flyboy in World War No. I. The state highways in Texas are just about tops in the nation. He builds quite a few of them.

Peter M. C. Buhmann, Nu '42. We thought for sure at one time that Pete was going to make enough swabbing decks on ammunition transports to finance the house all by himself.

Phocian S. Park, Nu '42. Phocian has been a dynamo in the

house project from the start. He is planning the electrical layout, a fact which guarantees that the job will be done right.

Richard S. Reser, Nu '46. Dick has done yeoman service among the San Antonio Alumni. Nu could use more like him.

Arthur W. Mueller, Nu '25. Arthur journeyed through Business School accompanied by the sound of female hearts a-fluttering. Then the majesty of the law gained his interest, and after he learned how to prepare the pleadings, all about

equity, evidence, corporations, and what not, he joined forces with older brother, Mike. He and Creston Funk have teamed up to give help to the Alumni and the Active Chapter whenever called on.

O. B. Williams, Sr., Nu '21. Professor of Bacteriology in the University of Texas. Those who can—do. Those who can't—teach. And his picture has been published enough times.*

*Editor's Note: So he says, but the whole Fraternity deserves a look at the Grand Epsilon and Texas sparkplug again. See contents page.

Georgia's Oldest Governor Dies

EATH ended the useful life of Georgia's former Gov. John Marshall Slaton, Eta '86, on Jan. 11. He had celebrated his 88th birthday on Christmas Day. His illness was a short one. He had taught his Sunday School class at Trinity Methodist Church in Atlanta on Jan. 2 as he had for over 50 years. Always a devoted member of the Fraternity, Brother Slaton was initiated at the University of Georgia on Oct. 8, 1883. Hundreds of Chi Phis came under his influence in the next 71 years. He was often present at Chi Phi affairs and was a great asset at any gathering.

By coincidence the death of the 60th governor occurred on the same day the 72nd Governor, Marvin Griffin, was inaugurated. Funeral services were held on Jan. 12 and burial was made in the old Oakland Cemetery. Among the special escorts were J. Robert Pinson, III, Alpha of Gamma Chapter and Hugh

Howell, Sr., Eta '21, president of the Old War Horse Lawyers Club. Other Chi Phis who attended the funeral as special representatives were Judge Samuel H. Sibley, Eta '92, Alexander W. Smith, Jr., Eta '06, and John L. Tye, Jr., Eta '40, Gamma '41, Robert B. Troutman, Eta '39, and John B. Harris, Omega '08, Eta '08, past presidents of the Georgia Bar Assn.; and Warren Moise, Eta '11, of the Lawyers Club of Atlanta.

Brother Slaton was born on a plantation in Meriwether County, but he lived in Atlanta after his boyhood. His father was Maj. W. F. Slaton and his mother was Nancy Jane Martin. Major Slaton brought his family to Atlanta during the early days of Reconstruction. Soon after his arrival he became superintendent of schools. Young John was entered at Atlanta's Boys High School at the age of 12. He graduated with honors when he was 14. In 1880 he began to "read"

law as office boy for various legal firms, doing odd jobs and chores to earn money for his college education. He also worked for the railroads during this period.

It was three years after his high school graduation that he entered college. In 1886 he was graduated with first honors from the Law School of the University of Georgia, Athens. The following year he was admitted to the practice of law. He served as a member of several outstanding Atlanta law firms.

Both the University of Georgia and Oglethorpe University later conferred honorary doctor's degrees upon Mr. Slaton. He was also elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

In 1896 he was elected as a member of the Georgia House of Representatives from Fulton County, in which capacity he served through 1909, being speaker of the House the last four years of his service. From 1909 until June 28, 1913, he served in the Legislature as a state senator and president of the Senate. This included a brief term as acting gover-

During all his years as House speaker and Senate president, no decision he ever made was reversed, and during his long service in the General Assembly he was author of numerous constructive measures, among them being the earliest tax equalization law, which was instrumental in increasing the state's tax revenue many millions of dollars.

When Gov. Hoke Smith resigned in 1911 to become United States senator, Mr. Slaton, president of the State Senate, succeeded as acting governor, holding this office from Nov. 16, 1911, until Jan. 25, 1912, when Joseph M. Brown was chosen to fill out the unexpired term of governor.

In the regular elections of 1912, Mr. Slaton ran and was elected Georgia's 60th chief executive, taking office on June 28, 1913, and serving until June 26, 1915.

His administration was a notable and stormy one-notable in that many of his executive policies were crystallized into laws considered sound and progressive. As governor he preserved the value of the state-owned Western and Atlantic Railway by firmly refusing to permit a charter for a rival private railroad which proposed to parallel the W & A

It was Gov. Slaton who drew up the bill providing for refund of several million dollars of state bonds and although this came at a time when World War I had exploded Europe and had shaken the economic structure of nations everywhere, he succeeded in selling the state bonds for a higher price than those at that time on sale by New York State.



The late Gov. John Marshall Slaton, Eta '86, was a devoted member of Chi Phi

Upon the death of United States Sen. Bacon in 1914, Gov. Slaton became a candidate for the unexpired term and led the ticket in the primary. The nomination went before the state convention, however, and after a prolonged deadlock, one of his competitors withdrew. throwing his support to William J. Harris, who was declared the nominee.

Mr. Slaton entered only one other political contest after that, and he was defeated for the United States Senate by Sen. Harris. In the meantime the Leo Frank murder case had provided a stormy period which, political observers to this day hold, swept John Marshall Slaton from the Georgia political arena for all time.

Frank was accused, tried and convicted of the murder of 15-year-old Mary Phagan, employe of a pencil factory in Atlanta of which Frank was plant superintendent. Gov. Slaton commuted Frank's death sentence to life imprisonment, and a violent storm of popular resentment broke, making it necessary for state troops to be called out to protect the governor's mansion in which he and his wife resided.

But when he left the chief executive's office, Gov. Slaton had paid the state's school teachers in full and appropriations were so far within the then fivemill limit of taxation that the rate was reduced. He left the State of Georgia with a high credit rating.

During World War I he was appointed to the post of chief of the American Red Cross forces in Romania. He took an active part in the various sales of Liberty Bonds during the first world conflict and devoted his personal energies to various other patriotic causes.

In 1898, Mr. Slaton married the former Sarah Frances Grant, daughter of Capt. William D. and Sarah Frances Reid Grant of Atlanta.

Besides having been president of the Georgia Bar Assn. in 1928-29, he served for 29 years as chairman of the board of law examiners for the state; member of the general council of the American Bar Assn. since 1933; Georgia delegate to the ABA's house of delegates and member of its board of governors since 1940; holder of the French Legion of Honor's chevalier ribbon, 1935; member of the Society of Colonial Wars, Sons of the American Revolution, Scottish Rite Masons, Shrine, Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows and Improved Order of Red Men.

For many years he served as chairman of the board of stewards of Atlanta's Trinity Methodist Church, in which he was an active member. He was also a member of the Atlanta Athletic, Capital City and Piedmont Driving Clubs, and a former member of the Atlanta Civitan Club, and the Chamber of Commerce. He represented Fulton County on the board of trustees of the Atlanta Public Library.

Survivors are Brother Slaton's sister, Martha Lee Slaton; John M. Slaton,

Jr., a nephew; Mrs. Charles R. Andrews, Mrs. Edward G. Hitt, Atlanta, Mrs. William T. Stockton, Jacksonville, and Mrs. Frank Getman, Elmhurst, L. I., N. Y., all nieces, and a number of grand nieces and nephews. Mrs. Slaton died in 1945.

In paying tribute to Brother Slaton, Talmadge declared, Governor Georgians are grieved to learn of the passing of former Gov. John M. Slaton. He served for many years in the General Assembly of Georgia as president of the Senate and was Georgia's oldest living governor." In eulogizing him, editorially, the Atlanta Journal, commented: "A link with Georgia's past was severed Tuesday by the death of former Gov. John M. Slaton. Few Georgians living today know from personal ex-perience the story of their state's transition as he knew it. Few contributed as he did to the public good. . . . In Mr. Slaton's mellowing years, people came to him for counsel and guidance. They recognized him for what he was, a simple and quiet man of faith and experience. It was good to talk with some one who had seen so much of life, and who had met its problems honestly and fearlessly. Mr. Slaton gave much and asked little. Georgia has lost a good citizen."

Chi Phi has lost a fine member.

20th Birthday

WITH J. Alston Adams, president of the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco, as the principal speaker, Portland Federal Savings & Loan association will observe its 20th aniversary at a dinner meeting at the Multnomah Hotel on Oct. 9, it was announced by Guy E. Jaques, Beta Delta '24, president.

The meeting will call attention to the substantial growth of the organization which two decades ago had 72 charter members and \$13,142 in assets and now has more than 14,000 members and assets

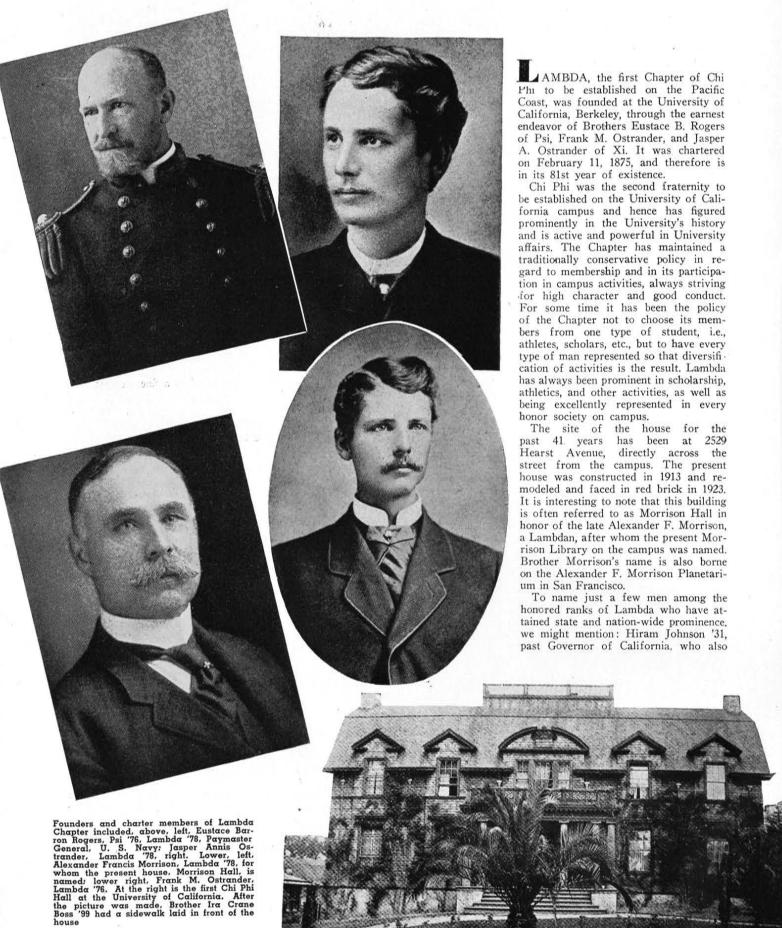
in excess of \$23,500,000.

Portland Federal Savings & Loan was organized in 1934 shortly after congress authorized federal savings and loan associations, Jaques recalled. It was one of the first such organizations in the country.

The association first opened for business in a one-room upstairs office with two employes. In a few months however, it had grown sufficiently so that it required more space, and a ground floor location was secured. In 1948 the association moved to its present modern offices, designed by architect Pietro Bulluschi, at S.W. 5th Avenue and Stark Street.

Assets of the organization have almost doubled in the last four years, according to Jaques, who recalled that it took five years for the organization to top the first \$1,000,000.-Oregon Journal.

80 Years



at Cal Are History-Making

by RICHARD H. RAHL '55, HUBERT J. deHEINRICH '56, KEITH D. JEWELL '56, and DARRYL J. PETERSEN '57

went on to become a U. S. Senator from California; Franklin Lane, who was Secretary of the Interior; Joseph A. Moore, Jr., president of Moore Dry Dock Co., one of the leading industrial and shipbuilding concerns on the Pacific Coast; James B. Black '12, now president of the Pacific Gas and Electric, the largest power and fuel concern on the Pacific Coast.

Today, after 80 years of conservative but steady growth, Lambda can be proud of its Alumni, not only in their advancement of the Chapter, but in their service to the nation as well.

Fraternities Attack at California

Starting in 1879 with the advent of the class of the same year, a widely publicized attack was conducted against the fraternities on the campus of the University of California. At the time there were only four fraternities on campus, namely, Chi Phi, Zeta Psi, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and, somewhat later, Phi Gamma Delta.

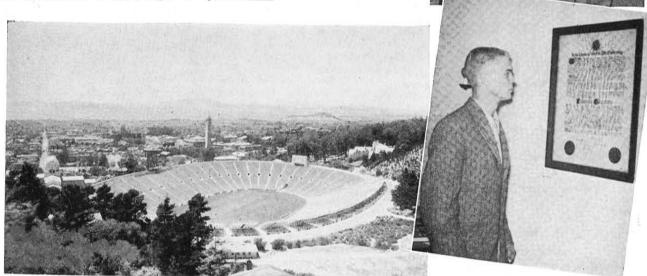
At this time two anti-fraternity organs appeared and attempted to degrade the representatives of the respective chapters. These two papers were the Estreus and the Occident. The Estreus, especially, was headed by members of the Class of '79, who didn't receive membership in any of the fraternities. Almost every week, for some time prior to its discontinuance, its editorials teemed with rabid denunciations of secret societies. Subscribers, naturally, became tired of hearing nothing new, and as a consequence, withdrew their support. Happily for the paper, about the time of its financial difficulties, the faculty published its decree against fraternities, namely compelling all freshmen to sign a paper at

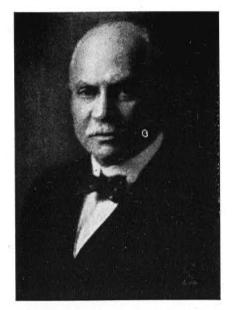


the time of their entrance into the University, pledging themselves not to join a college fraternity; for the editors seized this opportunity and gracefully discontinued the publication with the statement that the sole object of the Œstreus was accomplished, and henceforth there would be no work for them.

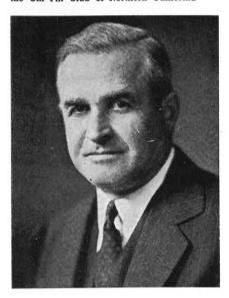
The other paper, the *Occident*, is a much more familiar publication since it is still in existence today. Its outlook has changed since 1882 when it was an antifraternity organ. This paper in 1882 set

Morrison Hall is the beautiful home of Lambda Chapter. Earll Thomas Riley, III '56 is Lambda's Alpha. He is looking at the mug which bears his name. On the mantel are mugs belonging to his father, his grandfather, his uncle, and his great uncle, all members of Lambda. Darryl Petersen '57, Gamma of the Chapter, looks at Lambda's charter. California's stadium and the campanile are campus landmarks





Nathaniel Blaisdell, Kappa (Brown) '83, Lambda' '36, transferred his affection and loyalty to the Califronia Chapter. He is president of the Chi Phi Club of Northern California



James B. Black. Lambda '12, is president of the Pacific Gas and Electric Co., the largest power and fuel company on the West Coast



The late Ralph H. Moore, Lambda '89, was plant engineer of the Moore Dry Dock Co.

out to attack every fraternity on campus. Zeta Psi was the first victim as being the oldest represented; Chi Phi came next, but with all the evil charged to Lambda, we still feel very proud of our, then pioneer, Chapter. For, in looking through the pages of the publication, we come across a paragraph to this effect: "Four prominent positions were filled in the late election by University graduates," and in the list given we find the name of late Brother Glasscock '09, who was chosen Congressman at Large. Then there is a sentence which seems to have escaped the venom of poisonous fangs of the writer: "The Fraternity (Chi Phi) has contained some of the brightest literary men in the University. Many of the best speakers and orators have belonged to this organization."

Thus from these few instances it is clear that even a hostile paper could not conceal the merits of an organization. As a matter of fact the *Occident* described Lambda as the worst of the existing fraternities on campus. Nevertheless, our merits which the paper mentions are far more numerous than those of any other fraternity. We may have been a boisterous group here at Lambda in 1882, but our scholastic achievements and the careers of our members certainly didn't offer any proof of our bad influence as it was insisted upon in the *Occident*.

House Fund Set Up for Improvements

The house's situation, at 2529 Hearst Avenue, is ideal as far as the preservation of the members' energy is concerned because it is located directly across the street from the campus. As far as our geographical location as related to social life is concerned, it is also quite a favorable one; namely we perhaps have more privacy on the North side of the campus than do the fraternities on the South side.

Our house has all the facilities needed, but due to the old condition of the house and University regulations regarding living conditions, we have plans for expansion. We have a fund set aside for that purpose, and it is with satisfaction that we notice that this fund is growing slowly but surely, so that our plans aren't mere dreams anymore. There have been, however, several improvements made in the house. One of the best has been the paving of our parking lot. This enabled us to put a volleyball and basketball court in the area. The facilities certainly have helped our standing in intramural sports.

Chapter Organization Is Successful

For many years Lambda officers have organized the Chapter on a basis of the upper and lower class status, standing as an upperclassman based on the attainment of junior status in the University as well as having been in the house for at least two semesters. Initiated lower-classmen and pledges are required to conform to study rules four nights a week; housework is divided into pledge house-

work, which constitutes maintenance of the interior of the house, while "sophomore" housework includes the outside work such as mowing lawns and clipping hedges. As you attain seniority in the Chapter, the privileges become more numerous. Upperclassmen are occupied by administrative positions such as pledge and sophomore housework chairman, social chairman, scholarship chairman, pledge master, as well as most of the chapter offices. This system replaced the organization along the class line and has seemed to be quite successful.

Lambda has a large and active alumni organization in the Bay area. Meetings are held frequently with good attendance the usual rule. Always when thinking of Alumni, the name of Brother Nathaniel Blaisdell, Kappa '83 (Brown), Lambda '36, comes to the forefront. Brother Blaisdell has figured very prominently with Brother Joe Moore, Sr., Lambda '98, and others to bring the Chi Phi Club of Northern California to the position which it now holds.

The presence of graduates of Lambda is felt quite heavily during the football season. The parking lot is always filled with cars and some type of refreshment is always on hand. Two large Open Houses are held each year when the Mothers' Club, Alumni, and Active Chapter combine their talents and invite all Chi Phis and their guests to an excellent buffet luncheon before the game. There is a chance to discuss the game afterwards. The Big Game (Stanford) Open House in 1954 brought about 500 people through the front door at 2529 Hearst Avenue.

Other functions which bring a closer relationship between Alumni and the Active Chapter are the Big Game Smoker, held on the Thursday preceding the encounter with Stanford, and the Alumni Banquet, held in the Spring, at which time the new pledges are introduced to the Alumni. For the past few years, the Banquet has been held at the University Club in San Francisco.

Lambda is proud to have such an active Alumni group, not only because of the participation and interest of graduates of pre-nineteen-hundred years as well as those more recent Alumni, but be-



Roger Towne, Lambda '45, is a hardworking member of the Chapter

cause of their generosity. During rushing, Brothers like Joe Moore, Jr. '29, Roger Towne '45, Howard Fletcher '16, and Jim Moore '33 have offered the use of their homes, swimming pools, and boats in order to diversify rushing a bit.

Traditions Are Fine

Many traditions at Lambda date back quite a few decades. Adorning the walls of the dining room are several hundred pewter mugs, each one bearing a name, class, and nickname of a member of this Chapter. Upon returning to the house for an Open House or smoker, a search is made in order that each Alumnus can drink out of his own mug. Upon the death of an Alumnus, the glass bottom of the mug is broken.

Another tradition is that the "D-Bowl", filled with tobacco and cigarette papers, must be kept at all times on the upperclass table. The pledges are responsible for this and many times have to find the "D-Bowl," which has mysteriously disappeared, before they are allowed to eat.

Speaking of traditions, Lambda's Alpha for the Spring semester, Earll Thomas Riley, III '56, is continuing a tradition. He is a third-generation Chi Phi, being preceded by his grandfather, Earll Thomas Riley, I. Class of 1908, and his father, Earll Thomas Riley, Jr., who was at the University until 1929. Earll's uncle, Ralph Riley '37, and greatuncle, William Riley '00, were also graduates of California and needless to say-Chi Phis.

Growth of University

Right at the heart of the prodigious growth of the State of California is the development of the University of California. The University is of supreme importance to the State it serves. Although it has been in business an almost embarrassingly short time, as great



Bert Meek, Lambda '43, was the postwar re-organizer at Lambda

universities go, founded in 1868, it is considered one of the Big Four in American education: Harvard, the University of California, the University of Chicago, and Columbia University. It is unique among state universities-in its organization, in the standards of its faculty (it has six Nobel Prize-winning scientists), in the standards it sets for its students, in its wealth, and, of course, in its size.

It has grown so large and its parts, eight separate campuses, are so scattered that it is hard to see it as a whole. The Berkeley campus itself has nearly 15,000 students, a drop from the mammoth 23,-000 enrollment of ex-GI's after World World II. The Berkeley campus is famous for its Radiation Laboratory on the "Hill" and its cyclotron where much of the early atomic research was done The Campanile, built during the First World War, and modeled after its famous Italian counterpart, is the most familiar symbol of the University.

The San Francisco Bay Area is itself a pleasant surrounding for a university. The city of San Francisco offers a great deal in the way of entertainment and culture.

Educationally, the University is very diversified. On the Berkeley campus alone there are schools and colleges of Letters and Sciences, Business Administration, Engineering, Medicine, Dentistry, and Law.

The University has excellent athletic facilities. It has two large gyms, for men and women, several swimming pools, many tennis courts, track and baseball fields, and, of course, Memorial Stadium, with a seating capacity of 88,000.

California football seasons are marked by our traditional rivalry with Stanford University, climaxed by the annual "Big Game." A feature of this rivalry is "The Axe." The Axe has been a symbol of football supremacy between the two schools since 1899. In 1899 the Chi Phi house played the leading role in keeping the Axe from falling into the hands of the Stanfordites. A bunch of Cal students had stolen the Axe from Stanford at a rally held on April 17, 1899. Charles Pringle of Lambda was made custodian of the Axe and the evening after the Axe had been stolen, he brought it to the chapter house for safekeeping. At about 2 a.m. that morning a mob of 80 Stanford students crossed the Bay and attacked the Chi Phi house, smashing down the doors and tearing up rugs and furniture in order to recover the precious weapon. Pringle was able to conceal the Axe while his brothers held off the invaders with a saber. This sword still hangs in our library. Newspaper accounts tell how Chi Phi saved the day, and the Axe, for Cal.

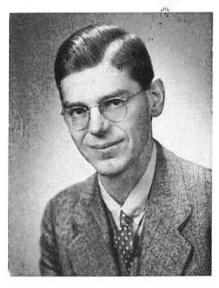
The Lambda Chapter is proud of its Fraternity and its own 80 years of progress. We look forward to a continuation of the standards which the Chapter and Fraternity have developed through the years.



Joseph A. Moore, Lambda '98, is chairman of the Moore Dry Dock Co. He is a Council Rep-resentative-at-Large of Chi Phi and secretary-treasurer of the Chi Phi Club of Northern Cal-



Joseph A. Moore, Jr., Lambda '29, is president of the Moore Dry Dock Co. and a member always to be counted on for help



ames R. Moore, Lambda '33, is vice president of the Moore Dry Dock Co. and youngest of the Moore family



An air view shows the Moore Dry Dock Co., Oakland, in the upper portion of the picture with the Todd Shipyards Corp., Alameda, in the lower half

A Chi Phi Tale of Two Shipyards

A SOMEWHAT anomalous situation that involves several members of Chi Phi prevails on the shores of the San Antonio Estuary between the cities of Oakland and Alameda. Confronting each other across approximately 1,000 feet of salt water are the Todd Shipyards Corporation, ship repair plant, and the Moore Dry Dock Company shipyard. In one of the most fiercely competitive industries that one could imagine, these shipyards are managed by members of the same fraternity, Chi Phi.

On the Alameda shore Brother John Reilly, Jr., Omicron '40, is the manager of the Todd Shipyards Corporation's San Francisco Bay area yard. A graduate of the Sheffield Scientific School, Yale University, Brother Reilly manages a large ship repair organization, while on the Oakland side Brother Joseph A. Moore, Jr., Lambda '29, is the president of Moore Dry Dock Company, a concern that comprises a

shipyard, a structural steel fabricating shop, and a heavy industrial plant. Chairman of the Board is Joseph A. Moore, Lambda '98, and vice president is James R. Moore, Lambda '33. Other Lambda men in the Moore firm were the cofounder of the organization, the late Robert S. Moore '81, and the plant engineer, the late Ralph H. Moore '89. A major activity in both organizations is the drydocking and repair of ships, harbor vessels, and a miscellany of small crafts. Although rivalry would normally be expected between two businesses offering similar products or services in the same community, the competitive spirit between these two organizations is unusually keen, owing to the propinquity of the one to the other. The employes of the Moore organization are reported to keep a sharp eye on the activities of the Todd yard when both plants start work on a wheel (propeller) job at the same time. There is an

avid desire to complete the job first, with the result that things move fast in both plants when this condition exists. Although each company is small compared with its size during World War II, each manages to repair a good many ships in the course of a year.

Keen competitors during business hours, Brother Reilly and Brother Moore are the best of friends during meetings of the Chi Phi Club of Northern California and on other occasions.

In Alaska

ARMY 2D LT. NEWELL H. GOLDEN, JR., Rho '53, whose wife, Mary, and parents, live at 500 Boston Blvd., Sea Girt, N. J., recently arrived in Alaska for duty with Headquarters, 53d Infantry Regiment. Army units stationed in Alaska undergo intensive field training while guarding the northern approaches to the United States.

HEN councilmen in Indio, Cal., elected top-running candidate, Gordon B. Cologne, 29, mayor, last spring, they set a record for the city. They chose the youngest man on the Council for the job by a vote of three to one and they gave the city the youngest mayor in the State.

"Cy" Cologne got his nickname at Eta Delta where he joined the Fraternity in 1944. He remembers that pledgeship and his induction into the Navy were so chronological that one began where the other left off and both were equally vigorous. He served out the war in the United States.

He returned to USC in 1946. In 1948 he received his BS from the School of Commerce. That same year he enrolled at Southwestern University School of Law. He was graduated *cum laude* in 1951. In June he passed the state bar examinations and was sworn in as an attorney.

We will let the "native son of California" whose birth date was Aug. 24, 1924, go on from there.

"My first work was with the Antitrust Division of the U. S. Department of Justice in Washington, D. C., and Jacksonville, Fla. It was while I was in Florida that I met and married my wife, Dee. Taking the advice of many friends, I left the government for private practice and have been engaged in that here in Indio ever since, and, I must add, without regret.

"I am a member of the Desert Bar Assn., Riverside County Bar Assn., U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, Exchange Club, Executive Board of Riverside County Council of Boy Scouts of America, and on the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Church in Indio, and my wife's activities would add at least 10 more organizations to this list.

"My ambition is to achieve a position where I can enact a law creating a 30-hour day so that I can get all the things done that I'm supposed to do each day. Seriously, my ambition is to be able to repay the wonderful people of this community and the United States, including the fine Brothers of Chi Phi, for the heritage and opportunity I have been afforded here in America, and for the kindness and encouragement I have received since childhood. I am truly grateful.

"Indio, a city of some 6,500 people, is the Date Capital of America and we are particularly proud of our National Date Festival in February of each year. The color and pageantry of the Arabian nights is brought to life in a setting that even Hollywood can't match. We would be most pleased to have Chi Phis visit us any time you are passing our way."

\$5 and News

"In third year St. Louis University School of Medicine — Time Marches On!" — JAMES GILMORE CARSON, JR., A '52.

"Serving as an ensign in the U. S. Navy undergoing flight training at Pensacola, Fla.—(USNAAS Whiting Field, Milton, Fla.)"—GERALD W. GILL '54.



Gordon Cologne, Eta Delta '48, left government service for private practice and community work



Army Pvt. Charles A. Pelletier, Theta '54, left, of New Britain. Conn., is being congratulated by Col. William B. Bunker, school commander, upon his graduation from the Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Va. He was trained in underwater repair, demolition, and salvage

"For 22 years Hanks-Saunders Supply Co. (wholesale grocers) have been located at 17 Shorter Ave., Rome, Ga. Now building new warehouse at 17 Shorter Ave., and will move sometime in March. Have three sons—David, age 15 at Darlington; Dan, Jr., age 11; and Douglas, age 7. Married Dot Bromby of Atlanta in 1936."—J. DANIEL HANKS, Γ'32 (president and treasurer).

"Author of Engineering Manufacturing Methods, 600-page text-book published by McGraw-Hill, N. Y., 1953."—Prof. Gilbert S. Schaller, Ba '16.

"Married Augusta T. King on April 24, 1954, in Burbank. Released from active duty with 94th Fighter Interceptor Sq. USAF (Eddie Rickenbacher's "Top Hat in the Ring" squadron) in September, '54. Flew one-man all-weather Interceptor F86D."—EDWIN W. BENNETT, A '53.

"Plan to work in St. Petersburg, Fla., after December, 1955. Presently in the communications field USAF with 511th AC & W Group, APO-919, San Francisco, Cal."—2D LT. OWEN F. MURRAY, ΘΔ '53.

Alumni News

Allen W. Reynolds, Xi '53, is now working for the State of New York as a District Agricultural Engineer. His new address is Apt. 1H, 1 Vincent Road, Bronxville, N. Y.

"Clint Seeley, B '51, was in San Francisco for five weeks during the summer of 1954 and we got together on several occasions. John M. Cook, B '49, announced his engagement to Eleanor Le Sueur on Dec. 26.—Denman K. McNear, B '48.

ACCORDING TO THE PRESS, Chi Phis did.



WORLD WIDE PHOTO

Children of the Sunday school at St. John's Church, Washington, D. C., lined up as a sort of guard of honor when President and Mrs. Eisenhower left the church after a service. Rev. Charles Leslie Glenn, Mu '21, Grand Beta, rector of the church, stands at Mrs. Eisenhower's

Merck's Veepee

Dr. WILLIAM H. McLean, Mu '31, has been appointed to the new position of vice president and general manager of the Chemical Division, Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway. He has been vice president for marketing during the past three

Dr. McLean has been with Merck since 1948, serving as director of commercial development and in other management capacities before becoming vice president for marketing in January, 1951. Previously he had held executive positions in several companies. During the war, Dr. McLean was in charge of research and development, Army Quartermaster Corps, and subsequently served with the Research and Development Board of the Department of Defense.-Stevens Indicator.

Team Champ

ARMY CPL. KENNETH G. WISE, Beta Delta '52, the son of Robert S. Wise, 3028 38th Ave. SW., Seattle, Wash., was a member of the touch football team that recently took the 1954 Military District of Washington (D. C.) championship. Corporal Wise's team, the Vikings, from the Vint Hill Farms Station in Warrenton, Va., battled to first place in overtime play after a scoreless game with the host team at Fort Lesley J. McNair. In reaching the final

round they had downed their previous opponents 14-9 and 19-6. Corporal Wise, a member of the 8601st Administrative Area Unit, entered the Army in January, 1952, and completed basic training at Fort Riley, Kans.

Texas History

THE Texas road contract suits formed a whole chapter in Texas political history. They figured in the election of three governors.

This is limited to the episode that first put the road controversy in print, and swiftly led to the suits that dominated state news for months.

L. W. Kemp, Nu '05, of Houston was secretary of the Highway Branch, Associated General Contractors. Late one day he revealed that a road contractor was "borrowing" equipment of the Texas Highway Department and using it on a street contract in Houston. The story appeared in Austin and Houston morning papers.

That day the AGC directors—a group long since replaced in the present organization-met. They feared political retaliation by the newly appointed Highway Commission, so they summarily fired

Then he cracked down with the second disclosure. Three groups had secured road contracts that were denounced as political favoritism, and as requiring far less than standard work for the price. One was famous "invisible track" road between Belton and Temple, which consisted of two strips of brick about 18 inches wide for each lane.

Dan Moody filed state suits and cancelled two of the contracts on the ground of "unconscionable" profits, and the Temple-Belton deal, which was on a "cost plus" basis, was closely supervised.

The three highway commissioners resigned. Moody went on to his election as governor, partly on his road suits and partly on his prosecution of the Ku Klux Klan. Lou Kemp said he was never sorry he "spilled" the highway abuses. He later was to serve as a member of the Texas Centennial Commission, at the head of the historical division which placed the hundreds of historical markers over the state. Then he for many years was a member of the Texas Library and Historical Commission. — In "Political Playback" by RAYMOND BROOKS in Austin American.

New Manager

JOHN J. RIECK, Kappa '33, manager of the Nylon Project of National Aniline Division, Allied Chemical & Dve Corp., will be manager of the new Chesterfield synthetic fiber plant located in Hopewell and the Bermuda Hundred area of Chesterfield County, D. G. Rogers, president, announced. Rieck, who will be in charge of all Chesterfield plant operations, has moved to the Richmond area. A former assistant plant manager at National Aniline's Buffalo, N. Y., plant, he has had 20 years' service with the company.

Rieck, a 1933 graduate of the University of Wisconsin, holds BS and MS degrees in mechanical engineering. He is an active member of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, former Western New York section chairman, and a nationally and locally registered professional engineer with membership in the Virginia Society of Professional Engineers. During World War II, he served as assistant chief engineer at the U. S. Army's New York Ordnance Works in Baldwinsville, N. Y., operated by the National Aniline Defense Corp.

He also is a member of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce, serving on its state affairs committee, member of the Virginia Manufacturers Assn., Hopewell Manufacturers Assn., Hopewell Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Rieck have relocated their residence from Summit, N. J., and with their two children are occupying their new home in Windsor Farms.-Petersburg, Va., Progress-Index.

His Life

Iowa was the backdrop for last night's presentation of "This Is Your Life" over WOC-TV.

Not only was the principal guest—Dr. Lawrence C. Jones of the Piney Woods, Miss., school—an ex-Iowan but among those participating in the program was George W. Dulany, Omicron '98, a prominent Clinton resident before moving to LaJolla, Cal.

Dulany told of his role in helping Dr. Jones make the Piney Woods school one of the world's outstanding Negro edu-

cational institutions.

For two generations a former slave had served as nurse for the Dulany family. Upon her death she left \$9,000 to George Dulany's son. The family used this money along with a substantial contribution of its own to finance construction of a new dormitory at the school, now known as Dulany Hall.

In the years since, the Dulany family has continued to give financial assistance

to Dr. Jones.

Actually, George Dulany and Dr. Jones had not seen each other for 30 years, although they had been in touch by correspondence.

The program had still another Clinton angle. L. B. Morrisey of Davenport, who appeared as a classmate of Dr. Jones at S.U.I., is the father of Mrs. William Duster, 750 S. Bluff Blvd.

It was brought out during the program that Dr. Jones—described as a modern Booker T. Washington—was a graduate of Marshalltown High School and the State University of Iowa.

In addition to Dulany, several other Iowans also took part in the program. They included Dr. Jones' former teacher and principal at Marshalltown and a classmate at the state university.—Clinton, Iowa, Herald.

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Brother Dulany is a retired lumberman, living at 7951 La Jota Way, La Jolla, Cal. He is secretary of the Class of '98 at Yale. There are but three members living. His present-day interest is a great grandson named George William Dulany, IV, who has passed his first birthday.

Grand Master

Francis J. Scully, Kappa '12, is the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Arkansas. He is a past Master of Hot Springs Lodge No. 62 and served as Grand Junior Deacon of Arkansas. He has held top offices in Capitular Masonry, Cryptic Masonry, Templar Masonry, Scottish Rite Masonry. He is a member of Red Cross of Constantine, Royal Order of Scotland, Grand Masters' Council, Allied Masonic Degrees, Royal Order of Jesters, National Sojourners, and of A.A.O.-N.M.S. He is a charter member of

Albert Pike Priory, Knights York Cross of Honor. He has done a great deal of research in the history of Masonry and has written extensively concerning the history of the Masons in Arkansas, the Knights Templar in the United States, and the Shelbyville Lodge, Tennessee.

Cancer Board

WHILE Rutherford L. Ellis, Eta '25, serves as chairman of the national executive committee of the American Cancer Society, McKee Nunnally, Eta '41, president of the Fulton County unit, is serving as a chairman of a Reference Committee. The men were elected at the national society's annual meeting in New

York on Oct. 23 and they will serve until Aug. 31.

Memorial Lathe

Through the efforts of Edwin J. Schwanhausser '15, chairman of the Corporation-Foundations Committee, the Institute has received a gift from Pratt & Whitney Division of Niles-Bement-Pond Company, of a precision toolroom lathe, in memory of Frederick U. Conrad, Mu '15, former president of the company, who died in March, 1954.

This lathe was part of the equipment listed in the "Engineers for Tomorrow" brochure, as needed by the Department of Industrial Engineering. The lathe is



A miscellaneous collection of clippings about Chi Phis is shown above, with additional news stories at the left and above the pictures, in part. Upper left: That's McKee Nunnally, Eta '41, on the right, Next: Henry S. Kingman, Phi '15, holds the trophy he will present to the Minnesota county making the best bond sales record. Center: Francis J. Scullv. Kappa '12, heads the Masons in Arkansas. Cancer prevention in Georgia and the United States has the aid of Rutherford L. Ellis, Eta '25, as well as Brother Nunnally. Ambassador William Pheiffer, Eta Delta '19, of the Dominician Republic, took himself a wife last March. George W. Dulany, Omicron '98, appeared on the TV program, "This Is Your Life"

a Model "C," 12" x 54" capacity, Serial No. 651, equipped as follows: 3 H.P. Motor, 220/440V, 3 phase, 60 cycle to operate on 220V; suitable starter; pump and piping, motor driven; plain Taper Attachment; 10" 3-jaw Universal Chuck; 10" 4-jaw Independent Chuck; No. 91-C5 Jacobs Spindle Nose Lathe Chuck; and 11 Jacobs Rubberflex Collets, size 1/16 through 13/8" capacity.

This equipment is valued at from \$12,-000 to \$15,000 and the Institute is very grateful to have this memorial to one of its outstanding alumni.-Stevens In-

Hotel Head

JOHN NOBLE, SR., Gamma Delta '20, president of the Normandy Hotel, was elected president of the Minneapolis Hotel Assn. Robert Peck, Sheridan Hotel, was named vice president; Ralph Dealing, Anthony Hotel, secretary, and Leslie Long, Andrews Hotel, treasurer.-Minneapolis Star.

Medic Abroad

CPL. RAYMOND H. STECKER, Kappa '53, of Barron, Wis., is serving in Germany, where he is an instructor in emergency medical treatment with Clearing Company of the 4th Infantry Division Medical Battalion. The 23-year-old soldier, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stecker, 221 E. Division Ave., Barron, arrived overseas last February from Fort Riley, Kans. Stecker, who entered the Army in September, 1953, is a 1953 graduate of the University of Wisconsin and a member of Phi Chi Medical fraternity. His wife, Thea Mae, is with him in Germany.



U. S. ARMY PHOTO

Cpl. Raymond H. Stecker, Kappa '53, is serving in Germany

TO ALL CHAPTER HOUSE ALUMNI ASSOCIATIONS DEADLINE POSTPONED

The article on Chapter House Alumni Associations which was scheduled to appear in this issue of "The Chakett," has been postponed until the April issue. The reason for this is to give some of the Brothers more time in which to get this information. If you have not already complied with our request you now have until MARCH 1 on this deadline.—The Editor.

New Trustee

JAMES ROBINSON, Gamma '25, chairman of the Board of the First National Bank, was named to the Board of Trustees of the State Employes Retirement Fund.

Mr. Robinson, a former chairman of the Georgia Ports Authority, was sworn in by Gov. Herman Talmadge.-Atlanta Journal.

Shakeout

According to Matthew M. Lawler, Mu '25, vice president of the Worthington Corp. in charge of air conditioning and refrigeration, the booming air-conditioning industry is beginning to enter a shake-out period. In a speech presented at Decatur, Ala., this summer, he declared that the market is characterized by overproduction and price-cutting. - Stevens Indicator.

Minister

RALPH CAPOLUNGA, Eta Delta '47, graduated from the Hartford Theological Seminary on May 27 and was ordained to the Christian ministry on June 20. With his wife and two daughters, he is now residing in Chester,

Washington Club Gives Holiday Party

THE last meeting of the Chi Phi Club was the Christmas dinner party on Dec. 9, at the Army-Navy City Club, 1627 Eye St. N.W.

As a most appropriate attraction, Brother Jesse E. Calhoun presented a movie travelogue of The Holy Land in color. These movies are rated as something of a museum-piece and we were glad to have Brother Calhoun back after his successful operation at the Walter Reed.

As these meetings have been held regularly over the last 18 months, we now feel there is no further need for the telephone follow-up, so none will be made by members of the Activities Committee. Either write me at 4707 Connecticut Ave. N.W., or phone my office at MEtropolitan 8-1920 for information about programs. Do it now and have your Chi Phi friends join us.-HAROLD (Red) SYLVESTER, Theta '28, Vice President.

Want to Belong to Balloon Veterans?

GEORGE W. HINMAN, Theta '20, belongs to one of the country's most exclusive organizations-The National Assn. of American Balloon Corps Veterans. All 800 members are World War I veterans. Since records were lost in a fire, recruiting for membership has been by word of mouth. If you qualify and want to join, write Brother Hinman at the Hinman Asbestos Corp., Binney at Fifth St., Cambridge, Mass. He has written a story about his badge. It will appear in the April issue of THE CHAKETT.

ALPHA

Brother and Mrs. Peyton M. Chichester, Jr., '51 announce the birth of a daughter, Joannette Eugenia Snead, on May 26.

Brother and Mrs. Blaine G. Harrington, Jr., '39 have a son, Blaine G., III, born at Kansas University Medical Center on Nov. 28.

Brother and Mrs. Carl E. Schaad, Jr., '50 announce the birth of their second daughter,

Marietta, on May 10.

Brother and Mrs. Julius P. Schweitzer's '37 son, Robert Michael, was born on July 31. OMEGA

Brother and Mrs. Hugh Emmett Wright '41 announce the birth of a son, Robert Usher, on Oct. 3.

ALPHA-MU

Brother and Mrs. William Oscar Peele, Jr., '50 have a son, Joseph Edwin, born on Nov.

ALPHA-TAU
Brother and Mrs. Roswell G. Curtis, Jr., '37 announce the birth of a daughter, Catherine Jean, on Oct. 22.

EPSILON DELTA

Brother and Mrs. James C. Negley '47 have a daughter, Kathleen Louise, born on July 3.



Jack Noblett, Delta Delta '42, Council Representative, is the father of this trio, born on Oct. 6. Left to right are Joan Marie, Robert Douglas, and Jane Louise. Jack has four potential Chi Phis and three daughters

New York Club Officers Want Reply

THE Chi Phi Club of New York is looking forward to an active year with monthly uptown and downtown luncheon club meetings and several other affairs.

It was decided to conduct the uptown and downtown luncheon clubs on the first Thursday in each month with the first luncheon being held on Nov. 4. Arrangements for the uptown luncheon club meetings are made by Oliver Rose, J. P. Stevens Co., 1560 Broadway, New York City (telephone OX 5-1000), while those for the downtown luncheon club are made by Walter Sorg, 80 South St., New York City (telephone WH 3-3040).

The annual club banquet is being planned for February under the direction of Omar Elder. As in the past, you will have an opportunity to talk with friends you may not have seen in many years, and meet other XΦs in this area, with

similar interests to yours.

After many requests, we decided to have a smoker on Oct. 27, with Charlie Donovan making the arrangements. Also, a party was held during the holiday season with Walter Sorg at the helm. Further along in the Spring, a golf outing will be held with Al and Lou Haase as co-chairmen.

The burdensome expense of each Chi Phi Club mailing must be given some consideration. We are now mailing notices, etc., to over 1,000 Chi Phis in the New York City area. This long mailing list imposes an unnecessary and continuing expense on the active club members. Therefore, one of the primary purposes of this report is to ask those Chi Phis who have not yet evidenced an interest in the club either to do so or be transferred to the inactive roster. I should add that I personally dislike the idea of transferring any of the Chi Phis in this area to an inactive roster. However, in fairness to those Brothers who support the club, I feel this long-delayed step must be taken. Accordingly, notify the club secretary, Frank Ford, Jr., 90 Broad St., New York City 4, of your interest.—Allan Wallace, Zeta '41, President.

Seattle Alumni Work for Beta Delta

REACTIVATION of Beta Delta is progressing satisfactorily and your alumni officers are very happy to report the recent pledging of 10 desirable men. Also, several rushees have expressed themselves favorably and will pledge in January at the opening of the winter quarter.

A great deal of the success in this encouraging development is due to the untiring efforts of Brothers Dave Methe-

Belong to an Alumni Club?

CHI PHIS WHO ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING LOCAL ALUMNI CLUBS OR ATTENDING LOCAL LUNCHEONS, DINNERS, PARTIES, ETC., PLEASE CONTACT THE BROTHER WHOSE NAME IS LISTED BELOW. IF THERE IS NOT SUCH AN ALUMNI GROUP IN YOUR LOCALITY OR CITY, PERHAPS YOU WOULD BE INTERESTED IN ACTIVATING ONE, AND IF SO, PLEASE CONTACT THE NATIONAL DIRECTOR AT 312 MARK BLDG., ATLANTA 3, GA.

ALABAMA (Birmingham)—Reuben F. Landham, T '46, 600 N. 18th St. CALIFORNIA (Long Beach)—William E. Carlson, Λ '38, ΔΔ '38, 3047 Vista St. (Los Angeles)—Harold W. Underhill, Σ '13, 4313 Leimert Blvd. (San Francisco)—Joseph A. Moore, Jr., Λ '29, 904 Balfour Bldg. (Santa Barbara)—John L. Warren, II, ΘΔ '38, II Cedar Lane

FLORIDA (Miami)—Robert Sturrup, ΘΔ '50, 1013 DuPont Bldg. (Orlando)—Parker Lee McDonald, ΘΔ '50, 2308 E. Gore Ave. (Tampa)—Paul W. Denman, Δ-X '24, Box 10145, Tampa, Fla.

GEORGIA (Atlanta)—C. Baxter Jones, Jr., T '40, First National Bank Bldg. (Athens)—R. L. McWhorter, Sr., H '14, 294 Springdale St.

ILLINOIS (Chicago)—David W. Fairfield, Σ '28, 110 So. Dearborn St. MICHIGAN (Detroit)—John P. Richardson, A-T '37, 4649 Humboldt Ave. MINNESOTA (Minneapolis)—L. K. Healey, ΓΔ '40, 5045 Bryant Ave. So.

NEBRASKA (Omaha)—Earl Frederiksen, $\Delta\Theta X$ '29, Utilities Bldg. NEW YORK (New York)—Walter Sorg, Θ '45, 80 South St.

OHIO (Cincinnati)—Dr. George Wm. McClure, A-X '18, 2508 Auburn Ave. (Cleveland)—Wallace J. Baker, I '19, 606 National City Bank Bldg.

(Columbus)—Lee Wears, I '35, 145 N. High St.

OREGON (Portland)—Richard W. Schmidt, ΕΔ '49, 1234 S.W. Freeman St.

(Salem)—Merritt Truax, ΕΔ '33, 205 Columbia St.

PENNSYLVANIA (Philadelphia)—W. Wilson Heinitsh, Z '05, 32 Hilltop Rd., Chestnut Hill, Pa.

(Pittsburgh)—Robert A. Cummings, Jr., 300 6th Ave.
TENNESSEE (Memphis)—Roan T. Waring, Jr., A '40, 282 N. McLean Blvd.

TEXAS (Houston)—Jas. B. Graves, N '48, 4018 Purdue WASHINGTON, D. C.—Laurance S. Knappen, A-X '20, 2512 Fort Scott Dr., Arlington, Va. WASHINGTON (Seattle)—S. P. (Buzz) Paysse, B\(\Delta\) '25, Route No. 2, Box 5290

W. VIRGINIA (Charleston)—J. Malcolm Firth, Jr., A '37, c/o Beattie-Firth, Inc. WISCONSIN (Milwaukee)—Philip F. Clauder, K '50, 1819 E. Kenwood Blvd.

ney, Daril Hahn, and Donald Dodge, the latter of whom will assume the duties of pledge proctor. Some of the regular members are expected to return to the University and their affiliation with the Active Chapter is anticipated.

We are confident that with continued interest in the Fraternity on the part of each member, we will build from the present nucleus a strong and aggressive group that all will be proud of.

For those of you who possibly did not receive our September letter, the chapter house is located at 5048 17th N.E. Telephone PLaza 8833. Daril Hahn is the Alpha and you can be sure he would welcome a call or personal note from you.

We are grateful for the response from Brother Robert Webb, Alpha-Pi '41, the Rev. Father of St. Paul's Church of Bellingham who has recommended several men to the Chapter, all of whom have been contacted and interviewed.

Perhaps you have a personal acquaintance with some student attending the University of Washington who is not affiliated but who would be interested in a fraternity like Chi Phi. If you will give us his name, we will do the rest.

In view of the Christmas holidays, the regular monthly meeting of the Alumni Association will be postponed to Jan. 4. This will be an important meeting and all members, particularly newly graduated members, are urged to be present at the chapter house when plans will be formulated to give the Active Chapter support to assume the responsibilities ahead.

While the response to our reminder about local alumni dues was gratifying, there still are many who have not remitted the \$2.00. Dues are used to help defray mailing costs of letters, rushing activities, etc.—Scotty Laue, President, and Lew Kelley, Secretary-Treasurer.

Leo C. Turner, Tau '25, is vice president and secretary of the newly organized Jemison Investment Co., Inc., investment bankers, located at 204 Brown-Marx Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

Brown-Marx Bldg., Birmingham, Ala. Alfred P. Haake, Kappa '14, traveler and lecturer, has thrown his lot in with the South, and is now living permanently in Largo, Fla., and is writing a book.

COLLEGE **CHAPTERS**

Alpha Celebrates "Dr. Phil's" Service



ED PRYOR Alpha

University of Virginia

THE Brothers of the Alpha Chapter extend to Philip Porter their deepest appreciation for the past 40 years of faithful and affectionate service to this Chapter. "Doctor Phil", as he is called by many of his friends, came to work for the Chapter on Jan. 17, 1915, and since has found a warm place in the heart of every Brother at Alpha. Phil was married on Dec. 25, 1907, and for a period before he came to Alpha was employed as an office boy by Thomas Alva Edison. While with the Chapter, besides discharging his duties faithfully, he has taken an active part in the civic affairs of Charlottesville. Phil is a Shriner and founded the first drum and bugle corps in town. He is an avid and accomplished enthusiast of the ragtime style of music and has composed several pieces, such as the "Cincinnati Rag". "Doctor Phil" has also written numerous poems and a musical comedy. Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong, Duke Ellington, Fats Waller, and Joe Louis are all Phil's acquaintances.

The Chapter has planned a banquet in commemoration of his 40th anniversary and Judge Rosser has agreed to be the speaker. We hope that our efforts may in some small measure demonstrate the Chapter's appreciation of Phil's service.

In a recent Red Cross blood drive, Alpha Chapter was one among four active Chapters at Virginia with a donation of 100 per cent.

Two pledges have been initiated to active brotherhood, these being Ned Hill Kight, from Hagerstown, Md., and Sylvester James Zanelli, Boundbrook, N. J.

In the election of officers for the spring session, Edward Rouse Pryor was elected Alpha, while Henry Dandurand Dagit was named Beta. Other officers elected were: Philip Charles Coleman, Gamma; Robert Rockwell, Delta; Harry Elliot DePass, Epsilon; and Bohun Baker Kinloch, Zeta. William John Cudlip and Robert Rockwell were delegated Members at Large and Philip Coleman was named kitchen manager.—Frank Strail.-MAN. III.

Beta Members Busy on Campus

HENRY K. HEBELER Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Just before Christmas vacation we held our annual Christmas party attended by children from Boston settlement houses and Santa Claus who this year, due to the fact Jim Astrue is no longer with us, was played by Pledge Dick Given, who fit the part very well and even had the names of the reindeer memorized. The evening party for the Brothers and dates was very successful,

The extracurricular activities at MIT are participated in by Chi Phis, Jack Brown and Brooke Anderson are on the soccer team; Ed Purcell is on the la crosse team; Harry Johnson is one of Tech's leading riflemen; Mac Edwards is secretary for the Sedgwick Biological Society as well as being a member of the Student-Faculty Committee. Jack Currie has taken care of a troop of Boy Scouts in Boston's South End. Fred Thellman is captain of Scabbard and Blade. Vern Porter, Jim Chorak, and Kevin Forsberg are mainstays on Tech's debate team. Bud Hebeler is treasurer of TBΠ and secretary of ΣΓΤ. Our pledges are also very active in the after-school work: Al Hurkamp is on the basketball team and Dick Hagen and Dick Nyder are both on Tech's frosh crews. Chi Phi is also represented in the Glee Club, Technique, Technology Christian Assn., Naval Architecture Society, Institute of Aeronautical Sciences, and other organizations

Right now we are busy tying up the first term and preparing for initiation which is first on next term's calendar. -James M. Chorak.

Gamma Places in Song Fete

WILLIAM PAVLOVSKY, Alpha Emory University

In the course of events which usually crowd a quarter of school work with so much activity, there are several important happenings which stand out in the memory of those who participated in them. It is through these important events, coupled with the other lesser ones, that a fraternity progresses in the eyes of its membership, of the public, and of the national Fraternity. During Fall Quarter, 1954, Gamma of Chi Phi progressed through two of these events.

The Emory Interfraternity Council each year holds a competition among the Emory fraternities in which each chapter presents a group of musical numbers before faculty, student body, and a panel of judges. The general type of songs is

prescribed by the IFC Special Events Committee and from these specific groups each fraternity can choose three songs to be presented by its choral group during the competition. The fraternities are divided according to membership into two groups and two separate sets of decisions are made by the panel of judges. Gamma presented a 10-minute program which included "Hello, My Baby", "Allelulia", from the Bach canta-ta, "For Unto Us a Child Is Born", and "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes". After the decisions of the judges had been compiled, Chi Phi was placed as one of the two top choral groups in the larger fraternity competition. Gamma's choral group included approximately 20 pledges and Brothers.

The other event which stood out as an important accomplishment during the Fall was Gamma Chapter's annual Christmas party for underprivileged children. Each year just before the school term ends Gamma entertains a group of underprivileged children who for the past few years have come from Sheltering Arms Community House. The Chapter provided an evening filled with Christmas music, the stories of Christmas in motion pictures, and lots of gifts for the children. This year the Chapter joined the Emory Adelphean Club to sponsor this party, where over 20 children between the ages of four and eight were shown what it means to have Christmas in the real spirit of the Yuletide.

The beginning of Winter Quarter, 1955, brought a third important event the election of officiers: Alpha, William Pavlovsky; Beta, Henry Standard; Gamma, Marvin Whiting; Delta, Robert Northcutt; Zeta, George Callaway; and

Epsilon, Frank Burns.

During the Fall Quarter one of Gamma's Brothers was distinguished for outstanding scholastic and leadership ability by the University when Bill Morgan was tapped for membership in HΣΨ, Emory leadership society, and AET, lower-division scholastic honor society. Following his initiation, Brother Morgan was elected president of AEY .-GEORGE CALLAWAY.

Delta Plans Annual Alumni Affairs



JOHN FENNELL Alpha

Rutgers University

Since our last issue, Delta has terminated its house repair program for the time being. The Alumni are still meeting once a month and are making plans for some further improvements as soon as

the way can be cleared. In order to create more interest among the Alumni, the Chapter held an alumni affair toward the end of the football season which proved to be a tremendous success. This we hope shall develop into an annual affair.

Speaking of football, we are extremely proud of our Alpha, John Fennell, who turned in a sparkling year as the quarterback for the Rutgers team. Johnny's best game came at the very end when he personally engineered a 45-12 romp over favored Columbia. In that game John scored twice himself and passed for one other score. His performance was lauded throughout the country. He also was a standout in the Scarlet's losing effort against highly-touted Penn State where one radio announcer was quoted as saying that "Fennell is without a doubt the best field general we have seen all year, and if State had him, there is no doubt that they would finish the season with an unblemished record." John led the Rutgers team in scoring for the season. He wound up as the 10th best passer in the nation, and was the collegiate passer with fewest interceptions having only three of his 123 passes intercepted. Truly a fine athlete! We of Delta are most proud to have him as our Alpha.

Socially, the Chi Phis here are setting the campus on fire. Three of the members have got together a Dixieland combo which plays at all our parties. This factor drew outsiders from every house on campus, so that one Saturday evening the "Delta Rhythm Boys" played before a capacity crowd of 165 in the chapter house basement. The combo is composed of Laddie Feher on the clarinet, Hal Rudy, trumpet, and Ken Shields, drums. The first semester social season was terminated with the Christmas Formal which we hold here at Delta.

On Dec. 10, Delta had the pleasure of being hosts to Judge and Mrs. Rosser for dinner. As usual, the evening was en-

During the weeks of the Christmas season, some of our members who are now in uniform returned for a visit. Among those were Ed Sheppard who is in special services with the Marine Corps stationed at Parris Island, S. C. Also home for the holidays was Bill Carlson who is also a Marine stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C. We were pleased to see Tom Price who won the Olympic pair oared event in Helsinki, Finland, in the summer of '52. Tom is in the Navy and is now stationed with his Olympic partner, Chuck Logg, who is an Army lieutenant and son of the Rutgers crew coach, near Rollins College, Fla., where they are working out in preparation for the Pan American Games in March. They hope to make another bid for the Olympics when the tryouts are held this summer.

Again the Chi Phis are represented on the school wrestling team by Deane Oliver and Dick McKeeby. Deane, a junior, has lost only two bouts in his college career. Nick Kontakis is on the fencing squad. When the Spring sports roll around, we expect to have several candidates for baseball and track .-CLARK WHITE

Epsilon Remodeling **Awaits Donations**



JAMES M. OVERBEY Alpha

> Hampden-Sydney College

THE Brothers of Epsilon are happy to report that they have recently completed the excavating work on the proposed enlargement of the basement. The Brothers have done all the manual labor, and, with the help of the Alumni, it is hoped that the job may be completed in the near future. Several donations have already been received, and plans for laying the concrete can be made as soon as sufficient funds are obtained.

Epsilon has taken a commanding lead in the race for the Intramural Cup. With impressive wins in football and volleyball, the Brothers are leading the second place contender by 61 points. Basketball is now under way, and it is hoped that the Chi Phi five will again capture the coveted cage cup. The Chapter took second place in the final standings last year.

In the field of varsity sports, Alpha Jim Overbey has been named to the All-Little Seven Football Team, which includes the outstanding ball-players in all the small colleges in the State. Starting at the end position, Brother Overbey has now completed his final year of football at Hampden-Sydney. He, along with Hal McVey, Otis Mead, and John Tigmo have received football letters this year.

On Jan. 11, Judge L. Z. Rosser was welcomed at the chapter house for a brief visit. The Brothers spent an enjoyable evening with Judge during which time they discussed various items of importance to the Fraternity. Part of the discussion centered on rushing due to the fact that rush week is scheduled for February.

Two of the Epsilon Brothers, Royster Lyle, Jr., and Bill Reed, have recently received cash awards for their entries in a local historical contest. Brother Lyle won \$100 for the second place prize for his essay on the Briery Presbyterian Church, while Brother Reed received \$50 for third place. His paper concerned the history of a local prep school.

During the Christmas holidays, a large number of the Brothers attended a Debutante Ball in the state capital, Richmond. The dance was one of the biggest

social events of the season.

Nancy Brankley has been chosen Chi Phi Sweetheart for this year. Miss Brankley is pinned to Charles Dunn. She will be honored at the annual Chi Phi Spring Parties.

In closing, the Brothers would like to extend a hand of welcome to Dr. Joseph Clarke Robert, who has been named as the 27th president of Hampden-Sydney. Dr. Robert, 48-year-old historian, is now president of Coker College, Hartsville, S. C. He will succeed Dr. Edgar G. Gammon, who has been president of the college for 16 years.—LARRY HOOVER.

Zeta Raises Fund By Subscriptions

TOM HEADRICK Alpha





Zeta Brothers returned from the holidays to Dubbsheim under the leadership of new officers. Tom Headrick, Lancaster, is the Alpha for the second semester, while the Beta is Bob Ross, Denver. Other officers are: Don Holmberg, Gamma; Gerry Yoder, Delta; Foster Ulrich, Epsilon; and Clark McSparren, Zeta.

Four new brothers have been added to the roster recently: John DeChant, Dayton, O.; Dan Fickes, Lancaster; Eric Held, Lynbrook, N. Y.; and Phil Sieg, Bellefont.

Magazine sales have been successfully employed to raise money for house improvements. Many of the Brothers cashed in on relatives and friends over the Christmas holidays in obtaining orders. With many order forms still outstanding, the gross figure is expected to approach \$500.

With the winter sports schedule going strong at F. & M., many Brothers are represented on school teams. Four outstanding starters for the wrestling squad are: Gerry Yoder, 123; Bob Smith, 147; Captain Hal DeHaven, 157; and Ron Flemming, 177. Others on the squad are Andy Anstadt, Dick Barley, and Bud Eaton. Two double-figure scorers for the basketball team are Pledges Rudy Koenig and Jack Ziegler. Varsity swimmers include Herb Schaffner, Bob Tesh, and Ted Appel.

Our intramural football team finished a close second in competition with 12 other teams. The Zeta intramural basketball squad starts with 12 men of equal and excellent talent.

An extensive construction program is planned for the mid-semester vacation. At this time two basement rooms will be painted, lowered ceilings will be built, and some type of panelling will be put on the walls. The work will be done by those Brothers staying at the house over vacation. New lighting facilities have already been installed in these two recreation rooms.

A successful Winter Weekend Formal was held at the Valencia Ballroom in nearby York on Dec. 11, with Vincent Lopez and his orchestra providing the music. The following evening a "Night Before Christmas Party" was held at the house, topping an enjoyable weekend just before the holidays.

Rush Week, the first week of the second semester, will be an active time at Zeta. An unusually small class of eligible freshmen will increase the competition among the 11 social fraternities on campus.—CLARK McSparren.

Eta Members Win National Honor



JIM CUTCLIFF
Alpha

University of Georgia

ON Jan. 10, we elected new officers. James Cutcliff of Atlanta was elected Alpha to succeed John Henderson of Marietta. Scott Beal of Atlanta was elected Beta. James Bradford of Atlanta was elected Gamma to succeed Mark Thomas of Macon. Harry Harden of Savannah was elected to Epsilon to succeed Jack Kern of Atlanta. Augustus G. Bond of Savannah was reëlected Del-

We have had visits from several of the Alumni Brothers. John Clifton was up during fall quarter, along with Tom Roberts, Alex Hopkins, and Charles Nunnally, Jr.

Since last June the house has undergone some improvements. Last summer the Eta Trust Assn. painted the house and repaired the roof. During spring vacation they will redecorate the kitchen. During fall quarter we bought a new TV set, and some long needed double-decker beds. The new Juke Box has been installed in the basement. During Christmas vacation the Mothers' Club put a new railing on the back steps.

Chi Phis from Eta who recently were elected to Who's Who in American Colleges are Richard Trotter and Bill Rogers, both from Atlanta.

Informal initiation was held on Jan. 17 and formal initiation was on Jan. 24. Many Athens Brothers were present for the formal.

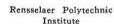
During "wildoat" rush we pledged Morris Ward, Atlanta; Jack Delong and Palmour Moore, Gainesville; and James Sanders, Athens.

Willy sends his regards to all the Brothers.—John Wilkins.

Paid Your Dues?

Theta Races for Barker Trophy

DICK WILL
Alpha





THETA has installed a new set of officers, led by Dick Will, Alpha; Dick Kennedy, Beta; John Alber, Gamma; Phil Rockmaker, Delta; and Charlie Krauser, Epsilon. Jim Shannon is our new social chairman.

Kenny Johanson, Cliff Tyler, Jimmy Durante and Stan Cozzens were among the Alumni back for IF weekend. We had the Delta Five back again and a full diet of jazz was had by all. Bob Barr designed one of the best signs we have had in years, but we failed to win the sign contest. Incidentally Bob is graduating in January and will be with Allison Aircraft, Indianapolis, Ind.

Several weeks of rushing consisting of coffee hours, dinners, and three parties ended recently leaving everyone happy with the results. We have 14 pledges from New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Arizona, and Long Island. Dick Will was rushing chairman and did a great job. After the New Year's parties the social season has given way to some heavy, estudying

has given way to some heavy studying. Sam Carroll has been back and his tales aren't helping Marine recruiting at all. He is now on his way to Puerto Rico, planning to spend three months in a tent. John Lesure and Tom Parker have also been back recently. Theta is in the thick of the Barker Trophy race, finishing second in horseshoes, fourth in tennis, fifth in volleyball, sixth in football, among the sports already completed. Hunting parties led by Charlie Guck, have been bringing back quite a bit of game and now the skiers are getting set to roll. The undistorted, full frequency sound of high-fi can be heard throughout both houses. We have two sets at present with more destined to come.

Saturnalia is Feb. 26, and we will be expecting many Alumni back.—Jack Laws.

Iota's Decorations Are Unique

DAVID JUDY, Alpha Ohio State University

Now that the contingent has returned from the Rose Bowl, chapter affairs are getting down to normal. The day after Christmas, Dave Judy, Al Swormstedt, Reg Ullman, Bill Toivonen, Bob Raptis, Dave Garton, Don Kutza, Rodney Brower, Pete Zoundas, Floyd Barker, Bernie Brockage, Vince Bolling, and Don Devney returned to Columbus and boarded one of the three special trains carrying OSU students to the Rose Bowl. The climax of tension came with the 20-7 win over USC in the California "mist."

The social highlight of the fall quarter was the fall semiformal, the weekend of the Michigan game. Although disappointed about their showing on the gridiron, the spirit of our guests from Alpha-Tau made this party the "best ever"

At Christmas we joined the local chapter of ΔZ to sponsor a Christmas party for the children of a Columbus orphanage. The children were thrilled at their many gifts, and the entire Chapter appreciated the chance to make Christmas happier for these less fortunate youngsters. Another event of the Christmas season was the surprise decoration of the house by the pledges. While the actives were in meeting, the pledges decorated the entire house. The windows were painted with Christmas scenes, the hall decorated with pine boughs and holly, and a story-and-a-half high Christmas tree was mounted in the stairway, the only ready-made hole in the ceiling.

Our homecoming decorations were the talk of the campus. They featured a large cow stepping on her own udder, with a sign above reading, "Wisconsin, America's Dairyland in Udder Defeat." A picture of our decorations was used, along with two others, on the front page of the Columbus Dispatch. Chairman Jim Brinkley and his committee are to be congratulated on their fine job.

We are glad to announce the pledging of four new men: Burt Bush, George Hickox, Mat Copland, and Dick Brewer.

—JACK HOPKINS.



Charles A. Dozer, Iota '56, is Iota's Sparks Medal winner. He serves on the Chapter's financial committeer is program chairman of Alpha Kappa Psi's Ohio State chapter. He is junior justice of IFC. Last year he was sophomore secretary of the Fraternity Affairs Ofice. Belonging to the Insurance Society, he won the A. R. Ritzman Memorial Scholarship, given by the Ohio Assn. of Real Estate Boards

Kappa Wins in Volleyball Tourney



DONALD O.
AMACHER
Alpha

University of Wisconsin

In scholastics, social functions, and athletic activities the Brothers of Kappa have striven to keep the name of Chi Phi on top at the University of Wisconsin.

Initiation saw seven new Brothers join the chapter roll: Gilmore Gulbranson, Hoyt Johnson, Jack Johnson, Uggi Van Haven, Jerome Silber, Warren Turner, and Allen Weiterman. Along with initiation came the annual Cherokee Chug-A-Lug party which is given in honor of the new Brothers. The house was decorated with corn stalks and pumpkins and a tepee was set up in the middle of the living room. Everybody came in Indian attire.

The other big social event of the semester was the Christmas Formal, using the theme, "Christmas Dream."

Kappa's football team took second place in our division, and as of Jan. 3 our bowling and basketball team are in first place in their divisions. Highlight of the athletic activities however was Kappa's volleyball team which brought home a beautiful trophy for taking the fraternity volleyball championship. Members of the team were: Charles Klienschmidt, captain, Milton Burmaster, Carl Merow, John Hamel, Darrell Tesch, Bob Teska, John Udisches.

Kappa has held informal rushing throughout the semester and has added four new pledges: Warren Eichstaed, Paul Kindell, Ken Nufer, and Dick Susha.

Thanks to the hard work of Brothers Teska and Wangelin, Kappa won second place in the fraternity Homecoming displays. The theme of the display was "The horse will pull us through."—John M. Ewens.

Lambda Pleased By Guin's Visit



EARLL T. RILEY, III

Alpha

University of California

THE month of December was marked by several social functions at Lambda. On Dec. 11, we held our annual Christmas Formal. The Brothers' enthusiasm paid off handsomely, for after the decorations were finished, the house took on the aspect of a winter-wonderland into which one entered by passing through a huge snowman in front of the house. To the delight of all, ol' Saint Nick made a personal appearance with presents for everyone. The other event which highlighted our Christmas season, was a party we staged for some local underprivileged children. This party seems to have established itself by now as an annual affair. Santa Claus made a personal appearance at this occasion too, with appropriate gifts. The children were entertained by the Brothers and their respective dates.

First on the agenda for the new semester will be rushing. We are making vigorous plans for this occasion. We have to concentrate all our efforts to make this a successful rushing since we have quite a larger graduating class in June.

The other event for which we are making plans, is the celebration of the 80th anniversary of Lambda. Our plans are still vague, but I am quite sure the celebration will be worthy of the occasion.

Recently we had elections, and the new cabinet is headed by a third generation Chi Phi, Earll T. Riley, III, who was elected Alpha. The other new officers are Frank Merlo, Beta; Darryl Petersen, Gamma; Bob Pope was retained as Delta; and Hugh deHeinrich is the new Zeta.

The condition of the house is basically unchanged. However, we have plans to build a new lodge room for our present one is not satisfactory. All the Brothers are in favor of the idea, but, of course, the final word is up to the Alumni who are best qualified to make such decisions.

Recently we had the great pleasure of having Brother Russell Guin, Grand Gamma, visit us. He had dinner here in the course of which he gave us a talk on the meaning of Chi Phi Fraternity to him; it was most enlightening and was appreciated by all of us very deeply.— Hugh de Heinrich.

Mu Members Honored on Campus

LESTER O. WUERFL, JR. Alpha

Stevens Institute of Technology



DURING January, Mu elected new officers. Les Wuerfl succeeded Carl Carlson as Alpha, having served a term as Epsilon a year and a half ago. Les, a senior at the Institute, has proven his leadership qualities in several campus activities. During his junior year he served as business manager of the Stute, the Stevens newspaper. He has piloted to victory the class '55 interclass softball and basketball teams. Les is also treasurer of IIAE, journalism honor society. Rich Macintosh was elected Beta in recognition of the excellent job he did in serving for a year as Delta. Rich, a junior, is also a campus leader in activities, belonging to three honor societies. Gene Gorzelnik, a sophomore, was chosen the new Gamma. Gene is just the man for the job in view of the fact that he has done quite a bit of writing for school publications. Art Zack, also a sophomore, was elected as Delta. Art is a consistent "Dean's List" man besides sharing in several campus activities. The elections concluded as a sophomore, Dave Wentink, was chosen Epsilon. The experience which Dave gained in working for a construction outfit last summer should come in handy in his new job. Only one



Members of Kappa at the University of Wisconsin are, bottom row, left to right: David Blank, Bob Weninger, Allen Weiterman, Don Brehm, Hoyt Johnson, Jim Miller, John Lory, Tad Murphy, Tony Mulrich, George Hoffman, Kurt Rossner, Second row: Bob Linn, Ed McCoy, Paul Stephl, Dick Chaictin, Don Amacher, Darrell Tesch, Carl Merow, Fred Jensen, Roger James, John Udisches, John Ewens. Third row: Bill Wuerger, John Kardash, Robb Hoover, Bob Teska, Roger Grossel, Al McCough, Tom Boyd, Rich Mueller, Stanley Buss, Bob Katten, Dick Wangelin, Milt Burmaster. Fourth row: Wayne Staton, Dick Wyatt, Greg Kryshak, Tom Redfield, Uggi Van Haven, Bill Cook, Charles Klienschmidt, Bob Kimmel, Bruno Mauer, Jack Johnson. Fifth row: Warren Turner, Barry Basten, John Fitschen, Curt Cooksey, Mike Gardiner, Howard Helber, Charles Gulbranson, Jerry Silber, John Hamel

new appointment was made—Ken Poppele becoming the new steward.

Nine new members were admitted to Chi Phi during the fall term. Ken Poppele, Hans and Erhard Ziegler, Don Robinson, Jack Gallagher, Gene Gorzelnik, Carsten Sibbern, Dave Wentink, and Art Zack went through the ritual which binds them forever to Chi Phi Fraternity.

Under the leadership of Rushing Chairman George Alther, a new pledge was added to the fold early in the fall in the person of Herman Wuerdemann. Herman, who commutes to school, is a sophomore at the Institute. Everyone in the house is now looking forward to closed rushing of Stevens' freshmen soon.

The posting of fall mid-term grades showed that, although many of the Brothers were doing quite well, there were also many who were having trouble in at least one subject. Beta Tom Wright inaugurated a house tutoring system, whereby men who have done well in a subject aid those who are faltering. Specific men were assigned to tutor classes in specific subjects which men desiring aid could attend.

As usual, Mu again fared very well in fall tappings by campus honor societies. Tau Beta Pi, which recognizes engineering scholastic achievements, admitted its fourth active Mu by tapping Carl Carlson. A few days later ΠΔE initiated Rich Macintosh and Bob Farrenkopf in recognition of their work on Stevens publications. This made six XΦs in this society. Khoda, the secret senior honor society, tapped Joe Wolf and Tom Wright. This honor society, which is limited to 12 men, thus admitted their fourth and fifth active X4s. The Arnold Air Society, which admits worthy AFROTC students tapped Rich Macintosh; and during Winter Carnival Week-end, Gear and Triangle, the activities honor society, admitted Chuck Kovarik and Rich Macintosh. Thus Mu had at least one new man in each of the campus honor societies during the fall tappings.

Every school year the 10 chapters on campus meet in sports competitions which involve softball, football, bowling, basketball, and table tennis. Two champions have been determined, but Mu failed to place a winner. We had done fairly well in softball, placing second in our 5-team league. Our football record was a little less impressive as we won but one of our four contests. Basketball Coach Carl Carlson and Bowling Coach Jack Gallagher are now busy trying to work out winning combinations.—ROBERT FARRENTORDE

\$5 and News

"Wish I was near enough to get in personal touch once in a while."—RICH-ARD A. BACKUS, M '04.

"I can't read Chakett without feelings of nostalgia. However, I thoroughly enjoy the magazine."—Raymond E. Leary, Jr., Θ '52.

Xi Invites Chapters to Zone Meeting



DAVE TAYLOR
Alpha

Cornell University

WE here at Xi are very proud to report the receipt of one of the top Interfraternity awards of 1954. It is given once each year by the Cornell Interfraternity Alumni Assn. to the fraternity chapter having made the greatest improvement in scholarship and campus activity participation. Spurred on by the efforts of scholarship chairman, Dave Taylor, the Brothers put on a concentrated drive to establish in the house an atmosphere conducive to good study habits. Some of the Brothers in the Senior Class contributing greatly to the activities end of the award, were Bob Keyes, vice president of the IFC, a thrush in the Glee Club, and also a member of the senior honorary, Sphinxhead; Al Beatty, a 5th year business student who edited last year's Cornellian, and was in Quill and Dagger, the other senior honorary; Bob Bunting, this year's commodore of the crew and also a member of Q. and D.; Roy Tellini, captain of the soccer team and winner of the award given each year to the top allaround contributor to soccer here at Cornell-Roy is another Q. and D. Mike Curtis, Xi's gift to the literary world, continues to hold his position as managing editor of The Writer, the Cornell literary magazine. In addition he is a member of both the senior editorial board of The Widow, campus humor magazine, and the sports board of The Cornellian, the yearbook. Recently, Wes Simmons, one of our top scholars, was initiated into ΠΤΣ, national mechanical engineering honorary. Marv Anderson, a 5th year engineer, is a member. Another senior, Dick Lewis, who has been throwing the javelin with the track team, last spring qualified for a spot on the Penn-Cornell track team which toured Europe. Dick spent the fall battling for an end position on Cornell's Ivy League co-champions. Ben "steam bath" Pulling, the fattest man ever to play on a 150-lb. football team, held down a guard position during that

In the Junior Class, more genius springs forth. Dean Hickox is serving as a member of the editorial board of the Cornellian as well as maintaining one of the highest averages in the government department. Jim Gouinlock has been competing for a spot as a high hurdler with the track team and has overcome every obstacle except the last one, Coach Lou Montgomery. Another junior, Dave

Stotz, has been digging divots with the golf team and hopes to regain his spot, come spring. Dave was also recently tapped into the Junior Class honorary, Red Key.

Soph Bob Verstandig won his letter last fall with the soccer team and will be trying again this spring for his shortstop position which he held down last year with the frosh baseball team. Ike Eisinger, having missed his soccer letter by a slim margin last fall, will no doubt be a major contender next year for a fullback slot, considering the loss from graduation. A classmate of Bob's and Ike's Roger Dohn, is splashing his way through the free-style events with the varsity swimming team. Another "wet" member is John Howell, one of our pledges, who is diving for the frosh swimming team. A pledge brother of John's, Bill Sutherland, is starting the long climb to literary fame by selling issues of the Cornellian; he's aiming for a spot on the editorial board.

In the intramural line, Xi's formidable gridiron force, led by the running and Graham-like passing of senior Dick Monahan, took second place in their league. At the present time, the Xi basketballers are sporting a 2-0 record and promise to offer a big threat for that

title.

The elections for spring officers were held on Jan. 3 with the result that Dave Taylor was moved up from Beta to Alpha. Jim Gouinlock took over Dave's old position as second in command, while Dean Hickox remained at his year-long job of Delta. Dick Metzler was reinstated as Gamma and Soph Ike Eisinger was elected Epsilon. Mike Curtis replaced Bill Hook in the kitchen as steward; since Mike had to vacate his old position as Zeta, Dave Stotz was picked to fill that office. Our new social chairman is Nels Hyde. The house offered a unanimous vote of thanks for the fine work done by the retiring officers during the last term.

Through this cloud of officiality, Xi has been able to filter a few very successful social gatherings. Our fall houseparty, held on the weekend of the Dartmouth-Cornell game was up to Cornell standards and as is the custom, we topped off the proceedings with our famous milk-puncher early Sunday morning. The pledge formal in December was another success even though the pledge class was a little tired from erecting our 30-foot Christmas tree. A baby party after the dance proved to be one of the better theme parties we've had for a while. Between terms, at the beginning of February, Xi will hold its second houseparty of the school year, even though there is no University group officially sponsoring the weekend as has been the case in the past.

Xi was very pleased to play host recently to National Director Judge Rosser and his charming wife. They were making a tour of some of the Chi Phi Chapters in the north and stopped for an



Roy Tellini, Xi '55, was captain and fullback on the Cornell soccer squad. Roy earned the All-around Player Award this year

evening. The Judge gave the pledges an inspiring talk and all who listened, readily became aware of what capable hands the National is in.

At the annual Congress last September in Lancaster, Pa., our delegates, Bob Keyes and Bill Scott, suggested the idea of a Zone meeting to be held this spring at Xi over some weekend. No definite decisions were arrived at, but we all feel as though the gathering could be extremely enjoyable and worthwhile, if conducted more as a social gathering than as a business meeting. Our hope is that other Chapters will also get interested and, if the idea goes through, arrive in full force when the time arrives.—Dave

Omicron Initiates 16 Pledges



JAMES E. PRATT Alpha

Yale University

OMICRON has just completed a highly successful rush and pledge period which has given Chi Phi 16 new Brothers: Bob Ryan, Mike Penta, Tad Girdler, Mike Bromberg, Howard Shaff, Doug Almond, Dave MacLean, Ken Tuttle, Fred Flatow, Ronald Glick, Dick Katz, Tom Flagstad, Chip Freeman, Rog Hinkson, Tom Myers, Dick Vila. The credit for getting these new men must go mainly to Jim Clark and his rush committee consisting of Alex Lantiez, Ed Brede, Bruce Anderson, Ham Southworth, Charlie Shedd, Kelly Shannon, and Ted Tyler. These eight men worked very

hard and long during a highly competitive rush season. Additional credit is deserved by Count Ellis who did a great job as pledge master in shaping these new men into the type of Brothers Omicron is proud of.

John Packard deserves a vote of thanks for the fine job he has done as social chairman. The social activities for the first term were brought to a fitting climax with a Christmas party which was visited by an extremely jovial Santa Claus who, some people said, had a strong resemblance to Jim Pratt plus a

little bit of padding.

Wanderlust has strongly gripped a number of Brothers and those whose marks could stand it, managed to slip off for a few days toward the sunny southland. In tune with the spirit Frank Foster and Bob Law flew down to Nassau for a couple of days to soak up some vitamin A. Kelly Shannon and Charlie Shedd also managed to get away for a bit down in Texas, while Art Grahame got to Bermuda for the week before Christmas. In the opposite direction, "Mitch" Gilbert spent his Christmas vacation up north skiing in Canada.

Among milestones which have been passed by some of the Brothers: Bob Brower and his wife Nancy have announced the arrival of a baby girl, Judy Lynne. Dick Frankenheimer is engaged to Mary Jane Smedley who is in her last

year at Bennett.

Omicron is well represented among extracurricular activities around the campus. Jim Clark, as a member of the Varsity Glee Club, was quite pleased with the European tour the club made last summer and he recently covered some more mileage on the Christmas tour. Hugo Guidotti is Omicron's contribution to a fine Yale baseball team where Hugo plays first base as well as being captain. Jim Pratt has got a bit muddy once or twice because of his position as the rugby team's playing manager, although this shouldn't be too hard to take when the team goes down to Bermuda during spring vacation, George Unhock is doing his part for Omicron and Old Eli by playing for the varsity squash team. Terry O'Brien is program director for the Yale Broadcasting Co., an organization which plays an important part on the Yale campus. Bill Kern and Bob Scobey represent Omicron on the staff of the Yale Daily News.

The library, billiard, and powder rooms have taken on a new look for which credit is due to the new Brothers who did an excellent job of redecorating. George Braley, Paul Kerrigan, and Hub Lynch are especially happy about the fine condition of the pool and billiard room since they form part of a committee devoted to keeping this popular room in tiptop shape.

Mr. Klein is our new steward and with his coming, we are now able to have certain privileges and take advantage of certain facilities which were not feasible before.—James D. Prokop.

Pi to Eat "Steak or Beans"

RONALD P. RAEYMAECKERS, Alpha Northwestern University

Pr held its Winter Formal Jan. 15. The dance was given at the Moraine Hotel in Highland Park. Dave Fairfield, president of the Chi Phi Club of Chicago, and his wife were among the guests. Pi Alumni: Ruddy Schlosser and Jim Uthoff also attended. We are going to have a Bowery Party, a Splash Party, and two houseparties this term.

We are happy to announce that Uncle Sam has returned Tom Van Heule to the Chapter. Unfortunately, Uncle recently called Bill Keim and Jim Zachary.

Intramural basketball is getting under way, and Pi is fielding its best team in years. The bowling team got off to a shaky start, but improved team play will pay off in victories in the future.

Winter quarter promises to be good scholastically for the men of Pi. We have decided to start a "Steak or Beans" dinner for added impetus. We know that this is a tradition in many Chapters, and we hope that it will help us to improve our grades.-Art EICHLIN.

Rho Likes **Holiday Reunion**



PETER W MORROW Alpha

Lafayette College

Upon returning from Thanksgiving vacation the Brothers found some slight damage incurred by Hurricane Hazel; however, they all chipped in and had things cleared up in short order. The only damage requiring professional repair was the TV antenna which had been snapped off completely.

Early in December, Rho was honored by a visit from the Chi Phi National Director, Judge Rosser. During his visit he informed us of the many activities being carried on by the various Chapters throughout the country. Both Brothers and pledges were very interested in what he had to say, and were especially grateful for his suggestions for a more

systematic rushing program.

After placing in the first division in the intramural football program here at Lafayette, the Brothers turned their attention to the coming basketball season. The first three games give indication of having a team which might bring the title to Vallamont. Dick Mudge, who was recently elected intramural chair-



Eugene McCreary, Rho's Sparks Medal winner, is studying at the Karl-Eberhard University, Tubingen, Germany, for a year on a Fulbright Scholarship. Gene became a Phi Beta Kappa at Lafayette in his junior year and was graduated summa cum laude, the third highest average in his class

man, has been doing a fine job in getting the boys out to play. There should be some high scoring coming from Dan Merriam, John Ritchie, Gene Alderman, and Paul Reiter.

Many of the Brothers got together over the holidays down Philadelphia way. The party proved to be such a great success that there is serious talk of planning for other such reunions.—Gene Alder-Man.

Sigma Pledges Activity-Minded

PAUL ARMSTRONG, Alpha University of Illinois

The fall semester got off to a good start when we pledged 15 top boys: Link Lass, Mattoon; Lou Landt, Berwyn; George Baumgarn, Rock Island; Dein Van Sickle, Flora; Larry Marshall, Homewood; Lowell Bjorkland, Mt. Prospect; Joe Jones, Dixon; John Huntley, Wilmette; Fred Kallsen, Ted Wilmes, Dick Gray, Art Karwacki and Bud Moore, Chicago; Dave Johnson, Oregon; Tom Walsh, Westchester.

Congratulations are in order for Duane Pedriana and Jim Parker who have been initiated into Phalanx, a military honorary, and $\Phi T \Sigma$, a scholastic honorary, respectively. Our pledge class made a good showing in extracurricular activities too. Dick Gray is on the Junior IFC committee.

George Baumgarn was recently initiated into the Honorary Society of Illustrators, in which membership is based on scholastic achievement. Joe Jones won second place in the I.M. wrestling tournament, winning a trophy for himself and I.M. points for the house.

The Sigmamen feel that Alumni Weekend was the best yet because of the numerous wonderful comments we received about it. The Brothers wish to extend their deepest appreciation for the kind generosity of all the Alumni which made possible our new furniture in the living room.

Our Winter Formal was a big success, thanks to the leadership of Brother Nyka. Even Santa Claus arrived on time and the girls were very thrilled with their favors, little red and white striped night shirts and caps monogrammed with the Chi Phi Greekletters.

We are getting a head start on a good spring semester when we elected a topnotch council on January 10. Paul Armstrong is the new Alpha; Jim Nyka, Beta; Jim Rose, Gamma; Paul Clevenger, Delta; Jim Parker, Epsilon, and Jim Gray, Zeta.—Jim Gray.

Tau Plans State Rush

CLAY CRIBBS, Alpha University of Alabama

Four new pledges have been added to Tau's roster: Rufus Cassidy, Atmore; Dave Hutton, and Stuart Harris, Birmingham; and Claude Kraut, Chicago.

Homecoming was very successful with our annual Alumni Tea Dance and party. Due to the immense size of our front lawn, it has been difficult to construct lawn decorations which show up well from the street. We were almost successful this year using as part of our decorations a huge state measuring 55 feet in height.

Our Christmas party went over in a big way complete with a beautifully trimmed 12-foot Christmas tree.

Plans are being worked out for a state-wide spring rush program before final exams descend upon us. Tau ranked well in the top 10 fraternities scholastically at mid-semester, and we hope to do better at the end.—Bob Naumann.

Editor's Note: Bob Naumann, Tau's Sparks Medal winner, helped with that scholarship ranking. Bob is a physics major, math minor. He belongs to Θ H Σ and Druid Society. He has been Tau's Delta.

Chi Builds Study in Attic

GEORGE SNELSON, Alpha Dartmouth College

CHI gave its 19 pledges a welcome Christmas present in the form of impressive initiation ceremonies held on Dec. 12. The new Brothers are: Russ Barry, Jake Breitenbach, Ken Brasted, Peter Cooley, Brad Curtis, Joe Daniels, Larry Elliott, Bob Giordano, Gordie Hally, Chip Hartenstein, Doug Holmes, Dick Levene, Dick Mann, Sandy Miller, Mario Torroella, Dick Van Riper, Pete Wardle, and Tony Williamson, and Pete Kernaghan.

Chi entertains lavishly during the home football games with Holy Cross, Navy, Columbia, and Colgate. Visiting Alumni were enthused with the highly functional

and gratifying work championed by the House Improvements Committee. With Nate Metzger '56 and Todd Driscoll '56 providing the leadership, Pete Kernaghan '55 and Dave Duane '56 handling the highly skilled jobs, Chi now displays a completely refreshed appearance. The spacious attic has been converted into a soundproof study where harassed Brothers can study in peace. Another welcome addition is the new bathroom with showers, et al. Furniture has been repaired, walls painted, floors sanded, and a distinctive set of murals by Mario Torroella '57 complete the new look. All the work done by the Brothers would have been fruitless, however, if we had not had the fine support of the Chi Alumni Corporation. They paid 70% of the cost of these projects. Thanks again, Alumni!

Intramural athletics finds Bill Skiff '56 as athletic manager guiding a winning basketball team toward what looks like a top season. We have equally fine hopes for our hockey team. Ted Steinert '56 and Ken Bridge '56 have just been appointed assistant managers of Varsity squash and Varsity swimming, respectively.

The domestic situation here at Chi has never been brighter. Carol Ambrose, Winchester, Mass., became the bride of Louis Torroella '55 and Kitty Giles, Mansfield, Mass., became the bride of Bruce Matheson '54 in fall ceremonies.

With Dartmouth's famous Winter Carnival approaching, Chi has some men in key positions. Scott Rutherford '55 is director of the all-important Winter Sports Division of the Dartmouth Outing Club. Jerry McNabb '56 carries the lead in the Dartmouth Players Carnival presentation. The rest of the Brothers are formulating plans to attempt to keep our phenomenal record in the highly competitive snow sculpture contest (2-1sts and 1-2nd place in the last three years.)

The winter elections produced the following slate of officers: George Snelson, Alpha; Donald Spitzli, Beta; Breck Viets, Gamma; Edward Hennesey, Zeta; William Hamilton, Delta.—BRECK VIETS.

Psi Presents Gavel to Past Alpha

FREDERICK H. BOYCE, Alpha Lehigh University

BACK to Lehigh from Christmas vacation, new Brothers Alan Colyer, David Robertson, Richard Billin, Frederick Minter, and Joseph Mooney joined with other Brothers in electing new chapter officers. Frederick H. Boyce is the Alpha. He replaces Samuel Furiness whose able leadership and devotion to Chi Phi, brought the Chapter through a very successful year. In appreciation for his fine service, Brother Furiness was presented with an engraved gavel. Other officers elected were: Robert Maggin, Beta; Richard Billin, Gamma; Stephen Dobossy, Delta; Alan Colyer, Epsilon; and Frederick Minter, assistant Delta. Ap-

pointed to head various chapter committees were: Joseph Mooney, rushing; Alan Colyer, social; Leon Waclawski, athletic; Carlton Clark, alumni; Frederick Minter, scholastic; David Robertson, house and grounds. Richard Marquardt is the new pledge master.

Another change in personnel is Mrs. Hufford, our new cook. "Cookie", as she is called, has been well received with her first efforts toward keeping Psi well fed. Something new, too, may be found surging from the spigots marked "Hot" at Psi. Hot water in sufficient quantities is the result of a new hot water heater, purchased with the much appreciated aid of Mr. Waclawski who secured the unit for us at cost, and with the likewise appreciated financial aid of the Briarfield Assn.

The addition of Andrew Campbell, II, to the family of Gealy Wallwork, Psi

'52, is something new.

The close of 1954 had several note-worthy events. Chi Phi was again runner-up in the Lafayette football display contest. Lafayette weekend and Fall Houseparty were "biggests" among the social events. Bruce Bachoffer was elected to TBII, honorary engineering fraternity. A final high point in '54 was a visit to the Chapter by Judge Rosser. We thank him for his visit and valued comments with the hope that he will return in the near future.

Winter finds Psi actively engaged in interfraternity sports. Brothers Keenhold and Ebeling are Psi's contributions to the Lehigh swim team. Keenhold, defending Eastern Collegiate diving champ, is headed for even bigger things this year.—

WILLIAM E. EBELING.

Omega Works with Boys' Club



CHARLES DAVIS
Alpha
Georgia Institute of
Technology

ELECTION for the remainder of the school year saw the following Brothers in office: Charles Davis, president of the Senior Class, Alpha; Lamar Reese, Beta; Sam Sibley, Gamma; Bill Waller, Delta; Archie Gann, Epsilon. The judiciary committee consists of Paul Buhler, Emory Jenks, and Bob Shivers. Rushing will be in the hands of Roy McCroy, assisted by A. Gann. P. Buhler, A. Gann, and Pledge John Strickler are on the social committee. The new house manager is Jim Johnson who hasn't missed a meal since election.

If the school's team can beat Kentucky, the Chapter is confident that, with a little of that "Good ol' Chi Phi spirit" on the court, our league championship

should belong to us. The return of Gene Scott from the Air Force, and the returning height from last year's team, give us a winning team.

The Chapter's thanks go out to Brothers Buhler and Bill Hill, who as pledge masters, have done a fine job of instilling the Chi Phi spirit into the boys. The pledge project for the year has been to dig out the basement for an at-

tractive play room.

During last quarter the Chapter, for its goodwill policy, has served as instructors for one of the local Salvation Army's sponsored Boys' Club. Each Brother spent a minimum of three enjoyable hours trying to keep from being wounded and still instructive. Twenty of the younger children from this Club were entertained at the Christmas party with Santa Bobby Hand providing the knee and giving away small gifts in return for which the recipients gave the Chapter the best party of the quarter.

Sunday morning, as usual, following the party, was the annual Empty Stocking Fund drive in which the Chapter more than tripled last year's collections

with more than \$800.00.

Again, our heartfelt thanks go out to the most active and helpful Mothers' Club.—Ben W. Roberts.

Alpha-Alpha Has New Housemother



JOHN SHORTER STEVENS Alpha

> University of North Carolina

ALPHA-ALPHA started the school year with the usual work in preparation for the prospective pledges. We painted the inside and the outside of the house, spruced up the yard, and reorganized the spacing in the parking lot. As a result of fine rushing and hard work on the house, we emerged from the battle for pledges with a class of 22 stalwarts. The pledge class as a whole is doing well scholastically. Each one has an extracurricular activity.

We have made a very satisfactory change in housemothers. Mrs. Bizzle has been replaced by Mrs. Grey Culbreth, of Wilson, N. C. Mrs. Culbreth took over a very difficult job and has done magnificently well. We have all made an unconditional surrender to a woman of charm, dignity, and good nature and are glad to be in her hands. She's great!

During the course of the year we have had five new initiates: Charles Fitzgerald, Farmville; Harvey Mills, Monroe; Dick Valentine, Bronxville, N. Y.; Daniel Craver, Greenwich, Conn., and Carl Baber, Mt. Erie. We now have 37 Active Brothers.

The entertainment committee, Ied by Jack Little of Decatur, Ga., has provided us with a program unsurpassed in recent years—cabin parties, lake parties, dances, practically every type of entertainment possible.

We always have some Brothers whose achievements in school help to keep us well known here on the campus. These men are Jack Stevens, Bill Sanders, and Rollie Tillman. Jack was elected to the Interfraternity Council, and has done an excellent job all year. Bill Sanders was elected vice president of the Junior Class. This job is very coveted and we were all proud that a Chi Phi was the man to be elected. Rollie Tillman is our old standby as far as individual honor is concerned. His latest achievement is initiation into the only Orators' Club on the campus. There are only 13 members, the best student speakers in school. Rollie is also the floor manager for the new television outfit here in Chapel Hill as well as being a member of the Holy Grail. We find it amazing that Rollie can carry such a load of extracurricular activities and still maintain his high scholastic average.

In general this year has been an excellent one. We are ahead financially, rank in the top half in fraternity scholastic averages, and are in the top half in the intramural athletic program.—Jose E.

Alpha-Tau Shows Improvement





University of Michigan

A GREAT deal of the credit for a new attitude in Alpha-Tau should go to our fine Alpha, Charles Hamilton, a veteran of the Army Intelligence Corps, and a very capable leader.

During rushing this year, the Brothers pitched in with an unheralded spirit and the combined effort was too much for the poor rushees who shought they were exhibiting some freedom of choice. We captured 23 of them—twice our usual

number of pledges.

One of the highlights of the fall, the Pledge Formal, started off slowly, but at the last minute everyone pitched in on decorations, etc., and made the thing a real success. The Ohio State game was away this year, so about 15 of us hopped in our trusty chariots and were away to a very fine weekend staged by the Brothers at Iota. Another big event on the social calendar was the Bacchus Party. Bacchus is the Roman god of wine. Everyone came dressed, appropri-

ately enough, in togas and sandals. A grape punch was served for refreshment, and mattresses were spread on the dining room floor for relaxation. Light was provided by a candle. The party was broken up at one time by a "duel" between two gladiators, but order was soon restored. Then, all the "patricians" went back to sipping their wine and enjoying the floor show given by dancing girls captured in the latest "African" cam-

Athletically, the Chapter got off to a poor start, but picked up considerably after the volleyball team drove into the quarter-finals of the intramural competition and the swimming team made the semi-finals. Casualties were high with Alpha Charley Hamilton suffering a broken collarbone in football, and John Williams sustaining a cut needing some

17 stitches.

Alpha-Chi Men Rank in AFROTC

GILBERT GASS, Alpha Ohio Wesleyan University

Alpha-Chi's newly elected officers are Gil Gass '57, Alpha, Rochester, N. Y.; Earl Spiller '56, Beta, Kenmore, N. Y.; John DeVoll '57, Gamma, also from Rochester; Dick Griebner '57, Delta, Lewiston, N. Y.; and Tom Berry '57 from Coshocton, Epsilon. The new administration has placed its emphasis on efficiency, strict enforcement of house rules, and more social activity.

The Chapter made an excellent record in intramural football this year. Alpha-Chi's team lost only one game all season. This loss was to XX, with a score of 7-6 on a Sig touchdown in the last minutes of play. The Chapter has pledged financial support to its last year's championship bowling team in hopes that this year will bring similar performances. Varsity sports have taken some fire out of Alpha-Chi's intramural strength, as several frosh and upperclassmen saw game competition this fall. Bill Gleasner '58 was on Wesleyan's Ohio Conference championship team, as was Sophomore Rex Kiser and Junior Dick Thomas. John Riddell '58 played JV football. The soccer team was supported by Freshmen Dick Rebillard and Dick Schmuck. Harvey Warren '58 was the team's manager. Winter sports find Bob Durigg '55, Dick Thomas '56, and Roger Baker '56 on the Varsity wrestling squad and Jim McNew '58 and Mal White '55 on the swimming team. White is cocaptain of the swimming team.

This year Chi Phi is well represented in the ROTC unit. As members of the AFROTC, working toward commissions as 2nd lieutenants in the Air Force, Sam Harvey '55 serves as Wing Commander of the entire detachment; Bob Durigg '55 directs supply for the organization; Tom Mills '55 is officer in charge of Personnel and Al Graulich '55 is a major in the Ohio Wesleyan unit. Alpha-Chi has the following membership in the

unit's prize-winning drill team: Roger Baker '56, Jack Cummings '57, Dave Swaile '57, Dan Albright '58, Dick Rebillard '58, John Riddell '58, and Dick Griebner '57.

Chi Phi will again sponsor the campus' only all-campus beauty contest for freshman girls. This contest is called the "Chi Phi Queen of Hearts Contest" and is sponsored in honor of the campus sorority pledge classes. This is the 5th consecutive year of the contest. In its very brief existence, the contest has seen the candidates who have been members of the Queen's Court and Queens themselves be chosen as queens by others in subsequent contests. Last year, Ray Anthony chose our 1953 "Queen of Hearts" as the Ohio Wesleyan Yearbook Queen from a field of 14 candidates. This contest is a glorious array of dinner engagements, parties, and a formal coro-nation ball. Trophies are annually awarded to the winners and runners-up.

This year's pledge class is headed by Dick Rebillard, Torrington, Conn. Other officers are Harvey Warren, High Point, N. C., secretary, and Bob Scheidemantel. Youngstown, treasurer. Other members are: Jim McNew and Dick Schmuck, Dearborn, Mich.; John Riddell, Ashtabula; Bill Dell, Clairton. Pa.; Tom Boyer, Deshler; Bob McCoy, Newburgh, N. Y.; Dan Albright, Wilson, N. Y.; Bill Gleasner, East Amherst, N. Y.; Ted Mercer, Barnesville; Ken Gallinger, Rochester, N. Y.; Bill Hanson, Minerva; Dan Hagan, West Lafayette; and Gordon McCormick, Zanesville.

Alpha-Chi has a new housemother this year, Mrs. Shremp. She has added a new and pleasant atmosphere to our social events and our everyday manners which we all appreciate.-Mal White.

Alpha Delta Needs Rush Help



WILLIAM K. ROBERTS Alpha

Pennsylvania State College

ALPHA DELTA has elected officers for the spring session. Bill Roberts returned to his post as Alpha and Jim Magee remained as Delta; Don Lowry was reëlected Zeta. New officers are: Armour Black, Beta; Jim Lessig, Gamma, and John Cooper, Epsilon.

At the present, the Chapter is very concerned with its rushing program. This concern is a result of having two Brothers, Joe Folcarelli and Bob Davis, expecting to graduate in February and four pledges are transferring to other colleges. However, in filling these vacancies, the Chapter has pledged four men

and plans are being completed for the pledging of an additional four by the beginning of the spring session. The pledges are: Howard Rowlands, Barry Thompson, Ernie Young, and Jack Fry. Always present in the rushing program is the problem of rushing freshman who will become eligible during the first week of February. In order to operate the house at full capacity, the Chapter must obtain 20 pledges from current freshmen. Any help from the Alumni will be greatly appreciated.

On the activities scene, Alpha Delta shows a larger representation than in previous years. While former Beta Bob Lewis, John Cooper, Armour Black, Dick Coolbaugh, Chuck Evans, and Howard Rowlands are lending their voices to the Penn State Male Glee Club, Jack Bevan and Mr. Black are developing for starting positions on Penn State's gymnastic squad-last year's national champions. Jim Lessig is a member of the

symphony orchestra.

The main projects completed during this Fall pledge training were the painting of the window frames and water spouts and the construction of eight

benches for the party room.

In early December, the Chapter was honored by a visit from our National Director, L. Z. Rosser. Brother Rosser delivered a short talk which was followed by a general discussion period. This visit and the merits achieved from it greatly benefited the Chapter.

Unless post-season guesses go astray, Brother Bob Allen should round out into one of the outstanding backs on Penn State's football squad next fall. Last year's XΦ grapplers finished second to $\Delta \Upsilon$ by a total of five points—103-98. Had not Bill Roberts been forced out of semi-final action with an injured leg, the Scarlet and Blue would have coasted to the interfraternity championship. Armour Black captured the 135-pound crown and Don Farmelo was runnerup for the 121-division.-Don Lowry.

Beta Delta Makes Fine Recovery

DARIL W. HAHN, Alpha University of Washington

BETA DELTA at the University of Washington is now on its way to bigger and better things. As you know, we have not been too active for a period of two years. However, just recently we have made much progress in reëstablishing our Chapter on the campus.

At the beginning of this school year, the Alumni Association leased a house at 5048 17th Ave. NE., Seattle 5, for the Active Chapter which at the time consisted of just three members. Only one member was able to move into the house. Since then (in December), one of our Alumni discovered that a veteran's organization had been formed at the University. In contacting them, he found a group of men who were very

interested in joining a living group on campus. We invited those who were interested to the chapter house and discussed Chi Phi with them. As a result, we pledged nine. In the first two days of the present quarter four more men have been pledged. Pledges are Robert Andrew Follis, Monroe; William J. B. Morelock, Retsil; John Arthur Hallock, Wallace: Raymond Patton Helling, Woodinville; Victor Wayne Ingalls, Everett; John Haskall Wolfe, Crockett; Stephen Harold Overstreet, Ilwaco; Wallace Samual Gonser, Frederick William Johnson, and Raymond Lewis Marik, Seattle; Ernest Floyd Hodges, and Joseph Perrine Mentor, Bremerton; and Harlan Delmer Olson, Pasco. The house we now occupy can comfortably accommodate 18. This number we feel will be reached within the next few weeks. We are, of course, making every effort to obtain town men, thus further building our pledge class.

Personally, I think we have been very fortunate in acquiring a group of men who belong to a veteran's organization and are already acquainted with each other, get along with each other, and share my interest in making a great success of this Chapter. We are now starting pledge training with the help of the more recently graduated Alumni. The only problem left is the general one of "cementing together" a sound fra-

ternal group.

In concluding, I would like to thank the Alumni Association for their wholehearted support, and, more specifically, Scotty Laue, president, and Lew Kelley, secretary-treasurer.—Daril W. Hahn.

Gamma Delta Thanks Mothers



EUGENE STROMMEN Alpha

University of Minnesota

Gamma Delta had a very successful Homecoming with approximately 100 Alumni and their wives present at the house after the game. The occasion was sparked by a coffee party given by our Mothers' Club. A large turnout of Alumni for the dance in the evening was an important factor in making a great party even greater.

We at Gamma Delta wish to extend our appreciation to our Mothers' Club for the many things they have done for us the past year. Mrs. Parsons, the president, has informed us that they have just about raised enough money to purchase a new living room rug.

The next few weeks will be devoted to rushing and Sno-week. We are eye-



Herb Nelson, right, Gamma Delta '22, is shaking hands with Theodore H. Rowell, Sr., Minnesota Homecoming King, at a coffee party at Gamma Delta's house after the game. Theodore H. Rowell, Jr., Gamma Delta, and Eugene Strommen, center, Alpha of Gamma Delta, are shown with the rest of the Howell family

ing the first place "button-sales" trophy again this year to put along side ours from 1954. Also in the competition is our lovely queen candidate who, we are confident, can be as fortunate as our last year's entry and win that spot for Chi Phi again this year.

Several of our Brothers have just left us to serve with the armed forces. We wish them the best of luck. Not to be overlooked is the BS awarded to Girard Vandercar for his fine work in Forestry Building Products Merchandising. His tour with the Army is also under way.—Orion Carlson.

Delta Delta Dons Black for Party

CHARLES WOODWARD, Alpha UCLA

No doubt there is some curiosity as to Delta Delta's officers so here they are: Alpha, Charles Woodward; Beta, Donald Roberts; Gamma, Leon Blakely; Delta, Homer Werts; Epsilon, Gerald Penner; Zeta, Robert McIver. We call our pledges Don Killen, Brice Kearsley, Roc Walley, and William Woodruff.

There are Brothers Turnblade, Frey, Hillblom, Atmore, and Morehead. They are pretty good fellows, too. but they aren't here any more. Brother Turnblade, within less than a month, got his naval commission, married Marge Williams, and headed for Pensacola. Brothers Frey and Hillblom both graduated. Al Atmore flew north to make his college residence at Lambda. Unable to

"Go-pher State" was the theme for Homecoming decorations at Minnesota when the team played Michigan State. Gamma Delta's big gopher attracted much attention







convince his draft board that he was really mentally unbalanced, Brother Morehead now patriotically serves his country. Brother Lucus returned from the wars and is studying in the UCLA music department.

We had a few parties-our annual Christmas party at Brother Burns' house, a New Year's party and a "Post Mor-tum." The "Post Mortum" found everyone wearing black, the theme being "Post Mortal." The Chapter also had great fun distributing Christmas tree ornaments to the campus sororities before Christmas. We will have completed formal rushing by the time this letter is published.—Don Roberts.

Epsilon Delta Features "Chakett"



DICK HIBBERT Alpha

Oregon State College

Epsilon Delta is placing the emphasis on rushing after having pledged one USC Chi Phis played Santa to underprivileged children of Los Angeles. That is John Trammel with Chi Omegas serving ice cream and cookies. Santa was John Ucovich. Eta Delta's float was built at night. Kickoff Queen is Valli Hoffman. Pi Phi, center, with her princesses—Carolyn Giddings, Kappa, left, and Mike Fox. Alpha Phi, right

man last term. We have already planned a tentative rushing schedule for this term. The new pledge is Jim Mustola, Rainier. Our annual pledge dinner dance was extremely successful this year. Our theme was "Chakett," and for decorations we used pledge paddles, mugs, and various fraternity articles. The main attraction in the decorations was a large "Chakett," made of crêpe paper, which covered one wall of our living room. We also had two exchange dinners in addition to a Sunday dinner for our married Brothers and their wives.

We competed in football and volleyball this year and our basketball team has already started practice for this coming term's games. Fred Rauch got into the finals in horsehoe pitching only to

lose out by a slim margin.

Homecoming gave us a chance to meet many of our Alumni again. Tony Hanna received his induction papers.

Our Mothers' Club gave us \$40 toward the purchase of a badly needed vacuum cleaner.-RON TRAVER.

Eta Delta Leads in IFC Project

DICK WHITESELL, Alpha University of Southern California

In conjunction with the Homecoming activities after the SC-Washington football game, Eta Delta built a float with the theme of "SC's Diamond Jubilee Year," which denotes 75 years of progress. Many hours were spent on it by the men, working at night and in-between classes, in preparing it for the parade which this year was on campus and televised. Despite the rain and other mishaps, the float was finished in time for the parade. The float was drawn by an El Dorado bearing Chi Phi's Kickoff



Walt Doucett is the past Alpha of Delta Delta Chapter at UCLA

queen and princesses elected at the Watermelon Dig earlier in the semester. The float itself was 28 feet long, 8 feet wide, and 15 feet high. The bed of it was a white diploma supporting a black mortar board. The back-drop was a gold block SC and a sunburst. The pledges also had a non-float entry in the parade, composed of a hearse with a dead Husky accompanied by the sign "Bury the Huskies."

As one of the other projects of the semester, members, headed by Chairman Dick Saydah, rounded up books and photograph records which were donated to the Veterans' Recreation Hall at Sawtelle Hospital. Over 2,000 books and records were collected. The project met with such success that the Chapter has decided to make it an annual project.

Children from the Los Angeles Boys' Variety Club were entertained at a Christmas party at the house as one of the Chapter's semester activities. Chi Omega helped the men amuse the 65 youngsters. After cookies, milk, and ice cream were served, Walt Disney car-toons were shown. To climax the event John Ucovich, as Santa Claus, passed out presents to the boys. Some of them who received rubber-band-powered rocket ships busied themselves with these new toys while others were given rides in the new Chevy Corvette belonging to Chuck Owen.

The most recent undertaking of the fraternities on the Row is Help Week of which a Chi Phi, Al Crawford, is chair-The purpose of this IFC sponsored activity is to aid some institution by remodeling or building needed facilities. In combining the pledge classes of the various fraternities, the Help Week Committee hopes to aid the Hathaway Home, this year's project, in this way and also to achieve a closer cooperation between the fraternities.—DICK SAYDAH.

Theta Delta Is 20 Years Old

BILL SHARPE, Alpha University of Florida

THE fall semester was a busy one for Theta Delta, but we are now seeing the fruits of our labor. The house we bought and remodeled during the semester required many work hours from us, but, except for the addition of some new furnishings, it is now complete.

In October we welcomed five new Brothers: Terry Rogers, John Yocum, Bob de Guenther, Ted Roux, and Irwin Lynch. The first semester pledge class now consists of Al Warrington, Rudy Diederich, Skip Pratt, Angel Oliva, John La Barbera, John Plastic, Nick von Forstmeyer, Carl Domico, Jim Riegel, Al Winburn, and Chris Kneedler. Preparations are being made now for second semester rush week, Feb. 4-6.

On the political scene we are represented by Rex Clark who is serving as chief justice of the Tribunal of IFC and also as commissioner of Student Welfare on the president's cabinet. Coram Lamb is the sophomore member of the Honor Court.

Officers elected for the second semester include: Alpha, Bill Sharpe; Beta, Rex Clark; Gamma, Ted Roux; Delta, Chuck Grosjean; Epsilon, Norman Ladrie; Zeta, Allan Entz. Irwin Lynch was elected dining room manager and John Yocum, house manager. The pledge class is under Coram Lamb, pledge dictator, and Bob Cox, pledge master.

In December we gave a Christmas party for underprivileged children. The local chapter of EK served with us as hostesses. During the same week we had

a stag Christmas party.

The big event of the second semester is to be Theta Delta's 20th anniversary celebration. We received our charter Feb. 16, 1935, and have scheduled the anniversary the weekend of Feb. 18 and 19, which is closest to our birthday. Functions planned for the weekend include a costume party, an Alumni meetting, and a formal dinner and dance. We would like to extend a special invitation to all the other Chi Phis in the neighborhood to stop in and see our new house.—Allan Entz.

Marriages

ALPHA

Robert G. Heard, Jr., '41 to Mimi Knowlton on Oct. 25 at Atlanta, Ga.

GAMMA

George Reese Cleghorn '50 to Gwendolyn Michael on Dec. 28 at Booneville, Miss. Edwin Ames Gilliam '23 to Julia Christine Smith on Oct. 16 in Glen Memorial Chapel,

Atlanta, Ga.

ETA

Robert A. Nicholes '49 to Patti Ann Puryear on Aug. 26 in Westminster Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tenn.

THETA

Glenn M. Hall '50 to Sara L. Freedly on May 29 at Benton, Pa.

Allen W. Reynolds '53 to Susan A. Mehnert on Sept. 11 in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

William L. Brakefield, Jr. '49 to Elizabeth Wilson on July 21 in Anniston, Ala.

Ralph Zinn Fortney '52 to Sue Ann Henkelman on Nov. 27.

OMEGA

Hix Green, Jr. '52 to Beverly Jean Goff on Dec. 21 in St. Agnes Catholic Church, Phoenix, Ariz.

EPSILON DELTA

Jim Mead '50 to Mary Elizabeth Rink on Dec. 31 at the University Unitarian Church, Seattle, Wash.

DELTA DELTA

Earl Lamar Watson '54 to Janet Ann Thompson on Dec. 29 at Van Nuys, Cal. Richard Charles Turnblade '54 to Margaret Louise Williams on Jan. 29, in North Long Beach, Cal.

BETA DELTA

Ross Compton '48 to Joan Sterling Mathews

Chapter Eternal

OLIVER PATTON ECHOLS '15, chairman of the Board, Northrop Aircraft, Inc., Hawthorne, Cal., died May 15, 1954. Retired, Major General, USA. Born Mar. 4, 1891, Charlottesville, Va. Initiated Oct. 10, 1910.

LESLIE DANA '94, stove manufacturer, died Jan. 3, 1955, at the age of 78. Born Apr. 16, 1873, St. Louis, Mo. Initiated Nov. 21, 1890. Charter Member.

GAMMA

THOMAS HARRIS THOMSON '95, retired Methodist minister, died Nov. 30, 1954, at the age of 78. Mr. Thomson retired from the ministry in 1949 after he had served at the Reidsville Methodist Church for nine years. He entered the Methodist ministry in 1895 at the age of 19 and served the church for 54 years before his retirement. His length of service is the longest in the history South Georgia Conference of the Methodist Church of which he was a member. He served as secretary or assistant secretary of the conference for 52 years. He served as paster of churches in Eden, Millen, Macon, Columbus, Moultrie, Bainbridge, Tifton, Fort Valley, Eastman, Albany, Darien, Brunswick, Tennille, Hawkinsville, Dawson, and Reidsville. He al-so served as presiding elder of the Americus district. He was a graduate of Emory College at Oxford in 1895 and received his early education in private schools at Savannah. Born June 26, 1876, Savannah, Ga. Initiated Born June 26, 1876, Savannah, Ga. Initiated Oct. 4, 1890. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fannie P. Thomson, Reidsville; two daughters, Mrs. Eunice Thomson, New York City, and Mrs. Harrell S. Nicholson, Eastman; a son, Dr. James L. Thomson, Darien; a sister, Mrs. Earle L. Dasher, Savannah; two brothers, Captain Edward G. Thomson, Savannah, and Meldrim Thomson, Miami; two grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

DELTA

ALAN GRAEME ROBERTSON '22, formerly with New Jersey Turnpike Authority, died Dec. 21, 1954. He was killed by an automobile on New Jersey Highway 3 at Secaucus. He had made innumerable friends while at New Jersey Turnpike Authority, and was held in the greatest esteem for his high ideals and splendid character. Born Sept. 17, 1898, Newark, N. J. Initiated Sept. 27, 1918.

EPSILON

WILLIAM MYNN THORNTON, JR., '04, chemist, died September, 1953, no date given. Born Feb. 7, 1884, Charlottesville, Va. Initiated Sept. 20, 1900. Affiliated with Alpha, ated Sept. 20, Sept. 24, 1904.

FREDERICK STUART VALENTINE. price of the president and treasurer, Valentine Co., Inc., Richmond, Va., died Aug. 16, 1954. Born Oct. 20, 1889, Richmond, Va. Initiated Sept. 19, 1909. Affiliated with Alpha, 1911.

ETA

JOHN MARSHALL SLATON '86, former governor of Georgia, distinguished legal and political figure, died Jan. 11, 1955, in an Atlanta hospital, at the age of 88. Born Dec. 25, 1866, Meriwether County, Ga. Initiated Oct. 8, 1883. Surviving are one sister, Martha Lee Slaton; one nephew and namesake, John M. Slaton, Jr., Atlanta; four nieces, Mrs. Charles R. Andrews and Mrs. Edward G. Hitt, Atlanta; Mrs. William T. Stockson, Jacksonville, and Mrs. Frank Getman, Elmhurst, L. I., N. Y.; and many great-nieces and nephews.

THETA

WILLIS HULING HEILMAN '26, insurance, died May 25, 1954. Born Apr. 10, 1903, Kittanning, Pa. Initiated Oct. 13, 1922. He is survived by his wife and one daughter.

KAPPA

FREDERICK TREBEIN FLYNN '18, marketing specialist, killed in an automobile accident June, 1954, no date given. Born

Sept. 6, 1896, Xenia, Ohio. Initiated Mar. 11, 1916. Charter Member. Affiliated with Iota, Feb. 12, 1919. Chi Phi relative: E. A. Flynn, Chi '31.

CHARLES REIGHLEY DETRICK '90. state official, died January, 1955, no date given. Born Oct. 20, 1868, San Francisco, Cal. Initiated Oct. 15, 1886.

SIDNEY ERCEL KING '20, science teacher, died Nov. 11, 1954, after an illness of several months. He had taught in Houston Public Schools for 35 years. Before he began teaching, he worked for a time at a Port Arthur refinery. He was born at Lockesburg, Ark., Mar. 18, 1898. Initiated Dec. 13, 1919. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. A. T. King of Houston; a sister, Mrs. Pat Ray of Ada, Okla., and a brother, Lloyd A. King of San Diego, Cal.

GEORGE PINCKNEY WALKER GEORGE PINCKNEY WALKER '04, prominent Kerr County ranchman of Center Point community, died Nov. 3, 1954, after a long illness, at the age of 70. Mr. Walker was a progressive leader in the ranching industry, soil conservation, and in civic activities. Born Dec. 19, 1882, Galveston, Texas. Initiated Oct. 9, 1902. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Charlotte Walker of Center Point; a sister; two sons, George P. Walker of Center Point and Brig. Gen. Edwin A. Walker of Ft. Bragg, N. C.; and three grandchildren.

HOWARD WALLING WELLS '39, Wells K. Co., Edna, Texas, died Aug. 12, 1954. Born June 17, 1917, Vanderbilt, Texas. Initiated Feb. 15, 1936. Chi Phi relatives: H. W. Wells, Nu '11, father, and brother, F. N. Wells, Nu '41.

RENSSELAER WARDWELL BARTRAM RENSSELAER WARDWELL BARTRAM '95, chairman of the Board, Bartram Brothers Corp., New York City, deceased, no date given. Born May 20, 1874, Newark, N. J. Initiated Oct. 20, 1892.

GEORGE LISTER CARLISLE, JR. '00, mining, died Dec. 22, 1954, at Norfolk, Conn. Born Sept. 14, 1877, Brooklyn, N. Y. Initiated Nov. 11, 1897.

THOMAS FREDERICK CHADWICK '94, president, Newburgh Bleachery, Newburgh, N. Y., died May 13, 1954. Born Nov. 11, 1872, Rutherford, N. J. Initiated Sept. 28, 1891.

HAROLD ROBERT EVERY '92, city officer, died Apr. 23, 1953, in Athens, N. Y., from a cerebral hemorrhage. Born Sept. 2, 1869, Athens, N. Y. Initiated Oct. 17, 1889. CHARLES NEWMAN TRAVER '89, gen-

eral insurance, died Oct. 15, 1954. President of C. N. Traver, Inc., Hudson, N. Y. Born Apr. 1868, Hudson, N. Y. Initiated Apr. 22,

WILLIAM GORDON WOOLFOLK '99, chairman, American Natural Gas Service Co., Detroit, Mich., died Apr. 20, 1954. Born Aug. 16, 1877, Columbus, Ga. Initiated Feb. 18,

ROBERT SIDNEY DUBOIS '20, buyer, died Sept. 7, 1954. Born Nov. 26, 1896, New York, N. Y. Initiated Dec. 17, 1916. RICHARD BENNETT LLOYD '16, died

Apr. 13, 1954. Born Feb. 28, 1893, Ft. Sheridan, Ill. Initiated Oct. 21, 1912.

CHARLES RITTER MICHAEL '98, journalist, died June 19, 1954. Born Apr. 20, 1876, Muncy, Pa. Initiated Sept. 15, 1894.

SIGMA

GEORGE FREEMAN SENNEFF '15. superintendent of schools, Moline, Ill., died Dec. 23, 1954. Born Jan. 7, 1891, Fair Haven, Ill. Initiated May 17, 1912.

TAU

GEORGE OWEN SHEFFIELD '25, secretary of the Life Insurance Co. of Georgia, died Oct. 19, 1954, of a heart attack. Mr. Sheffield was an enthusiastic huntsman and a collector of fine guns and fine hunting dogs. He was a charter member and first secretary

of the Buckhead Lions Club, a member of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, a 32nd-degree Mason, a member of the Yaarab Temple of the Shrine, member of the Capital City Club, the Piedmont Driving Club, and the Second-Ponce de Leon Baptist Church. He was born May 18, 1901, Dallas, Ga. Initiated Feb. 19, 1921. Surviving are his wife, formerly Fay Hammond, Kosciusko, Miss.; a daughter, Mrs. Barrett Howell; a brother, I. M. Sheffield, Jr., and a sister, Mrs. Alfred E. Thompson.

COLGATE CRAIG '22, died May 13, 1954. Born Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 18, 1899. Initiated Sept. 26, 1918.

WILLIAM CARY CRAM, JR. '04, leader in civic affairs in Atlanta and well-known en-gineer, died Nov. 29, 1954, in Orlando, Fla., after an illness of several months. He was 73. He was a member of Peachtree Road Presby terian Church, the American Society of Civil Engineers, and the Atlanta Chapter of the National Society of Professional Engineers. He is survived by his wife; three sons, all members of Chi Phi, William C. Cram, III, Robert Cram, and Jack Cram; and two grandchildren. Born in Raleigh, N. C., in 1881. Initiated Sept. 27, 1900.

OMEGA

CLYDE ARZROE TRUITT, JR. '53, formerly with Sewell Manufacturing Co., Bremen, Ga., died Nov. 9, 1954, of leukemia, at the age of 22. Born June 10, 1932, Temple, Ga. Initiated Apr. 16, 1950. Survived by his wife, the former Betty Joe Carroll; parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Truitt, Sr., Temple, Ga.; grandmother, Mrs. O. D. Parrish, Temple, and several aunts and uncles. several aunts and uncles.

ALPHA DELTA

ROBERT BROWN WEINMAN '16, sales, Koppers Co. Inc., Pittsburgh, Pa., died Nov. 27, 1954. Born Jan. 29, 1894, Monaca, Pa. Initiated Oct. 26, 1924, under dispensation.

Alpha-Chi News

Winston H. Kirk, 997 Kenmore Blvd., Akron 14, Ohio, says: "Practicing dentistry in Akron. Presidentelect of Akron Dental Society. Have no contact with Chi Phi in this area except for my brother and Ryan Simpson."

Homer A. Yates, 2 Oak Lodge Circle, South Norwalk, Conn., says, "I have two grown boys, H. A., Jr., and Bill, both married, and one grandson, aged 2. Live in South Norwalk, Conn., and commute to New York daily-am assistant to the president of Allied Control Co., an electronics outfit. I'm in charge of our sales organization and coördinating our sales, engineering, and production departments.'

More News with \$5

"One day of rain and the whole country saw it on TV. I thoroughly enjoy reading The Chakett, especially the Epsilon Delta Chapter reports. With Douglas Aircraft Co., Inc., at Long Beach, Cal."—RAYMOND L. WILDER, EA

"Good Luck in the New Year."-George E. Magee, Jr., HΔ '53.

"Separated from Air Force in January, '55. Returning to insurance and real estate agency (Morris Bros.) in New Brunswick, N. J."—Robert H. Morris,

"I am at present on active duty with USA, 351st Com. Recon. Comp., APO-264, c/o P.M., San Francisco."-Frank R. DEBRUHN, X '55.

"I am retired. I still enjoy receiving THE CHAKETT. My check for \$5.00 enclosed."—John W. Johnson, Δ '17.

"Happy New Year!"-JACK PARKER, BΔ '32.

"I enjoy The Chakett immensely."-GORDON M. SCHWEGLER, EA '32.

"My new next-door neighbor turns out to be a Beta '26, and his son was pledged at Beta this fall, Small world, but now both of us are assured of good neighbors. Also lunch frequently with L. H. Kin, B '09, who lives at Rowayton. Had a surprise and delightful visit on Christmas from D. P. Gaillard, B '11. Wives of all of above are charming!"-Donald H. DEUSEN, B '13.

"Although I have been away from college for a long time, I still enjoy THE CHAKETT and keeping up with Chi Phis through our publication."-JAMES W. Bell, ΕΔ '42.

"It was swell looking up Brothers on a recent vacation to the West Coast. Hope that some will at least drop in to say 'hello' on their vacations east."-PETER H. WHITNEY, EA '49.

(Ed. note: Whitney is an engineer with General Electric Co., in Erie, Pa.)

"Out of the service in July, 1954, and now chemical engineer with Electric Auto Lite Co., in Atlanta, Ga. Surely enjoy that CHAKETT. Best wishes to the Brothers of Theta Delta especially."-JACK M. Spurlock, $\Theta \Delta$ '52.

"My particularly good wishes to that grand Chi Phi, Brother John Oliver."-THOMAS W. MOORE, Γ '00.

"Glad to help in a small way at least." —John C. Evans, I '26.

"Good Luck to Chi Phi in '55. May she always stay at the top."—ROBERT D. CAMPBELL, Z '53.

"Old and grandfatherish (three granddaughters). Nice to receive THE CHA-KETT, so keep it coming! Hope you get many, many Alumni Dues!"—WILLIAM C. FAHEY, N '12.

"Glad to contribute again this year."-ROBERT W. JACKSON, X '49.

"Am practically retired, but glad to help."—Roy Brenholts, I '07.

"Am still in the Navy and have just been accepted in Submarine School at New London, Conn., where I will be for the next six months. Some day I hope to again be a little closer to the workings of Chi Phi than I am now. 'Til then, keep up the good work."--CHUCK MANN, Mu '51, $\Delta\Delta$ '52.

"I am now living at 830 S. 77th St., West Allis 14, Wis., and am working as a student engineer at the Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co."—John S. Ferguson, EΔ '54.

"Chakett for December is very good - Keep 'em coming." - Tномая Н. MILLER, I '54.

Chi Phi Club Officers

Chi Phi of Alabama

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Meetings: Luncheon every Monday at the Real Estate Board Dining Room, 105 W. Madison St. All Chi Phis invited.

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Chi Phi Club of Cleveland, Ohio

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Chartered August 31, 1938

Re-organized February 16, 1949

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Chi Phi Club of Elizabeth, New Jersey Inactive

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Secretary: Walter A. Ford, N '49, 2238 Richmond, Houston, Texas

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Chartered June 6, 1924 resident: Allan B. Wallace, Jr., Z '41, R.F.D. 1, Box 158, Atlantic Highlands, N. J. President:

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Chi Phi Club of Northeast Georgia

Chartered January 18, 1936 President: Robert L. McWhorter, Sr., H '14 294 W. Springdale St., Athens, Ga. Secretary-Treasurer: Morgan R. Redwine, Jr., O '47, Mathis Apts. D-1, Athens, Ga.

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Chartered February 29, 1940 President: Earl Frederiksen, AOX '29, Utilities Bldg., Harney at 18th, Omaha 2, Nebr. Secretary-Treasurer: D. Gerald Hayek, AOX '32, 568 South 33rd St., Apt. 8, Omaha, Nebr.

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Baltic Circle, Tampa 6, Fla.

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Chi Phi Club of Washington, D. C. Chartered January 9, 1954

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Chartered March 8, 1940

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\$5 and A-X News

Russ Guin, Grand Gamma, has been working on members of Alpha-Chi Chapter, his own group, to pay their Alumni Dues. He has mimeographed a collection of remarks and news sent with the Dues. Alpha-Chi Alumni have read portions reprinted here, but other readers have not had the privilege:

William H. Harr, '30, 41-50 78th St., Elmhurst 73, N. Y.: "I have been sending in my Chi Phi Alumni Dues for over five years and intend to keep on doing so in the future. I couldn't agree with you more than we should all do it. Am very much out of touch with all other Alpha-Chi members and would welcome news. No one can repay you for your valuable time, but perhaps the enclosed can help out on some paper and ink. I have been with Lever Brothers for the past five years as budget manager and now marketing service manager located in our famous glass tower at 390 Park Ave., New York City."

Howard Swink, 614 Summit Rd., Marion, Ohio, writes: "Howard Swink Advertising Agency now employs 34 people consisting of account executives, copywriters, artists, etc. We are serving 22 national advertisers in the Central Ohio area, placing space and time in all media. Martha Dietrich '25 and I have lived in Marion since our marriage in 1925 and naturally since Delaware is only 20 miles away, we get down often."

Jay S. McDevitt writes from Mount Vernon, Ohio, "Position of Common Pleas Judge has its ups and downs. In addition to my own work, I have been helping out in Delaware County since their judge has suffered serious injury in an automobile accident. While over there I frequently see Rus Kissner and Wed Lilly once in a while. My son Bob (also Alpha-Chi) is at Fort Knox in the Army."

Richard Taylor '54 writes from Hamburg, N. Y.: "Here's my Dues. After all I've got out of the Fraternity it even flatters me to think I'll help someone else along by keeping Chi Phi solid. I'm attending the University of Buffalo Medical School."

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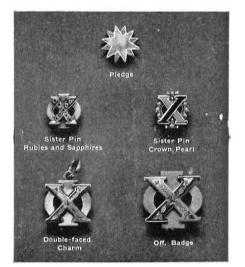
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