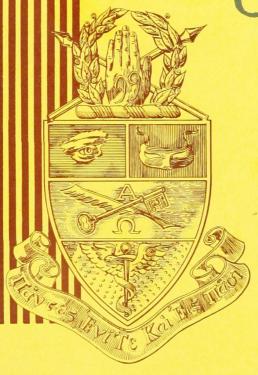
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From the Desk of the Grand Regent

Louis Fischer

PLEA FOR BROTHERHOOD



Henry Ford once said "Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is progress, working together is success." This precept, be it in organized business or fraternalism is the same—its application depends upon the forward progress of the individual the while he works toward the success of the unified whole.

Success in fraternalism as well as business involves the retention of the old just as long as it is good and change to the new just as soon as it is better.

To obtain greater proficiency in our brotherhood, a man must be capable of sustained effort and ever alert to his weaknesses and his prejudices. The challenge that stems from overcoming an intellectual hurdle of prejudice strengthens one's moral fiber—since most of us prefer

to heed that which confirms our opinions rather than that which demolishes it.

You who have accepted membership in Kappa Psi have known the first part of the quotation "Coming together is a beginning," secondly "keeping together is progress" involves loyalties to one's fraternity not only in the scholastic years but on into graduate membership in Kappa Psi. The third and last part of the quotation is applicable today, tomorrow, and always—"working together is progress." Therefore let us resolve:

To strengthen our faith in God and in our fellowman.

To cherish our citizenship by acceptance of some civic responsibility.

To improve our status in the field of pharmacy.

To respect our membership in Kappa Psi.

CONGRATULATIONS—CLASS OF 1957

This is the season of the year when graduation exercises brings happiness to the minds and hearts of several hundred Kappa Psi Brothers. In behalf of Kappa Psi Brothers everywhere, we wish to send all who have just received the B.S. degree our sincere congratulations on this achievement, and best wishes for a happy and successful career.

I trust that your membership in Kappa Psi has been enjoyable and has played an important role in your professional development. In the days that lie ahead, may you share your accomplishments and achievements, that developed as a result of your school and fraternal associations, with those who may select the same professional pathway.

TWENTY-NINTH NATIONAL GRAND COUNCIL CONVENTION

Kappa Psi will hold its Twenty-ninth National Convention in the Congress Hotel, St. Louis, December 28, 29, 30, 1957. This is an occasion when the accomplishments of the various chapters during the past two years are reviewed and plans for the future are formulated. The host chapter, Gamma Pi, is expecting a 100 percent representation from Collegiate and Graduate Chapters. Let us begin to plan now to meet this goal, as it offers an opportunity to meet new friends and enjoy the fellowship of our Fraternity.

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF MU CHAPTER

Mu Chapter celebrated its fiftieth anniversary on April 6, 1957. Brothers of Mu Chapter, both Collegiate and Graduate, you are to be congratulated on this occasion for the many fine accomplishments of your Chapter and for the abounding fraternal spirit of your members.

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What Is a Fraternity?*

W. Hubert Beal of Delta Kappa Epsilon, in a letter to parents of new members of that fraternity defines a college fraternity in admirable fashion. Here is the definition:

"A college fraternity is not just a rooming house, a boarding club or a convenient social hangout. If it is not much more than these things it has no reason for being. A fraternity is an experience for a young man of high character; an experience almost spiritual. It offers the opportunity to learn and exercise responsibility. It offers the pride that lies in group achievement. It offers the warm friendships that last a lifetime. The fraternity is the young man's home away from home. Its comradeship picks him up when he is down and cuts him down to size when he grows a little to big for his hat. The fraternity, by its very ideals expressed in ritual and the bond of brotherhood, teaches honesty, courage, sympathy for the rights of others; all the qualities that you and I as parents want the young man to learn. The fraternity, in short, builds gentlemen."

Fraternity Material**

By close observation and thought on the subject we think we have discovered just what makes a student "fraternity material." It is his ability to contribute something to the chapter. Of course fraternities are often fooled in judging rushees. But they are always sincere in thinking that a member is going to be an asset to them, as a scholar, a mixer, a promoter of college activities or an influence for good inside the chapter. Then also, every chapter has certain social obligations, just as every family has. There must be somebody in the chapter who is willing to "lend his fair presence" at the functions where it is absolutely necessary for the fraternity to be represented. There are, many times, fewer persons like this in the chapter than one would imagine. This is an age, too, where personality counts for a great deal in the fraternity as well as in the outside world.

So we might almost say that the word *service* is the open sesame to membership in a fraternity. If you have anything that the fraternity wants, the fraternity wants you. And the things that the fraternity wants are, after all, pretty practical things.

- * From Interfraternity Research and Advisory Council, November 12, 1956.
- ** From an editorial in Banta's Greek Exchange for September, 1914.



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THE 1957 NATIONAL GRAND COUNCIL CONVENTION OF KAPPA PSI FRATERNITY WILL BE HELD AT THE CONGRESS HOTEL IN ST. LOUIS, DECEMBER 28, 29. AND 30. 1957

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

THE TWENTY-NINTH GRAND COUNCIL CONVENTION Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity

St. Louis, Missouri

December 28, 29 and 30, 1957

| | | | SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1957 |
|-------|--------------------|------|---|
| 8:30 | а.м. — 5:00 | P.M. | Registration CONGRESS HOTEL, Main Lobby |
| 9:00 | А.М12:00 | M. | Joint Meeting of Alpha Chapter and the National Executive Committee. |
| 10:00 | а.м12:00 | М. | Proposed Sight Seeing Trip in St. Louis |
| 2:00 | Р.М 4:00 | P.M. | First General Session |
| 5:30 | Р.М 6:30 | P.M. | Grand Officers Reception |
| 6:30 | Р.М 7:45 | P.M. | Buffet Supper |
| 8:00 | P.M. | | Meeting of Credentials Committee |
| | P.M. | | Meeting of Legislative Committee |
| 8:00 | Р.М10:00 | P.M. | This program will be devoted to the presentation of papers on timely fraternity |

subjects by members of various Collegiate Chapters. Discussions will follow each paper and a general discussion period will complete this program.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1957

10:30 A.M.-12:00 M. 1:30 P.M.- 5:00 P.M.

Symposium on "Fraternity Life" Third General Session Election of Officers

7:00 р.м.

Election of Officers Anniversary Dinner

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1957

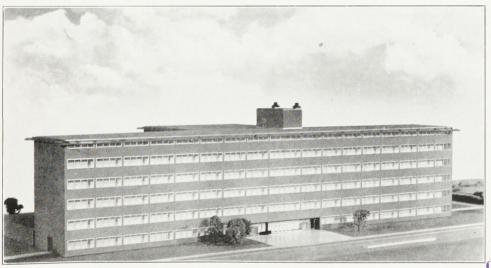
9:00 а.м.-12:30 р.м.

Fourth General Session Installation of Officers

2:00 P.M.- 3:30 P.M. Executive Committee Meeting



UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY COLLEGE OF PHARMACY—LOUISVILLE, KY. The institutional location of Upsilon Chapter. Chapter chartered in 1909.



UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY—CHICAGO, ILL. The institutional location of 1910.

THE GRAND SECRETARY-TREASURER HAS THIS TO SAY

ABOUT THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF MU CHAPTER

Almost two hundred Brothers of Mu Chapter celebrated the FIFTIETH anniversary of the founding of the chapter in Boston on the evening of April 6, 1957, in what was certainly one of the finest chapter celebrations in the history of Kappa Psi Fraternity. It was a thrilling experience to meet Brothers Sidney O. Barnstead, John J. Murphy, Daniel Reidy, Jr., and Chester E. Tracey, four of the living Charter Members, and enjoy hearing the experiences of their early Kappa Psi days and the early history of Mu Chapter. A detailed account of the complete celebration appears on page 68 of this issue of The Mask and for this reason I will be brief and say congratulations to Mu Chapter and all of its members for a celebration which was just about as perfect as it could be. We hope that your outstanding professional and fraternal contributions are as great in the next fifty years as they have been in the half century just completed.

ABOUT OUR FINE INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP

A number of chapters have exceeded their membership of last year and prospects for one of our best years appear to be good. We compliment the following chapters for fine membership records during the 1956-57 fraternity year: Theta Chapter, Mu Chapter, Upsilon Chapter, Omega Chapter, Beta Zeta Chapter, Beta Kappa Chapter, Beta Xi Chapter, Gamma Delta Chapter, Gamma Epsilon Chapter, Gamma Zeta Chapter and Gamma Phi Chapter. All of the above have greater memberships than that of a year ago and there are several other chapters which should exceed the 1955-56 membership records.

"NEWS LETTERS" OF TWELVE COLLEGIATE CHAPTERS MISSING FROM THIS ISSUE

It is unfortunate that this issue of The Mask does not contain a "News Letter" from the following twelve Collegiate Chapters. This is a plea to the Historian of these Chapters that a letter be sent in to the Editor of The Mask by the deadline date of June 10 in order that a report of their Chapter be in the July-September issue.

| Iota | Beta Pi | Gamma Tau |
|------------|--------------|---------------|
| Rho | Beta Upsilon | Gamma Upsilon |
| Beta Zeta | Beta Phi | Gamma Omega |
| Beta Kappa | Gamma Zeta | Mu Omicron Pi |

CHANGES OF ADDRESS

A change of address without notifying the Central Office causes an automatic removal of your name from the mailing list.

Include your old as well as your new address plus your collegiate chapter affiliation when notifying the Central Office.

From the Desk of the Grand Regent

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PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

A new committee designated as "Public Relations Committee" has been formulated with Brother Louis D. King, Rutgers University, as Chairman. Other members are Earl T. Brown, University of North Carolina, John W. Martin, Butler University, and Paul Scott, Washington State College. The initial duties are to study and make suggestions for good fraternal relations, to encourage constructive school and community projects, and to see that beneficial publicity is derived from noteworthy achievements. Other duties are being formulated and the committee will enlarge its activities as soon as feasible.

PROVINCE ASSEMBLIES

These assemblies were designed to bring together small nuclei of our Fraternity located within an appropriate vicinity for the purpose of discussing fraternal matters of mutual benefit. At the last Grand Council Convention (December, 1955) a reorganization was instituted whereby ten provinces were created in place of seven.

The success of these assemblies is due to the sincere interest and work of a large number of brothers. All of you, who have had a part in making these assemblies constructive as well as enjoyable have our appreciation.

As of this date (April 5) all Provinces, except one, have either assembled or a date has been set. No word has been received regarding a scheduled assembly date for Province VI.

As a reminder, according to our Constitution there shall be at least one Province Assembly between meetings of the Grand Council. There is still time for the remaining Province to meet before December, 1957. If you haven't already done so—let's make plans now!

A WELCOME TO GAMMA THETA CHAPTER

In behalf of Kappa Psi men everywhere we extend congratulations and a hearty welcome to a new chapter, Gamma Theta, at the University of Kansas City. The awarding of the charter and formal installation which was held on May 17, 1957, brought the total number of active chapters to forty-nine.

It is the wish of all Kappa Psi Chapters that the members of Gamma Theta will be active leaders in the professional and athletic activities at their school, and worthy contributors to constructive community projects.

Alpha Chapter expresses its appreciation to Brother William J. Rost for his interest and efforts in establishing our Fraternity at the University of Kansas City.

LEST WE FORGET

This is a last reminder, Chapter Secretaries, to submit the questionnaire mailed on April 15, 1957. If you have not already taken care of this matter, please do so immediately. Otherwise, the report of your activities and accomplishments will not appear in mimeograph form with those of other chapters at the next Grand Council Convention.

SEE YOU AT THE GRAND COUNCIL CONVENTION—
CONGRESS HOTEL, ST. LOUIS—DECEMBER 28, 29 & 30, 1957

Province II Assembly, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 7, 1957

Richard Suscha, Historian

A Province II Assembly was held at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy & Science on Sunday, April 7, 1957, with Eta Chapter as the host. Representatives of Collegiate Chapters Gamma, Omega, Beta Kappa, and Beta Omega were in attendance as were representatives of New York, New Jersey, and Philadelphia Graduate Chapters. A total of 52 brothers were in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by Brother Jim Leedy, Satrap of Province II, followed by the invocation delivered by Ed Pawling, Eta. Regent, John Hinkle, Jr., of the host chapter welcomed the delegates on behalf of Eta Chapter.

Reports were then heard from the secretary, Louis King and treasurer, Michael Iannarone, both of New Jersey Graduate Chapter.

Discussions were then presented on the ideal pledge program; personal conduct by members of Kappa Psi Fraternity on and off campus; and the most effective rushing program for our Fraternity.

The following committees were appointed: Resolutions—Pierre Smith, chairman; and Nominations—Paul Meer, chairman. Representatives from each chapter were members of the committees.

Brother Pierre Smith then read a letter of greeting from Grand Secretary-Treasurer Eby.

The afternoon session convened at 3:00 P.M., after a delicious meal at the Penn-Sherwood Hotel, with an inspiring and interesting address by Walter R. Williams, Grand (Continued on page 64)



NATIONAL PUBLIC RELATIONS CHAIRMAN LOUIS D. KING. Discussing future plans in an address at the Province II Assembly.

AT THE PROVINCE II ASSEMBLY Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 7, 1957



HEAD TABLE—LUNCHEON. Preceding the afternoon session at the Penn-Sherwood Hotel.

AN ADDRESS. Grand Historian Williams addresses the Assembly.



GROUP OF BROTHERS. Some of members at luncheon.

GROUP OF BROTHERS. One of the many tables of members at luncheon.

Robert Blackwell Smith, Jr., Inaugurated as the Fourth President of The Medical College of Virginia in Richmond



Chief Justice Edward W. Hudgins of the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals administers the oath of office.

Robert Blackwell Smith, Jr. (Kappa Psi), was inaugurated as the fourth president of the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, with colorful ceremonies on December 17, 1956. Almost 200 colleges, universities, professional and educational associations, and foundations sent official delegates to the ceremonies, with a total attendance of almost 1,000.

Dr. Joseph Clarke Robert, president of Hampden-Sydney College, gave the inaugural address. This was particularly fitting as the Medical College of Virginia was founded in 1838 as the Medical Department of Hampden-Sydney College and continued as a branch of that College until 1854; from 1854 to 1860 the Medical College of Virginia was an independent institution; it was made a State institution in 1860.

Greetings were extended during the inaugural ceremonies from the alumni association; from the students; from the faculty; from the Virginia institutions of higher learning by former governor Colgate W. Darden, Jr., now president of the University of Virginia; and from the Commonwealth of Virginia by Governor Thomas B. Stanley.

Brother Smith is a graduate of MCV's school of pharmacy. He received his master's degree from the University of Florida in 1938 and his doctorate from the University of Chicago in 1941. He was dean of MCV's school of pharmacy from 1947 to 1954. He was made assistant president in 1954 and full-time president on January 1, 1956.

Warren E. Weaver, New Dean of Pharmacy at The Medical College of Virginia, Is Elected to Honorary Membership

Dr. Warren E. Weaver, dean of the school of pharmacy at the Medical College of Virginia, was elected to Honorary Membership in the Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity. A certificate of membership was presented to Dr. Weaver at a formal membership initiation banquet held by the Theta Chapter in Richmond at the Hotel John Marshall, January 19, 1957.

Dr. Weaver was born in Sparrows Point, Maryland, June 5, 1921 and attended the University of Maryland where he received the B.S. degree in pharmacy in 1942 and the Ph.D. degree in pharmaceutical chemistry in 1947. While working toward his advanced degree, he served as research assistant with the National Defense Research Council in Baltimore and later in College Park, Maryland. From 1945 to 1950 he was a chemist at the Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D.C. While in Washington, Dr. Weaver served as associate in pharmacy at the George Washington University from 1948



DR. WARREN E. WEAVER
Dean of Medical College of Virginia
elected to Honorary Membership.

to 1949. In 1950, Dr. Weaver joined the faculty at the Medical College of Virginia as associate professor of pharmaceutical chemistry. Since 1954 he has served as professor of chemistry and chairman of the Department of Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Chemistry. Dr. Weaver assumed the deanship July 1, 1956 when Dr. R. Blackwell Smith, Jr. (Kappa Psi), the former dean, became the president of the Medical College of Virginia.

Dean Weaver is an active member of the American Pharmaceutical Association, American Chemical Society, Virginia Pharmaceutical Association, Virginia Academy of Science, Virginia Society of Hospital Pharmacists, Richmond Retail Druggists' Association, Rho Chi, Sigma Xi and other organizations. In addition to his administrative duties he is currently the editor of "The Bulletin," Virginia Section, American Chemical Society.

Since the beginning of his professional career, Dr. Weaver has engaged in several extensive research projects and has contributed numerous publications in the field of drug chemistry including work done on antitumor agents, fungicides and antispasmodics. It was mainly through his efforts that the graduate program leading to the M.S. and Ph.D. in pharmaceutical chemistry was instituted at the Medical College of Virginia. His sincere interest in research, in scholarly teaching, and in professional pharmacy has a pronounced influence on his students, his faculty as well as the practicing pharmacists of Virginia. Being a gifted speaker, his presentations to various pharmaceutical groups have been widely appreciated because of the useful, diversified, and timely information he always brings.

Dr. and Mrs. Weaver, the former June Burkholder, have a son, Glenn 10 and two daughters, Karen 8 and Janet 3.

THE MASK extends congratulations and best wishes to Brother Weaver.

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You Should Know.



DR. C. BOYD GRANBERG of the Interfraternity Committee 924

C. (for Charles) BOYD GRANBERG, a member of our Interfraternity Committee, was born on May 6, 1921, in Wessington, South Dakota. He attended the Wessington High School and then the South Dakota State College from which he obtained his bachelor's degree in pharmacy. He then entered the University of Illinois from which he earned the M.S. and the Ph.D. degrees.

Brother Granberg's teaching commenced as a graduate assistant and then as an instructor in manufacturing pharmacy while doing graduate work at the University of Illinois. After completion of his graduate work he accepted a position as associate professor at the Drake University College of Pharmacy in 1950. In 1954 he was advanced to full professorship.

Brother Granberg was initiated into Kappa Psi as a Facultate Member while at Drake in 1950 and has served as the Grand Council Deputy of the Collegiate Chapter since that time. He also served as the Secretary-Treasurer of Province V (as constituted prior to the last Grand Council Convention).

During World War II, Dr. Granberg served as a pharmacist in a field hospital in North Africa, Italy, the Philippines and Japan

He holds membership in Rho Chi, Blue Key and Omicron Delta Kappa.

Dr. Granberg is married to the former Margaret Daly Holcom and they have three children-Brian, Elizabeth, and Siri.

FRANK E. DI GANGI, associate professor of pharmaceutical chemistry at the University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy, Satrap of Province VIII, and Grand Council Deputy of the Minnesota Graduate Chapter since its installation in 1952, was born in West Rutland, Vermont on September 29, 1917. He received his early education in Vermont and New Jersey when his family moved to Paterson in 1929. He started in the profession of pharmacy as a part-time clerk in a drug store in 1933 and was so attracted to his new job that he entered the College of Pharmacy at Rutgers University in Newark in 1936. He was initiated into Omega Chapter of Kappa Psi and has supported the Fraternity faithfully and ardently ever since, Brother Di Gangi graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Science in 1940 and accepted a teaching assistantship at the School of Pharmacy at Western Reserve University where he received a Master of Science degree in 1942. Immediately upon receiving this degree he went to the College of Pharmacy at the University of Minnesota where with the aid of a teaching assistantship he continued his graduate studies. In 1944 he accepted a commission in the United States Naval Reserve and served aboard a Geodetic Survey ship in the Pacific theatre until his discharge in 1946 whereupon he resumed his graduate studies at the University of Minnesota. In 1948 he received the Doctor of Philosophy degree while he was a Lederle Research Fellow. He accepted the position of assistant a Legeric Research Fellow. He accepted the position of assistant professor upon the receipt of his degree and was promoted to his present position of associate professor in



DR. FRANK E. DI GANGI of the Interfraternity Committee

Brother Di Gangi was one of the few brothers upon whom fell the duty of reactivating Epsilon chapter at the end of World War II and he was very active in the promoting and establishing of a Graduate Chapter at Minnesota. In the fall of 1956 he was elected the Satrap of the newly organized Province VIII. He has served as the Grand Council Deputy for the Collegiate Chapter at the college for over five years and presently holds this position with the Graduate Chapter. He is also a member of the Interfraternity Committee of Kappa Psi.

Some other organizations to which Brother Di Gangi belongs, as well as having held some positions of office in these organizations, are: Rho Chi Pharmacy Honor Society, the Society of the Sigma Xi, and Phi Beta Phi Honor Biological Society. He is a member of the American Pharmaceutical Association, the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical Association, the American Chemical Society, the American Association of University Professors, and a registered pharmacist in the states of Ohio and Minnesota.

A History of Mu Chapter 1907-1957

by Karl Nieforth, Historian, 1957

Mu Chapter, chartered on May 4, 1907, at The Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, was the twelfth chapter of Kappa Psi. It was started with the same ideals in mind that we still follow today. This we can see from a Chapter letter to The Mask. I should like to read an excerpt from this letter. "In starting another Fraternity Chapter, our object was deeper than horseplay initiations. We hope to create a spirit of fraternalism outside of the selfish ends of one or two backers. After considering two other fraternities, Kappa Psi was selected and we started to select our men to sign the petition for a charter. It was getting late in the school year so quick work was necessary. Within two weeks we had eighteen men selected, the petition signed, shipped, and accepted."

"Of the eighteen, six were seniors who graduated, leaving twelve to start the work next term. Of twelve, but three or four will graduate next year leaving a strong force who should prove well-trained in the way of making men walk the tight rope." Fraternally,

S. O. Barnstead.

The charter members were, Chester E. Tracy, George H. Smith, Earl D. Sperry, Sidney O. Barnstead, William H. Doherty, Daniel Reidy, Jr., Arthur F. Loomis, James A. Donahoe, Edward W. Burke, Charles F. Wright, George C. Greene, Harold E. Fobes, Clarence H. Upton, Martin Boland, Peter J. Sullivan, Walter J. Doherty, and John J. Murphy.

This was the beginning of our Chapter at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, located in the old building on St. Botolph Street. The meetings were held on the first and third Fridays of each month in Deacon Hall at the corner of West Concord and Washington Streets, Boston. The next year, 1908, the six graduating seniors were replaced by six new members, giving the Chapter a strong foundation. This new year was spent in spreading the word of Kappa Psi, trying to make a good impression on the faculty and the other students. Mu Chapter sent their first delegate to the tenth annual convention in Philadelphia.

In the year 1909, their work began to bear fruit when the faculty agreed that Kappa Psi was an excellent organization both for the students and for the school. In the October, 1909, issue of The Mask, the Secretary, Sidney Barnstead wrote a meaningful message to the members of Mu. We should do well to heed this even now.

"In closing, a word to our present members. We are new, and must therefore establish confidence, and by the standards we establish the future of our Chapter will be governed. All this means work. Work that must be willingly done; but remember Professor La Pierre's saying: 'The best druggist is not always the one who makes the most noise with the mortar and pestle.'"

With such spirit and twenty-six strong members, it is no wonder that Kappa Psi was set up as a leader in the school and has remained as such these last forty-nine years.

During the next year, after the hustle and bustle of setting up a new fraternity and the worries of failure had settled down, talk began of benefits to be derived from membership. The first mention of a Smoker and a fifty dollar scholarship came in November of that year (1910). We sent a delegate to the convention in Birmingham. During the year we had our one and only female officer. Miss Adams was our secretary. The practice of having a woman secretary was stopped due to the rule that non-members were not allowed to sit through a business meeting, and obviously a young lady could not meet the qualifications of membership.

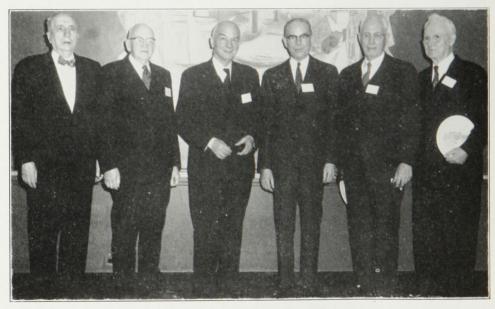
During those first three years, the Chapter could have come to an end at the flicker



926MU CHAPTER OFFICERS AND GUESTS AT 50TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET,
BOSTON, MASS., APRIL 6, 1957

Back row: Chaplain Kwong Chow, Secretary James Hebert, Treasurer Harry Karavolas, Regent Richard Hughes, Vice Regent Merle Sheets, Vice Regent Alfred Keshishian, Historian Karl Nieforth, and Vice Regent Richard Jones.

Front row: Charter Member Chester E. Tracy, Faculty Advisor James Mickles, Grand Historian Walter R. Williams, Grand Secretary-Treasurer Frank H. Eby, Maynard W. Quimby, Charter Member Daniel Reidy, Jr., and Charter Member John J. Murphy.



927 FOUR OF MU CHAPTER'S CHARTER MEMBERS PICTURED WITH PRESIDENT AND DEAN OF THE COLLEGE AT 50TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET

Left to right: Sidney O. Barnstead, Chester E. Tracy, President Samuel M. Best, Dean Howard C. Newton, Daniel Reidy, Jr., and John J. Murphy.

AT MU CHAPTER'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET BOSTON, MASS., APRIL 6, 1957



Upper left: Historian Nieforth presents a brief historical account of the Chapter.

Upper right: Former Faculty Advisor Raymond A. Gosselin receives an award from Regent Hughes.

Center left: John J. Murphy, Charter Member and Regent during 1909-1910, addresses the group while Regent Hughes and Dean Newton listen attentively.

Center right: Toastmaster Maynard W. Quimby and Grand Secretary-Treasurer Eby.

Lower left: Faculty Advisor James Mickles presents membership certificate to Brother George Holcomb, one of many Mu Chapter members initiated during the current school year.

Lower right: Grand Secretary-Treasurer addresses the Brothers and guests.





AT MU CHAPTER'S FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, APRIL 6, 1957

M. Best, Richard Hughes, Dean Howard C. Newton, Grand Secretary-Treasurer Frank H. Eby, Maynard W. Quimby, John J. Murphy, Grand Historian Walter Upper photo: The Head Table. Left to right: James Hebert, Kwong Chow, Harry Karavolas, John W. Schermerhorn, Heber W. Youngken, President Samuel R. Williams, Sidney O. Barnstead, Daniel Reidy, Jr., Chester T. Tracy, Stanley J. Blanchfield, James Mickles, and Karl Nieforth. Lower photo: Some of the many Brothers in attendance.

of an eyelash as it nearly did in 1910. Willingness to work and the desire to keep the baby chapter on its feet finally paid off with a strong finish in July.

The next three years Mu increased in size and wealth until in 1914, they could afford a house.

In November of 1914 our first house was opened at 131 Botolph Street. We maintained that house until July of 1916. At approximately that time the Chapter and the College were preparing to move to the present building at 179 Longwood Avenue. Immediately, there was talk of a new house on Newbury Street. This dream was not to be realized as the start of World War I shattered the Chapter for a short time.

At the end of the War in 1918, nineteen veteran members were readmitted and the Chapter came back to life under the watchful eye of Regent Florin J. Amrhein. The Brothers of 1918 began preparations for an interfraternity dance, but the affair never materialized. In 1920, with sixteen new members, Brother Ray S. Kelley became our Financial Secretary and in 1921, our Regent. In 1923, Heber W. Youngken came to Mu. Three years later Brother Youngken became Grand Council Deputy. In May of that year, the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy received a new teacher of Commercial Pharmacy, as well as a basketball coach in the person of Joseph H. Goodness. With the assistance of Gamma Theta Chapter at Tufts, Florin J. Amrhein of Mu installed the charter members of Gamma Nu at Harvard Medical School.

In 1928 a man was named Regent who was to remain with us up to the present time, Maynard W. Quimby. Professors Amrhein, Kelley, and Youngken retained their previous positions. All of the Brothers of Mu who were to become Grand Officers later were officers or advisers of Mu at that time. During May of 1928, Brothers Amrhein, Kelley, and Lofquist installed Nu Chapter at the Connecticut College of Pharmacy in New Haven.

In 1929 the Chapter was finally built up enough financially to afford another house. A house at 220 Aspinwall Avenue was acquired and occupied until World War II again made its continuation inadvisable. Also in the year 1929 the first scholarship requirements were put into force. Only those men who had eighty percent grades or better were to be pledged.

The Agora, was published in 1931. In the first twenty-four years of Mu, three hundred sixty-three men had passed through the perilous initiation and emerged with the feeling of a common bond. Sixteen of our charter members were still living.

The great depression of the thirties hit Mu as hard as it hit the rest of the country. The treasury of 1932 was empty. As was the case with several other chapters, we were unable to pay the per capita tax.

In 1934 a Memorial was held for Florin J. Amrhein, Regent in 1915 and Grand Regent in 1934.

Brother Heber Youngken was elected to the office of Grand Vice Regent after being at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy for fourteen years. Two years later, Dr. Youngken became the Grand Regent of Kappa Psi.

During 1937, Dr. Theodore James Bradley died. He was originally a member of Beta Delta Chapter at Union University College of Pharmacy. He became affiliated with Mu Chapter when he came to Boston as dean of our college. Dr. Bradley was very instrumental in the success of Mu.

In 1938, Boston Graduate Chapter held a Smoker to raise funds for the Graduate Chapter of Kappa Psi Scholarship. It was to be awarded to the Kappa Psi student who attained the best average for the first two years.

Our fraternity house was kept open during the summer of 1942 because of the accelerated curriculum at the College. The Student Aid Division of Kappa Psi was formed to help freshmen obtain rooms, places to eat, and part-time jobs. An average of

four servicemen per week, of Mu and of other Chapters, stayed at the house during the

In 1941, Brother Ray S. Kelley, became the Grand Secretary-Treasurer.

The next year all functions of the year were held at the fraternity house. Brother Ray Gosselin, our co-advisor of 1956, became Regent in 1943. This was the year that Dr. Quimby started sending Newsletters to our Brothers in the Armed Forces.

In 1944, there were only twelve members of Mu at Massachusetts College of Pharmacy. All were active in the Student Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association. Nine of the Brothers held offices other than those in the Fraternity. At least eight Past Regents were in the service at this time.

One issue of The Mask in 1945 was placed at the disposal of Dean Newton who wrote an article titled "Well Done . . . and by Fraternities." In this article, he especially commended Dr. Quimby of Kappa Psi and Dr. Reed of Phi Delta Chi for their excellent work in keeping the servicemen, while they were away, informed of the happenings in school by means of their Newsletters.

A total of one hundred eighty members of Mu Chapter served in the Armed Forces. Two of our Brothers, Edmund J. Berube and Douglas Wilson gave up their lives.

Professor Matthes left in 1946 to teach at the American University of Beirut.

Talk of a fraternity house began again in 1947. The Boston Graduate Chapter set up the Edmund J. Berube Scholarship this year on the basis of voluntary contributions.

Our Fortieth Anniversary Banquet was held in 1947. Seven charter members attended this meeting. Our first Regent, William H. Doherty, who has since passed away, gave a short history of Mu Chapter.

The Edmund J. Berube Scholarship was awarded for the first time in 1948. The scholarship is a Memorial to Brother Edmund J. Berube, who was killed on Iwo Jima. Another scholarship was established as a Memorial to Douglas Wilson who also lost his life during World War II.

Mu Chapter and Eta Chapter of Phi Delta Chi discussed plans for an interfraternal function. These plans were tabled until 1950 when the date for a bowling party was set. Mu Chapter won by a total of 170 pins in three strings.

On March 29, 1950, Ray S. Kelley was elected a member of the Executive Committee of the Professional Interfraternity Conference which was originated in 1928. Only once before had a member of Kappa Psi received this honor.

In April, 1949, the House Committee of the Chapter proposed a plan for raising a Chapter house fund. During the first year over \$1,000 was put into the fund. From that time until now, many drives have been conducted by the Co-op Committee, which was organized in 1949, to bring the total today to over \$4,000. A goal of \$20,000 has been set for the house fund.

In the November Initiation, our present advisor, Professor James Mickles came into our Chapter as a Graduate member.

At the Detroit Convention, 1952, our advisor, Dr. Quimby, was presented with a silver tray by the Collegiate members of Kappa Psi in appreciation of the fine work he has done for the Fraternity.

In April of the same year, the conventional Hell Week was changed to Help Week. Various jobs were done by the pledges at orphanages, hospitals, and around the college.

In 1953, Dr. Schermerhorn came to the Pharmacy Department and has since been very active in Kappa Psi work.

In that same year, Brother Ray S. Kelley had to leave school due to poor health. A few hours after attending the Annual Mu Smoker on March 13, 1954, Brother Kelley died at his home. In his honor the Ray S. Kelley Memorial Scholarship was started by the National Organization.

After the February initiation in 1956, Dr. Quimby startled the Chapter members that

were present by announcing that he would be unable to continue in his present status as Faculty Advisor. He turned the Chapter over to Brothers James Mickles and Ray Gosselin, who were to be Co-advisors. Brother Ray Gosselin left the college at the end of the school year leaving the Fraternity in the capable hands of Brother Mickles.

On March 3, 1956, Dr. Quimby was honored at the Annual Banquet. He has been the *Editor* of The Mask for nine years, and Grand Council Deputy of Mu Chapter for sixteen years. He was presented the Kappa Psi Distinguished Service Plaque and a gold watch by the Collegiate Chapter.

We are now in the fiftieth year of our Chapter. As we review these years, we are proud to see that over eight hundred men have passed through our midst. We have representatives all over the world in all phases of pharmacy. Among our members have been four Grand Officers: Grand Regent Florin J. Amrhein, Grand Regent Heber W. Youngken, Grand Secretary-Treasurer Ray S. Kelly, Editor of The Mask Maynard W. Quimby and Associate Editor of The Mask, Joseph D. Matthes. We trust that the next fifty years of Mu Chapter will be comprised of the same loyalty, fraternity spirit, and outstanding leadership as we have enjoyed in the first fifty.

Visitation Glimpses

Louis Fischer, Grand Regent

On March 21 and 22 we had the pleasure of visiting the Collegiate and Facultate members of Beta Gamma Chapter located at the Medical Center in San Francisco. We were greeted at the airport by Regent Bud Taylor, Chaplain Robert Day and House Manager Richard Penna.

The Grand Regent met with the Chapter Officers on three different occasions for the purpose of discussing general fraternal business and other chapter activities. At an evening meeting with many of the Collegiate Members, several brothers representing the San Francisco Graduate Chapter, and Grand Council Deputy Donald C. Brodie, the progress of present activities of Alpha Chapter were reprinted.

At the various gatherings suggestions were offered in improving and clarifying chapter procedures. In general, we experienced an excellent chapter spirit and good interfraternity and school relations. Several members are leaders in other college organizations. The officers of Beta Gamma are new and eager to initiate several suggested changes in chapter procedures and functions. The Collegiate Chapter is to be congratulated in the selection of its new house last November; and a special commendation is in order to the members of the San Francisco Graduate Chapter for making this dream come true.

It is impossible to enumerate the many courtesies extended by the collegiate group, but our many thanks and best wishes to everyone. Mrs. Fischer and I also deeply appreciated the dinner party with Dean and Mrs. Troy C. Daniels in attendance, and Dr. and Mrs. Donald C. Brodie as hosts. Likewise we desire to acknowledge the hospitality extended by Dr. and Mrs. Eino Nelson. After dinner they gave us a tour of San Francisco to view the recent earthquake damage.

All in all we would say that Beta Gamma extended itself with the "Rock and Roll" welcome just before noon on Friday, March 22. The earthquake was an extra-curricular activity not previously

scheduled by your G.R.

Report on Chapter Visitations

Frank H. Eby, Grand Secretary-Treasurer

BETA KAPPA CHAPTER

A meeting with the officers and members of Beta Kappa Chapter, University of Pittsburgh, School of Pharmacy was held at the college on Wednesday, January 16, 1957. The entire day was spent on the campus with considerable time devoted to examining the splendid facilities of the fine new school of pharmacy, which recently moved into the Health Profession Building. Dr. Edward P. Claus, now dean at Ferris Institute, was our official guide during the day and visits with Kappa Psi faculty members including Dr. Joseph P. Buckley, new Grand Council Deputy, Dr. John Boenigk, Dr. Paul J. Wurdack and others, were enjoyed. At noon the Grand Secretary-Treasurer had the pleasure of meeting and speaking to the entire Beta Kappa membership which is having one of its finest years under

the leadership of Regent Frank Manios, Secretary Frank Mozdy, Treasurer Thomas Wajert and others. With a membership of fifty-eight, the chapter is one of the strongest in years and is looking forward to a very bright future. In the evening at the Gateway Plaza Restaurant, Beta Kappa Chapter in cooperation with the Pittsburgh Graduate Chapter, held a testimonial dinner in honor of Dr. Edward P. Claus. Dr. Claus has served the chapter as Grand Council Deputy for many years and has been responsible to a large degree, for the growth and development of the chapter in recent years. He is also one of the charter members of the Pittsburgh Graduate Chapter and has had an active part in this chapter. Dr. Claus received several fine gifts in appreciation for his years of service in behalf of Kappa Psi Fraternity, Regent Robert Taylor of the Pittsburgh Graduate Chapter, Regent Frank Manios of the Collegiate Chapter and Grand Secretary-Treasurer Frank H. Eby were the principal speakers, and each paid tribute to Dr. Claus for his splendid services and wished him every success as he leaves Pittsburgh to take on the duties of the dean of pharmacy at Ferris Institute. It is a pleasure to report that Beta Kappa Chapter ranks high among our very best chapters and we compliment the officers and members for their fine fraternity work and their splendid hospitality.

THETA CHAPTER

The Grand Secretary-Treasurer arrived at the recently acquired spacious colonial Theta Chapter house in Richmond, Virginia, late in the afternoon of January 16, 1957 and found the members deep in the work of preparing for one of the big social events of the year. With the formal initiation of one of Theta's largest classes of new members, the chapter was just about ready for the final phase of a busy fraternity week. An informal meeting was held with secretary Robert S. Stiff, several other officers and members of the chapter and problems and objectives of the chapter were discussed.

In the evening the annual mid-winter banquet and dance was held at the Hotel John Marshall Roof Garden where several hundred brothers and their guests enjoyed a fine dinner and entertainment. Regent Hong Y. Woo presided at the dinner and introduced the guests, He also presented Grand Vice Regent Milton L. Neuroth, who made the presentation of an Honorary Kappa Psi membership to Dr. Warren E. Weaver, dean of the school of pharmacy, Medical College of Virginia, Dean Weaver was cited for his outstanding services to pharmacy. Grand Secretary-Treasurer Frank H. Eby delivered the principal address of the evening. Theta Chapter is enjoying one of its best years and under the fine leadership of Regent Hong Y. Woo and a competent group of officers, it recently attained its greatest active membership and also acquired a fine chapter house in which the activities of the chapter are centered. Alpha Chapter compliments this old chapter for its splendid record of achievement and outstanding success and looks forward to a bright future for the chapter.

Large Attendance at Pan-American Congress Anticipated

Indications are that the Fourth Pan-American Congress of Pharmacy and Biochemistry will be exceptionally well attended. Many prominent pharmacists of Latin America as well as the United States and Canada have already indicated their intention of attending this meeting which will be held in Washington, D.C., November 3-9, 1957. Head-quarters will be at the Mayflower Hotel. The United States Department of State is requesting the officers in charge of the U.S. Diplomatic Missions throughout the Americas to convey to the various Ministers of Health an invitation for representation and participation. In addition to the Americas, inquiries have been received from numerous European organizations which will be represented by observers. All observers will be welcomed even though they do not represent pharmaceutical organizations or firms.

Progress of the Congress organization was carefully reviewed recently in a meeting attended by Robert A. Hardt, Chairman of the Organizing Committee; George B. Griffenhagen, Executive Secretary; and Dean H. G. Hewitt, Chairman of the Program Committee. Plenary sessions for the Congress will include sessions on pharmaceutical education, pharmaceutical law and regulatory measures, and pharmaceutical and clinical research.

Official languages of the Congress will be English, French, Portuguese and Spanish. Interpretation and translation systems will be similar to those used by the United Nations.

Tom Foster of Washington, D.C., Chairman of the Entertainment and Tours Committee, announces that plans have been completed for a reception, buffet supper and dancing at the beautiful Pan American Union Hall of the Americas. Plans are also being made for a concert by the National Symphony Orchestra at Constitution Hall.

This is not the first time that pharmacists in the United States have engaged in the organization of an international meeting. In 1893, the 7th International Pharmaceutical Congress was held in Chicago; and, later that same year, pharmacy was well represented in the First Pan-American Medical Congress which was held in Washington, D.C., sixty-three years ago.

Regulations and By-Laws of the 1957 Congress will be issued in the near future. Meanwhile, inquiries may be addressed to the Executive Secretary, George B. Griffenhagen, c/o Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.

Personals

Army PFC Ronald D. Stahl (Beta Lambda) is a member of the 1st Division's 16th Infantry at Fort Riley, Kansas. Brother Stahl is a medical aidman in the infantry's Headquarters and Logistical Company. He was graduated from the University of Toledo in 1955, and entered the Army in October of that year.

Army PFC James K. Biemesderfer recently participated in "Exercise Hard Times" with the 2d Infantry Division at Fort Richardson, Alaska. The six-day exercise of the division under arctic conditions, was the largest ever held at the Alaskan fort. Brother Biemesderfer was graduated from Temple University in 1955.

Army Pvt. Clifford E. Cable (Gamma Phi) has recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training with the 3d Infantry Division at Fort Benning, Ga. He is a graduate of the University of Georgia.

Pvt. Duane E. McCullough (Beta Sigma) recently completed the pharmacy course at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He was graduated from North Dakota State College at Fargo in 1955.

Pvt. Richard H. Collins (Beta Pi) recently completed the pharmacy course at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, He graduated from Washington State College in 1956.

Pvt. Luther R. Parker (Gamma Gamma) recently completed the pharmacy course at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He graduated from the University of Texas in 1954.

Army Specialist Third Class John T. McNeil (Psi) recently was named Soldier of the Month for the U. S. Army Medical Service Group at Fort Buckner, Okinawa. He was selected in competition on a basis of neatness, knowledge of military subjects and efficient performance of assigned duties. He is a 1954 graduate of the University of Tennessee.

Pvt. B. H. Malinowski (Eta) is now stationed at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C. He is a 1955 graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science.

Army 2d Lt. Joel S. Dekle (Gamma Phi) recently was assigned an instructor at the Medical

Training Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He graduated from the University of Georgia in 1956.

Army 1st Lt. Saul H. Fisher (Gamma Upsilon) recently was assigned to Northern Area Command's Frankfurt Sub-Area in Germany. He is serving as the area safety officer. Brother Fisher is a 1954 graduate of the University of Arizona.

Pvt. Michael E. Celata (Mu) recently was assigned as a technician in the 47th Field Hospital of the 67th Medical Group at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He is a 1956 graduate of the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.

Pvt. Wayne G. Eaton (Beta Delta) recently was assigned as a technician in the 47th Field Hospital of the 67th Medical Group at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He entered the Army 1st September and received basic training at the fort. He is a 1956 graduate of Union University college of Pharmacy, Albany, N.Y.

Robert C. Anderson, D.Sc., head of Eli Lilly and Company's toxicology department, has been elected vice-president of the American Association



DR. ROBERT C. ANDERSON

Vice-president of American Association for the Advancement of Science and Chairman of its pharmaceutical sciences section.

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As vice-president of the organization, Dr. Anderson also serves as a member of its Council. He will hold office through the next annual meeting of the A.A.A.S., which will be held in Indianapolis December 26 to 31.

Dr. Anderson's twenty-five-year career with Lilly has been devoted to pharmacology and toxicology. He and his associates in the toxicology department study the possible toxic effects of new therapeutic agents—among them, antibiotics and tranquilizers—and new products for use in the agricultural field. He is charged with the responsibility of seeing that every product marketed by Lilly is safe for human or animal use.

Dr. Anderson was graduated from Columbus (Ind.) High School in 1927 and received a Bachelor of Science degree in pharmacy from Purdue University in 1931. Purdue conferred his honorary Doctor of Science degree in 1953.

Dr. Anderson was chairman of the scientific section of the American Pharmaceutical Association in 1948-49. He is a member of the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics and Kappa Psi, professional pharmacy fraternity.

Hubert W. Murphy, Ph.D., has been named a pharmaceutical research associate by Eli Lilly and Company. This advancement recognizes his contributions to research and development of new products, particularly in the field of antibiotics.

Dr. Murphy participated in research which led to the determination of the structure of the erythromycin molecule. He has prepared and evaluated a number of new penicillin salts and has contributed to knowledge of the chemistry and fabrication of cellulose films, as well as pharmaceutical applications of various cellulose derivatives.

Dr. Murphy is the author or co-author of many scientific publications and holds several United States patents. He is registered as a pharmacist in Indiana,

A native of Circle, Montana, Dr. Murphy was graduated from Circle High School in 1933. Montana State University conferred his Bachelor of Science degree in pharmacy in 1937 and his Master of Science degree, also in pharmacy in 1939. He received his Doctor of Philosophy degree in pharmaceutical chemistry from Purdue University in 1942.

Dr. Murphy joined Lilly in 1943 as a pharma-



DR. HUBERT W. MURPHY

Advanced to new position by Eli Lilly

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cist in the formula control department. Since 1950 he has been a pharmaceutical chemist in the pharmaceutical research department,

Dr. Murphy is a life member of the American Pharmaceutical Association. He is also a member of the American Chemical Society; American Association for the Advancement of Science; Kappa Psi, professional pharmacy fraternity; Society of the Sigma Xi, scientific honor society; Phi Lambda Upsilon, chemistry recognition society; and Phi Sigma, biology honor society.

C. Wayne McKeehan, Ph.D., is a new pharmaceutical chemist with Eli Lilly and Company. He is assisting with the formulation of new and improved Lilly products in the pharmaceutical research department.

Dr. McKeeham became registered as a pharmacist in Indiana in 1952. He is a member of the American Pharmaceutical Association; American Chemical Society; American Association for the Advancement of Science; Society of the Sigma Xi, scientific honor society; Rho Chi, pharmacy honor society; Kappa Psi, professional pharmacy fraternity; and Phi Lambda Upsilon, chemistry recognition society.

NECROLOGY

Richard Noel Beta Epsilon Chapter July 4, 1950

David George Parr Gamma Chi Chapter January 12, 1957

Myron R. Buchdahl Gamma Psi Chapter October 1956 Ronald G. Gordon Pi Chapter January, 1957

Earl R. Searles Chi Chapter March 13, 1957

W. Henry Rivard Beta Epsilon February 5, 1957

In Memory of Dean W. Henry Rivard

By Edward Dyer, Historian of Beta Epsilon Chapter

We were all saddened by the death of our dean, Dr. W. Henry Rivard. Brother Rivard, 73, dean of the Rhode Island College of Pharmacy and Allied Sciences died on February 5, 1957, from complications of third degree burns suffered when some cleaning fluid he was using ignited at his home.

Dr. Rivard was born in Taunton, Massachusetts in 1883, a son of Anac H. and Delina (Carignan) Rivard and came to Providence as a child. He attended public schools here before entering the college of which he later became dean. He was graduated cum laude in 1907.

The year of his graduation he joined the staff of the college, at the same time working as chief chemist in charge of manufacturing laboratories of the George L. Claffin Co. of Providence.

Always eager in his quest for further knowledge, he enrolled in 1908 in special courses in bacteriology at Brown University. In 1912, he received the degree of pharmaceutical chemist from his alma mater and three years later was given an honorary doctorate in pharmacy. In 1930, he became dean of the College of Pharmacy.

During the period of his deanship, the college curriculum was extended to a four year course leading to a bachelor of science degree. During the war years, he vigorously opposed an acceleration program for his students as "an unwarranted burden." It was primarily at his urging that sports were introduced to the school.

Dean Rivard was always personally and intimately concerned about the success or failure of his students and was often known to take on private tutoring duties himself to assist the young people under his supervision.

In 1930, he was named chairman of the District One of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy and in 1931 he was an official delegate from Rhode Island to the National Pharmacopeia Convention in Washington, D.C.

He was a past president of the Alumni Association of the College and of the Rhode Island Pharmaceutical Association; and a charter member of Beta Epsilon Chapter of Kappa Psi Fraternity. He was also a member of the Providence Chamber of Commerce, the Barnard Club, and the American Institute of the History of Pharmacy. He was a member of the American Pharmaceutical Association and was an honorary member of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association.

At those times when Dr. Rivard was not involved in duties at the college, he could almost always be found at work in the herb garden behind the college, where he grew more than 38 varieties of rare and common herbs, or in the flower garden which he tended with equal care.

Besides his wife, Margaret Helen (Cook) Rivard, he is survived by a daughter, Sister Mary Margaret of Jesus, O. P. of the Monastery of the Immaculate Conception, Albany, New York; four sons, W. Henry, Jr., of Trafford, Pennsylvania, and Charles, John and George Arthur of Providence; a brother, Charles A., of Providence, a sister, Miss E. Cora Rivard, also of Providence, and one grandson.

In Memoriam

The rooms are quiet; the laughter is gone. What could make this place of joy and laughter so forlorn? The brothers are silent; their thoughts are far. Their numbers are lessened for a brother, David Parr, will no longer be with them it seems. Yet is he really gone? Will he not be looking through a frosted window pane or resting against the mantel as he often did? We who knew Dave will always feel him near for he was one of us. When things seemed black he was there to cheer us; when fun was to be had Dave added to the merry-making. We hope that Brother Parr from his station on high will look down on us 28 we of Kappa Psi will look up to him and someday when we all meet and raise our glasses high, things will be as they always were—100 strong hands always together.

The Brothers of Kappa Psi Gamma Chi Chapter



DAVID G. PARR (Gamma Chi) February 3, 1937-January 12, 933 1957

Province II Assembly

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Historian and Supervising Grand Officer of Province II. He presented valuable information pertaining to old issues of The Mask, dating back to 1904.

The Resolutions Committee submitted the following resolutions which were adopted: (1) resolve to enlarge the handbook outlining the duties of the officers to include the duties of the province officers. (2) resolve to extend to the outgoing officers, praise and congratulations for their excellent leadership. (3) resolve to extend to the host chapter, Eta, hearty thanks for a very hospitable and enjoyable time.

The new officers elected were: Satrap—Joe Micale, Omega; Vice Satrap—Rudy Blythe, Philadelphia Graduate Chapter; Secretary—Louis King, New Jersey Graduate Chapter; Treasurer—Michael Iannarone, New Jersey Graduate Chapter; Historian—Dick Suscha, Eta; Chaplain—Ken Stout, Beta Omega; Delegates to the National Convention—Jim Echieanda, Gamma; and Alternate Delegate—Don Kinter, Beta Kappa.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 P.M. and the delegates then proceeded to the Beta Omega house for a social gathering which ended a memorable day.

Added praise should be bestowed on Regent John Hinkle, Jr. of the host chapter for making this assembly an unforgettable display of true fraternalism.

Chapter "News Letters"

"News Letter" for Publication in THE MASK

Collegiate Chapter Historians and Graduate Chapter Secretaries should send their "News Letter" for publication in The Mask by the following dates:

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- 1—Reports should be typewritten and double-spaced.
- 2—Include the original and one carbon copy.
- 3—Include chapter and school name in capitals across the top of the first page of each letter.
- 4—Graduate Chapters need include only the chapter name.
- 5—Be certain that members' names are spelled correctly.
- 6—Whenever photographs are submitted be sure to include names of those appearing in the pictures and to attach other information which you wish published beneath the picture. (Send only *clear* glossy photographs and protect them in such a way that they will not become damaged in the mails.)

Send your "News Letter" to Nicholas W. Fenney, Editor of The Mask, 62 Broadfield Road, Hamden 17, Connecticut.

IMPORTANT

THOSE WHO PREPARE THEIR CHAPTER "NEWS LETTER" PLEASE READ!

The office of The Mask *insists* that postmark deadline dates mentioned above be met in order that the "News Letters" appear in the issue as scheduled.

All "News Letters" received postmarked after the deadline date can not be used for that issue and, therefore, will be returned to the sender in the event he may wish to use some of the material for his next report. Please cooperate!

A "News Letter" from your chapter should appear in each issue of The Mask and should be mailed about a week before the deadline date. Do *not* anticipate a reminder from the office of The Mask for your Chapters "New Letters."

GAMMA—COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

Once again I have the pleasure of writing to The Mask, but unfortunately it will be the last time for me this year. Much has happened around Gamma since my last letter and all the happenings will be good news to the graduate members of Gamma wherever you may be.

First of all when, in my last letter, I spoke of the "Gamma Trio" and the successful smoker we had I wrote that we anticipated eleven new Brothers. As it turned out we initiated nine. Many thanks to the few graduate members who showed up to give us a hand during the night of the initiation. After their induction they enjoyed a grand buffet at my house. (At 2 o'clock in the morning we couldn't figure out why they were tired.)

Gamma Chapter once again set up a veterinary display in the college. Many thanks to Brother Schwan who was able to procure all the veterinarian medicinals and proprietaries plus special remedies used by famous horsemen in the New York area.

After a three year lapse Gamma Chapter has again felt the urgency to hold a raffle. The idea now is that we try to obtain a frat house by the time the new school is built on the Columbia Campus. So, to the graduate members please mail your raffle stubs before May 16, which is the date of the drawing. This time the raffle is for the interest of pharmacy in two ways. First a certain percentage will go to the C.U.C.P. Building Fund and the balance towards Kappa Psi's frathouse fund. We hope to be able to obtain some reasonable facsimile of a house by 1960.

On Sunday, April 7, we went to Philadelphia to attend the Province II Assembly with Eta as hosts. Out of the 12 Brothers in our Chapter I am pleased to say that 10 of us attended. After an interesting day of discussions (one by our own neophyte Emil Pape, who managed to crack up the sobriety during the late morning discussions) and business, we were all invited to visit Beta Omega's liouse in North Philadelphia.



GAMMA CHAPTER NEOPHYTES

This photo taken before their initiation



GAMMA CHAPTER NEOPHYTES

This photo taken after their initiation.

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Jim Echeandia will remain at C.U.C.P. to pursue graduate studies in pharmacology. He was also nominated as the Province II delegate to attend the National Convention next December.

Jim Simpkins ('56) now married and residing in Washington as a B.W. detailman in that state. That is it for now. Wishing all success on their

d a restful summer. Fraternally

SANDRO WALSH, Historian

EPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Spring quarter has now begun, but the warm balmy weather and green grass has not yet made its appearance. Cold temperatures and snow still cover much of the ground.

Chapter activities have been numerous since the last writing. On Valentines Day it was our pleasure to entertain all the ladies of the college at a luncheon held in Coffman Memorial Union. An enjoyable time was had by all,

The first Pharmacy College Convocation was held on March 7 in Wulling Hall. This was the 1st in a series of lectures to be sponsored by Kappa Psi. Our guest speaker was Sheldon Beanblossom, State Legislator, 37th District North, who spoke on the subject; The Pharmacist and His Responsibility to Government. Faculty members, graduate students, and students attended this convocation. Kappa Epsilon Sorority served coffee and sandwiches. Plans are being made for the 2nd convocation to take place during the last week in April.

A most enjoyable week from March 26 to March 30 was spent by the brothers and their wives as guests of Eli Lilly and Abbott Laboratories. The trip was both educational and entertaining. It broadened our understanding of the position held by the manufacturer's in this great field of Pharmacy.

Epsilon is proud to announce that three of its

ilies: the Andrew Sander's, the Don Scholten's, and the Bob Volk's, all having boys. Nice going fellas. It's a good thing graduation is near.

Congratulations are also in order to Regent Jerry Koch and Jack Lindquist who joined the ranks of the pinned. This pinning activity took place during the week vacation between quarters.

Sure must have been a busy week.

Plans are being made for the Spring Quarter activities. These activities include an initiation, attendance at the State Pharmaceutical Association Convention, Pharmacy Day Picnic, election of officers, and finally graduation for the seniors. Fraternally yours,

RUSSELL BOOGREN. IR.

ETA-PHILADELPHIA COLLEGE OF PHARMACY & SCIENCE

Congratulations were recently in order for both old and new officers alike-congratulations to the old and a job well done; congratulations to the new in their newly elected offices. The new officers for the 1957-1958 term are: Brothers John Hinkle, Regent; Ron Kovac, Vice Regent; Herb Davis, Treasurer; Joe Maher, Vice Treasurer; Tony Maneri, Recording Secretary; Roger Tenny, Corresponding Secretary; Ed Pawling, Chaplain; Gerald Sondej, Historian; and Dr. George Patter-

son, Grand Council Deputy.

Eta Chapter is very proud to report that this year's Pledge Season came to a most successful close. After the dust clouds lifted from the renovatwas cleaned after a thorough redecorating of the interior of 4224 Spruce Street, a counting of harassed faces showed that a total of twenty-four pledges had successfully completed their projects and increased their knowledge of the fraternity histories and aims via a series of rugged "quizzes' given by Brother Tom Gier, this year's Pledge Chairman. This year's cream of the crop from P.C.P.&S. include: Alan Baker, Richard Blass, Chesney DeGroat, John Devenny, Clair Eden, Neil Edwards, Vito Fantini, Arnold Flagel, M. Joseph Gallagher, Robert Groscup, William James Hart, John Hassan, Charles Huberty, Tony Lemons, Bob Lorynski, John Lozinger, John McClelland, Ed McGinley, Neil Murphy, Ed Schrader, John Thomas, Charles Verna, Jack Wilson, and Tony

The Student Branch of the A.Ph.A. recently held elections here at the college. The results showed that Kappa Psi again made a clean sweep of still another set of officers. Brother Suscha was elected to the office of President of the organization, while Brothers John Hinkle and Vasunder Reddy took the offices of Vice President and Treasurer respectively. Miss Lucille Trimarco of our sister sorority, Lambda Kappa Sigma, was elected to the office of Secretary. Congratulations and wishes for the very best of luck in your

It was announced in the last issue of THE MASK that Miss Lucille Trimarco would represent the Chapter at the College's Annual Sweetheart Dance. The vivacious and petit strawberry-blonde now reigns as Queen of P.C.P.&S. Her victory was as big a thrill to us as it was to Lucy herself. And not to seem biased or trite, but it couldn't have happened to a nicer or sweeter girl. Needless to say, the picture speaks for itself.



THE SWEETHEART OF ETA CHAPTER Miss Lucille Trimarco, the Queen of Philade >36phia College of Pharmacy and Science.

"Howdy yo all, can yo all tell me where the Kappa Psi House is?" This may sound a little peculiar to the rest of "you all" yankees too, but this was the greeting from the other end of the telephone when Ron Kovac answered the usual ring the evening of March 15. It seems that the spirit behind the University of North Carolina's basketball team had brought several of our Confederate brothers to the city of brotherly love for the purpose of cheering their team on to victory in the N.C.A.A. tournament at Penn's Palestra. Of course, the House took on more of a convention air than the Penn Sheraton and amid the "sign Games," you all's, and Carolina cheers (we northerners had to learn a complete repertoire of 'em), Beta Xi and Eta had a "fabulous" weekend. The brothers from the South included: Bob Cromley, Steve Harrison, Charlie Bargas, Bob McGuiness, Charlie Phifer, "Mac" St. Pat Areno, and Herman Honeycut (who we're glad to hear is now a pledge), and Ernest Caraway. Hoping we haven't missed anybody and apologizing if we have, might we add one meager comment to the entire weekend, Yo ain't got a hair on yo . . . if yo don't

At this writing plans are set for our Annual Spring Formal. This year it will be held at the Riverton Country Club on April 13. Dancing will begin at 9:00 P.M. and a buffet luncheon will be held at midnight. We are eagerly awaiting the this, our biggest social event of the year. Plans are also completed for the Annual Alumni Banquet. Proceedings will begin at 6:30 P.M. on Thursday, May 2, at the Penn Sheraton Hotel.

May we take this time to invite all our alumni and guests whom for some reason we may have been unable to get in contact with during our recent drive. We are looking forward to another record turnout as was had last year. I shall be happy to report both evenings festivities in the

next issue of The Mask.

On April 7, Eta Chapter was host to the Province II Assembly. Brothers from Gamma, Omega, Beta Omega, and Beta Kappa Chapters, and the New York, New Jersey, and Philadelphia Graduate Chapters were received by the brothers of Eta. A morning session was held at the fraternity house and following an adjournment to the Penn Sheraton Hotel for lunch, the group concluded their business at the hotel. A more complete report of the Assembly can be found in this issue by the newly elected Historian of Province II, Brother Dick Suscha of Eta Chapter.

Thanking you for the privilege of corresponding

with you, I remain

Fraternally yours, Gerald J. Sondej, Historian

THETA-MEDICAL COLLEGE OF VIRGINIA

The latter part of this year has certainly been very busy for us. The week preceding the evening of January 19, found all of the brothers in preparation for the initiation of the new members. Then on that particular evening, at our annual banquet, THETA proudly became thirty-seven members stronger.

The new members, our new brothers, are: Donald K. Allen, Barrett R. Bryant, William P. Caldwell, Leonard P. Chandler, Jr., Charles D. Church, Edgar A. Chiborne, James A. Cox, Carthan F. Currin, Jr., Vernon R. Divers, William T. Doyle, Donald S. Eaton, Joseph A. Felts, Jr., John Elmer Foster, Jerry H. G. Iliher, Hobson I. Gattis, Jr., Burgess H. Hamlet, Jr., Frank H. Harris, Frank H. Hill, Jr., Milton F. Jefferson, Donald S. Jones, George Karos, Gene C. Leonard, William B. McFarlane, Jr., Robert K. Marks, Forrest R. Marshall, Jr., George J. Mehfoud, Jr., Carl G. Morelock, Edwin B. Nash, Gene Powell,



First Row—L. to R.: J. Galliher, Dr. Neuroth, H. Farnsworth, Dr. Krezanoski, F. Pugh.
Second Row—L. to R.: G. Karos, L. Prince, J. Felts, D. Allen, F. Harris.

William B. Ritchie, Arnauld F. Scafidi, Michael A. Sciota, James E. Shelton, Jr., Thomas G. Skeen, Robert C. Sturgill, Jr., William D. Wisman, Sheldon L. Zimmermen.

We were also happy to have Dr. Warren E. Weaver, the dean of our school to join us as an honorary member. The banquet was high-lighted by Brother Frank H. Eby's enthusiastic speech. After the banquet we had our formal dance which was followed later in the evening by a combo party at our new house.

Shortly after the initiation of the new brothers, it was realized that we had some strong characteristics of leadership so, on February 27, the nominations and elections of new officers was held. When installation time rolled around we found the following new officers: Regent, Hugh Farnsworth; First Vice Regent, Frank Pugh; Second Vice Regent, Jerry Galliher; Third Vice Regent, George Karos; Secretary, Frank Harris; Treasurer, Joe Felts; Historian, Don Allen; Chaplain, Lester Prince.

The leadership of our brothers is not to be confined to the fraternity THETA showed its ability to lead by taking a clean sweep in the school and state elections. Brothers Bob Snoddy and Hugh Farnsworth were elected to pilot our student government as President and Secretary-Treasurer respectively. Also in the state elections, THETA showed dominance as Brothers Don Allen, John Foster, Gene Morelock, Arnauld Scafidi and Frank Harris were elected to lead our Student Branch of the Virginia Pharmaceutical Association.

Now that the work has almost been finished for the year, we are looking forward to some relaxing times as the spirit of spring parties is in the air. Brother Charles Lowman and Brother Richard Geoghean are planning a trip to Florida for the Easter holidays. Here is hoping that they have a nice trip and bring back some suggestions for some relaxing parties.

DON ALLEN, Historian

MU—MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Greetings again from Mu. By the time you read this you will all be lolling at the beaches if you are underclassmen, or, if graduates, worrying about the results of the state boards.

We held the first part of our elections during our first meeting in April. We elected Robert Rocheleau as our Regent, Brendan O'Toole as Secretary, and Peter O'Reilly as Treasurer. The other elections are to be held as soon as possible. The results will be printed in the next Mask.

On April 6, 1957, we held our Fiftieth Anniversary Banquet at the Statler Hotel in Boston. The affair was really tremendous. It was attended by 189 members including 4 Charter Members, 3 Grand Officers, and 78 members of the Graduate Chapter. The evening started off with a cocktail hour at six o'clock with dinner served at seven o'clock. After an excellent meal of prime roast of beef, the evening responses were started. The first words were given by Dr. Maynard W. Quimby, our toastmaster. Short talks were given by Richard Hughes, Regent of Mu Chapter; Stanley J. Blanchfield, Regent of Boston Graduate Chapter; and Howard C. Newton, dean of The Massachusetts College of Pharmacy. Dean Newton presented the four Kappa Psi Scholarships:

Eldin V. Lynn Memorial Scholarship—Harry Karavolas.

Edmund J. Berube Memori l Scholarship-James Witt.

Douglas Wilson Memorial Scholarship-Richard Raymond.

Ray S. Kelley Memorial Scholarship-Kenneth Perkins.

After the presentations talks were given by Frank H. Eby, Grand Sec. tary-Treasurer; John J. Murphy, Charter Member of Mu Chapter; Karl A. Nieforth, Historian of Mu Chapter; Walter R. Williams, Grand Historian; Samuel M. Best, President of The Massachusetts College of Pharmacy; and James Mickles, Grand Council Deputy of Mu Chapter. Professor Mickles presented plaques to three of the officers of Mu in appreciation of the fine work they have done for the Chapter this year. The officers were Regent Richard Hughes, Secretary James Hebert, and Treasurer Harry Karavolas. The Membership Certificates were given to our new brothers along with their pins at this time.

A plaque coming from the Central Office was presented to the Chapter in honor of fifty years of continuous loyalty by Mu. It is the first plaque of

its type to be presented.

Due to a fine job by our First Vice Regent Merle Sheets and his committee a large group of freshmen were initiated this year. The new Brothers are: Ronald Aragg, Frank Barba, Richard Bertrand, Richard Burr, Richard Capra, Peter Caradonna, Thomas Dolan, Thomas Famiglietti, Bruce Hartshorn, William Kandianis, Spero Kessaris, Robert Lavoie, Richard Miller, Gerald Murphy, Walter McKenzie, Arthur Poussard, Anthony Ricciardone, Sydney Russell, Lawson Sencabaugh, John Scovill, Anthony Taglieri, Murard Tavitian, Albert Valade, and Nerses Zeytoonian. Our freshman Brothers have been very active this year at school capturing several of the class offices.

The plans for our Annual Formal are completed and we are looking forward to the best formal yet. This will be the first year in several that—the formal will not be held in a hotel ballroom in Boston. We have acquired the Commonwealth Country Club. The setting is beautiful. All we need now is a nice warm, dry May night. The dance is to be held on May 4 which is the day we

received our Charter, fifty years ago.

As we near graduation time and have recovered from our Educational Trip to Indianapolis and Detroit, we seniors begin to realize that our college days are just about over. The following Brothers graduate this year: Kenneth Ball, Roderick Berube, John Burrill, Nicholas Casaburi, Retiring Chaplain Kwong Chow, Walter Chiampa, Robert Dion, Richard Fitzpatrick, William Fortier, Gerald Hajarian, Retiring Secretary James Hebert, Retiring Social Affairs Chairman Richard Hedlund, George Holcomb, Retiring Regent Richard Hughes, Retiring Vice Regent Richard Jones, Retiring Treasurer Harry Karavolas, Retiring Vice Regent Alfred Keshishian, George Marc-Aurele, Carmen Merlino, Alfred Monk, David Mortenson, William Murrman, Retiring Historian Karl Nieforth, Harold Partamian, Francis Perry, Joseph Poirier, Donald Pushor, Platt Quackenbush, George Roentsch, Wilfred Rusia, Richard Samson, Paul Sheehan, Retiring Vice Regent Merle Sheets, Fred Stritch, Stephen Wilk, and Louis Zampitella.

Psi Chapter of Rho Chi Pharmaceutical Honor Society held its annual banquet on April 9, 1957. Several Mu Chapter members were initiated including Samuel Koorjian, Karl Nieforth, Frank Roia, Leeds Carluccio, Philip Tremblay, Kenneth Perkins, James Gagnon, Robert Lane and William Doran.

Congratulations are in order for two of our Brothers, retiring Regent Richard Hughes and David Mortenson, who have received assistantships in the department of chemistry at The Massachusetts College of Pharmacy. Two other Brothers, George Holcomb and yours truly have received assistantships in the Pharmaceutical Chemistry Department at Purdue University. We are both looking forward to meeting the Brothers of Pi Chapter.

This is the last time that I shall have the honor of writing the Chapter reports for The Mask. I hope that my successor enjoys the position as much as I have this last year. To all the graduating Brothers over the country, I should like to

wish the best of luck and happiness.

Fraternally, KARL NIEFORTH, Historian

NU-UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

Greetings from Nu Chapter. Once again we leave a very successful winter term behind and look forward to the last few days of classes.

Our social activities have included a number of weekend parties. One of the most enjoyable was held after the Holy Cross basketball game. The brothers and their dates attended this game in a group as they do for all the UCONN home games. Exchange dinners have also been a highlight of our social calendar.

In sports Nu Chapter has had a very successful year. Brother Bob Heller, a member of the varsity track team, recently broke the university hammer throw record. Bob threw the hammer 46 feet 734 inches at a track meet with Holy Cross and Boston University.

Our basketball team tied for first place in their league. They lost the play-off game by one point. This still qualified them for the Campus Invitational Tournament. They reached the quarter final round of the tournament and then were defeated by Sigma Nu one of the biggest teams on campus.

A large group of brothers traveled to Newington on the night of March 27 to attend a dinner honoring pharmacy inspector Ed Goodmaster. Brother Goodmaster is very active in the Connecticut Graduate Chapter as well as in Nu Chapter. He has attended many of Nu Chapter's banquets,

dinners, and open houses.

In commemorating the University of Connecticut's 75th Anniversary, each school or college had a week set aside in its honor. Pharmacy Week began Sunday, March 31. On that day an "Open House" was held at the pharmacy building. Most of the brothers either ushered or demonstrated in one of the laboratories during the day. For many families of the brothers it was their first chance to visit the school of pharmacy. After the "Open House" a six-course dinner was served at the Kappa Psi chapter house for the brothers, their families and friends, and other friends of Nu Chapter. Steward Bob Heller reported that 218 people attended the dinner. It is believed that it was one of the biggest dinners ever attempted on campus without the help of caterers. Special guests

included: Prof. and Mrs. Nicholas W. Fenney, immediate past Grand Regent and Editor of THE MASK; Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Williams, Grand Historian; Dr. and Mrs. A. Jorgensen, president of the University of Connecticut; Dr. and Mrs. Beal; Dr. and Mrs. A. Schwarting; Dr. and Mrs. Cleverdon; Mr. Robert Grieb, state narcotic agent; pharmacy inspector James Miller and many gradnate students

Quiz programs have come to the university radio station with Kappa Psi taking the spotlight. Our team won three weeks in a row, thus they made the final rounds which will be held in May. Our winning team consisted of Ray Buccino,

Carrine, and Cliff Gingras.

Nu Chapter was pleased to have had brothers from three other chapters visit them within the last few months. The chapters were Mu, Beta Epsilon, and Beta Delta. The group from Beta Epsilon, a pledge class, was greeted with much joy since we did not have a pledge class at the time. We are looking forward to having some of the brothers of Beta Delta down for a weekend in the near future. If brothers from any other chapters are in the Connecticut area remember to drop in and see us here at Storrs. Our welcome mat is always out.

Brother Jim Spencer was recently elected to the office of treasurer in the UCONN branch of

the A.Ph.A.

Social Chairman Don Carrine and his committee, after a very fine social calendar thus far, have many plans for the rest of the school year. The highlight will be our Spring Formal to be held May 4 at the Chestnut Lodge in Colchester. Also planned is a Formal Coffee for our house mother. The last day of classes will be the date for our Spring Picnic. Last year's was the most successful in the history of Nu Chapter. We served lobster and steaks with some nice cool liquid

In closing I wish to extend best of luck to our graduating seniors. I am sure they will carry many fond memories of Kappa Psi with them wherever they may go.

> Fraternally yours, FRANK KRAVANEC, Historian

XI-OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Hello to all our Brothers from Xi Chapter. Here at Ohio State we are beginning another eventful quarter.

We would like to extend our congratulations to Brother Bob Bennett who graduated last quarter. He held the office of Vice Regent.

Our initiation was held the first week of the quarter in the Union. Five men were admitted to the Chapter. They are: Ralph Drayer, Ed Higgins, Al Oravac, George Leonard, and Jack Bergquist. We congratulate these men and hope they will help us in improving our Chapter.

Our basketball team was a success finishing the season with a 6 wins 2 loss record. This was good enough to win the league championship and reach the semi-finals in the interleague playoffs. We are organizing a baseball team at the present time under the able guidance of Joel Arnold, Terry Hawkins and Bob Reid.

Last week we held our elections and the officers for the coming year are: Dick Gleckler, Regent; Joel Arnold, Vice Regent; Jim La Moreaux, Secretary; Bob Reid, Treasurer; and Jack Bergquist,

Our annual spring formal is to be held April 26 and our social co-chairmen, Jim La Moreaux and Dick Gleckler have a very enjoyable evening

In behalf of Xi Chapter I would like to extend hest wishes to all the graduating Brothers and to those who will be back, the best of luck during the coming summer. I will now turn my office over to our new Historian Jack Bergquist and say

Fraternally yours, BILL LAMOREAUX, Historian

PI-PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Spring is here again, although one might not know it from the unusual weather we have had lately. April 8 saw a snowfall of over three inches on the Purdue campus. A few days before, a severe ice storm pruned all the trees and cut off much of the telephone service in this area. The Wabash River is already out of its banks.

Spring at Chapter Pi means a new pledge class once more. A fine group we have, too, although not as large as the last one. Pledges are: Don Spitler, Russell Phares, Jr., Ed Sugita, Bill Braden, Bud Casey, Roger Lindskoog, James Freudenburg, Philip Davis, Larry Reitz, Dick Huder, Glenn Whitecotten, Bruce Storm, Eddie Webber, Tom Starke, Steve Sprott, and Jim Reed.

On Tuesday, March 19, at a joint meeting of the Chapter and Kappa Psi Incorporated, the following new officers were installed: Gerald Bruno, Regent; Robert Bryan, Vice Regent; Wavne Martin, Secretary; Robert Holden, Treasurer; Fred Odom, Historian; Frank Snyder, Chaplain and Parliamentarian; Joseph Gilrowski, Pledge Trainer; and Robert Mercker, Assistant Pledge Trainer. Dr. Glen J. Sperandio retained his position of Grand Council Deputy.

New members elected to the Board of Directors of Kappa Psi Incorporated were: Joseph Haberle and Fred Odom. Members re-elected were: Dr. Robert V. Evanson, Harold Beaman, and Gerald

Much discussion has taken place in recent meetings concerning the renting or buying of a chapter



AT PI SMOKER

A scene from a recent smoker held in the Purdue student union building.



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Officers, old and new (each new officer sitting in front of his predecessor). Front row, left to right: Fred Odom, Frank Snyder, Robert Bryan, Gerald Bruno, Wayne Martin, and Robert Holden. Back row: Robert Kluthe, James Caldwell, Lou Segall, Jack Gomes, James Southall, and William Munden.

house. This is an encouraging sign; and, though little of a concrete nature has been done to date, we certainly hope to see the house become a reality within the next few years. In order to help the project along, some of the brothers sold mums at the football games. Other such helps are planned, with a portion of the income to be set aside for the house.

Other events to take place soon include another picnic with other pharmacy organizations.

Here's hoping, also, a world of success to the prospective brothers soon to be initiated.

Fraternally yours,

FRED ODOM, Historian

UPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Greetings to the brothers in Kappa Psi from Upsilon Chapter. We have been busy, to say the least, since the last letter was sent to The Mask. We have had two initiations, had the Province VII Assembly, donated blood to the A.R.C., elected new officers, planned our Spring Formal Dance and have gone to school in the interim.

The first semester of this year we had the honor of initiating into our brotherhood Mr. E. M. Joseph, Executive Secretary of the Kentucky State Board of Pharmacy, as a graduate member. Mr. Josey has been very active in Pharmacy in the state of Kentucky and also on the national level. He has been nominated twice for president of the A.Ph.A., in 1954 and 1955. He served as vice chairman of the House of Delegates of the A.Ph.A. in 1947-48 and as chairman in 1952-53. He was secretary of the National Conference of State Pharmaceutical Association Secretaries from 1946 to 1950; first vice president from 1951 to 1953; president, 1953-54; and member of the Executive Committee, 1954-55. In 1950-51 he served the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy as vice president; as president in 1951-52 and as chairman of the Executive Committee in 1953-54. As a member of the Council on Pharmaceutical Education of the University of Kentucky, 1943-53, Mr. Josey played an especially active role in bringing about the affiliation of the Louisville College of Pharmacy with the University of Kentucky.

Brother Josey is also editor of the Kentucky Pharmacist which is the professional publication of the Kentucky Pharmaceutical Association, Mr. Josey is a very gregarious and friendly fellow and has always supported the pharmacists in Kentucky. He has always had an ear for the students too, being willing to help them in every way possible with their problems of apprenticeship and he has tried constantly to improve the standards and conditions of the pharmacy apprentice in Kentucky.

Also initiated at the December initiation were the following collegiate brothers; James Chaddic, Robert Cole, II, Henry Herrmann, David House, Julio Polio, Robert Taylor, and Scott Wicker.

As stated in the last letter, we were host to the Province VII Assembly in November. This was the initial meeting of this newly formed province and was a great success due to a lot of hard work and good planning plus the companionship and cooperation of some swell brothers from Psi, Gamma Pi, and Gamma Omega. Our Grand Council Deputy, Professor Richard M. Doughty, was elected vice-satrap of the province. Congratulations Mr. "D"!

In March, Upsilon initiated fourteen new collegiate brothers from the Sophomore Class. They were Edward V. Barry, William Borders, Chester S. Burnett, Charles W. Cheatham, Samuel E. Hale, Jr., Darwin G. Hazel, Randall L. Lockhart, Bobby C. McKinney, Robert L. Nold, Delbert Northcutt, D. Howard Ralston, Robert R. Schrier, Jackie R. Spinks and Lloyd R. Tackett.

Tuesday, April 2, four members of Upsilon, Bernard Poe, Thomas Fossett, Samuel Shouse, and Henry Hermann, were initiated into the Rho Chi Pharmaceutical Honor Society. Congratulations fellows!

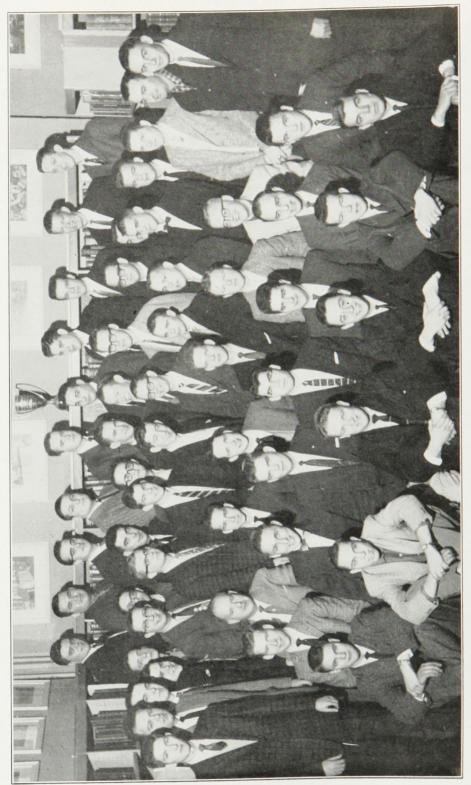
Plans have been completed for the Spring Formal to be held at the Pastime Boat Club on May 17; the bids are out and we are looking forward with anticipation to our last Spring Formal in Louisville.

Brother Poe of this chapter represented the Kentucky Student Branch of the A.Ph.A. at the District IV meeting last month and has returned jubilant about the many he met there including Kappa Psi's,

Since the last letter, the Upsilon Chapter has had the entire slate of officers elected to head the Student Branch of the A.Ph.A. at our school until January, 1958. They include as President, Charles W. Long; Vice President, Roy L. English; and Secretary-Treasurer, James Arnold.

New officers elected to Upsilon last month were as follows: Regent, Paul L. Price; Vice Regent, Charles W. Long; Secretary, D. Howard Ralston; Treasurer, David Wren (re-elected); Chaplain, William Borders; Historian, Robert Nold.

September, 1957 will see the U. of Ky. College of Pharmacy in its new building on the campus in Lexington, Kentucky. From what we have heard from those who have seen it, it is really beautiful and will be a real milestone for Pharmacy in Kentucky. The transfer to the campus will be a challenge to the fraternity because of the numerous social frats which will be operating in competition to Kappa Psi. At present, in preparation for the



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move, we are having a drive for funds for a house on campus. It will also be wonderful to get out from under all these packing cases and excelsior which surrounds me as I write.

Until the next letter when the new Historian, Bob Nold, will report, best wishes to all from Upsilon and Good Luck, Bob!

Fraternally yours, CHARLES W. LONG, Historian

CHI-UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

After a week of Spring Vacation, the boys of Chi Chapter have returned to school with vim and vigor which, I am sure, will prove to be vital assets in the academic and fraternal tasks before them. All the Brothers feel that this will be one of our best quarters scholastically, socially, and athletically; however we will have to go a long way to better last quarter's efforts.

The Winter Quarter will long be remembered by the Brothers, for it was during this time that Chi Chapter really outdid themselves. In sports, the boys of Kappa Psi were Inter-Fraternity Volleyball Champs, runners-up in basketball, and we hope to do even better during the current baseball season with Frank Grabowski and Dick

Schlueter at the helm.

The Winter Quarter party was a great success thanks to Gene Belczak and Wally Setlak. Everyone turned out for this one dressed in typical South Sea fashion, Chris Stankus and Dave Haraburda were just about the best looking native "girls?" you've ever seen and their dates looked perfect in their salty sailor outfits. The fruit punch, spiked with something called fire water, was mixed and served by Steve Benak and his crew of pledges.

For the second time in as many years, the Kappa Psi candidate was chosen Queen of the Winter Carnival. This year the lucky girl was Miss Lenore Zamis from the College of Nursing of the University of Illinois. Of course we all knew she would win since everyone knows the Kappa Psi men have an eye for beauty and charm. This honor coupled with winning first prize for our booth, Kappa Vegas, made the night complete. A celebration was in order, so everyone journeyed to the Owl Inn where a party was held for all the Brothers and their dates. Hats off to Lenore, Tom Braun and his carnival committee.

On April 10 we had our Annual Father and Son Banquet, which was preceded by formal initiation at the Union Building. We would like to thank the Graduate Chapter for their fine cooperation in this affair and also the Vice Regent, Chris Stankus and his pledge committee. We now have seven new Brothers, all of whom I am sure,

will be a credit to Kappa Psi.

We understand that Joe Simons, accompanied by his sidekick Lou Fedu, went to Fargo, North Dakota during spring vacation. We sent Lou along to chaperon Joe on his visit to see a certain Miss at St. Luke's School of Nursing. Joe and Lou thank the boys at Beta Sigma Chapter and we at Chi would like to lay out the welcome mat to all Kappa Psi members visiting Chicago.

CHI CHATTER: Congratulations to Steve Benak and Ed Kropidlowski who are now members of Rho Chi. . . . Rumor has it that Wally Pupich will join the ball and chain crew this summer. . . . Ted Choate has just returned to school after serving his hitch with Uncle Sam.



Miss Lenore H. Zamis, Kappa Psi's winning candidate for University of Illinois' Winter Carnival Queen. 941

What's the story on Joe Simons and his blond friend from Fargo? . . . Jack Lange, who has been in the hospital these past few weeks, should be well enough soon to set up shop at the Owl Inn once more.

We hope to see all of Province IV at the convention at the end of this month. The doors of 614 S. Ashland will be open to all Brothers.

In closing, I wish to extend to all our Brothers in Kappa Psi a happy Easter Season, and to all our brothers who will be graduating this June, much success in their future, wherever they may be.

Fraternallyy yeaurs, CAESAR A. GARIBALDI, Historian

PSI-UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE

We are sorry to announce the leaving of our sponsor, Mr. W. H. Hassler, and we also extend a hearty welcome to our new sponsor, Dr. James G. Young. Dr. Young received his Ph.D. at the University of North Carolina, where he was a member of the Beta Xi Chapter of Kappa Psi.

At the present we have forty-five members in the Psi Chapter, eighteen of which will graduate in June. We also have twenty-nine pledges who will have been initiated into the Brotherhood by the time this letter is published.



PSI CHAPTER HOUSE



PSI CHAPTER LIVING ROOM Some brothers relaxing at TV

Our present officers are: Regent, Guy C. Johnson; Vice Regent, Robert Mitchell; Secretary, Tommy Beard; and Treasurer, Billy F. Brooks. Our Fraternity Sweetheart is Mrs. Jean C. Davis, wife of Brother Robert C. Davis.

We are all proud of our house, I am enclosing a couple of pictures of the house; one picture shows the front view of the house with a few Brothers on the front porch, and the other picture showing a few of the Brothers "studying" in the living room,

> Fraternally, G. Gary Francis, Historian

OMEGA—RUTGERS UNIVERSITY

During November and December Omega has been primarily concerned with its pledge training program. The pledges were enthusiastically carrying out any assignments which their "Big Brothers" bestowed upon them and in general absorbed all the harassment meted out. The primary aim of the program was not to humiliate the pledges but to show them that becoming a Brother is not a simple and routine matter. The pledge training program was ably organized and carried out by Brother Don Longenberger. Every week during the program the pledges were examined on the history, structure, and goals of the Fraternity. The pledges which were thought to be deficient in knowledge of any phase of the Fraternity's activities were given assignments and



OMEGA INITIATION DINNER

(I to r) Brother Pesciotta, Dr. Goeckel, Dr. Voight (Speaking), Brother Guglielmelli, Dr. King and Dr. Wuggatzer.

haunted by their shortcomings until the material was known.

"Hell Night" on January 27 completed the training program and to say that the pledges paid for any shortcomings during the previous period is putting things mildly. This I think was the most successful part of the program (from the Brothers' standpoint anyway). On February 3 the pledges were initiated with all the required ritual of the Fraternity. They were at this time recognized as Brothers and were again made familiar with the aims of Fraternity plus the secrecy which must be maintained of the Fraternity's functions.

must be maintained of the Fraternity's functions. Omega Chapter recently held its election of officers for the coming year. The following Brothers were elected to office: Regent, Michael Guglielmelli; Vice Regent, Leonard Duca; Secretary, Bernard Miller; Ass't. Secretary, Joseph Oszeyczik; Treasurer, Walter Stankiewicz; Historian, Robert Scully; Chaplain, Fred Schlecht; Sergeant-at-Arms, Alfred Fadil; Interfraternity Council Representatives, Joseph LiBrizzi and Kenneth Treidel; Grand Council Deputy, Dr. Walter Wuggatzer. The newly elected officers would like



OMEGA'S NEW OFFICERS

Front (I to r) are Leonard Duca (Assistant Secretary), R. Scully (Historian), Fred Schlecht (Chaplain), Walter Stankiewicz (Treasurer) and Al Tadi (Sergeant at Arms).

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to take this opportunity to congratulate and thank the outgoing officers for a job well done over

the past year.

Twenty new Brothers were elected to membership in February. Eight of these are of the junior class: William Allwardt, Ronald Balsamo, John Cerutti, Louis DeGroot, Gerard Salvatore, Edward Seman, Robert Scully, Richard Van Inwegan, while the remaining neophytes are sophomores John DeSimone, Louis DiFazio, Larry D'Oria, Alfred Fadil, Alex Kononchuk, Albert Lambariello, Joseph McCabe, Bernard Miller, Joseph Oszeyczik, Edward Rembisz, John Sugameli, and Stephen Swihura.

On March 31 the new Brothers were feted at an initiation dinner at which we had a fine turnout including some graduate Brothers. The speaker for the evening was Dr. John Voight of the College of Pharmacy Extension Service who gave a fine talk concerning the illicit sale of drugs in New Jersey. Scholarship keys were presented to Brothers Joseph Jasaitis and Joseph Micale in recognition of their splendid achievements scholastically during their course of study here at the College. Those Brothers who were elected to membership this year received their membership certificates and mugs and were given a chance to meet with the Graduate Brothers in attendance. While on the subject of social affairs, a dinner dance was held on February 9 and a good time was had by all. Plans are also underway to again have the shore house this summer at Belmar, New Jersey which last year proved a huge success.

The February meeting of the Chapter was a joint meeting and dinner at the New York Athletic Club with the Brothers of Gamma. The meeting proved to be successful and gave the Brothers of Omega an opportunity to strengthen their ties of Kappa Psi brotherhood beyond walls of Rutgers University. Perhaps we should have more such

joint affairs in the future.

The upperclassmen are still carrying the bloodshot eyes and other side effects of the trip to the Eli Lilly plant in Indianapolis where they met

with Brothers of Beta Omicron.

Our retiring Regent, Marshall Pesciotta, and Vice Regent, Joseph Micale, appeared as speakers on the program of the Province II Assembly at Eta Chapter. The talks on the "Ideal Pledge Training Program for Kappa Psi" and the "Conduct of Kappa Psi Men On and Off the Campus" respectively were very well received. Joe's very impressive presentation aided in his election to the office of Satrap of the Province. Two other members of the New Jersey Graduate Chapter and, incidently, members of the faculty here at the College of Pharmacy were elected to Province offices. They were Dr. Louis King, Secretary; and Mr. Michael Iannarone, Treasurer.

Congratulations are in order for our basketball team which annexed Kappa Psi's second College of Pharmacy Intramural Championship of the school year. Brother Leonard Duca was high point man in the league for the second consecutive year. Our congratulations also are extended to Brother John Cerutti on his recent election to the Rho Chi National Honor Society and also winning the Rho Chi Award for attaining the highest scholastic average in his first year at the College of

Pharmacy.

The Brothers of Omega would like to wish good luck to all of the graduating Brothers of Kappa Psi and nothing short of the best in all of their future endeavors. We are hoping to see many of you at the A. Ph. A. Convention. Fraternally yours,

ROBERT SCULLY, Historian

BETA GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Greetings to everyone from the University of California in San Francisco. We started off our spring semester with our initiation dinner on February 23. The dinner was held at the Bermuda Palms near San Rafael, California. The evening started at 7 P.M. with cocktails, and dinner was served at 8. Ten new members were initiated into the fraternity and they were the following: Bernie Mander, Jean Siu, George Howells, Kanti Lal, Leon Levy, Joe Soofer, Howard Pfitzer, Rusell Kwok, James Cassolias, and Bob De Matteis. Despite a soaking rain which lasted throughout the entire evening, everyone had a great time.

On March 21, we had a visit from our Grand Regent, Dr. Louis Fischer. A buffet dinner was served that evening, and Dr. Donald Brodie our advisor, and several alumni were also present. Dr. Fischer discussed with us some of the considerations being made for the future of Kappa Psi. He also discussed with us, the meeting of the Western groups which will be held in Seattle, Washington,

soon.

Our new officers for the year are the following: Regent, Bud Taylor; Vice Regent, Ray Guilfoyle; Treasurer, Pete Patella; Historian, Leon Levy; Chaplain, Bob Day; Corresponding Secretary, George Howells; Recording Secretary, Machi Kuwabara; House Manager, Dick Penna.

The season for basketball at the Medical Center in San Francisco started in November for us, and will last through May. During the spring semester the team's basketball jerseys finally arrived. As of this date the team is in 4th place, and should finish this way or better by May.

On March 24, we had a "Lay in the Hay" house party. The house basement was decorated for the occasion with ropes, lights, hay, and old clothes. Some of the couples wore western styles, but guns and horses were not allowed. We had four bales of hay in the basement which proved to be messy enough. The music arrangement had been recorded on tape previously, and proved to be very good.

On April 1, we had an exchange dance with San Francisco State College. We had music from our reliable tape recorder, and a good evening

was enjoyed by all.

If any of the chapters have newsletters that they publish, we would appreciate being on their mailing list. Address the letters to Beta Gamma Chapter, 398 Parnassus Ave., San Francisco, California.

Fraternally yours,

LEON LEVY, Historian

BETA DELTA—ALBANY COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

By now the spring fever bug has bitten all of us, so we might as well enjoy it! As is usual, fraternal activity becomes dizzy around this time of year.

Beta Delta pledged fifteen new Kappa Psi

Brothers this year. They are the following: Al Carroll, Bill Depew, Mike Davis, Dick Marra, Bob Mucci, Bob Billington, Fran Oliva, Jack Cherry, Gus Dobish, Bill Amsden, Bill Hoppy, Bob Davis, Joe Walsh, John Clark, Win Dobbins and Pete Zito. Informal initiation, commonly called "hell-night" was held on March 13—everybody survived. These men were formally accepted into Kappa Psi on March 19. Great promise is shown by our new Brothers.

At the meeting of April 3, the new officers of Beta Delta Chapter of Kappa Psi were elected and formally installed. They are as following: Vice Regent, Bert Goggins; Recording Secretary, Joe Chiarella; Corresponding Secretary, Jack Cherry; Treasurer, Mike Sube; Historian, Mo Francis; Chaplain, Ted O'Toole. As is customary, past Vice Regent Wes Barnard becomes the new Regent. Wes will be given unending cooperation from his Beta Delta Brothers. On behalf of all Kappa Psi members, I wish to congratulate past Regent Dave Serrone for a job more-than-well done. It was a pleasure to work with Dave in the various fraternal endeavors.

As this is my last "News Letter" as Historian of Beta Delta Chapter, I wish to express thanks to the Brothers of Kappa Psi for letting me bring to them a picture of fraternal activity in my chapter. I leave this pleasure to my successor Mo Francis, who will bring news of the annual Sweetheart Dance, Banquet and Spring Picnic in the next issue. With this I hang up my quill. As ever I remain.

Fraternally years,
JOSEPH CHIARELLA, Historian

BETA EPSILON—RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE OF PHARMACY AND ALLIED SCIENCES

Final greetings from Providence. Rush Week was held in December and the Brothers of Beta Epsilon had orientation nights, where prospective candidates were given the facts of our Fraternity. Movies were shown and refreshments were served also. A New Year Party was held at the Chapter House and a "good time" made it successful. All who attended enjoyed it thoroughly.

The latter part of January brought about the election of officers. Elected were: Charles Lynch, Regent; Walter Krochmal, Vice Regent; Robert Noret, Secretary; Fred Barrowclough, Assistant Secretary; Gene Pistacchio, Chaplain; Edward Dyer, Historian. I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the out-going officers for a job well done. I am sure I am at liberty to express this for everyone at Beta Epsilon.

Bids were sent out in early February. Those who accepted and became pledges were: Peter Pashnik, Warren Goolgasian, Richard Butterfield, Dennis Flowers, Robert Kaufman, Richard Smith, Thomas Brady, and Anthony DiSanto. We feel our pledges were among the best of those eligible for acceptance into a fraternity and are certain they made a wise choice selecting Kappa Psi.

We regret the passing of our dean, Dr. W. Henry Rivard. Brother Rivard always insisted the men of Kappa Psi live up to, and maintain its high professional standards. His death is a great loss to the chapter.

Brother Walter R. Williams, Grand Historian, from Nu Chapter, spent a day with us.



NEW BROTHERS OF BETA EPSILON

Left to right: Richard Smith, Peter Pashnik, Robert Kaufman, Thomas Brady, Warren Goolgasian, Dennis Flowers, Richard Butterfield and Anthony DiSanto.

He looked over the chapter records and stated we were in good shape. That evening we all attended a dinner meeting. Faculty members present were: Brothers Dr. R. E. Brillhart, now acting dean; Clinton Johnson, Henry Mason, and Theodore Lemeshka. Other guests included: Brothers Walter R, Williams and Dr. Heber W. Youngken, Jr.

March 8, was 1st degree. All the pledges succeeded in passing the most difficult part of their pledge period. On March 12, there was a dinner meeting and the 2nd and 3rd degree was completed. We are proud to announce that Dr. Eugene Winslow, of the University of Rhode Island, accepted our bid and is now a Facultate Brother.

The Fraternity Formal was held at Johnson's Hummocks in Providence. The dinner was wonderful and after the dancing concluded everyone went to the Chapter House. An enjoyable evening was had by all who were present.

Our new Brothers who, incidently, were those pledges previously mentioned, wish to extend their thanks to the Brothers at Nu Chapter for the courtesy shown them on their visit. Our Pledgemaster, Walt Krochmal, did an excellent job in the short time he was allotted. (Only seven weeks.)

Brothers of the junior and senior classes went on their class trip, which started April 8. Their tour covered the Eli Lilly and Abbott Companies. We hope they thought of us toiling away in class. It's a shame more of the faculty couldn't accompany them. Spring vacation started April 14. (A whole week!)

Next September will find us on the Campus of U.R.I. We are planning to transfer our charter in the near future, Dean Youngken has been very helpful and has shown us every courtesy in preparation for next year. He is working hard preparing for the transfer of the College from Providence to the University, and there is no doubt that he and his faculty will have a "top notch" College of Pharmacy in a very short time.

Well, with the seniors counting the days until graduation and with the end of the semester almost upon us, the Brothers of Beta Epsilon wish you good luck in your final exams.

Fraternally yours,

EDWARD DYER. Historian

BETA ETA-WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

Greetings to all brothers in Kappa Psi, everywhere.

Election of officers for the coming year was held at the March meeting of the chapter. Brother Ray Shaw was named to the post of Regent. Brother Shaw will be aided during the coming year by Carl Walters, Vice Regent; Charles Coe, Secretary; John Buck, Treasurer; Jim Cash, Historian, Jack Ramey, Chaplain; Prof. F. L. Geiler, Grand Council Deputy; and Prof. G. A. Bergy, Financial Advisor.

Initiation ceremonies for the spring pledge class will be held at the local Presbyterian Church, Sunday afternoon April 14. At this time about twenty pledges will become brothers in Kappa Psi. A followup on the initiation will be the annual initiation banquet to be held at the Kingwood Inn, Kingwood, W.Va. on the next evening, April 15. We are pleased to report that Brother Frank H. Eby, Grand Secretary-Treasurer, will be a guest at this banquet. Mr. Eby will be in Morgantown to inspect Beta Eta Chapter on that day.

A revision of the chapter by-law was approved at the March chapter meeting which establishes a house fund for the chapter and also establishes a permanent committee to supervise this fund. Any money placed in this fund can only be used to build, rent, lease or maintain a chapter house.

Congratulations are extended to Brother Roger Hornbrook on his election as president of the local student branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association. Brother Hornbrook, along with Brothers Wolford, Shelton, and Riffee are planning to attend the convention of the American Pharmaceutical Association in New York City, April 28 to May 3.

Brothers Roger Hornbrook and Richard Radar were recently initiated into Rho Chi Society. Roger

was elected president of the society.

A cordial welcome was extended to Frank O'Connell at the February chapter meeting. Mr. O'Connell joined the College of Pharmacy faculty at the start of the second semester. He is a Kappa Psi brother from Mu Chapter at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, where he received his B.S. and M.S. degrees. This is Mr. O'Connell's first position after receiving his Ph.D. in pharmacognosy at Purdue University.

During the first week of May many of the brothers along with other members of the College of Pharmacy will be the guests of Abbott Labora-

tories in North Chicago, Illinois.

Brother Charles DaVis has been awarded a fellowship at Purdue University for next year where he will do graduate work in pharmaceutical chemistry.

With this report, I will retire as Chapter Historian. It has been a most enjoyable task.

Fraternally yours,

RAY D. OGDEN, Historian

BETA LAMBDA—UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO

The Brothers of Beta Lambda wish to extend a very cordial and hearty "Hello" to all the



AT BETA LAMBDA'S ALUMNI PARTY Professor Jose Aponte receives a retiring gift from retiring Regent, Joseph C. Vedda.

Brothers of Kappa Psi. The spring semester has found Beta Lambda Chapter in a very aggressive and operative mood.

Beta Lambda held its annual Alumni Stag Party February 22 at the NYC Sportsmen's Club. The newly elected officers officially installed at this party were Regent Lawrence Woodford, Vice Regent, James Ruddock; Secretary, Richard Belcher; Treasurer, Ramon DePaul; Historian, Thomas Bodnovich, and Chaplain, Donald Geniec. The best of luck to them for the coming year. However, we must express deep appreciation to our retiring officers for the splendid attitude and progressive thinking that they have instilled into



BETA LAMBDA'S NEW REGENT Joseph C. Vedda presents newly elected Regent, Lawrence Woodford, with the gavel.

the Fraternity with their leadership. At the close of the installation ceremony the retiring Regent, Joseph C. Vedda, presented a gift to Professor Jose Aponte in appreciation for his contributions and efforts to the Fraternity. Professor Aponte has relinquished his post as Grand Council Deputy for Beta Lambda Chapter to Dr. Robert J. Schlembach.

A Rush Party was held March 18 at the Grotto Hall, and as a result we have seven new pledges: George Uhlar, Kenneth McCormick, Richard Bajus, Dwain Chappuies, Robert Hunt, Gerald Aller and Glenn Reeder. Our newly selected pledgemaster, Carl Deiner, is doing an excellent job of organizing an active and constructive pledge program. Endeavoring to instill within the new pledges a feeling of professionalism and knowledge of pharmacy, several pharmaceutical preparations have been assigned to each for study and upon which each pledge will be tested.

One of the professional meetings presented by the Chapter during the early part of the semester met with excellent success as Dr. Richard Schafer, M.D., was invited to speak upon his views of pharmacy. His comments were followed

by a lively discussion period.

The Chapter is also keeping up with its second-to-none record in sports within the College of Pharmacy by defeating Alpha Zeta Omega, pharmaceutical fraternity, in a recent basketball game by an overwhelming score, 58-36. We have been looking forward to a basketball game with the Brothers of Gamma Delta, but maybe a softball game will have to be substituted.

April 2 brought a visit by Dr. George Webster, Grand Counselor. A luncheon was held in his honor during which time the officers met with him and received new ideas and suggestions for Chapter improvement. Later he addressed a meeting of the entire Chapter at the University. His remarks were followed by a very informative dis-

cussion period.

The weekend of April 5-6 was enjoyed by many Beta Lambda Brothers as Gamma Delta Chapter hosted the Province V Assembly in Lima, Ohio. Dr. Robert Schlembach, our GCD, was re-elected as secretary-treasurer and Regent Lawrence Woodford was selected as the province delegate to the National Convention, A real vote of thanks is extended to the Brothers of Gamma Delta for their wonderful hospitality.

Congratulations are in order to Brother John DiCioccio who recently passed the State Board Examination, to Brother Ronald Kunes who recently announced his engagement, and to Brother Harry Thom, and Dale Myers who recently an-

nounced their first born.

We have also been notified that the United States Army has a new addition, Brother Darold

Basista was drafted.

In closing the Brothers of Beta Lambda would like to extend to all our Brothers of Kappa Psi our best wishes for a successful semester and especially with finals.

Until the next issue of THE MASK, I remain,

Fraternally yours,

THOMAS G. BODNOVICH, Historian

BETA XI-UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

The greatest news around the Carolina campus is the recent U.N.C. Tar Heels' basketball victory

over the University of Kansas in the N.C.A.A. Tournament, in Kansas City, Kansas. Needless to say, we are proud of this distinction and hope the Tar Heel Basketballers every good wish for

Recently we held our chapter elections. The following Brothers were elected to office: Regent, Mallory Hugh Hinton; Vice Regent, James Street; Secretary, Billy T. Allen; Treasurer, John Michael Lazarus; Chaplain, Ray Hagwood; Historian, Steve Harrison. We congratulate these Brothers for being chosen as our leaders for the coming year.

To the outgoing officers of Beta Xi, we should like to extend our thanks for a job well done. We are very proud of their efforts and ac-complishments during their respective terms of

office.

Brothers Steve Harrison, Bob Cromley, John McGinnis, Charles Barger, Jim Arena, Ernest Carraway, Fred Phifer, and Tom Burgess attended the Eastern Regional finals and semifinals of the N.C.A.A. Basketball Tournament,



AT BETA XI PLEDGE WEEKEND FESTIVITIES

Top (I to r): Ben Alexander, Jim Haithcock and Allan Boyd. 949

Bottom (I to r): Milner Watson, Tim Owens and Dallas Evans.

held recently in Philadelphia. While there, they visited Eta Chapter at Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, and Beta Omega Chapter at Temple University. They were very favorably impressed with the fine chapter houses. The allround congeniality and remarkable hospitality displayed by the Brothers of these two fine chapters, marks them as among the greatest chapters in our outstanding Fraternity.

The Pharmacy School of the University of North Carolina recently elected officers of the Student Body. Brothers of Beta Xi, in keeping with fine Kappa Psi tradition, were elected to the following offices: President, Mallory Hugh Hinton; Vice President, Wayne Melvin Buie.

Beta Xi is proud to announce the initiation of the following Brothers: Joseph Steven Ferrell, Hugh Mercer Clark, Jimmy Williams, William Whittaker Moose, Johnny McNeil, Gordon Lee O'Briant, and Payton Donald Jackson.

At the recent Pledging Smokers we were very successful in obtaining our usual large number of pledges. They have been very enthusiastic and diligent in the usual pledge projects to which they have been assigned.

Our annual Kappa Psi Pledge Weekend was held February 5-7. The budget, dance, parties, and the usual Sunday-morning Brunch were all well attended. This Pledge Weekend, according to the older Brothers, was the best one in quite some time.

The Province III Assembly is scheduled to be held here on April 12-14. We have been working toward making this Assembly a great success and hope for many delegates to participate in this annual affair. It has been a considerable length of time since our chapter has been selected as the Assembly site. It is with a sense of accomplishment that we accept this honor.

Dr. Fred T. Semeniuk (Sec.-Treas. Province, III) and the former Miss Joyce Edwards, of Toronto, Ontario were married recently. Also Brother Johnny Williams and the former Miss Janice Janz, of Peru, Illinois were married recently.

Fraternally yours,
Steve Harrison, Historian

BETA OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Greetings from Beta Omicron to all of Kappa Psi Brothers. With my first letter before me I will try to put down a few facts and names to initiate myself into the art of writing.

We had a couple socials this quarter with one of them highlighted by Dale Kincade giving us a very inspirational talk about detail men.

We have had a very extensive campaign for pledges and believe we have a very fine group of boys working for our Chapter as part of their pledge duties. You might say they are doing the "dirty work." They are Richard Buxton, William Candy, William Clarke, John Harding, Al Jacobs, Stanley Kieszling, William Ludwig, Dan Nault, John Park, Franklin Roberts, Robert Rogers, George Sinnott, John Vaux, Burke Williams, Keith Wilson, Omel Turk, Emmit Aston.

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There was a change of officers the first of February with some very fine Brothers taking charge: Regent, Paul Britain; Vice Regent, Robert Spence; Secretary, Robert Else; Treasurer, Bill Elliott; Chaplain, James Soyars; Historian, Charles Nunn.

On March the 2 we had a party that topped all parties. It was highlighted by our Brother Bill Elliott's birthday and ended early in the morning with everyone enjoying themselves.

Some of our Brothers are looking forward to spring vacation when they will take a small excursion eastward where they will visit some of the manufacturing houses and observe some of the pharmaceuticals in the making.

Our Chapter has a very important duty to perform for the 1957 Province X Assembly where we will give the new revised initiation ritual. There has been a lot of discussion about it

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I will close my first letter wishing all of my Brothers the best of everything.

Fraternally,

CHARLES E. NUNN, Historian

BETA RHO—UNIVERSITY OF

Greetings to all Kappa Psi Brothers from Beta Rho.

Officers elected to serve for 1957-58 are Melvin Donald, Regent; John Reed, Secretary; Joe Holiday, Vice Regent; Ed Bourdin, Treasurer; Darrell Blaylock, Chaplain; and Dudley Herrington, Historian. We are looking forward to another good year under the leadership of Brother Donald.

Seven new pledges were added to our roll on March 7, 1957, at a banquet. The new pledges are James Dorsett, Carl Comer, Gorden Justice, Claude McNeill. Bill May, Albert Newman and Billy Van Knight.

During the week of April 15-20, the junior and senior classes visited Abbott and Upjohn pharmaceutical houses at Chicago and Kalamzoo respectively.

The Student Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association here at the University of Mississippi will hold its annual picnic at Spring Lake on April 27.

Several of our alumni are present on the campus attending the annual pharmacy conference. Dr. Lewis Nobles is moderator of the conference. Dr. Nobles is also Satrap of Province VII.

Until next issue, I remain.

Fraternally yours,
Dudley Herrington, Historian

BETA SIGMA—NORTH DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE

Greetings again from the "Heart of the Red River Valley." Someone said that spring has finally arrived, but as I glance out of the window I see that snow is falling. Well anyway, some time soon spring will be in full swing. Speaking of swing, a few of the fellows are all ready to go out to start topping the turf. A few have already been out with those crazy snow shoes trying to bat a little ball over a net. Well, best of luck to our athletes if they can combat this wintery spring.

I would like to congratulate all of the officers



ERVIN REUTHER 55
Newly elected Regent of Beta Sigma

that were under the Kent Sack regime of 1956-57, upon the very successful term which they fulfilled. This was the most efficient group that we have seen in a couple of years. There are innumerable instances that made this group shine. Just to mention one instance that was outstanding. Last year we purchased a house to help increase our house fund by rooming some of our Brothers. We hope that some year in the near future we will be able to build a new house. At the time of purchase we had transacted a mortgage of ten thousand dollars. Through careful budgeting we managed to pay off this mortgage in little less than a year and still be financially stable.

Newly elected officers of Beta Sigma for 1957-58 is Regent Ervin Reuther of Ashley, North Dakota; Paul Boehm, Vice Regent; Don Schiefer, Treasurer; Vernon Nichols, House Manager; Jim Carlson, Secretary; Larry Dufault, Social Chairman; Clark Crum, Pledge Trainer; Jim Kennedy, Chaplain; Richard Olness, Rushing Chairman; Phillip Larke, Historian; Tom Mensing, News Letter Editor; Ray Link, Corresponding Secretary; Bill Baillie and Rodney Anderson, Co-athletic Directors. Best of luck in your coming term

During the winter quarter break cupid got a head start on things. Sol Goldfine, a senior, and Marion Peterson eloped. This was a real surprise to everyone. Cliff Wallace, a senior, and Betty Sipple were married just after Christmas. During the winter term party and spring quarter break cupid struck again, the little rascal. Iim Churchill, a senior, pinned Patty Moore, Kappa Psi Sweetheart of 1956-57, at the winter term party. During the spring quarter break Ray Burger, a senior, went on a little escapade and was married to Tamana Baker. This was also a surprise to all the Brothers. Other Kappa Psis' recently joining the ranks of the pinned are Don Schiefer to Lorraine Dahlund, a Kenmare, North Dakota girl and Phillip Larke to Arlene Olson, a student of S.C. Congratulations to all the Brothers.

The first week of this quarter is "Happy Fun Week" which is now in full swing. There are thirteen men going through and will become actives April 8. The new actives will include the following: Louis Muhich, Eveleth, Minn.; Leo Werlinger, Napoleon, N.D.; Mark Reeve, Rochester, Minn.; Pat Stein, Jamestown, N.D.; Ronald Schiff, Sherwood, N.D.; Thomas Keaveny, Minneapolis, Minn.; George Gardner, Grand Rapids, Minn.; Martin Bergeson, Virginia, Minn.; Tom Thompson, Bowbells, N.D.; Glenn Thiel, Judson, N.D.; John Fleck, Virginia, Minn.; Rodger Magnuson, Prictor, Minn.; Gene Neal, Larimore, N.D.

The pledge class is now down to twelve members with several prospects about to pledge. The class of twelve includes: George Casper, Alton Geigner, Rodger Krajeck, Duane Reister, Bill Suckerman, Jerry Vincent, Lloyd Schnaidt, Jerry Houle, Dick Sharp, LeRoy Herbold, George Bergman, and Lyfe Fibranz.

Well, as far as sports went this year they did just that. We suffered a few heart breakers. In fact volleyball was the only thing that we really had any shine in. We won the league and placed second in the tournament. In football we made the playoffs and wound up fourth place in the league. In basketball we placed second in the league and were trampled in playoffs. Bowling

let us in on the semi-finals while ping pong just closed its doors. We still have tennis to look forward to this spring. We happen to be very strong in this field and should take first place again this

This is about all from Beta Sigma for now, I hope that spring fever doesn't get too deep a grasp

on you fellows. Until next time.

PHILLIP S. LARKE, Historian Fraternally yours,

BETA CHI-DRAKE UNIVERSITY

Yes, there is a chapter of Kappa Psi at Drake University. The members of Beta Chi, here in the capital city of Iowa, wish to extend a great big hello to our Brothers all over the nation. The chapter would like to sincerely apologize to Alpha Chapter and to all the Brothers for not writing.

Well I hope that everybody is having a real ball at school chasing co-eds, drinking beer, attending all social functions, and occasionally finding time for those last minute cram sessions before tests.

Since this is the first letter in some time, I thought I'd go back and tell you future pharmacists of America along with those of you who have had the course, what has happened out here since September.

When we came out here from our long summer siesta in fall, we discovered that Beta Omicron Chapter in Seattle, Washington had given us a new faculty member, Dr. Maurice C. Andries. I understand that Dr. Andries taught Pharmacognosy and did research at the University of Washington before coming to Drake. He holds the position of Assistant Professor of Pharmacy and teaches the junior class Pharmacognosy and Organic Medicinals.

Well it finally happened this summer, Brother Jean Carlson took the big step and got himself a ball and chain,

We opened the years activities by having a smoker at the Birdland Shelter House. Some seventy-five men were in attendance, including several Alumni. The results of that smoker were that the chapter got twenty-five perspective actives. At the fall activation ceremonies five new men were added to the roster: Don Cox, Chicago, Ill.; Kirby Drawbaugh, Des Moines, Iowa; Clarence Frank, Canton, Ill.; Earl Trevillyan, West Des Moines, Iowa; and Dan Whiting, Rockford, Ill.

Yes, we have another Brother who didn't care much for single life, Brother Bob Tanner went to the hitching post this summer.

Brother Bob Haddigan was also added to our list of members this fall. He comes from my old chapter at Chicago, Chi of the University of Illinois. Brother Bob and myself would like to extend our greetings to the boys at "614" and we hope that the old house hasn't fallen down yet.

Thanks to Brothers Bill Schmitt, Jack Martin, and Bill Morris and to all those who put forth their efforts we had a HOMECOMING FLOAT. The theme was "Braves Tastes D-feet." It consisted of one huge prescription bottle, a bulldog, and a brave. The bulldog was taking medicine from the bottle and giving it to the brave.

We came out on top at the annual football game between Kappa Psi and Phi Delta Chi, the score being 13-7. The attendance was great and everybody had a tremendous time.

The coming of a new spring semester saw the

coming of new officers and men to the Chapter. At our February 5 meeting the following men were elected to office; Regent, Brother Bill Schmitt; Vice Regent, Brother Paul Volpe; Secretary, Brother Jack Martin; Treasurer, Brother John Bryant; Historian, Brother Ken Raclawski; and Chaplain, Brother Bob Haddigan. Brother Ed Cudworth was elected to the office of Pledgetrainer, however due to circumstances beyond his control he had to decline the position and Brother Clarence Frank was elected and took office.

The new officers join me in extending congratulations to all the new officers of other Chapters and hope you enjoy as good a year as we at

Beta Chi are anticipating.

The Brothers really showed-up at the Spring Activation Ceremony and Banquet, Drs. Grandberg and Andries were present and Dr. Grandberg gave the closing address. The new members who went active at the time are: Bill Alexander, Stuart, Ia.; Don Batchelor, Waterloo, Ia.; Bill Bell, Indian Rocks Beach, Florida; Don Boelke, Evanston, Ill.; Gerald Christensen, Sioux City, Ia.; Salvador De La Cruze, Oahu, Hawaii; Philip Henning, Janesville, Wis.; Art Heng, Radcliffe, Ia.; Dwight Iverson, Chicago, Ill.; Ronald Kuhn, Rochester, Minn.; Bill Morris, Des Moines, Ia.; Cass Wojtczak, Evanston, Ill.; and James Wonder, Marshalltown, Ia. Dwight Iverson received the Outstanding Pledge Award and Bill Morris received the Pledge Service Award, the first of its kind to be given.

This year we proved to be pretty convincing on the basketball court. Our cagers managed to get into the semi-finals of the Intramural Basketball Tournament. We beat Phi Delta Chi only to find that the Alpha Tau Omega Social Fraternity was more convincing than we. Congratulations anyway

men.

The second semester smoker was held at the Airport Shelter House here in Des Moines. Some forty people were there including six rushees. I can truthfully say that everybody present had a very enjoyable evening. Thanks to our smoker and the good salesmanship of the active Brothers we were able to persuade six men to our way of life. The six new pledges are: Robert Auw, River Grove, Ill.; Bob Barber, Ottawa, Ill.; Chuck Garden, Chicago, Ill.; Daryl Colten, Seymour, Ia.; Delmer Kramersmier, Ledyard, Ia.; and James Lowenberg of Fort Madison, Ia. While I'm mentioning names I might as well give you a run down on the rest of the pledge class: Art Goodspeed, Bill Mim, Barry Gang, Bob Preble, Bob Schwindamen, Jim Prowdy, Bob Loveall, Larry Wiley, Bob Hope, and John King.

Well we're well on our way in putting out our yearly publication, The Drake Post Script. From what I hear Brother Bob Schnarr is really cracking the whip. We have all our ads in and the fraternity is expecting to net about \$200.00, which is going towards our House Fund. Bob tells me that Brother Bill Bell, our Florida beachcomber, did a lot towards getting some of those ads. This publication goes out to all the doctors and druggists in Iowa, and to a lot of the high schools in Iowa. I might add that you might look in your Chapter mail boxes in the near future. We are planning to send you a copy.

Our special events committee got Professor Teppert of the Biology Department to speak at one of our March meetings. What happened was that we listened to and saw on T.V. Bell Telephone's production on blood, "Hemo THE Magnificent." Afterwards a question and answer period was held with Professor Teppert answering the questions and providing some constructive criticism of the production.

Brother Schnarr has gotten things rolling on our annual Drake Relays Float. The theme is "Steady Pace Wins The Race." It is based on the fable about the famous track event between the hare and the turtle. That's about all I know about it. I'll give you the low down on it in my next letter.

From what I can get off the grape vine it looks as though Brother Sam Williams has really got things going on the formulation of an Interfraternity Council in our College of Pharmacy. It's the first of its kind on this campus. If it goes through I'll give you the scoop on it in our next communication.

Well I guess that's it for the time being and in closing may I say from all of us here in the capital city to all of the Brothers everywhere—May you all enjoy success in our chosen profession, PHARMACY.

Fraternally your, Kenneth E. Raclawski, *Historian*

BETA PSI-UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Beta Psi, here in sunny Madison, Wisconsin, is announcing: ROOMS FOR RENT. Yes, after receiving "n" number of requests from Brothers who are transferring to Madison, to attend Summer School, begging for a chance to lodge in our fine quarters, which is located across the street from several houses of choice Wisconsin co-eds and only a short run down grassy slopes to the lake, we are happy to announce that there is room for some of our Brothers. If interested, we urge you to contact Dick Ebert at Kappa Psi Fraternity, 619 Mendota Court, Madison, Wisconsin, as soon as possible for any further information



BETA PSI BROTHERS

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Top Row (I to r): Sincula, Ebert, Barfknecht and McMenomy.

Middle Row (I to r): Zodrow, Hong, Mayer and Wolfe.

First Row (I to r): Jenny, Klannas, Koller and Mitchell.



BETA PSI ST. PATRICK'S DAY PLEDGE SKIT

and to make reservations. There also may be a few rooms open for the fall semester.

Every semester brings new pledges, and this one is no exception. Our new pledges are Robert Lee (President of this class), Rostislaw Diakon, Richard Ruffalo, Adrian Unmuth, and Edward Ebeling. On March 16, these fellows provided us with some humorous entertainment at one of the parties by putting on our traditional St. Patrick's Day pledge skit, which was well received by the gay crowd. We're looking forward to having these enthusiastic pledges as Brothers.

At present, Brothers are striving to ignore the spring weather and are studying for the midterm exams coming up before spring vacation.

On March 28, Dr. Smissman, a highly respected organic chemistry professor and very active member of Kappa Psi, favored us with an interesting, well organized discussion on "Cortisone and Related Drugs."

Our congratulations to Brother Ralph Hagen who placed second in the all campus bowling tournament. Beta Psi also placed second in our bowling league this year. Today our softball



BETA PSI PLEDGES

Ebeling, Ruffalo, Unmuth and Lee are shown at the St. Patrick's Party with Regent Jim Fuh's door.

team brought home its first victory of the year, with a promising outlook for the future. We're happy to have these active, successful men as Brothers and wish them luck in future competition.

We're very proud of graduate Beta Psi Brothers James Howe, James Jendusa, Arthur Teplinsky, Albert Toth, Walter Geise, Robert D. Holler, Donald J. Hostvedt, Walter W. Iwon, Darwin Paulson, Lyle S. Sampson, Gary C. Speich, Carl R. Steindorf, and James M. Sundby who have recently become state registered pharmacists. Congratulations, Brothers, and to the many more like you throughout the nation. May your career be filled with the many benefits from a well chosen profession, which is socially united into a nation-wide fellowship by our Pharmaceutical Fraternity.

Fraternally yours,
PAUL E. MITCHELL, Historian

BETA OMEGA—TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

Since our last letter to The Mask, Beta Omega Chapter has been very active. First of all, February brought us a new set of officers. Now leading the Beta Omega "Clan" is Theodore Sawruk our new Regent; Jon May, Vice Regent; William Chapell, Treasurer; Bernie Comegno, Secretary; Henry Rubino, Chaplain; and Louis Montanaro, Historian. Congratulations and the best of luck are expressed to these brothers by all the members of the Fraternity.

The pledge period came off very well this year. We had twenty-five candidates pledging with Bill Volgstadt as the pledge master. Jerry Kelly, John Murphy, and Louis Montanaro assisted Bill in this job. Our congratulations and good wishes for a wonderful experience in Kappa Psi are extended to the following new brothers: Ralph Bertolino, Philadelphia; Dorey Lynn Besteder, Tunkhannock, Pa.; Robert L. Capizzi, Philadelphia; Wes Dawson, Hamilton Square, N.J.; C. Lawrence Dilkes, Philadelphia; Jere Fetter, Lancaster, Pa.; W. Eugene Geyer, York, Pa.; George Grinaway, Shamokin, Pa.; Frank Gulen, George Grinaway, Shamokin, Pa.; Frank Gulen, Philadelphia; Stan Kulaga, Jr., West Reading, Pa.; Chester Latino, Trenton, N.J.; Nicholas Lo Castro, Philadelphia; Raymond Lodato, Bristol, Pa.; Clair Maneval, Jr., Williamsport, Pa.; Ed Marcoon, Essington, Pa.; Walter Maupay, Glenside, Pa.; Alex Monte, Bristol, Pa.; Leo Orlandini, Swoyerville, Pa.; John Reinhart, Highspire, Pa.; John Sergott, Alden Sta., Pa.; Harry J. Simpson, Philadelphia; Larry L. Snook, Lewistown, Pa.; Fredrick C. Spogen Jr., Turbotville, Pa.; Ken Stout, Mountaintop, Pa. We regret to report that due to a recent illness, Kenneth C. Zimmerman, was unable to complete his pledge period. We are also glad to welcome another new member, graduate assistant Nagin Patel.

The members of Beta Omega Chapter praise Pete Groblewski and Paul Curfman who did a fine job in arranging our social program this past year. Many good times were had by all the members at these events. The rushing parties were a great success as can be seen by the size of our pledge class. On March 16 we had our annual masquerade party. The music was supplied by Al Raymond's Trio and a good time was had by all. Pete's last social event will be our Spring Formal which is to be held at Manufacturer's Country Club on May 11, The Serenaders will

supply the music for our dancing and listening pleasure. A big weekend is in the making, with a cocktail party scheduled at the house before the dinner and a chance for all to return to the house for a final blowout.

Frank Shaugnessy, our new social chairman, did the arranging for our annual Senior Farewell Party, which was held on April 3, with the aid of our new player piano. All had a good time. This party was a farewell to a fine group of fellows and we wish them luck in the coming years.

Although our basketball team did not fare too well in the Professional League we won our first game in competition with the other fraternities in Pharmacy School and we are on our way toward taking the trophy for the second consecutive year.

The bowling team is not doing too well this season. We are presently floundering in last place. I guess we're just not bowlers.

The softball season has not gotten under way as yet but we think we have the makings of

another championship team.

Jim Dolousio, our past Regent has been accepted at Temple Pharmacy School as a graduate student to continue his studies in organic chemistry. Jim Coker is furthering his studies also??? He's getting married during Easter vacation. Congratulations Jim.

Another past Regent, Stu Westbury ('55) who was married last February, is now stationed at the United States Public Health Hospital in Savanna, Georgia. . . . Neil Coble ('53) was recently discharged from the Army. . . Eugene Sebastianelli ('56), Glen Boerstler ('56), and Sam Cole ('56) are presently serving Uncle Sam. . . . Thomas Moleski ('55) is serving in the Air Force as a jet pilot. . . . Ken Potter ('54) is the new secretary of the Dauphin-Cumberland-Lebanon Pharmaceutical Association. Congratulations Ken.

It's a BOY for Bill Volgstadt who became a father on March 28. Congratulations Bill. (And

of course the little lady.)

We here at Beta Omega were honored to have Beta Xi Chapter of North Carolina visit us on March 16. We would like at this time to extend a welcome to all Kappa Psi members of all chapters. Anytime you are in Philadelphia, stop in at Beta Omega Chapter; we are always glad to welcome visiting brothers as guests and show them

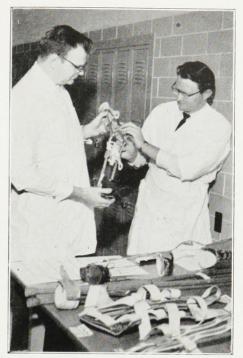
real Philadelphia hospitality.

On the recent dean's list, Kappa Psi did well as usual. We had 14 members who made the list. They are as follows: Elias Farri, Anthony Cocco, Patsy Delucca, James Dolousio, Joseph Casaccia, Joseph Cesare, Anthony Rock, Dick Hinkle, Pat DiLorenzo, Jon May, George Grinaway, Ken Stout, Stanley Kulaga, and Alex Monte. We want to congratulate these members and all the other members of Kappa Psi Fraternity for high scholastic achievement.

Fraternally yours, Louis J. Montanaro, Historian

GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Gamma Gamma Chapter at the College of Pharmacy of the University of Texas elected new officers in January. The new officers are Milton



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Ed Hayward (left) and Dave Pinson inspect one of the braces from the display at the U. of Texas which contrasts the small vaccine ampul with the numerous bulky braces. (U.P. photo)

Tompkins, Regent; Joe Guerrero, Vice Regent; Carl Larson, Secretary; Don Copeland, Chaplain; Norman Ekery, Treasurer, and Arlen Sturdivant, Historian. A new Steering Committee was organized. It is composed of the new officers and two other members, Roy Voges, Jr. and Ed Camero. The faculty advisors are Dr. Wally Guess and Dr. William Lloyd.

Gamma Gamma Chapter has had a very busy schedule in the past few months. On December 15, 1956 the chapter held a party for the Settlement Home, a home for children whose parents are unable to care for them. Contrary to the spirit of the times, and much to the delight of the 21 children, the chapter gave a weiner roast for them. It was the first time they had ever been on a picnic as a group. Cold weather drove us into the chapter house late in the afternoon. A portable barbecue pit served as the fire. The chapter members were given complete responsibility of the children, no adult from the home came, which gave the children a greater feeling of freedom. This fostered spontaneity of in-dividual participation in the unplanned sequence of games and events. On April 14, 1957 a second party will be given for the same group. The chapter was brought closer together by such a party and has been functioning very well as a unit. Less than 10% of the members are ever



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Some members waiting to give blood for the Pharmacy Blood Fund at the U. of Texas. Lying on table in foreground is Joe Reuss (past Regent); on table to the left is David Pinson, first row (I to r) is "Bo" Hydrick (past Chaplain), Jack Sanders, Richard Tunnell, Allan Schurr and Milton Tompkins (Regent). Back row (I to r) is Jerry Hanks, Steve Shipp, Don Copeland (Chaplain), Norman Ekery (Treasurer) and Paul Garga. (U.P. Photo)

absent without an excuse and studying is not included as an excuse.

Shortly before election of new officers, a blood bank under the name of Kappa Psi was established at the University of Texas for U.T. students. Milton Tompkins initiated the idea and is mainly responsible for its success. Due to the importance and size of the undertaking, other organizations in the College of Pharmacy are participating in the project. The fund is now called The Pharmacy Fund. The chapter received commendations for their part in initiating and maintaining the blood fund. The blood reserve list is well over 100. Many members have given more than once.

Gamma Gamma Chapter received a free set of encyclopedias for their library for helping in the advertising and drawing of a free set of encyclopedias. This was done at a difficult time between semesters, yet nearly 100% of the members participated.

The chapter advertised extensively the facts and dates for polio shots at the University Health

Center. This was a committee project and emphasizes the importance of committee functions. Kappa Psi received credit for their part in the newspaper and on radio and television. Due to the present members' willingness to work, the Travis County Cancer Society asked the chapter to aid in their drive for donations. This was done on April 9, 1957.

A cocktail party and a buffet supper were held on the sixth of April in honor of the alumni members. The alumni chapter's meeting was the following day. The graduates had a pleasant surprise on arrival to the chapter house, Redecoration of the interior of the house was partially completed. The outside of the house had been completely redone, including a new front porch. New wiring has been installed, and new furniture has been bought. Much of the work on the house has been done by the members and pledges.

Dr. Lloyd, Kappa Psi faculty member, received the outstanding teacher award in the College of Pharmacy for 1956. There will be more on this

in the next newsletter

Gamma Gamma Chapter has many far-reaching plans for the immediate future which will be reported on at a later date. Attention alumni chapter members: Look for these plans in the next issue of The Mask.

Fraternally,
A. STURDIVANT, Historian

GAMMA DELTA—OHIO NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

Greetings from Gamma Delta. Spring quarter is fast upon us here at Ohio Northern, and everyone is looking forward to a successful summer. Our senior brothers we find perhaps, biting their nails and boning up for State Board in Iune.

Gamma Delta was recently host to the Province V Assembly. The Assembly was held at the Argonne Hotel in nearby Lima, Ohio. We believe that it was a success and are looking forward to the next Assembly at Gamma Iota Chapter at the University of Buffalo. Our new Regent, Jim Spahr, was elected Vice Satrap for Province V.

We held our annual spring elections here at Gamma Delta. The new officers are: Jim Spahr; Regent; Bob Chalmers, Vice Regent; Dick Grunder, Secretary; Bill Factor, Treasurer; George Selover, Social Chairman; Dale Hall, Librarian-Historian; Earl Ritzman, Sports Manager; Ray Ratai, Chaplain; Bob Boals, Pledgemaster; Bill Ritchev, Steward.

Brother Spahr was elected president of our Interfraternity Council here on campus.

Since Bob Chalmers, our new houseman and Vice Regent, has taken office, some changes have been brought about the old frat house. New landscaping has been effected, a driveway is being built around the house, and plastering and painting has renovated the kitchen.

We would like to welcome officially our sister sorority to the campus of Ohio Northern, the Kappas. They are just getting organized this year and we are glad to see the gals "move in."

We were visited April 1 by Dr. George Webster, Grand Counselor from Alpha Chapter, who seemed quite pleased with the way he found our Chapter. That same evening Dr. Webster helped us in our serenade for Miss Sue Franks and Brother Dick Campbell, otherwise known as "Spooks," in spite of the snow, mud, and slush in front of the girls' dorm.

Other brothers who have been pinned are Brother Howard Garrett to Miss Helen Lynch and Brother Jim Popoff to Miss Luba Gouloff. Brother Dick Keffer became engaged to Miss Carolyn Tschantz.

On the social calendar Spring Quarter is our annual Spring Formal, to be held at Beatley's Hotel at Indian Lake, May 18. We always look forward to this event, one of the biggest of the year, when we get together with our alumni and have a good time. Moonlight and silver lake are provided.

Right now we are getting ready for Greek Skit Night. Each of the Greek societies present a skit and the skits are judged and prizes are awarded. We are doing a humorous rendition of "South Pacific," complete with grass skirts, south sea island, etc. The brothers are to be seen at all hours of the night and day going through strange gyrations resembling those of a hula dancer.



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Top: Officers for 1957-58.

Center: Seated at left is Brother John A. Mac-Cartney (president of A.PH.A.) and speaking is Brother Ken Thomas. Standing beside the speaker is Brother A. C. Smith, dean of the college of pharmacy.

Bottom: Brother (dean emeritus) Rudolph H. Raabe addresses the A.PH.A. group during banquet.

April 9 we attended the third annual banquet of the student branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association here on campus. Honorea at the dinner was Brother Albert C. Smith, Dean of the College of Pharmacy. Featured guest speaker was Brother John A. MacCartney, president of the American Pharmaceutical Association. His speech was entitled "What Does The A.Ph.A. Do For You?"

Gamma Delta has been "holding its own" in interfraternity sports. We were crowded out of

second place in basketball intramurals, but doing well so far in badminton. Spring football practice has started, and Brother Bob Chalmers and Pledges Ken Woods and Jim Deem are working out with the school squad. Brother Charles Brading is playing outfield on our university's baseball

> Fraternally yours, DALE E. HALL, Librarian-Historian

GAMMA EPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Gamma Epsilon extends greetings to all our

Spring finds the Nebraska boys in the midst of several activities. All of us attended the Nebraska Pharmaceutical Association Convention in March. It proved to be a very interesting week, Then the first weekend in April saw many of the boys going to Grand Island to a Veterinary Medicine Meeting. It gave us a chance to meet some of our old friends and bothers in Kappa Psi.

Amil Kubat was elected to head an intramural bowling team this spring. At the time of this letter, I don't know how they are doing, but I do know that they sure are having a ball trying. Louie Kakuda is said to be the hardest worker in

the lot.

We are taking a trip to Lilly on the thirteenth of April. I hope that you boys from Butler are there because we want to renew some acquain-

tances made last year in Kalamazoo.

June will see the graduation of seven brothers. Jim Arntzen, Amil Kubat, Ron Stumber, Louie Kakuda, Ron Einsphar, Dick Clay, and Verdel Ruwe. Uncle Sam has his name on several and the rest have no definite plans as yet. We sure will miss these boys and wish them the best of luck in the future.

May twenty-fifth the pharmacy college banquet will be held and Kappa Psi will again present a sample of its dramatic ability in the form of a skit. Win Saults has been appointed to write it and it should be interesting if not good.

Don Svanda was elected president of the student branch of the A. Ph. A. at the university.

Gamma Epsilon is sorry to announce that our

faculty advisor, Dr. Varro Tyler is leaving the university to go to Washington. We wish him the best of everything in the future. We have been very happy to have him as advisor here for the past several years and we know that he will be an asset to the boys at Beta Omicron. Just a word of warning however, when Dr. Tyler starts talking about Ergot in Pharmacognosy, watch out!

Fraternally yours,

JOHN G. HAEBERLE, Historian

GAMMA ETA-MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Greetings to all the Brothers of Kappa Psi from the School of Pharmacy at Montana State University in Missoula.

Due to the extreme exertion placed upon the books during Winter Quarter, the plans for initiation to the new pledges of 1957 were held off until Friday, April 5. Those initiated were: Vic Baney, Richard Christopher, Richard Lorello, Ron Geraty, Ed Harrington, Jim Westberg, Gerald Raunig, Cal Lindberg, Ron Hinman, and Charles Vaughan -Congratulations! After the official ceremony was concluded the art of elbow bending was taught to all "old and new" on a cooks tour of the mighty metropolis of Missoula.

Plans are underway to initiate Dean Van Horne

into Kappa Psi.

The new officers of Gamma Eta Chapter are: Cal Ness, Regent; Arlo Skari, Vice Regent; John Ronald, Secretary; Dave Nelson, Chaplain; and John Stelling, Historian.

Plans are being drawn up for the spring fishing trip which should be an "interesting event" due to the lack of the proper equipment. Professor John F. Suchy, Kappa Psi Grand Council Deputy, is donating his services and cabin in the Seely Lake area approximately 60 miles north of the school, for the occasion.

Plans are also being made by a few members to attend the District Convention of Kappa Psi at the University of Washington in Seattle,

Fraternally Yours,

JOHN STELLING, Historian

GAMMA IOTA—UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO

The mid-semesters behind us, the members of Gamma Iota Chapter are now waiting for the Easter recess and then for the subsequent panic to set in before finals.

We are once again looking for the Brothers to uphold our fine scholastic average. At the last release of marks, we had the highest average among the pharmacy school fraternities and

ranked 8th for the entire campus.

The recently completed basketball season proved to be very successful for the team. Competing against the larger social fraternities, we were undefeated in our league, won the semifinals, and then were nosed out in the championship game. Much credit goes to Brothers Bob Kendzia, Al Dolan, Don Arthur, Carm Rossi, Frank Knox, Art Cramer and Rex Tompkins,

The Brothers are glad to welcome the addition of two new members recently initiated. They are

Darrell Mantei and Jack Spies.

Congratulations go out to Brother Ray Hippchen for attaining the highest scholastic average in his class for his four years in the School of Pharmacy. Ray is also congratulated on being accepted to Medical School. Congratulations also go out to Brothers Don Arthur, Al Dolan and Ron Stando on their engagements.

At present the Brothers are busy with our second annual fund raising campaign, which this year is in the form of a raffle of a color T.V. as first prize. The funds from this campaign will be placed in the Kappa Psi Building and Scholarship

Sharing the spotlight with the raffle are the plans being made for the visit to be paid us by Grand Regent Fisher on April 25th. It promises to be a really big function which none of us will want to miss.

Lest I forget, I would like, on behalf of the Brotherhood, to extend thanks again to the Brothers of Beta Delta Chapter, who afforded a number of us such great hospitality and showed us a good time on our recent visit to Albany,

Fraternally, WILLIAM FLEMING, Historian

GAMMA OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

G. O. Chapter of K Y at the University of Oklahoma can be justly proud of its activities of the past school year, especially the fine beginning it has made with THE SOONER ANTIDOTE, a College of Pharmacy publication originated by Brother Jack Rogers and sponsored jointly by Kappa Psi and the A. Ph. A. Student Branch. First published to create interest and instill students' pride in our profession, its scope has been broadened to include not only students but also our alumni. To do this our staff was reorganized March 22 to handle advertising and subscriptions. We have received subscriptions not only from our state but also from Illinois, Tennessee, Arkansas, Kansas and Texas. Our former editor, Jack Rogers, has worked long and strenuously to achieve this goal. To give a boost to our Student Branch of A. Ph. A., the reorganization has shifted the ANTIDOTE to a joint Kappa Psi-A. Ph. A. function.

It is newsworthy to note that Kappa Psi men fill all but three of the positions and its new Editor, Danny Laws, is also our new Regent.

Good Luck!

For our March edition we printed 1,000 copies to call attention to our Seventh Annual Pharmacy Seminar and the fact that several pharmacy connected individuals are trying to lower pharmacy standards in our state by submitting an "undergraduate" bill at this session of our state legislature. We have shown by our actions our beliefs in such a situation which to us is class legislation not in the interest of public health. At our Seventh Annual Pharmacy Seminar, Kappa Psi was responsible for an information booth, coffee service and Open House following the Seminar.

Kappa Psi started the 1957-58 school year by sponsoring the entertainment at the Pharmacy Day Mixer in the form of the "3 Drams and a Drop," (a musical combo, all Kappa Psi members) and writing and producing the dramatic production "Edward R. Mulrose's 'Person to Person'" interview with the pharmacy faculty. Needless to

say, both were well received.

Kappa Psi gave the College of Pharmacy its first Intramural Team on the campus by entering the Basketball League. Although our season ended with a .500 average, we were not discouraged as we felt our efforts were noble since many pharmacy students work at night and we were unable to maintain a rigid practice schedule. We were superbly coached by Brother Phil Riley. A word of warning to next year's opposition—Look Out!

of warning to next year's opposition—Look Out!
On February 20, Kappa Psi initiated 11 outstanding men from our fall pledge class and we are looking forward to Rush again at our Spring

Smoker.

Kappa Psi men have been active on the campus, including Jack Coffey, outgoing Regent, who was elected Commanding Officer of the Arnold Air Society; Don Frantz, Lents Prendergast and Mike Freeland were elected to three of the top four A. Ph. 'A. offices; Jack Rogers, John Blakely, Dwain Boothe, Mike Freeland, Don Kinder, Bob Peercy, David Reavis, Bob Richardson and Lew Warden on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester.

Kappa Psi also sponsors a monthly luncheon held at the Copper Kettle to which each member is allowed to invite one guest. Our most current



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JACK S. ROGERS, JR. (Gamma Omicron)
Originator of the Sooner Antidote publication

project is promoting the forming of a Pharmacy Wives Club to which our better halves will belong. The first meeting was held at Dean and Mrs. Clark's home (he is Beta Psi '20) on April 9. Forty-two wives were invited and we are glad to say there were only 12 regrets. Organizational plans for the future were discussed. The first project for the new club is planning the annual Pharmacy Picnic.

We are particularly proud of the constant encouragement given us by Dean Clark who has publicly stated that he considers THE SOONER ANTIDOTE one of the best things that has happened at the College of Pharmacy for many years. His praise to all members, and especially Brother Jack Rogers, has greatly contributed to making possible our contribution which without the complete support of his office might not have been accomplished. Significant of Dean Clark's support is his pledge to "continue the policy of supporting such a worthwhile enterprise, for in my opinion it truly justifies the existence of a chapter of a professional fraternity on the campus."

We, the Gamma Omicron Brothers, feel that by the school year's end, we will enter into the record books one of the most successful years in this chapter's history. We earnestly hope that all other Brothers throughout the nation have reaped

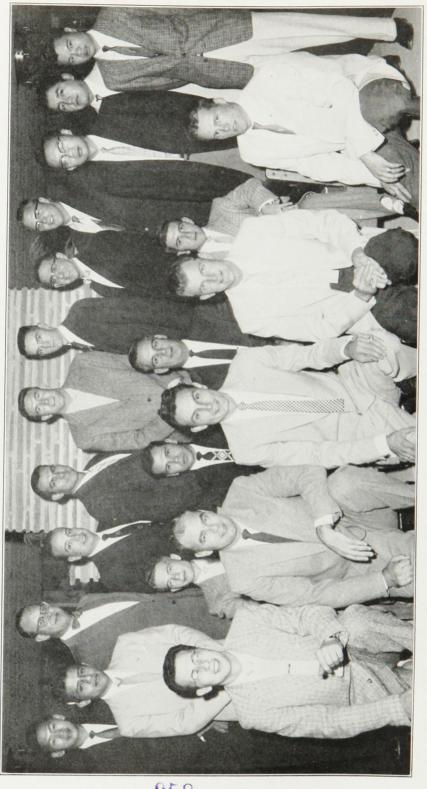
similar rewards.

Since the opening of the fall term, we have risen from a rather indifferent group of eleven members to a vigorous body of 22, and we have a pledge class of nine members waiting to be rushed in (our second pledge group of the year).

This rise in members and interest can largely be attributed to three Brothers, Jack Rogers, Danny Laws, and the retiring Regent, Jack Coffey. The retiring and new Regent have been unrelenting in their membership drive and creating interesting projects.

Gamma Omicron held its monthly luncheon on March 28 with Dr. James Thayer, National Vice Regent, as honored guest. Taking advantage of the situation, we chose to have our rush party on the same night, and gained an attendance of 12 pledges.

New officers for 1957-58 have been elected and installed with Danny Laws as new Regent. John



GAMMA RHO, UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO

Louis Ma, Richard Gomez, chaplain, Sam Gee; sitting: Bob Standridge (Treasurer), Joe Otero (Vice Regent), Alfred Kilpatrick (Secretary), Charles Roberts Standing, left to right: Dick Gee, Gilbert Rivera, Dean E. L. Cataline, John Pleus, Joe Jacobs, Jack Eichman, William Eichman, Don Weintraub, Tim Elsbrock, (Regent); kneeling: Dennis Pena (Historian), Larry Hall, Norman Strain, J. B. Nickel, Lyle Raker; missing from the picture: O. C. Bridger, Jr. and Jack Beasley. Blakely gained the post of Vice Regent with Lester Cross receiving the duties of Secretary, and Gerald Heller those of Treasurer. Yours truly, Lew Warden, Historian and Bob Richardson, Chaplain, completed the list. Charles Ray Smart was appointed to the task of athletic director to organize and enter Gamma Omicron in campus intramural competition. Dr. Ralph Beinfang, incumbent, was unanimously selected to remain our sponsor.

Fraternally yours, Lew W. Warden, Historian

GAMMA PI—ST. LOUIS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY AND ALLIED SCIENCES

Our second semester is now more than half finished, and with exams over, our energy can now be used to bring the year to completion.

A packed schedule includes Junior-Senior trip to New York City to attend the National A, Ph. A. Convention which will run from April 28 to May 4.

On May 8 the Gamma Pi Chapter of Kappa Psi will hold it's annual dance at Holiday Inn. Then on the following Sunday, May 12, the College will hold its annual spring picnic. This year it is to be held at the Hillcrest Country Club.

The Chapter has been very busy working on the Year Book, which has come along very well. A new contract has already been signed for next year.

In the intramural basketball competition at S.L.C.P. and Allied Sciences Kappa Psi, although not winning a championship made a very good showing for itself.

Within the last month it has been decided by the membership to buy a Fraternity House. More information to come in the near future.

Other items on the Gamma Pi agenda include: Degrees for the Neophytes, Election of Officers for the ensuing term, and a Senior Banquet.

The cogs have been turning for some time now, so as to make the national Convention, which is to be held here in St. Louis, in December of this year, one of the best yet. We are anticipating seeing Brothers from all over the United States.

In closing I wish to thank all the members of Gamma Pi for their co-operation in getting this message to graduate members, and those Brothers not in the United States. Let us hear from graduate members.

Fraternally yours,
AL TOCKSTEIN, Historian

GAMMA RHO—UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO

Greetings from the "Land of Enchantment" to all Brothers in Kappa Psi from coast to coast. Gamma Rho has not had much to say lately, but has been rolling along with a fairly active year, which has not seen an end to its activities in the least. We have been functioning under the leadership of Regent Charles Roberts, Vice Regent Joe Otero, Secretary Al Kilpatrick, and Treasurer Bob Standridge. Dean E. L. Cataline is the faculty advisor for the group.

Our chapter down here has increased from seventeen members last September to the twenty-two members at present. Our latest initiation in March brought into the chapter six new members:

John Pleus, William Eichman, Joe Jacobs, Louis Ma, and Norman Strain, and Larry Hall. By the time this letter is printed we should have approximately five new pledges about ready for initiation. Pledges have been nominated and a pledge party or smoker should be in the making within a few days.

At the present time we are busily preparing our big event of the year—the spring banquet and dance honoring graduating seniors. This is an event everyone looks forward to each year. The faculty, students, and a few alumni will put their cares aside and get together with their wives, husbands, and sweethearts for an evening of fun on Saturday, May 11. A banquet followed by a short entertainment schedule, and mastered this year by our new Brother, Johnny Pleus (our MC who volunteered after being elected to the position) will be topped off by a dance in the Indian Room of the Franciscan Hotel in downtown Albuquerque. Introduction of seniors by the dean and presentation of awards will precede the dance.

Well, Brothers—back to our studies, finals call and we must answer like true men of the profession. Good luck to all, and "adios."

Fraternally Yours,
DENNIS S. PENA, Historian

GAMMA SIGMA—UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

Greetings to all brothers of Kappa Psi from Gamma Sigma here in the sunny south.

In review of our Chapter activities during this scholastic year, I found we adjourned our first business meeting to the Burger House to discuss our exciting experiences and activities of the previous summer vacation.

During October, Brother Joe Paces' lovely wife, Jo Ann, was sponsored as a candidate for Mrs. University of Florida. Brother Pace is our past Vice Regent. Then in November we sponsored Miss Alex LeDantec, a member of Kappa Epsilon Pharmaceutical Sorority, in the University of Florida Homecoming Queen contest. Club Nautilis later staged a social dance with our sister sorority.

November 6, Gamma Sigma held the formal initiation and a banquet at the Hotel Thomas in the Crystal Room. The roast chicken, which was most delicious, and the warmth of good fellowship and conversation provided a most unforgettable occasion. The 20 new brothers: William Allen, William Atkinson, Justo Baltar, Robert Barnard, Richard Canady. Domenic Castellano, Bruce Center, Thomas Daniels, Claude Dyal, Donald Evans, Clifford Geiger, Jr., Edward Manuel Gonzales, Jr., Curtis Hinson, Jr., Robert Johnston, Robert Jones, Billy Lowe, Richard Maury, Richard Nall, Jr., William Runyon, and Thomas Sanborn, bring our Chapter role to a total of 56 members.

December, still quite sunny, brought forth elections. Assuming the responsibilities of these honorable positions are: Regent—Lorne Hulme, Vice Regent—Roger McCaskill, Secretary—Donald Roberts, Treasurer—Jack Dyal, Chaplain—Lloyd Cooper, Historian—Millard Ebert.

Preparation and presentation of our skit for the Annual Christmas Party for the families, and a Late Dance with a live band was held in the Student Union, concluded our first semester activities.

March has been the month of activity so far this semester. Thanks go to Brother Haupt, who was the gracious host of a weiner roast and keg party held at his home, March 2. A good time was had by all. We are also honored to say that Gamma Sigma demonstrated one of the best exhibits at the college of pharmacy Open House on March 8, 9, and 10. Our division was Pharmacology demonstrating the effects of poisons and potent drugs and their antidotes on living animals. A criticism of our exhibit enlightened Brother Hinson to compose the "Ode to a Drunken Rabbit."

To those of you who attended the fair and seem to think us wrong, just go to the pharmacy animal room, and you'll hear this little song: "I'm the little rabbit so brown and white, Who became drunk the other night. I'm the rabbit so lively and quick, Who drank the alcohol and never got sick. I staggered and teetered over the floor, Now

that I'm sober, I want some more."

We are finishing the month with a pledge Smoker and plans of informal and formal initiation ceremonies.

Congratulations are in order to the Chapter members that won in Student Government Elections. Taking offices are Brothers James Dyal, Roger McCaskill and Lloyd Cooper.

In closing Gamma Sigma would also like to express congratulations to those Brothers that are graduating. The best of luck on state boards.

Fraternally yours,

BUD EBERT, Historian

GAMMA PHI-UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Spring quarter is underway, and Kappa Psi Chapter is getting in the full swing of springtime, parties, river excursions, along with our school work and all the seniors preparing themselves for

that longed for day, graduation.

To start spring quarter, Gamma Phi Chapter finds itself with the greatest number of Brothers that we have had for two or three years. At the close of Winter Quarter, we initiated sixteen boys into our chapter, all of whom we know will be an asset to our Fraternity. They include: Edward Bailey, Gary Smith, Beno Harkleroad, Ronald Towers, L. L. Denton, Mike Baucom, Gerald Hartman, Paul Sykes, Elmer Bell, Russell Prescott, Nolan Collins, Jimmy Furman, Don Grissom, Don Chandler, Phil Cook and Tom Evans. We are proud to have these fine boys in Kappa Psi and from all observations, we again have obtained the "Cream of the crop."

On March 31, a smoker was held at the house to entertain prospective pledges and to get to know all the boys of the pharmacy school better. Of that group, we have pledged four boys thus far. They are: Roy Tyson, Neil Sessions, Fred

Lee, and Vance Holt.

At our last chapter meeting, new officers were elected for the year 1957-'58. Regent, John Foster of Roswell, Ga.; Vice Regent, Mike Baucom of Sandy Springs, Ga.; Treasurer, George Brewton of Louisville, Ga.; Recording Secretary, Harold Kemp from Lyons, Ga.; Corresponding Secretary, Jerry Walker of Milon, Ga.; Historian, Jack Musick of Athens, Ga.; and for Chaplain, Elmer Brooks from Deepstep, Ga. All of these are fine, capable boys and we know that they will carry on the tradition of serving Kappa Psi to their utmost

Plans have now been completed for our an-

nual Anniversary Ball which will be held at Memorial Hall on May 10. This is our sixth dance since it was inaugurated, and each year it grows in its success and enjoyment for everyone. We would like to take this opportunity to invite all of our alumni to be with us on this day, and also any Brothers from any other chapter who might be able to attend.

Congratulations go to L. L. Denton for being chosen Editor of the Georgia Pharmacist Magazine for the coming year and to Ronald Jowers

for being chosen Co-Editor.

Two of our Brothers have become "papas" for the first time. Brother Don Grissom has a new little girl in his home which has been named Donna Lynne, and Brother Don Chandler has a little boy which has been named Stephen Donald. Also, marriage plans are underway for Tommy Grant and his fiancee, Cynthia Argo who plan to be married in May. Congratulations, Tommy!

At this time of year we always have to bid farewell to our graduating Brothers. We hate to lose them but know they must go on to prepare their life's work. Those graduating either in June or August include: Lowell Harris, Orlando, Fla., Ben Mayes from Savannah, Ga., Joe Landers from High Shoals, Ga., James Hollis of Rock Springs, Ga., Joe Bowman, Trion, Ga., George Westbrook, Summerville, Ga., Ben Bailey, Athens, Ga., Morris Dinwiddie, Scottsville, Ky., James Bramlett, Carnesville, Ga., James Maxwell, Crawford, Ga., Ed Riddle, Augusta, Ga., Ray Archambeault, Savannah, Ga., Harold Colter, Dublin, Ga., James Strickland, Blackshear, Ga. and James Woo from Augusta, Georgia. We wish all of these boys the best of luck and even though they are not with us, their interest in Kappa Psi will remain just as great as always.

Wishing all Kappa Psi Chapters a pleasant and

enjoyable spring, I remain,

Fraternally yours,

JOE LANDERS, Historian

GAMMA CHI-FERRIS INSTITUTE

Here it is another summer, and everyone is glad to see it come. After nine months of school, it seems good to have a vacation.

We have lost four brothers who graduated this year. We are sorry to see them go, for they have added much to our Chapter in the last four years. They are: Jerry Funk, Mike Novilla, Don Mac-Manaway, and Tony Wallace. Good luck on the state board fellows.

We have a new dean of pharmacy here at Ferris. He is Brother Edward P. Claus. He was formerly at the University of Pittsburg. He replaces acting Dean Brother Clark Andreson, who now returns to his full time teaching capacity here at Ferris.

On April 1 and 2, the juniors went on the annual Parke Davis trip to Detroit. They had many good reports to make and now all the other underclassmen are looking forward to the trip.

There are three brothers who plan to get married during the summer months. They are: Odell Ellis, Don MacManaway, and Bruce Horton. The best of luck to you and your brides, fellows. Two brothers have pinned their girls since Christmas. They are: Dick Reinhart and Rog Stroh.

Our Seventh Annual Sweetheart Ball was held in the Armory on February 16, 1957. It was at tended by 250 couples. This was the largest dance we have put on. Everyone worked hard to complete the decorations. We had a revolving center piece with two large hearts and four foil cupids on it.

Our Spring Formal was held at the Fraternity House on June 1, 1957. All the brothers attended

and everyone had a good time.

Our new members, who completed pledging in March, are: Harry Taylor, Tony Gouvatos, Gary Meeker, Pete Quisenberry, and Don Zaborney.

On April 5 and 6, we attended the Province V Assembly in Lima, Ohio. Gamma Delta Chapter of Ohio Northern University was a very gracious host

We are looking forward to December and the National Grand Council Convention in St. Louis. See you in St. Louis!

Fraternally yours,
DAVID R. CAMBURN, Historian

GAMMA PSI—SOUTHERN COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Another quarter has slipped by us, and the holidays are coming rapidly. Before they arrive and many of our brothers depart their separate ways, Gamma Psi wants to pass on to all seniors its best wishes of a bright and prosperous future for all.

During the past two quarters Gamma Psi has engaged in many activities. We won the school basketball championship and it appears, at least from our standpoint, that we will also take the annual softball game. This will result in the cham-

pionship for Gamma Psi.

Gamma Psi has been engaged in many functions at Southern. We have repainted the recreation room, sponsored weekly movies, and our pledges have assisted the teachers in the various laboratories. Other activities include participation in two radio programs. The first program dealt with the history of Kappa Psi at Southern. The second was a discussion about the profession of Pharmacy and the need for more pharmacists.

Gamma Psi wishes to bid farewell to Dr. M. A. Chambers, who is resigning his post as dean of Southern to go into industry. We feel that we will hear much more from Dr. Chambers in the

future.

Kappa Psi initiated nine new members into the chapter in February, as follows: Ronald W. Wagnon, Orlando, Fla.; Malcome W. Forte, Jr., Columbus; James B. Brown, Vidalia; Marion W. King, Atlanta; James O. Blackburn, Chipley, Fla.; Robert E. Kicklihter, Reidsville; Robert E. Milner, Thomaston; Robert H. Poole, Cartersville; Gerald R. Murphy, Moultrie.

Four students have been pledged recently, as follows: Wendel Boatwright, Gene Atkins, James

Gilmer and Ronald Cofer.

With plans in the making for our annual banquet and dance and between the fitting of our robes, I and Gamma Psi bid you one and all farewell.

Fraternally yours, Charles V. McClain, Jr., Historian

BOSTON GRADUATE CHAPTER

Eighty two members of Boston Graduate Chapter joined with the collegiate members of Mu Chapter in celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of Mu on Saturday, April 6 at the Hotel Statler in Boston. Making this occasion doubly memorable was the highly gratifying response of the alumni with members coming from as far as Canada to take part in the festivities. Included in the group were four Charter Members; Sidney O. Barnstead, John J. Murphy, Daniel Reidy, Jr., and Chester E. Tracy.

Current dues-paid members now total 153 and as an indication of the strength and interest in the group, scholarship contributions have enabled the Chapter to increase their three undergraduate scholarships from \$50.00 to \$100.00 each.

In February of this year the Chapter held a buffet-dance, enabling wives to participate in a Fraternity affair for the first time in many years. Thirty-seven couples enjoyed a fine evening.

Fraternally,
John W. Schermerhorn, Secretary

CONNECTICUT GRADUATE CHAPTER

On January 23, 1957 at the Wonder Bar Inn on the Berlin Turnpike our annual dinner-dance was held. As always the affair was most enjoyable for those brothers who attended but the number of grad brothers going was below par. Several circumstances such as the time of year and the time of serving dinner are being considered for a change with the hope of improving attendance. If all brothers would just attend one dinner-dance I'm sure the result would be that the date would be reserved year after year by every one. Brothers Norm Powers and Don Lack did a superb job with the arangements but in such an affair as this the end result is the work of all the brothers. The publicity end of the dance was well covered as many brothers read about and saw themselves in the *HARTFORD COURANT* the next day. Approximately 50 people attended and for Kappa Psi in Connecticut that's only mediocre.

March 27, 1957 was a very special meeting night as the attendance rose to over 100 brothers. The dinner meeting, arranged by Brother Fred Casioppo and Regent John Basile, was called "Eddie" Goodmaster night, and Eddie Goodmaster's night it was! Brother EDMUND, complete with red tie, red pocket handkerchief, red argyles, and grey flannel suit with that "Ivy" look, was the recipient of a $K\Psi$ plaque properly inscribed. The plaque attested to Brother Ed's devoted and unselfish work to pharmacy and $K\Psi$. As the large number of brothers paid tribute to Eddie in their speeches, each one found it difficult to find the right words that would convey the overwhelming feeling of love, fraternalism, respect and dignity that each held in his heart for Brother Ed. Even more so, I find it difficult to transpose to paper that feeling so that I may do justice to each brother in his feelings for Brother Goodmaster. Speaker after speaker mentioned some particular characteristic of Eddie's that he felt was the most prominent and no two speakers repeated each other. There were about 30 speeches made. At the end of the meeting Brother Eddie gave his thanks and also gave credit where credit was due in a typical Goodmaster fashion. Eddie would rather give than receive and as his reward an old but not forgotten longing was realized when he was presented with the plaque. The rest of the story goes back a number of years to nine brothers, hard times, and 150 York Street. Brother Ed was particularly happy with the turnout which was a token of esteem in itself. Approximately 22 broth-







Top: At Connecticut Graduate Chapter's Ed Goodmaster Nite. A good Kappa Psi song and a good cigar by Grand Historian Williams. Center: At Connecticut Graduate Chapters Ed Goodmaster Nite. Some of the one hundred odd Brothers at dinner.

Bottom: Brother Ed proudly displays special plaque awarded him while Pharmacy Commissioner DeNicola and Editor of The Mask Fenney look on.

ers from Nu chapter were present including the new Regent, Maurice "Moe" Beaulac.

At this same meeting nominations and elections of officers were held. Elected for the coming fraternal year were: Regent, Robert Grieb; Vice Regent, Roman Panek; Secretary, Joseph Pacconi; Treasurer, Gus DellaPietra; Historian, Ray Smith; Chaplain, Dan Leone, Jr.; and Grand Council Deputy, John Basile. Congratulations and best wishes to the new officers and may they continue to serve the fraternity in the progressive and professional manner that has become synomynous with the $K\Psi$ label.

Brother Tom Sullivan, member of the Scholarship Committee, has reported that the Connecticut Graduate Chapter Kappa Psi Student Loan Fund is now in operation. This fund has materialized in answer to a KV ideal. The fund makes available, to any qualified Nu Chapter brother, financial assistance where and when deemed necessary for the continuation of academic studies. The Nu Chapter brother must make application after qualifying to do so and then meet requirements as set forth by the committee. The fund is operated by an Eligibility Committee and a Board of Trustees. The support of this worthy undertaking is a job for all KV brothers and Brother Sullivan will be most happy to hear from you personally or via mail.

This April, Mu Chapter of Kappa Psi will celebrate its 50th Anniversary in Boston. The Brothers of Connecticut Graduate Chapter would like to extend best wishes and congratulations.

NUTMEG NEWS: So many new faces at Eddie's dinner nite that it's hard to remember them all. Nice to see Johnny Frank, Dan Camilliere, Jack Riley, and Ray Boudreau. Many other brothers shook my hand but too numerous to mention as many friendship were renewed. I wish I had this trouble of too many faces at every meeting. Spoke with Dick Fournier who is now out of the hopsital. Brother Richard is scheduled to depart with Uncle Sam's Army for Japan in the near future. Upjohn Company has claimed another KΨ Brother. His name is Mike Hines and Brother Mike hails from Manchester, Introduced to Ray Dauphinais from Chi chapter in Chicago. Brother Ray is now in the pharmacy staff at the University. Welcome to UConn, Ray! Saw quite a few KΨ grad brothers up at the 75th Anniversary in Storrs on March 31. The College of Pharmacy put on several demonstrations concerning pharmacy work and a complete tour of the new pharmacy building and its facilities was the specialty of the day. As always, Nu Chapter had the answer for us at chowtime. The dinner must have been excellent as the boys filled two dining halls to capacity and had 60 or more waiting for another sitting. To my sorrow and my wife's, we couldn't get a seat and time wouldn't permit us to wait. Best of all was the consolation that the brothers of Nu are doing a superb job on a campus that is the envy of many other schools and universities. If I remember correctly President Albert Jorgensen was a guest of honor at the head table. Remember seeing Brothers Burt and Mrs. Holt, Ray Solimini, John Basile, Jimmy Miller, Dan Leone, Bob Costello, Norm and Mrs. Powers, Bob and Mrs. Keane, Bill and Mrs. Wieler, and Fred Vigliante. Other guests of Nu included Grand Historian Williams and Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beal, Editor of THE MASK, Nicholas Fenney and Mrs Fenney, also Mr. and Mrs. Schwarting. Nice to see Mrs. Raymond Smith up and about after presenting our Historian with a set of twin girls, Susan Elizabeth and Deborah Eileen. See you at the May meeting in Waterbury and the Senior Banquet in June.

Fraternally yours,

RAY SMITH

KENTUCKY GRADUATE CHAPTER

Greetings from Kentucky Graduate Chapter and a warm welcome to a new brother, Mr. E. Murphy Josey. Mr. Josey, as most of you know, is the Secretary of the Kentucky Board of Pharmacy. We're all happy to have such a distinguished

Social activities of the Graduate Chapter included a dinner-dance held at the Wildwood Country Club. The steaks were delicious and the music superb. The Billy Rudolph group did their usual good job. We are looking forward to the Spring Formal to be held at the Pastime Boat Club. May 17.

New Officers have been elected and installed as follows: Joe T. Elmes, Regent; Don Smith, Vice Regent; Joe Blandford, Treasurer; Tom Weisert, Secretary; Richard Ross, Corresponding Secretary.

Good luck to the new officers and I know we

are going to have an outstanding year.

We have launched a plan for obtaining a house for graduate use since the undergraduates are moving to Lexington in the fall. Anyone desiring details contact Mr. Joe T. Elmes, 2016 Eastern Parkway, Louisville, Ky.

We are also trying to organize a Bowling Team

for the summer. More details later.

Don't let Spring Fever get you down, and will be looking forward to corresponding with you again in the July-September issue.

Fraternally,

RICHARD Ross, Corresponding Secretary

MINNESOTA GRADUATE CHAPTER

On April 5, 1956 the executive committee was host at a dinner for our Grand Regent, Louis Fischer. We enjoyed meeting Dr. Fischer and discussing with him the relationships between active and graduate chapters.

The annual noon luncheon was held on May 1, 1956 in conjunction with the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical Convention at the Nicollet Hotel. This is one of the highlights of the year because many members outside of the Twin Cities are able to attend. In the absence of our Regent, Dave Hester ('50) who resigned to take a post with the Eli Lilly Co. in Fargo, North Dakota, James Krause ('50) took over as Regent.

The social event of the year was the Homecoming party held November 3, 1956 at the Normandy Hotel. There were 32 Brothers and their wives who enjoyed an evening of dinner and

dancing.

A joint meeting of the active and graduate chapters was held on January 24, 1957. Entertainment consisted of movies from E. R. Squibb and Sharpe and Dohme and the humorous initiation of five new members of the active chapter into the "Royal Order of the Rhinoceros."

On March 20, 1957 our executive committee met to nominate officers for the coming year. Also at this meeting, a proposal was made that the Graduate Chapter contribute to the Ray S. Kelley Memorial Fund. This proposal will be brought up for final approval at our May meeting.

Fraternally yours,

R. H. NOREEN, Secretary-Treasurer

NEW JERSEY GRADUATE CHAPTER

Greetings from the Graduate Brothers of New Jersey.

Our Chapter is in the midst of a very busy year. The year began with the Annual Fall Dinner on November 7, 1956 honoring Brothers Bellino, Calvo, Taraszka, Della Bella, Madsen, Salzano, Vitale, Wolke, and Weidanz who were graduated in June of 1956. Brother E. E. Leuallen was the speaker and he gave a very interesting talk on his experiences in the Far East.

Our second meeting was a dinner-business meeting on January 23 at the Casa Mana. At this meeting the final action necessary to make our housing fund a reality was the major item of business. Brothers Al Wick, Ernie Hiler and Emil Martini were elected to the Board of Governors to serve with Brothers Pesciotta and Stankiewicz of Omega Chapter. Brother Al Wick was appointed chairman pro tempore and the Board is now in the process of becoming incorporated in New Jersey.

Our next affair was the Annual Wife-Sweetheart Dance which is held in conjunction with Omega Chapter. This most enjoyable affair was held in the Pan American Room of the Hotel Douglas on February 9 and we were happy to have Paul and

Terry Meer home for the week-end.

A new event on our yearly calendar was the joint meeting of our chapter with Omega, Gamma and the New York Graduate Chapters. The New York Graduate Chapter was host for this very successful venture on February 21 at the New York Athletic Club. There was but one complaint—the evening was entirely too short. The enthusiasm with which this event was received by all chapters indicates that it should be an annual affair.

Our sincere thanks go to our New York Graduate Brothers for their hospitality and for the work which made this meeting a success.

On March 31 eleven of the Graduate Brothers attended Omega's Initiation Dinner at Pal's Cabin in East Orange, Congratulations to our collegiate Brothers on their new members—we are proud of them.

Congratulations are also in order for:

Eta Chapter for the fine job they did in planning for the Province II Assembly.

Toe Micale, on his election as Satrap of Province

II.

Marty Daffner on his recent marriage.

Emil Martini on the recent birth of his son. Regent Walter Browning on the recent birth of his son.

The list of our recent Brothers who have joined forces with Uncle Sam includes our Historian Ang' Bellino. We wish them all the best of luck and are happy to be able to welcome home the Brothers who have recently been discharged from our Armed Forces.

Fraternally yours,
Louis D. King, Secretary

NEW YORK GRADUATE CHAPTER

A joint meeting of the New York and New Jersey Graduate Chapters, Gamma and Omega was held on February 21 at the New York Athletic Club. A fine turnout was on hand including Dean Bowers of Rutgers and Dean Leuallen of Columbia. After a fine dinner, entertainment was provided by "Charles the Magician."

We not only enjoyed an evening of good fellowship but we also had an opportunity to discuss mutual problems. All agreed that a joint meeting

should be an annual event.

On February 15, Brothers Trowbitzen, Torigian,

Martinek, McMahon and Luckey of the Graduate Chapter helped Gamma initiate nine members. These men demonstrated their ability and sportsmanship and should be an asset to our Fraternity. The Graduate Chapter extends congratulations to them.

Brother Ed Engelke (Gamma '51) has joined Eli Lilly as medical representative on Long Island.

At our next meeting, some time in May, we will have the election of officers.

Until then,

Fraternally yours,
ROBERT F. LUCKEY, Historian

PORTLAND GRADUATE CHAPTER

The Portland Graduate Chapter held its dinnerbusiness meeting at the Campbell Court Hotel on Tuesday evening, February 12. In addition to all of the officers being present Professor Forslund of Oregon State College and a good turnout of members attended. Ken Simms (Regent) ably presided and Treasurer George presented a very favorable report in which there were 64 paid-up members during 1956.

At the meeting John Cook and Win Rose were selected to represent the Portland Graduate Chapter at the Province Assembly to be held in Seattle on April 20. In addition, plans were formulated for a number to attend the Oregon State College

Seminar scheduled on March 8.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Sgt. Hamm of the Civil Volunteer Defense and the Continental Air Command, who presented a most interesting talk on the purposes of the organization. After the meeting adjourned the entire group were his guests at the Civil Defense Center where they saw the operations board in action.

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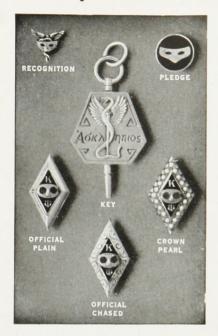
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