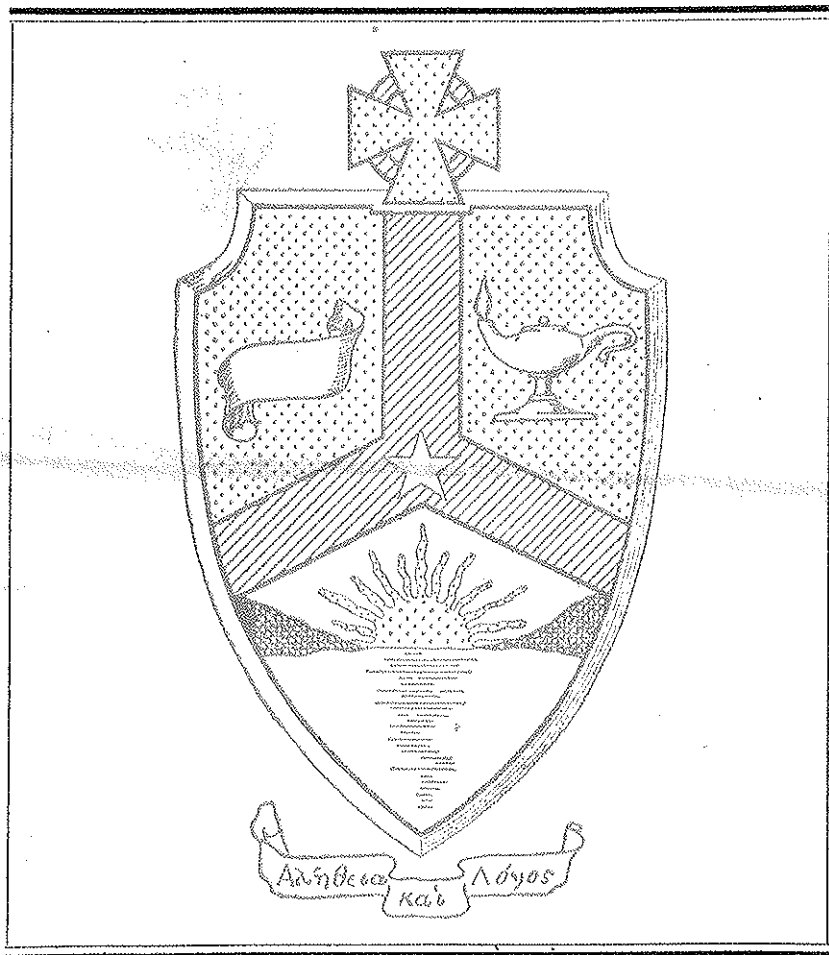


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## *President's Page*

As this school year draws to a close, it is my earnest hope that all pledges, actives, and alumni members have thoroughly enjoyed their activities in Alpha Kappa Lambda throughout 1948-49. I hope that the coming year will bring prosperity to all those who seek advancement in the material and spiritual things of life.

This has been a year of growth in AKA. Theta Chapter has been reactivated at the University of Washington, and Lambda Chapter has recently been chartered at the Kansas State Teachers College of Emporia. The news of these chapters will appear in our next issue.

Let this be just the beginning of our post-war expansion. Wouldn't it be appropriate if each active chapter would resolve to add one new colony during 1949-50. What a pleasure and a blessing that would be to our fraternity and to the life of each active chapter.

I have planned to make a personal visit to each active chapter this Spring, and by the time this issue reaches you, the series of visits will have probably been completed. I am anticipating the real pleasure of meeting our brothers in every chapter.

Let's get behind our fraternity and its National Officers and PUSH.

Fraternally yours,

H. GEORGE DEKAY  
National President

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# EXPANSION

(Excerpts from the National President's Bulletin)

I have been studying this problem and it is my firm belief that we should attempt, through our alumni and active chapters, to organize or consult with groups of students in various schools within each of our areas. When a group has been organized or interested, the national officers can then send a man into that area and culminate your efforts. I have prepared a list of schools in each of our areas which are acceptable to the National Interfraternity Conference. They state that the school must be accredited by the Association of American Universities. This will limit our endeavors to a great extent. We should attempt to start new chapters in schools having an enrollment of at least 1,000 students. This is only an approximate figure and should not refrain us from studying the conditions in schools having an outstanding reputation.

I have asked each Active and Alumni Chapter to report to me any progress being made towards organizing or starting a group in some new school. At present I have had no word. Expansion is a slow process and one which will require "the patience of Job."

My philosophy of expansion is one of cooperation. We need a nucleus of one or two alumni in each area who will give the time and effort to the project of selling AKA to new students. Do you know of any alumnus of your chapter who is in such a position and who would give his time to this project?

You are asking what progress is being made on employing an expan-

sion secretary. The question is one which requires an answer. Here it is. It is my belief that we should first have sufficient funds on hand to pay the services of such a man for the period of one year. That means that we will be in such a position on July 1st of this year, provided our income approaches the figure used at the Conclave to calculate the amount needed. On January 1, we had received about \$900.00 of this amount. Some schools have been slow in sending their checks covering this item.

## *Steps in Colonization*

1. Locate alumni in the school system or as local business men in that area who are willing to give of their time to assist in organizing a group.
2. Determine whether the college is eligible for membership in the National Interfraternity Conference. (Write to me for that information).
3. Determine by visitation or communication the attitude of the governing body of the college towards a new fraternity on their campus.
4. Inquire from alumni, appropriate school officials, ministers, etc. who and/or what group would be best to approach and who might be favored towards AKA ideals.
5. Organize a club or group of men around some one or two outstanding men in that area. This can best be done by alumni.
6. Meet with this group at stated periods so that you can sell AKA.
7. Call upon your national officers for aid in the form of visitations, etc.
8. Keep the spirit of AKA alive.

*Constitutional Changes for  
Referendum Vote*

1. Be it resolved that Sec. 1 and Sec. 2 of Article III of the National By-laws be amended to raise the Initiation Fee by substituting "\$25" for "\$20" and "\$40" for "\$35" where the total figure appears, as applied to both active and alumni members, and also to extend the amount of the total payment by the initiate which cannot be exceeded from "\$50" to "\$60."

Carried unanimously.

2. Be it resolved that Sec. 6, Article III of the National By-laws be amended raising the monthly fee for each member and pledge by substituting "\$1.50" for "\$0.50."

Carried unanimously.

3. Be it resolved that the offices of National Secretary and National Expansion Secretary be combined, and that this combined office be filled by a part or full time Secretary appointed by the National Executive Council.

Carried unanimously.

4. Be it resolved that the "Caucasian" clause be deleted from the National Constitution by referendum.

Carried unanimously.

Before the report of the Resolutions Committee was resumed, the follow-

ing motions came from the floor.

5. It was moved, seconded, and carried unanimously that a new AKA pin, (as designed by Iota), be officially accepted along with the crest recognition pin.

6. It was moved, seconded, and carried unanimously that no subsequent design be recognized except by the action of a Conclave.

The Active and Alumni Chapters have returned sufficient votes to insure the passage of the changes in the Constitution and By-laws as follows:

1. Change initiation fee from \$35 to \$40.
2. Increase dues from 50¢ to \$1.50 per man per month.
3. Employ a combined secretary.
4. Drop the "Caucasian" clause.

The recorded vote:

	1	2	3	4
Alpha	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Beta	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Gamma	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Delta	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Eta	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Iota	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Kappa	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Los Angeles Alumni	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Peninsula Alumni	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Manhattan Alumni	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Detroit Alumni	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

# TREASURER'S REPORT

*Trial Balance—March 22, 1948*

General Fund, Cash Account .....	\$ 4,470.33	
Accounts Receivable .....	18.75	
*Notes Receivable .....	882.40	
Wilbur G. Ball .....	\$ 21.00	
Epsilon Chapter .....	610.00	
Robert F. Draves .....	35.00	
James Reddicord .....	26.40	
Richard Roemer .....	25.00	
Leslie L. D. Shaffer .....	25.00	
Bennett Tollefson .....	35.00	
Theodore C. Denise .....	10.00	
Gilbert T. Walker .....	25.00	
Alvin W. Acker .....	35.00	
Virgil W. Bolton .....	35.00	
Furniture and Fixtures .....	87.04	
Advances to N.E.F. ....	2,000.00	
General Fund, Net Worth .....	\$ 6,306.39	
*Special Accounts Payable—NEF .....	240.00	
Directory Fund .....	48.10	
Initiation Fees .....	1,020.00	
Interest—N.E.F. Securities .....	333.08	
Jeweler's Rebates .....	66.08	
Chapter Dues .....	2,001.25	
Miscellaneous Income .....	6.50	
National President, Expense .....	125.00	
National Treasurer, Expense .....	19.66	
National Secretary, Expense .....	100.00	
Publishing of Logos .....	360.92	
Stationery and Supplies .....	32.85	
Expansion .....	200.00	
14th National Conclave .....	1,573.87	
Contingencies and Special Activities .....	150.00	
Miscellaneous .....	.58	
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The books of the Fraternity show two items which reflect erroneously the net worth of the organization. These are notes on Epsilon Chapter and various uncollectible initiation notes. The items resulting from these notes are starred on the following Trial Balance.

## CHAPTER NEWS

### ALPHA

#### *President's Message*

The school year '48-'49 promises to be a banner one for Alpha of AKA and it is my privilege to lead an outstanding group of men during the fall semester. We have our sights set high, but our goal is definitely within reach. As usual the fall semester is one of great expectations and plans. Ours are simple but all encompassing. We have reached the select few at the top in the field of politics and intramural sports, and are now resolved to regain our position at the top in scholarship. The inference that the latter is not good is correct. We, here, are not proud of our standing, and are doing everything possible to place our name up among the top three again.

Many times in the past this newsletter has carried a hopeful invitation to you to drop in on us when you are in or near Berkeley. Some of you, I am glad to say, have taken us up on this and I sincerely hope you have enjoyed yourselves while here. But there are many whom we have not seen and would like very much to meet. If you have a little spare time we want you to come up, just any time; we promise a cordial welcome and a few renewed memories.

Other articles in this letter will give you a complete picture of where your house stands at the present time, but maybe there is something missing that you would like to know about. If so drop us a line and we will try to fill in the misses.



Here are the horseshoe champions of last year at the University of California, the team of Alpha Chapter. The small plaque is for National League Champions, and the large plaque is for university champions. Seated are Carney J. Campion, first doubles, Gregory S. Ohannesson, alternate, and William H. Moore, first singles. Standing are Donald S. Haymond, first doubles, and Harold A. Dahlmeier, second singles.

It is our sincere desire to carry on the traditions of AKA and it helps us a great deal to know how you feel as to our status now, so again may I invite you to come up for a meal or just for a bull session, and give us a

line on how the AKA's fare in your class.

JOHN H. EVERETT '49  
President, Fall '48

#### *Alumni*

The East Bay Alumni Association held its first meeting Tuesday, October 12, at the chapter house. The meeting was well attended with over fifteen alumni at the meeting. The officers are FRANK BROWN, '47, president; ABNEY DANA, '47, vice-president; and LYNN SCHLOSS, '47, secretary.

The alumni committee is planning on making a new set of files on all alumni as the present files are incomplete and incorrect. We would appreciate any information on your address if the one we have is not correct.

DICK MCCURDY, '50  
Alumni Chairman

#### *Basement Report*

Since last semester, the basement or rumpus room, whichever one prefers to call it, has been a center for social activities of the house. Plans for improvement were outlined during the summer months and are being put into effect this semester. A drain for the newly completed sink and a rack for phonograph albums are in the process of completion at the present time. Future improvements to be undertaken this semester include a decoration behind the refreshment counter and a game rack.

BOB STARRS, '50  
Basement Chairman

#### *Rushing Report*

The evening of September 12 saw the opening of rushing season this year. By October 8 thirty-three men



The championship ping pong team of the University of California last year was composed of these brothers of Alpha Chapter of AKA. The small plaque is for National League Champions, and the large plaque is for university champions. Seated are Richard E. "Dick" McCurdy, first singles; and Gregory S. Ohanesson, second singles. Standing is Sanford A. McCurdy, third singles. A member of the team not in the picture is Douglas A. Low, alternate.

had been rushed. Seven men were pledged, raising our active membership to forty-two members.

I believe that this pledge class will be one of the best ever. The men living inside are DICK CLARKE, DOC FREEMAN, HARRY LUCCHESI, FRANK SERPA, and TOMMY THOMPSON. Outside men are HARRY WOLCOTT and DICK COURTNEY.

DOC RYAN, '51  
Rushing Chairman



*Mothers' Club*

The AKA Mothers' Club at its first meeting of the new school year on October 25 elected officers for this year. They are: MRS. WALTER PETERSEN, president; MRS. W. H. MOORE, vice-president; MRS. C. A. LATHROP, secretary; MRS. WM. A. GAW, treasurer; and MRS. SCOTT HAYMOND, membership chairman.

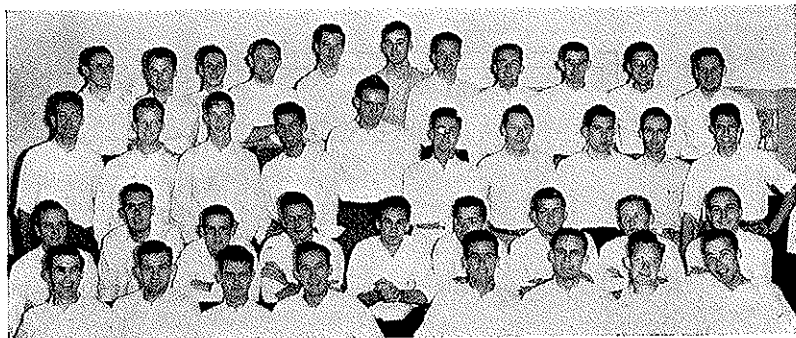
The Mothers' Club gave the active members of the house \$200 for the

*House and Grounds*

As is usual at this time of the year, the House and Grounds Committee is attempting to put the house back into top shape after the summer vacation.

Although the house, generally speaking, is in very good condition, there remain such things to do as painting, general cleaning, fixing windows, working in the basement, etc.

Football season has impaired progress but within the next few weeks



**These brothers were active in Alpha Chapter, University of California, when this picture was taken last Spring.**

purchase of needed furniture. With it we have purchased a full length mirror and some ash trays.

Several of the mothers helped prepare and serve buffet dinner both before and after the Big Game on November 20.

The actives would like to take this means of thanking all of the Mothers for the many benefits they have given us. Information concerning the activities of the Mothers' Club may be obtained by writing to the president at 838 Bridge Rd., San Leandro, California.

we hope to accomplish our major tasks.

The board has done a wonderful job of repairing the kitchen. We now have a new stove as well as an asphalt tile floor and a new sink.

Any alums who wish to look over the house and make any suggestions are cordially invited to do so.

BOB EVERETT, '50  
H & G Chairman

*Activities*

Activities this term started off with the old one-two-three punch. AKA

DANNY COELHE was elected to the post of Junior Class President last term. The election came off after the last Alpha Ramblings had gone to press, so we were unable to report the election. Punch number two came in the form of one of our new pledges, DICK CLARKE. Dick was elected Freshman Class President in the runoffs of the election held this term. Punch number three was furnished by JERRY ELBERT. Jerry, who is our house manager, was elected president of the House Managers Association, another important post which has been filled by an AKA.

We are striving to have as many members of the house in University sponsored activities as possible. Although we started off a little slowly, we are now pushing this part of our activities program very strongly and now, all but two of the eligible members in the house are in activities of some sort.

DON LATHRAP  
Activities Chairman

#### *Initiation Report*

The formal initiation was held at the chapter house on Sunday, October 3. The actives were assisted by several willing alums who were on hand to help put the initiation over. The thirteen men who were put through were: GARY BLAND, '50; DON CHRISTENSEN, '51; HAL DAHLMER, '48; JIM EKEGREN, '51; BOB GAW, '51; SANDY MCCURDY, '50; DON MYTHEN, '50; LEE PETERSEN, '50; JACK SOMERVILLE, '51; BOB STARRS, '50; TED TIMMONS, '50; and WARREN WEISENFELD, '51.

The banquet following the initiation was also held at the chapter house. DR. FRED STRIP spoke on the "Place of

Fraternity Men on Campus" and FRANK BROWN delivered the charge to the initiates.

DICK MCCURDY, '50  
Initiation Chairman

#### *Social*

Our social activities this semester, so far, have included two radio dances, the pledge dance, the Big Game Informal, and an exchange beer bust with Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternity before one of the home football games, in a program aiming to help our members meet men in other houses.

Our pledge dance, which is a costume dance we hold every semester in honor of our pledges, was held after the Wisconsin game. Its theme was "Bedroom Brawl," it being a pajama dance. It turned out to be quite successful, with a number of our alumni enhancing the dance with their presence. A partial list of alumni who attended the dance follows: LYNN SCHLOSS, '48, ABNEY DANA, '47, HILTON WEBSTER, '42, FRANK TIMMERS, '48, and NEIL CAMPION, '47.

After the Big Game with Stanford on November 20 we held our Big Game Informal Dance on the S.S. *Frank M. Cox*, a pleasure cruiser, in conjunction with Phi Kappa Tau and Kappa Delta Rho Fraternities. The ship sailed under the Golden Gate Bridge and around the San Francisco Bay during the 3 hour dance. Music was provided for the 150 couples by a salty three piece combo which proved to be the life of the party. The dance, it was agreed by all, turned out to be about the most successful social event of the semester.

ART BENHAM, '49  
Social Chairman

### *Music Committee*

The music committee at present is active in increasing Alpha Chapter's repertoire of songs. A search is being made to find novelty songs that can be sung at exchanges. Also an attempt is being made to revive some of the seldom used school songs.

A new sweetheart song is in the process of being written. RAY LEYDECKER has written the music, and the words will be written by CARL POTTER and LEE PETERSEN.

RAY LEYDECKER  
Music Chairman

### *Scholarship Report*

The Scholarship Committee this term has added a new program for the purpose of discovering the situation in the house as regards grades. A scholarship sheet has been passed out to each active and pledge. On this sheet, the student fills out his class, major, past majors or present minors, all his classes by semesters, with the professors who taught them, the number of units they carried, grades received, and whether or not the course was required. From this information the committee expects to be able to institute a more efficient program. Heading the list of new policies is a system of personal advising, by actives in the higher grade brackets, of all pledges and those actives whose grade-point average is below 1.05. This advising will at first be nothing more than a weekly check-up on all grades received on papers, quizzes, etc., which will be filed with the advisers sheet and will show trend of scholarship achievement. If this trend is not satisfactory the committee will suggest and put into practice, with the recom-

mendation and help of the adviser, a program designed to help that particular man. Thus inconveniences resulting from blanket study-hour regulations, etc., will be avoided while the student in question will at the same time receive personal help designed to fit his particular problems.

Other ideas which the committee is initiating through the scholarship sheets include lists of men who are majoring in certain subjects, men who have taken certain courses, and men who have taken certain courses from certain professors. We are also publishing an honor roll, consisting of the top 10 men in overall grade-point average. Listed in order, these are: DON LATHRAP, DICK CLARKE, PAUL JOHNS, RAY LEYDECKER, JOHN RYAN, KARL POTTER, BOB EVERETT, DON CHRISTENSEN, GARY BLAND, and HARRY WOLCOTT.

Through the sheets it has been ascertained that the freshman class in the house has the highest composite average, followed by the seniors, sophomores, and juniors.

DICK MCCURDY has won the Spring '48 Scholarship Award by raising his average .94 grade points over the preceding term. Also showing great improvement were LEE PETERSEN, JIM EKEGREN, BOB EVERETT, and JIM RUBEL.

KARL H. POTTER  
Scholarship Chairman

### *Intramural Sports Scene*

The intramural scene at AKA last semester was full of activity and was proportionally full of success. For the year 1947-48 Alpha Kappa Lambda won third place in points for all sports among competition with 45 fraterni

ties, a record of which we are very proud. This is a rise from 16th place the preceding year.

The AKA table tennis and horse-shoe teams were both National League (fraternity) and All-University (all groups) Champions. Our teams also came out 2nd in badminton, 3rd in volleyball, 4th in touch football, and 5th in basketball and track.

This semester the intramural program is already well under way. In football we won the first but suffered defeats in the next two games to eliminate us from football. Volleyball was a slightly different story; after losing the first game our team recovered to win the second game, only to be eliminated by a loss in our third contest. The tennis record now stands at two won and none lost, while basketball has one won and none lost. Badminton, table tennis, horseshoes, and bowling have yet to start, so we still have a good chance to finish well up in the standings as these latter sports are possibly our strongest sports.

PAUL JOHNS

Intramural Chairman

## BETA

### *President's Message*

Greetings to all members and alumni of Alpha Kappa Lambda wherever you are. It has been some time since you have received a newsletter from us, but now we want to bring you up to date on Beta chapter's activities for the past few months. The effects of the war on the house and its members have by this time nearly been absorbed. Pledge classes are once more intact, the seniors are the older members, and there is not

such a span in the ages of the men within the house. Three-fourths of the house this year is non-veteran, and next year the percentage will be even greater.

Since the beginning of the school year 1948-49 we have carried on an active program in all fields—academic, intramural sports, and social. There has been splendid cooperation on the part of everyone, including nearby alumni. Whether it was collecting money for the Student International Relief Organization or building the Big Game Float, everyone pitched in with his best. Although we didn't win any trophies in sports or any prizes in the Big Game parade, we thoroughly enjoyed the participation. We have, however, remained on top in the scholastic field, as far as fraternities are concerned, thanks again to our hard-working members.

Fraternity-Administration relations here at Stanford are excellent. DEAN KIMPTON is sympathetic with the problems of fraternities, helping us wherever he can, and the Interfraternity Council has been holding up its end of the bargain by passing more effective social and rushing regulations. Both from the standpoint of the administration and the individual houses, the whole position of fraternities is very encouraging.

Getting back to AKA, we are in the midst of rushing right now. Next year's pledge class will have to be fairly large for two reasons. First, there are nine seniors graduating this year. JOHN MCGREGOR graduated in December. BOB MILLER, BRUCE SMITH, DAVE FULTON, and DON BEEMAN will graduate at the end of March. STEVE KAHN, FRED TERMAN, PETE DALEY, and BILL



### Beta Chapter's pledge classes initiated Spring and Fall, 1948

SHEPARD will graduate in June. Secondly, the new draft law, although not nearly as stringent as the wartime draft, will affect many of our members. So we are working for a very successful rushing season.

You will find news of our various activities in the other articles below. Help us keep our address files up to date by dropping us a card when your address changes, and, don't forget, you are always welcome to drop in to see the house and to renew old acquaintances.

Faternally yours,  
ROBERT H. MILLER  
President

### *Corporation Meeting*

The annual Corporation Meeting was held at the House on October 18, 1948. About forty active and alumni members were present for the dinner and the meeting which followed.

Reports on the past year's activities were given by JACK HARRIMAN, House upkeep and improvement; BILL ALFONTE, Corporation finances; DOUG CAMPBELL, House finances; BOB MILLER, House activities; CHARLES SWORD, Scholarship; and MEL PRATT, Alumni Chapter reorganization and activities.

Members of the Board elected for the present year are as follows: ROB LINVILLE, President; JACK HARRIMAN, Vice-President; RAY ALDEN, Secretary; and BILL ALFONTE, Treasurer. The House President, BOB MILLER, is also a member, and the House Manager, DOUG CAMPBELL, an ex-officio member.

A vote of thanks was extended to the members of the retiring Board, which did an unusually active job during the summer in redecorating the living room, front hall, and stairway. Special thanks were given to MEL PRATT for his active work for the Fraternity; Mel declined to run again due to his

duties in reorganizing the Alumni Chapter.

CHARLES H. SWORD  
Resident Adviser

*Social Activities—Autumn Quarter  
1948*

The members of Beta Chapter got off to an active start in their social program for 1948-49 by holding numerous dances and parties. Since the fall term was football season, many of the social activities were dedicated to the spirit of football.

The first social event of the quarter was the USC Homecoming buffet supper held at the chapter house. Beta's doors were thrown open after the Stanford-USC football game to all alumni and friends who were on the campus for the weekend. A turkey supper was enjoyed by all. After supper the floor was cleared and informal dancing to records was offered. We felt that we showed our returning alumni a pleasant time on their return to the campus.

Naturally, we could not pass up the Halloween weekend without having some sort of festivity. As has been our custom in past years, we held a Halloween barbecue at the home of BILL TAYLOR in the foothills of Los Altos. It was a great success, as the members and their dates consumed great quantities of charcoal broiled hamburgers, potato salad, and beer. Jack-o-lanterns, crepe paper, and corn shocks proclaimed the Halloween spirit. After eating, dancing was held to the music of records under the stars. A huge roaring fire in the outdoor fireplace kept the party-goers from freezing and provided a gathering place for groups who wished to sing.

The formal initiation of pledges was held on a Sunday afternoon early in November to introduce eight new members to Alpha Kappa Lambda. The ceremony went off smoothly with alumni, Alpha members, and our national vice-president attending. Afterward, we all sat down to a delicious banquet to top off the initiation.

As usual, the big event of the fall quarter was the Big Game week-end. Since this traditional game was played on the California campus this year, Alpha chapter played host to us for a buffet luncheon before the game. After one of the most exciting football games yet seen, Beta chapter held its annual Big Game dance at the Crystal Springs country club in the hills west of Burlingame. Although the party did not get underway until fairly late, the affair turned out to be an outstanding success. After an excellent dinner, we danced to the music of a 5-piece band and went home feeling that a good time was had by all.

In the coming months of this year, Beta is planning many interesting social functions. Among them are an annual Hard-Times Dance open to the campus, pledge prom, and others. We hope that our future social events will be as successful as those already completed.

*Pinnings, Engagements and  
Weddings*

To get the ball rolling, we had better mention first the now one and one-half year old pinning of SALLY BRISCOE of Mills by our own FRED TERMAN. His only comment: "It's keen," accompanied by that far-away look.

This quarter BUD ELDON passed

cigars proclaiming his pinning BETTY KAHN. Now BUD and STEVE could be brothers-in-law. This we gotta see!

Since the last Beta Bulletin we've had several going off the deep end and getting hitched. The first to get married were EILEEN SULLIVAN and AUB SEED, with JEAN THOMSON and COURT VAN RENNELAER, MARGARET EDWARDS and BILL TAYLOR, SHIRLEY HOUGHTON and DAVE ALLEN, and MARGARET VANDENBERG and ROB LINVILLE taking the big step later.

Last summer several members attended the weddings of BETTY GETTLE and BOB HILMER, and VIRGINIA FERRELL and BILL ALFONTE. The Hilmers were married at the Westwood Community Church in Westwood, with the reception held at Betty's home in Beverly Hills. Two days later, July 7, the Alfontes were married at Pasadena.

WARD COOPER, of Stanford Medical School fame, announced his engagement last October; and in September DICK HOBBY announced his engagement to JOAN METZGER of Wellesley College. Another busy man was NORM WINTEMUTE, who pinned LYDIA PARKS last quarter and then during the holiday season presented to her the ring.

#### *Söf' ö Mör: Wise Fool*

First but not foremost among the recent initiates is WALT PETER from the northern town of Burlingame. Pete's valiant endeavor to become less sarcastic has the violent approval of the entire house. "Dear John" Walt spends a good share of his time on football—watching it from the bleachers. Among his talents, he reminds us that he can't play the piano or sing. He is constantly haunted by the

fact that his father is an active alum of Beta chapter, and consequently PETE must continue to set a shining example for the rest of the members.

Our latest inhabitant here in the house is "fire hat" TOM GRIFFIN. Tom had to migrate to Stanford from Lindsay because he stole his best friend's girl. Since he is so busy with women, he has absolutely no hobbies or intriguing compulsive interests. Until any later decisions, Griff informs us he is a pre-med student, provided he can contract for all of our future medical business.

JOHN HENDERSON was getting so far out of hand at school that his mother had to move from the city down to Palo Alto to keep a watchful eye on him. With a lack of originality, he, too, claims to be working toward the realms of medicine. In anticipation of his meeting some beautiful mermaids (no one has tipped him off as to their mythical existence), John is working diligently to become an expert swimmer. Unlike some of the rest of the boys who consistently hammer the piano to death, Henderson is actually talented along classical lines.

From the wild and wooley hills of St. Helena came MAX MONEY. He thought he was getting off his farm for good, only to find that Stanford is also a farm. Living in the heart of the prune country. Max naturally works dehydrating the fruit during his summer vacations. "Dinero" was in the band until he found that Mr. SCHUCAT wouldn't concede his position as director—always trying to toot his own horn. His present weighty responsibility is the supervision of intramural sports. He spends all his pin money traveling up to Oakland on

the weekends to see a brunette whom he hopes will become his own tax exemption.

Playboy WALT FROELICH is busy keeping the brothers away from the little woman. When he is at a loss for diversion, he amuses himself by lifting weights and other dumbbells around the house. Nobody can figure out why he used to be called "Pickle"—probably best left untranslated. Walt wandered up to school from Fullerton last year to match his wits with the rest of us. His favorite pledge task is latrine duty, so he says. For lack of something better, he has chosen Economics as his major. One can rarely see more than the top of his head when he is seated behind his desk, it being constantly overflowing with boxes of candy and cookies and dishes of marble fudge ice cream. Walt has a mysterious mania for nylon clothes brushes of various and sundry bright colors.

Somehow, GUY SCHLESS found his way out here from back in Pennsylvania. Following the example of both of his parents, he is aiming for a medical career. He is susceptible to numerous dubious nicknames, including "the little corporal" (he is minor-ing in ROTC), "Little Caesar," and the latest derivative, "Little Siezure." Possessed with a dominating personality Siezure stands five feet five in his "nplift" (elevated) shoes. He wasn't satisfied to take fencing—he has to teach the course. No one argues with him for fear of being "foiled." The U.S.A. is not big enough for Guy; he spends his summers working for the Friends reconstruction program in Europe. During those rainy summer nights he manages to get lost in the

night spots of Paris. His tenor voice can be recognized easily among the ranks of the University Singers, except once in a while he sings in the right key. Guy's favorite movie actress is RITA HAYWORTH.

JOE COULOMBE hails from Sailor City, but is a traitor to the Navy, intending to return to San Diego and join the Army for a year's "vacation" from school. He is noted for taking cat naps every afternoon to replenish his sleep, sadly depleted by his nocturnal carousing. Possessing a warped flare for creative writing, Joe has been submitting literary gems to both the Chappie and to KSU. For no particular reason, he has a sign placed over his desk that reads: Common Decency and State Law Require that You Wash Your Hands Before Returning to Work. Joe's main problem is being unable to understand why no girl ever will go out with him a second time.

JERRY HAGGARD migrated from Phoenix, Arizona. Another of the many pre-meds in the house, Jerry does justice to a good piano. It has been suggested that he be asked to eat in the kitchen, since his uninhibited and high-pitched laughter can be heard clearly on the third floor. The Arizona horse trader is suspected of being a member of the Arizona State Chamber of Commerce. His southern drawl, complete with that extra twang, is readily distinguishable in any crowd. Jerry plans to take a year or two off from school to spend as a missionary.

#### *Foreign Student is Guest of House*

As our part of the Foreign Scholarship plan at Stanford, Beta chapter has welcomed TERO VAISANEN, from Hel-



sinki, Finland, as a guest of the house for winter quarter. Tero is one of a group of eight students from several European countries, and, like the others, has received a one year scholarship at Stanford under a program designed to benefit Stanford people as well as the visitors themselves by personal contacts of an international flavor. The idea was received from its beginning with enthusiasm by the brothers here, and all of us have looked forward to the possibility for exchange of ideas that Tero's visit offers.

Tero is 24 years old and was a second lieutenant in the Finnish artillery during World War II. He is a graduate student here, taking courses with the sociology department in preparation for future work and research in that field. Personable and an interesting conversationalist, he fits in extremely well with the group here; and the experience of having him with us is, as we knew it would be, stimulating and enjoyable. And, needless to say, we are glad to have the opportunity to participate actively in the Foreign Scholarship program in this manner, all of us being convinced of its value as a means of furthering international understanding.

#### *Scholarship*

On their return from the Christmas holidays, Stanford's Beta members were pleased to find their laurels still intact. From a possible grade point average of 4.00, Beta had managed to salvage 2.78, placing it well in the lead of Stanford's twenty-four fraternities for Fall Quarter of '48.

Scholarship was one of the prime objectives of the founders of AKA

Unlike so many of the high minded resolutions upon which fraternities, or fraternity chapters, are founded, scholarship in the Beta Chapter has persisted throughout the years to become synonymous at Stanford with the name AKA. The following letter to our President, BOB MILLER, contains a record of Beta's achievement during the past years:

"Dear Mr. MILLER:

"It is a real pleasure to congratulate you and your chapter for your consistent achievement in high scholarship. The average of your house has been maintained well above that of the all-men's average for many years past and is for a twelve-year period now the highest among the fraternities at Stanford.

"Yours sincerely,

"SHELTON L. BEATTY

Chief Counselor for Men."

High scholastic standing has, therefore, become a tradition with Beta. The facts of the past serve as an impetus for the members of the future. With such a reputation to be upheld, it becomes an obligation for each successive group entering the house to pay the proper homage to the goddess of learning. We can not, then, boast of our current success; we can only offer it as evidence to those who were here before us—evidence of an honest effort from the new generation.

#### *Intramural Sports*

Fall quarter was only a fair one for the AKAs in intramural sports this year. Defensively, the football team played well, holding opponents to low scores in all games, but in only one game did the team match its defensive

play with a winning offense. One other game was won by forfeit for a season record of 400. Bowling brought both a highlight and a major disappointment in the athletic scene. Deeming food more important than games, the house forfeited one match scheduled during the dinner hour. However, the team, led by CAMPBELL and WEATHERINGTON, won all the other regularly scheduled games. Then, in a play-off brought about by the unfortunate forfeit, the team lost a chance for the all-university title and as forced to share the league championship with another outfit. Interest in ping-pong and horseshoes waned this quarter, though the house possesses some talent in both of these sports. With this talent, and with the possibility of a creditable basketball team, the house has the ability to bring about an improved record for the rest of the year in intramural sports.

#### *House Improvements*

Redecorating the living room has been the biggest change lately, as a new rug, drapes, and new chair covers seemed to be the order of the day. New rugs were also obtained for the front hall and stairway, so our downstairs has become quite presentable.

Considerable painting was done in the members' rooms over the Christmas holidays, as you could tell by the screams emitted by certain persons returning to school to find their rooms painted some "horrible" color. We also plan to have the roof reshingled sometime before next winter.

At the present time 29 men are living in the house, and we are still fortunate in having with us our fine cook, Mrs. BROMLEY.

### **GAMMA**

#### *House and Grounds*

Last spring Gamma chapter completed successfully a drive for rehabilitation funds with more than \$2,500 collected.

The other financial highlight of the year was the refinancing of the house mortgages to take advantage of current lower rates of interest. Gamma chapter credit was so good that several organizations were eager to take our new mortgage as a long range investment.

Money from the rehabilitation fund plus a considerable allotment from the house budget has been well spent. All of our old leather furniture has been reupholstered, the downstairs part of the chapter house redecorated, all new inner-spring mattresses for the dorms, and several new rugs purchased. In addition to this a complete new set of dining room furniture is on its way for this fall, and an automatic dishwasher will be installed this summer.

The redecorating of the study rooms on second and third we leave to the individual occupants to do as the rooms come in need of repair.

Outside windows and the study room floors are now high on the priority list for future repairs.

#### *Social Activities*

We won't list the marriages of the past year, but will say that twelve men have taken the final plunge and six more are known to be planning the fatal step—makes a man wonder if it might not be so bad after all.

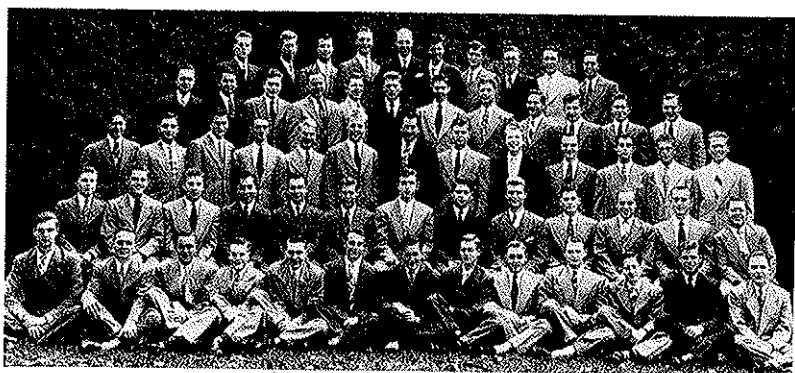
Gamma has been active on the social front with a winter and spring formal the past year plus several in-

formal affairs including the traditional AKA-Acacia feud dance, and the now annual rope pull with Acacia.

The University of Illinois homecoming is marked annually by the decorating of all fraternity and sorority houses on campus. Last fall AKA topped everything with a real glaring, blaring ferris wheel straight from the carnival of Kermit Tatham, owner of Tatham Shows. Homecoming

chairman; JOHN FUCIK, Waukegan, Ill., house manager; RALPH HARTSHORN, Ottawa, Ill., pledge master; DOUG WEITZEL, Urbana Ill., song leader; and BOB ROOT, Urbana, Ill., rushing chairman.

Membership turnover this year leaves Gamma chapter with a decreased role—a desirable situation which permits us to quit the annex which we've been maintaining at one



This is the "likeness" of last year's active membership in Gamma Chapter, University of Illinois.

night the corner of 4th and Daniel in Champaign was jammed with cars for hours.

#### *House Officers*

A fine new slate of house officers was chosen in the spring to guide Gamma chapter through the coming year. AL CARPENTER, law student from Wheaton, Ill., is president; DICK HONG, Wild Rose, Wis., vice president; LLOYD McCLEARY, Bradley, Ill., treasurer; DON DICKEY, Urbana, Ill., recording secretary; LEO GREEN, Godfrey, Ill., corresponding secretary; WAYNE VARLAND, Ottawa, Ill., social

place or another since the large influx of veterans.

June graduates are: DICK ANDERSON, JOHN BONNET, GENE CADY, BOB DAVIS, DAVE HAUCK, DON HECHT, GIL HENNEGAR, WALT KARROW, JIM O'NEAL, TOM ROBER, SAM SMITH, JACK SWAIM, FRANK TRIFILIO, BILL WELSCH, DAVE KEELING, and HANK TOVEY.

With about ten men planning to get married by next fall, we'll have plenty of room to move the entire gang back into old "401 East Daniel," and then take a slightly smaller than normal pledge class.

New initiates last spring were: BOB BOHON, Decatur; BOB COURT, Kankakee; WALT DEUCHLER, Aurora; MERLE JOHNSON, Chillicothe; DAVE MENZEL, Homewood; CHUCK O'NEAL, Ozark; BILL SHEPHER, Pontiac; BOB SOLEM, Chicago; JIM HUNT, TOM MOORE, DALE SCOTT, Champaign; and TERRY QUIRKE, Urbana. Men to be initiated first thing in the fall include, JACK DUNLEY and DICK METZGER.

Gamma chapter was listed in the University of Illinois honors day program as one of six fraternities having the highest scholarship for the past year. There are 57 social fraternities at the University of Illinois.

Two men, DICK CAMPOBELLO and GEORGE PERBIX, were placed on the Bronze Tablet, the University's highest recognition for achievement in scholarship. In addition eight men of the Gamma chapter were cited for being in the upper three per cent of their respective colleges, and 14 others were honored for ranking in the upper ten per cent of their classes.

Of these, nine received the University scholarship key for having received honors three semesters running.

The traditional AKA-Acacia feud at the University of Illinois reached a new climax last spring. Beginning with a few minor skirmishes, each side carried off a series of successful raids until a truce was called at the annual feud dance where spoils of war were displayed by both sides.

Culminating the truce was a major battle with both sides arrayed in all their glory—but let us go back and relate a more complete picture of the campaign.

It all started back in the late 'gos when the neighboring AKA and Acacia

thought it would be a nice gesture to hold an exchange dance each year alternating the houses. In order to work up spirit for these functions the boys used to indulge in a little good natured bantering in the form of derogatory remarks. This method of working up spirit was so successful that just before the war the affairs had turned into a year round feud resulting in a number of incidents that both sides are still telling about with a great deal of laughter.

Early last spring the AKA master strategists carried off several successful raids during which Acacia trophies and sheepskin were captured and their silverware hidden, causing them some inconvenience.

Not to be outdone, the Acacia brass-hats devised a stinkeroo of a trick. Obtaining our floor plan, they assigned key men to specific areas of the house, each armed with a small bag of phenol-acetic acid which, in small quantities, smells something like a barnyard. Then early one dark night they planted a man in the house who proceeded to unlock all the doors after our last pledge was in bed. The Acacia hordes invaded the house and did their dastardly worst before we could detect anything foul.

Luckily the feud dance was still two weeks away, and by that time things were almost back to normal in an olfactory sense.

The feature event of the feud dance was the official returning of the trophies and plaques that had been pilfered by both sides during the year. Oddly the score was about even in this respect, but the Acacias still had the last telling drive to their credit.

Being gentlemen to the core the

Acacias gave us a chance to regain our honor by challenging us to a tug of war.

No ordinary tug of war, this was to be a gigantic affair with both houses fully represented, and the center ground to be the famous Boneyard creek which flows through the campus of the University.

At the appointed hour both houses lined up their tremendous might on either side of the creek and with a large gallery of spectators AKA pulled and pulled and pulled the Acacias off a six foot revetment into the creek—it was quite a splash.

The affair resulted in so much fun for both houses that it is now instituted as an annual affair.

#### *AKA International*

Gamma chapter is putting AKA representatives into the international scene at a merry clip. Seven of our men have been to Europe in the past year.

Last summer FORREST ORR was a delegate to the Oslo World Student Christian conference. DAN SAILOR worked his way to England on a tanker and toured Europe for several months while his ship underwent repairs. Dan is now teaching history at Wayne University in Detroit. JIM HUNT was an official delegate to the Boy Scout jamboree in Paris.

Last fall, DICK SOLEM, '49, went to Norway to train and then to Switzerland to take part in the Olympic games as a speed skater. While there he won high praise from Olympic officials and wild applause from the spectators in February, according to Associated Press reports. Skating

through slush up to the cups of his skates in the 10,000 meter speed event, Solem plowed on while other entries failed to start or gave up. Solem was the 19th and last to start in the 6¼ mile event, and the ice had already been chopped into an all but impassable slush.

This summer we have FRANK REUTER, pledged last fall, cycling through Europe on an American Youth Hostel tour. BOB SCHLAGETER, of Champaign, will study art in Switzerland in the fall.

DEAN LEEPER, who graduated just before the war, has been a Staff Associate at the Wesley foundation in Urbana. He is going to Japan soon for the YMCA. Dean writes: "we are now living in Chicago while I get in some more schooling at Garrett. We expect to be cleared as soon as our son, Steve is a year old to go to Tokyo under the International YMCA to do Christian work among college students in Tokyo and elsewhere. I'll be working with the National Council of the YMCA for Japan which requested a worker to help with the college programs. There is considerable interest among students about Christianity, communism and democracy. I'm hoping to help develop campus programs to interest some and demonstrate to others the necessity and validity of the Christian faith. We'll be going in November or December sometime. It really looks like THE opportunity."

First Lt. LEE B. STEVENSON, reports from Berlin, Germany: (Letter received in April)

"You read about Berlin every day in the paper, so I won't bore you too much with that. At the present time

I am the only medical officer at Tempelhof Air Base and serve as flight surgeon, base surgeon, and sanitary inspector. In fact I'm the only flight surgeon in Berlin. Duties at the base are mostly a matter of routine—sick call, court martials, paper work, inspections.

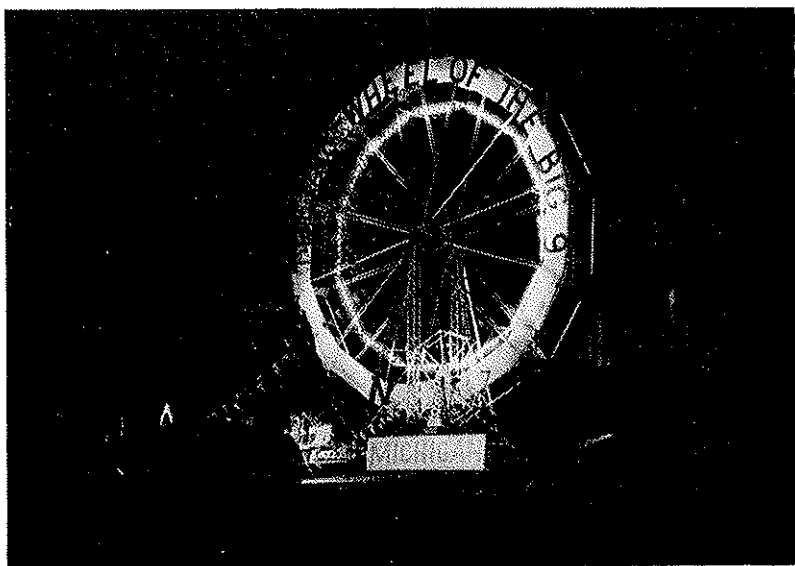
"Berlin is beautiful now—the omnipresent fruit trees are in bloom. The bombed buildings are somewhat hidden by the foliage appearing on the trees. The gardens show signs of life, and the golf course looks greener every day. The sailing season opened last week, and several of the men here have rented boats for the summer. Everything is present that could make life

in Berlin pleasant.

"But there is the Russian element which creates some tension. Everyone feels it. In general the Americans avoid the Russians and vice versa. And the Germans watch closely to see how things are going so they'll know whose side to take overtly when the situation demands. Several of the Germans employed by the Americans probably have Communist Party cards in their possession so they can prove their loyalty to the Communist Party if the Americans leave Berlin.

"As far as personal contact with the Russians is concerned my experiences are limited to one incident.

"When the American plane had en-



Gamma Chapter's decorations for the University of Illinois' homecoming games with Michigan, 1947. The wheel was loaned by Tatham Shows. The photograph is by Lee A. Sullivan, Jr.

gine trouble over Berlin last month, and General Taylor and the other passengers were forced to bail out, all four ambulances from Tempelhof were 'flying' around Berlin picking up survivors. The MP jeep I was following stopped to let the driver ask directions, but they stopped in front of one of the minor Kommandanturas and the Russian soldiers came running up and told us our patient was inside and we were to go inside. They were very polite but firm at all times. We were 'detained' inside the building for an hour and a half while they sought an interpreter. Finally they herded us outside and into the cars and over to the main Kommandantura where an American division officer affected our release. The Russians were polite throughout and only once did one of them reach for his gun.

"Other officers here tell reliable or authentic stories of being detained by Russians at one point or another. It is somewhat disconcerting to be held at gunpoint when you have proper authority to be where you are and can't communicate to your captors because of the language barrier. It's all very interesting.

"The Air Force has done a wonderful job in the freight business here. Last week they evacuated some dependent's baby grand piano by aircraft. Every morning there is baggage of some kind to be transported by air because of rail difficulties. The families have been offered the opportunity to leave-but have not been ordered out yet; which helps make it difficult for military strategy and planning. Probably there is no 'news' here, but the brothers can realize AKA is represented in Berlin."

### *Gamma Alumni News*

(See Also AKA International Letter and Stevenson)

CHUCK RICHEY, '46, 202 South Pike Street, Palestine, Illinois, writes from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology: "Life here is hectic as at old '401.' I'm still in a research lab doing grad work in organic chemistry."

(But next fall I'm) "entering either McCormick Seminary in Chicago or Princeton Seminary in New Jersey. There seems to be several fellows of my acquaintance who are making the switch from technical or other well-paying fields to social or religious fields; what is it, the ominous sound of world-wide panic?

"Have recently struck up a fast friendship with an AKA from the Beta chapter at Stanford, whom you who went to the conclave last summer might remember. Name is JIM SMITH and he's a grad student in physics at Harvard. We ran into each other at the Presbyterian Foundation here. Believe me, it sure is good to get together and harmonize a few bars here and there.

"Ran into BOB DAY, '41, frequently at MIT, but haven't seen BILL CASSELLA since last August. GEORGE PERBIX is around Harvard, too."

Theta men take note:

HAROLD E. WESSMAN was recently appointed to the post of Dean of the College of Engineering, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington.

Wessman praises the University of Washington: "The University has a fine engineering faculty. The physical plant, with the new buildings now under construction, will compare favorably with any in the country. I am tremendously impressed with Dr.

ALLEN (president of the University) and I count myself fortunate in being asked to have a part in the expanding program at the University of Washington under his direction.

LEROY H. FISCHER, assistant professor of history, Oklahoma A. and M. writes: "Personally, I feel it is time . . . for AKA to expand nationally. We need additional chapters. I do not want to see the identity of the organization lost, yet on the other hand it seems to me we will eventually merge if we do not expand. For that reason I speak strongly in favor of expansion, even with the possibility of decreased enrollments in our institutions of higher learning after the veteran enrollment tide has subsided."

#### *Alumni News and Address Changes*

H. H. GOODELL, 3240 Fifth Avenue, South, Minneapolis 8, Minnesota, is now minister of the Fifth Avenue Congregational church.

ALLEN F. AGNEW, '40, of the Department of Geology, Stanford, University, California, writes: "I am completing my work for a Ph.D. in geology here at Stanford, and will leave in June for Wisconsin, where I shall be working again for the U. S. Geological Survey in the lead-zinc district in the southwestern part of the state. Then, beginning in September, I have an assistant professorship in geology at the University of Alabama." Al can be contacted after September in care of the Department of Geology there.

DICK CARLTON, '38, 77 Forest Street, Wellesley Hills, Massachusetts, who is a furniture factory representative dropped us a note, to wit: "I'm a staunch New Englander now and plan to remain in the shadow of historic old

Boston. Have switched from teaching music to the wholesale furniture business in the past year. New England is a great place but nothing can quite compare with Champaign-Urbana in the spring." (Ed note; !!!!?)

Politics rears its head in a line from HARRY D. THORSEN, JR., '36, 925 Elm Street, Winnetka, Illinois, who says that he was elected vice president this year of the Republican Menand Women of New Trier.

IRVING DILLIARD, '27, editorial writer for the *St. Louis Post Dispatch*, one of our best inside men at the news works lists a few of the things he's been doing on the outside: president for the 47-48 term of the Illinois State Historical Society, succeeding Professors T. C. PEASE and J. G. RANDAL of the University of Illinois history department; and a citizen member of the advisory committee for the U. of I's new Institute of Labor and Industrial Relations; and a citizen representative of the advisory committee of the Illinois State Library.—We're proud, Irv.

C. MAX HULL, '30, was recently appointed acting Head of Chemistry for Associated Colleges of Upper New York. We understand that this includes three colleges. Max's address is, Department of Chemistry, Sampson College, Sampson, New York.

GLENN BRUCE, '48, 116 Kellog Street, Peoria, Illinois, has been promoted to Documentation Supervisor in the export credit department of R. L. LE TOURNEAU Corporation. He writes that he is now engaged to KATHY DE CROES and will be married around the first of November.

F. C. DESART, city auditor of Mason City, Iowa, says: "I see BILL HAWORTH



once in a while in Des Moines, otherwise I don't hear about or see many AKAs around here. GEORGE WOOD dropped in twice last fall."

## DELTA

### *Delta's New Home*

WE purchased our new home in July, spent the summer and fall buying furnishings and making repairs, and now it is attractively and richly furnished, yet at the same time it is comfortable and unpretentious.

Under the supervision of MOTHER WILSON, our dining facilities rank with and excel those of other groups. The meals are delicious and plentiful. Mother Wilson, incidentally, in the few months she has been in Lawrence, has made numerous friends and fits well into campus life.

Socially, we're setting an ever-increasing pace, and more and more we qualify under the name of national social fraternity. Yet, at the same time, we are making every effort to maintain our high scholastic average. Our men are in campus activities, establishing enviable records of leadership, and our pledges, the life blood of the fraternity, are being trained for active positions.

The records established by you, the alumni, during your years on the Kansas University campus are still remembered; they inspire us to carry on. Unassumingly, we dedicate ourselves to that task.

Fraternally yours,  
ROBERT L. DAVIS  
President

### *Scholarship*

Delta chapter closed its first year on the K.U. campus after reactivation

with a star pinned to its academic crown—the chapter turned in the highest grade average of the social fraternities and was awarded the Inter-Fraternity Council Scholarship Award for 1947-48.

### *Pledging*

Completing the second rush week since our reactivation, Delta of AKA pledged five men. The chapter felt that its rush week activities were successful. Having gone a long way in remodeling the chapter house, the members had a great time entertaining during its three day rush period, and we feel that the 1949 rush week will be an even greater success.

The men pledged were: JACK LEE from Topeka, Kansas. Jack, a freshman in the college, is taking a pre-medical course. He is enrolled in the R.O.T.C. and is a member of the YMCA. WALTER COWELL from Topeka, Kansas. Walt is a freshman in the engineering school. Like Lee, Walt is also enrolled in the R.O.T.C. program and is a member of the YMCA. ROBERT EVANS from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Bob is a freshman in the engineering school and is majoring in architecture. He returned in August from service with the Army Signal Corp in Japan. KEITH MOORE, Kansas City, Missouri. Keith, a freshman in the college, is taking a pre-business course and plans to major in accounting. He also has just returned from service with the army in Japan.

Men who were pledged later in the semester were: JACK KREIE from Johnson, Kansas. A junior in physical education, Jack should do much for AKA in its intramural activities. He is a navy veteran. ROBERT ROSS, Carnegie,

Pennsylvania. Bob is a senior in the college of liberal arts and is majoring in psychology. He plans on going into the graduate school after graduation next June. DON KELLER, Herington, Kansas. Don is a junior in the business school and is an accounting major.

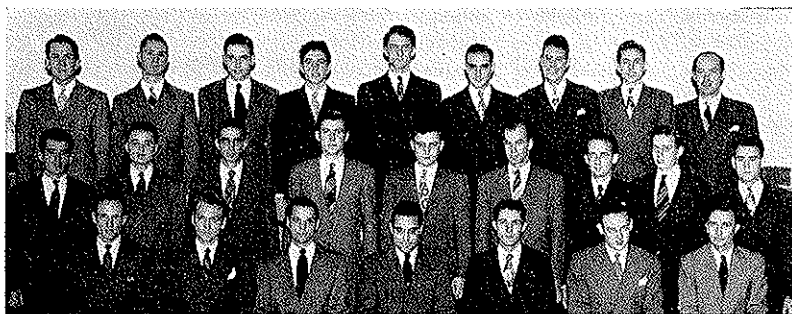
#### *Social Notes*

Our first party took place in the chapter house October 16. It was planned with the idea of giving the members a chance to become better acquainted with their dates in anticipa-

JIM KANEHL, JACK DAUSMAN and their committee.

On October 29 the chapter sponsored its fall hayrack ride. This year the weather was just right, not too cold and not too warm. Hot dogs and cider was served early in the evening and later the group returned to the house for an hour of dancing.

On December 4 AKA had its first annual, semi-formal dance. The dance was held at the fraternity and the theme was centered around the scholarship cup which Delta won last year.



These brothers are the active group of Delta Chapter, University of Kansas, of last year. Through their instigation a house has been purchased. See picture of house on page 29.

tion of the hayrack ride later that month. Due to construction difficulties, the dining room was not fully completed by the night of the dance, but the social committee did an excellent job of decorating so that the partial stages of repair were not noticeable. Our chaperons for this party were Mr. and Mrs. CLAYTON CROSIER, DEAN and Mrs. F. J. MOREAU, and MOTHER WILSON.

A special vote of thanks for the brilliant decorations goes to actives

The chaperons were Mrs. GRACE COLLIER, Mrs. MILDRED SCOTT and MOTHER WILSON. The intermission program was provided by FLETCHER, JIM KANEHL, WARREN SHAW, and JACK DAUSMAN.

As is the custom for fraternities here at K.U., AKA is attending several hour dances with various sororities from 7:00 to 8:00 on Friday evenings. So far this semester we have visited the Theta Phi Alpha, Sigma Kappa, and Delta Delta Delta sororities. These dances

gave our pledges a chance to meet the sorority pledges and also enabled MOTHER WILSON to meet other house-mothers.

The plans for the spring formal are being started this month. The aim of the chapter is to have our alumni, Iota Chapter, and the newly-formed AKA colony at Emporia State Teachers College as our guests for the dance. The date has been tentatively set for April 22, the night before the Kansas Relays. We hope to see many of you there.

#### *Treasurer's Report*

In solving the problems of finance which seem to be the inevitable accompaniment of establishing a fraternity, we were very fortunate to have The Alpha Kappa Lambda Building Association, which had been formed in 1923, to perform the functions of purchasing and holding title to the fraternity property. Thus equipped, we began the task of replacing a blank sheet of paper with the balance sheet of an active organization, serving the purposes for which it was incorporated.

With the donations raised in our drive last spring and a small additional amount transferred from the active chapter treasury, we paid the earnest money on our contract for the chapter house. We combined a purchase-money mortgage with a second mortgage loan from the National Endowment Fund of Alpha Kappa Lambda to acquire title to the house on July 28, 1948. And our job had just begun.

Some necessary items of dining room and study equipment came with the house, but two downstairs living rooms were devoid of furniture. The kitchen was badly in need of a refrigerator and a sink. As always the AKA's were equal

to the occasion, however, and we had sufficient personal loans from members of the active chapter to furnish one of the living rooms and put the kitchen in working order before rush week. But we did not stop there. Every week some improvements were and are still being made on the house. We were very fortunate to obtain a loan from Mr. ROSS C. KEELING, father of JOE KEELING, '51, and ROSS KEELING, '51, which allowed us to completely furnish the second downstairs living room in a most luxurious fashion. The dining room was enlarged and redecorated. During the Thanksgiving vacation several of the boys remained long enough to paint the walls in the living room and the drawing room. MOTHER WILSON made our new drapes, adding the finishing touch to a living room we'll be glad to match against any on the Hill.

At the present time the Board of Trustees is headed by DR. LEE E. ROOK, '34, who has performed his duties in a very commendable manner. Equally competent is the Association Treasurer, EVERETT SIMMONS, '48, who keeps our books when he is not otherwise occupied with his duties as an accountant with Arthur Young & Co. in Kansas City. Other alumni members of the board are DWIGHT HAUSE, '48, and PROFESSOR GEORGE BEAL (Honorary), while J. GLENN HAHN, b '48, l '50, active chapter treasurer, is secretary of the Board of Trustees. To all of them the sincere appreciation of the active chapter.

#### *Initiation*

Eight men were initiated into Delta chapter at the house on Sunday morning, November 21. Delta is pleased to

introduce these new members to alumni who may not have met them. Received into the brotherhood were:

LOREN B. CORLISS, '26, is a senior in the college of liberal arts and a first-year law student. Loren's current address is Rogers, Arkansas—but he claims Arkansas City, Kansas, for his home town. He is currently vice-president of the Lawrence Baptist Youth Fellowship and was formerly its president. Loren had a distinguished record as an air force pilot during World War II.

GEORGE H. MURET, '23, is also a Baptist, and hails from Winfield, Kansas. George is a junior majoring in petroleum geology.

BROWNELL W. "BUD" LANDES, '24, was honor initiate. "Bud" is from Kansas City, Missouri, from whose junior college he graduated in 1946 as an honor student. He is a senior in mechanical engineering and has been on the dean's honor roll at K.U.; he is a member of American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Pi Tau Sigma, Sigma Tau and Tau Beta Pi.

ARTHUR L. PERRY, '22, is a junior in the school of business and is majoring in accounting. Art is from Tescott, Kansas.

RICHARD D. FLETCHER, '22, a junior in physical education, is from Washington, Kansas. He has been on the dean's honor roll for three semesters—besides finding time for varsity baseball.

JACK E. DAUSMAN, '21, from Malibu, California, plans to major in advertising. Jack is a KuKu and a midshipman in the N.R.O.T.C.

DALE D. THEOBALD, '21, a senior mechanical engineer, is a member of the student Religious Council, membership chairman for Baptist Youth Fel-

lowship, and publicity chairman for Religious Emphasis Week on Mount Oread. He is also a member of A.S.M.E.

EUGENE E. TINBERG, '20, of Banner Springs, Kansas, originally pledged at Iota in his freshman year at Kansas State. Gene is a KuKu, and a member of the Coffee and Forums Committee of the Student Union Activities. He is in the organized reserves of the navy.

#### *Alumni News*

Since the last issue of *Delta Dope*, several additional alumni members have contributed to the budget and to house furnishings. For their thoughtfulness we want to thank DR. DONALD N. MEDEARIS, '22, HAROLD C. MESCH, '26, and HAROLD E. DILLEY, '32, for their checks and F. O. KANEHL, '25, for purchasing draperies for our living room.

We were gratified by the number of alums who stopped by the house for coffee after the K.U. Homecoming game October 23. (Incidentally, we won 27-7 over Nebraska.) Among those who were here were ELWOOD LEESON, '33, his wife and sister from Lincoln, Nebraska; LEROY W. RAYNOLDS, '26, and his family from Emporia, Kansas; GEORGE LERRIGO, '34, and his wife from Excelsior Springs, Missouri; VIRGIL WHITSITT, '47, from Emporia, Kansas; CHARLES DILLON, '48, and DWIGHT HAUSE, '48, from Kansas City, Missouri; and EVERETT SIMMONS, '48, and his wife from Kansas City, Missouri.

Among the alumni members who have been dinner guests at the house this fall are DR. LEE ROOK, '34, of Kansas City, Kansas, president of the Board of Trustees; EVERETT SIMMONS, '48, Kansas City, Missouri, Treasurer

of the Board; CLAYTON CROSIER, '26, DEAN PAUL B. LAWSON (Honorary), HENRY SHENK, '28, DEAN F. J. MOREAU, Epsilon, '22, our faculty advisor.

ALFRED GRAVES, '21, and HAROLD E. DILLEY, '32, both of Lawrence, attended our initiation November 21. At the initiation breakfast which followed the ceremony, they each made a short talk welcoming the initiates into Alpha Kappa Lambda.

A few days later at a stag party at the chapter house, HENRY SHENK, '28, and HAROLD DILLEY, '32, were present to add a little class and to signify faculty support to the fraternity. Both men are sharks at bridge.

HAROLD C. MESCH, '26, dropped us a letter a few days ago. The letterhead stationery read Guardian Safety Equipment Company, specialists in safety equipment, East Orange, New Jersey.

Brother MESCH writes "Our John and Joan are in high school. John is a junior and Joan is a senior. Maurine is still the best cook in the world and quite active in church, PEO, and other activities. Our business is growing, going on our fourth year here. It's a partnership and I'm one of the partners."

A letter from BROOK HAINES, '27, informs us that he is still in Washington where he is helping Senator Arthur Capper (Rep.-Kan.) wind up thirty years in Congress. We don't know what his plans are now that Senator Capper is retiring.

Several months ago EDWARD ALLEN, '28, sent us a copy of *The Postal Transit*, a monthly newspaper which he edits, published by the Railway Mail Association. It's a four-page affair, containing a great deal of information of interest to members of

the association.

VIRGIL WHITSITT, '47, who for several months has been building inspector at Emporia, Kansas, has resigned his position and is returning to his home at Phillipsburg, Kansas. Whitsitt's father died a few weeks ago, and he is taking over the family's insurance business.

DR. LEE E. ROOK, '34, was elected president and chief of staff at Bethany hospital at a meeting of the hospital staff November 30. He, his lovely wife, and their son John live at 3214 Strong, Kansas City, Kansas.

Also over at Kansas City, DR. OSCAR W. DAVIDSON, '22, is president of the Kansas Medical Society, a position he has held for several months.

We seem to have a few notes concerning alumni members for which we don't know the source. At any rate, for what they're worth (and they may not be accurate) here they are:

DONALD COSLEY, '33, is supervising engineer of the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company at Chicago, Illinois. MILTON DUEKER, '20, is an engineer-accountant for Missouri Pacific Railroad at St. Louis. WARD EGBERT, '23, is sales manager of the Standard Oil Company at Denver, while J. EARL ENDACOTT, '23, is a teacher at the Abilene, Kansas, High School.

FLOYD SIMONTON, '26, is a newspaper reporter out in Hollywood. His home is listed as Los Angeles. IVAN VIRGIL SNYDER, '21, is an education supervisor at Indianapolis, Indiana. EARL WALTER TIFTON, '25, is an electrical engineer at the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company in Sharon, Pennsylvania.

On Sunday afternoon, February 22, DR. PAUL B. LAWSON (Honorary), dean

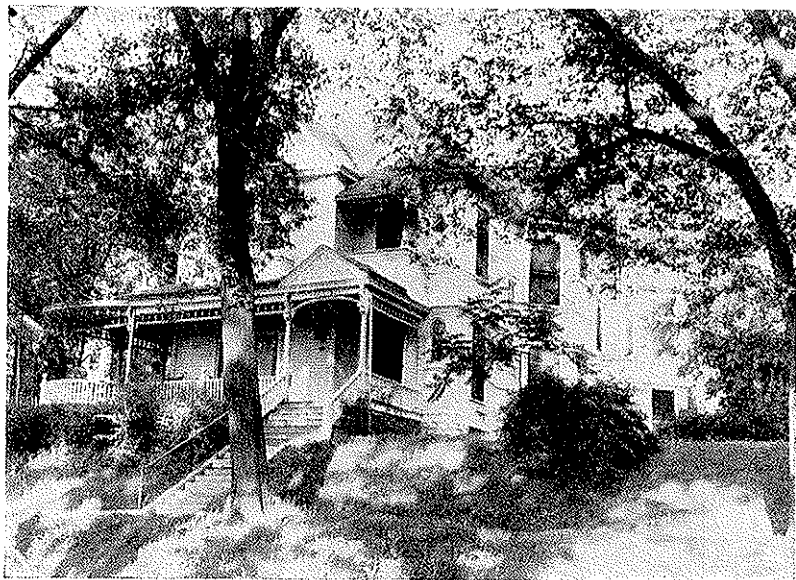
of the College of Liberal Arts, suffered a heart attack, technically named coronary occlusion. For several weeks he was in Watkin's Hospital, but now he is resting at his home. He hopes to take up his duties again next fall. Because of his ill health, Dean Lawson resigned as Delta's faculty advisor, and to succeed him, we were fortunate in obtaining PROFESSOR F. J. MOREAU (Epsilon, '22), dean of the K.U. Law School.

FRANK K. TIFFANY, '28, writes from Wichita, "I returned to the Associated Press after five years' naval service (ranked as Commander USNR). I have been in charge of AP's Wichita bureau since December 15, 1945. My address here is 2331 Mesita Drive, Wichita."

From RALPH W. BUNN, '30, comes the following communication: "To add

to the record, herewith my recent activities. I returned to civilian life, after about five years in the army (half in Europe) in December, 1945, taking position as assistant chief of the insect and rodent control section, office of the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, Washington, D.C. Last June I accepted the army offer to make a career of it, and am back in uniform, stationed in the Preventive Medicine division of the Surgeon General's office. My work in entomology has proved most interesting, carrying me to Alaska and to Panama in connection with research projects sponsored by the Army. I live in Bethesda, Maryland, with my wife, Wilma Brink Bunn, K.U., '31, and two sons, Jack Calvin, age 10, and Ralph Scott, age 6."

DICK STILWELL, '32, wrote us in



Delta Chapter's new home at 1127 Ohio, Lawrence, Kansas.

January that "we have a 10 weeks' old, potential AKA at our place." "The little guy is a blue eyed red head, and weighs about 11 pounds. His mother, Mary Jane, is a K.U. alumna, so some day we will come down and she can visit the Theta house and young Ricky and I will be over to see you fellows." We're looking forward to their visit.

RAY KANEHL, '27, is leaving Lawrence to take a position as associate professor of physical education and track coach at Drury college, Springfield, Mo. JOHN DUNKELBERGER, '22, is a journeyman mechanic with the Kansas Gas and Electric company in Wichita. RAYMOND M. ALSPAUGH, '28, writes that he is an electrical engineer in the project design department of the Tennessee Valley Authority in Knoxville. He is married and has three children, George, 9, Arlene, 7, and Jo Ann, 8 months.

CHARLES E. SPAHR, '34, is now with the Standard Oil Company in Cleveland, Ohio. H. PARR ARMSTRONG, '21, is the executive secretary for the Oklahoma City Council of Churches. From LYLE E. CAMPBELL, '22, comes word that he is professor of accounting at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. Another alumnus, WARREN ALEXANDER, '48, is an instructor in the physics department at K.U.

DONALD COSLEY, '33, is supervising engineer with the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company at Chicago, and GLEN GERALD BROCK, '33, is a mechanical engineer with the Kansas City Power and Light Company. OSCAR WILFRED DAVIDSON, '24, is practicing medicine in Kansas City.

From the stationery used by RALPH E. SMITH, '25, when he wrote us recently, we learned that he is now

vice-president of the Ralston Purina Company in St. Louis. CLYDE E. TUCKER, '25, is with the Pleasanton Telephone Company in Pleasanton, Kansas. LEROY WILLIAM RAYNOLDS, '26, is an attorney in Emporia, as are also EUGENE HENRY LINVILLE, '29, in Salina and ALBERT MARTIN, '24, in Topeka.

Among the local alumni members who have been especially helpful during this first year are DR. LEE ROOK, '34, who is practicing medicine in Kansas City; ROBERT J. MOUNSEY, '33, who is director of the Lawrence Water Plant; CLAYTON CROSIER, '26, who is an assistant professor of civil engineering at K.U.; and ALFRED J. GRAVES, '21, who is special agent of the intelligence unit of the Internal Revenue Bureau.

#### *Kansas Triad Formed*

Kansas AKAs are riding a tide of good fortune as this new year gets underway. The formation of an Alpha Kappa Lambda colony, the Los Amigos Guild, at the Kansas State Teachers College at Emporia, the reactivation and strengthening of Delta chapter at Kansas University at Lawrence, and the phenomenal success of Iota in creating a large, active group at Kansas State College at Manhattan, have all contributed to a high spirit which now pervades all AKAs in the Kansas area.

Three going groups all within 100 miles of each other—lines connecting the three towns form an almost perfect equilateral triangle in the north-east section of the state—will permit exchange social functions, cooperative summer rushing, and will broaden the field of fellowship previously limited to single campuses.

In view of these developments, it is the intention of the Kansas actives to push reactivation of a Kansas City alumni association, and to investigate the possibilities of organizing alumni groups in Wichita and Topeka. Success in these locales will give alumni chapters in Kansas' three largest towns, and to this extent, will give opportunities for continuation of worthwhile undergraduate associations while also aiding the active groups.

Fertile fields for further AKA expansion exist in Missouri, Nebraska, and Oklahoma, with a number of smaller Kansas schools as possibilities. The active groups at Lawrence, Manhattan, and Emporia will welcome communications from any AKA alumni members living near or associated with other schools in this area. Working together, the actives and alumni can establish new chapters and extend the fellowship of Alpha Kappa Lambda.

As the spring semester of the school year 1948-49 got underway recently at Kansas University, Delta chapter of AKA tackled its remaining problems, determined to make 1949 a banner year. With a full house, several new outstanding pledges, a wonderful housemother, and increased alumni interest, indications were that the determination might bear fruit.

Toward the closing weeks of the fall semester, several difficulties arose to confront us, mostly financial. Marriage took one of our members, while another broke his pledge, thus reducing the number of men in the house to fewer than our budget requires. This in turn necessitated a slight delay in paying some bills, but not for long. A stag party netted us several good men, and we began the spring semes-

ter with this problem solved.

Looking forward toward next fall, the active chapter is beginning investigation of possible houses for use as an annex. Our present house accommodates only 27 men, yet by fall, 1949, we should number 40 men.

Our three most recent pledges are: JACK KREIE, navy veteran, physical education junior; DON KELLER, navy veteran, business junior; and JOHN McKINLEY, sophomore on a Summerfield scholarship, studying engineering physics.

At our fall initiation, eight men were received into the brotherhood. They are: LOREN B. CORLISS, GEORGE H. MURET, BROWNELL W. "BUD" LANDES, ARTHUR L. PERRY, RICHARD D. FLETCHER, JACK E. DAUSMAN, DALE D. THEOBALD, and EUGENE E. TINBERG.

The accomplishment of which we are proudest is the remarkable improvement we have been able to make in our house, purchased last July. Some necessary items of dining room and study equipment came with the house, but two downstairs living rooms were devoid of furniture, the kitchen was badly in need of a refrigerator and a sink, and the housemother's room was unpresentable. As always the AKAs were equal to the occasion, and by school time the housemother's room had been completely redone, the kitchen had a new 20 cubic foot refrigerator and a new sink cabinet, and the front living room was nicely furnished.

But we did not stop there. During the fall semester, the second living room was furnished in a most luxurious fashion; the dining room was enlarged and redecorated, and the downstairs' walls were painted. New dra-



peries added the near-finishing touches, and for them we are indebted to Mother Wilson and her very effective sewing machine.

Pointing up all of our activities this year, and a tremendous asset to the chapter, is our house mother, Mrs. LILA WILSON. With 17 years' experience as a housemother, she was assistant director of the YWCA hall at Wichita, Kansas, before coming to Delta chapter. Previous to that she was with groups at Wichita University, Oklahoma A. & M. College, and Pittsburg State Teachers College, Kansas.

Alumni interest in Delta has increased tremendously over last year. Many stopped by the house following homecoming, and others are writing and showing their interest in other ways. Much credit for this and for other advances made by the fraternity is due to DR. LEE ROOK, '34, EVERETT SIMMONS, '48, and DWIGHT HAUSE, '48, officers of our alumni association, and FREDERICK J. MOREAU, Epsilon '22, Dean of the K.U. Law School, who is our faculty advisor.

Active members continue to participate and lead in a great many campus organizations. JACK CAMPBELL assists in staging conferences and conventions on the K.U. campus through his work at the extension office; JIM KANEHL is president of Pi Tau Sigma, honorary mechanical engineering fraternity. HARRY ROBSON was initiated into Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering fraternity; BUD LANDES was initiated into Sigma Tau and Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering frats.

DALE THEOBALD is handling publicity on Religious Emphasis Week for the Student Christian Council, while DALE SPIEGEL is treasurer and BOB DAVIS is

publications chairman for the YMCA. JACK DAUSMAN, ROSS and JOE KEELING, and GENE TINBERG are members of KuKu, men's pep organization. WALLACE HICKLIN is heading up the county clubs, part of the Student State-wide Activities committee. DICK FLETCHER is wheeling in Sasnak, men's physical education club. TED BEAVER and J. GLENN HAHN are on the staff of the Y's *Jayhawker*, published by the campus YMCA.

### *Scholarship*

After winning the Inter-fraternity council scholarship award last year, we are striving to win for a second time as proof that we actually deserved it the first time.

### *Social*

With one successful formal dance under our belt, we are looking forward to our big spring formal dance. It will be held during the Kansas Relays.

### *Intramurals*

We can't as yet report any championship teams, but we fight hard, have a good time, and occasionally upset one of the larger, older frats.

### *Membership*

Thanks to this committee we are keeping our ranks full and should come near to realizing our goal of 40 men by the end of the spring semester.

### *Alumni News*

MILTON COUGHENOUR, '48, is now a part time instructor in the Department of Rural Sociology at the Uni-

versity of Missouri. He will receive his M.A. degree in June of this year from the University.

LYLE CAMPBELL, '22, writes that his daughter, IRMA JEAN who graduated from the University of Illinois last year will be married September 1, 1949, to ROBERT CALEF of Urbana. She is now teaching at Joliet, Illinois.

### IOTA

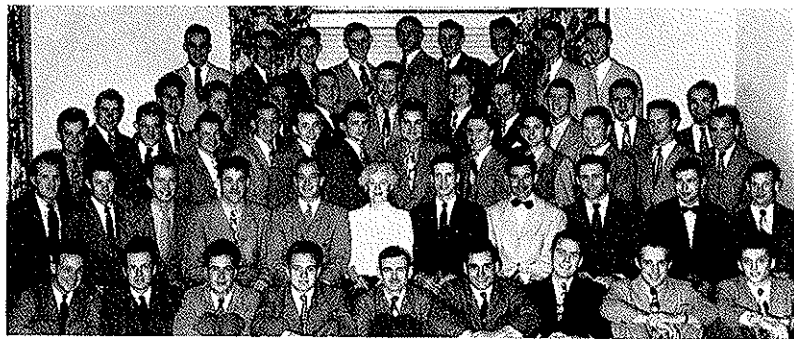
#### *A Message from the President*

Dear Brothers:

AS ANOTHER semester comes to a close, we of Iota can look back on a suc-

gether by a warm spirit of brotherhood.

You, our alumni, have every reason to be proud of your fraternity for the progress the AKAs have made the past year in scholarship, membership, athletics, music and other activities. Our chorus and barbershop quartet have done a remarkable job. The second place trophy for Y-Orpheum can be seen in the front room of the chapter house. Our intramural teams made a good showing and the bowling team won three trophies. Many improvements have been made on the house and grounds. The ΔKA's were



**Last year's active membership of Iota Chapter, Kansas State College.**

cessful and enjoyable school year. We now have fifty-four enthusiastic, hard working AKAs in our chapter who made the name of Alpha Kappa Lambda stand out many times during the past year. By increasing our membership we have been able to take part in many extra-curricular activities which we would not have been able to participate in otherwise. We have men of many varied talents and inclinations but all these are bound to-

host to several social functions including a very successful spring formal. I had hoped to see a large number of you here at that time, however, I realize you are busy and many of you are far away, nevertheless, I would like to take this opportunity to extend a personal invitation to each of you to stop in and see us at any time for as long as you wish. If it is impossible for you to come see us, please drop us a line occasionally.

We have done well this past year but next year can be even better with your help. You can be of assistance by taking an active part in your AKA alumni association and by direct participation in our rush campaign this coming winter. We appreciate your help and interest. Thank you.

Looking forward to greater things for Alpha Kappa Lambda, I remain

Fraternally yours,

GEORGE L. SMITH

### *Social Activities*

This past semester has been a very busy one for Alpha Kappa Lambda including our social activities. As usual we were invited to the sororities which neglected to give us the honor the first semester for hour dances. There are a few, still, who profit socially by attending these exciting functions.

Our first party was a smoker which was given by several of our local honorary alumni. Our next house was one celebrating our second place victory in the annual Y-Orpheum. The old oak door was thrown open immediately after the contest and all of us including our dates had a most enjoyable time.

Once again we came through with a most successful Spring Formal. This year we had dinner in the Green Room of the Wareham Hotel, later proceeding to the Avalon Ball Room where MATT BETTON furnished the music for the dance. May Day was our theme using spring flowers and colors to very good avail to produce a very elaborate spring effect. Favors of miniature gold plated compacts with our crest engraved on the covers were given to our fairer guests. Many of our honoraries and alumni were for-

tunate enough to be able to attend. We sincerely hope that even more of you will be able to attend our formal next spring.

We have had several joint parties with other fraternities on the hill this spring which were usually held at Sunset. Of course our more roving Casanovas have been holding their own private picnics quite frequently. As most of you know we are trying to organize a chapter at Emporia State, so one weekend we entertained a dozen of the fellows from there. The purpose of their visit was to give them an idea of how we function here keeping them in mind as potential charter members should our plans ever materialize.

Our annual Mothers Day party this year was attended by approximately 100 mothers, fathers, sisters, and brothers. After serving a delicious buffet style dinner on our shady front lawn we entertained our guests by presenting songs by our quartet and chorus.

Cigar smoke at the dinner table has been quite a common occurrence the past few months. Those who so boldly contributed were FRED TATE, HERB COMBS, JACK MOODY, JOHN ELAM, and believe it or not, a surprise weekend visit was paid us by alumni '47 BUCKWHEAT SMITH who also came across. Enough of this social gab for now, so until our next Informer here's to more and better smooch lines.

### *Membership*

This past year has found several AKA's active in Religious Functions. HAROLD BARTLESON is a member of the College Fellowship, which is composed of students of the United Presbyterian church. He also represented that group

on the Religious Federation.

The Canterbury Club had AKA's GALEN WIGGINS, ROBERT MILLER, and DUANE MILLER on its roster. BOB YARNELL belongs to the Christian Youth Fellowship.

PAGE TWISS is a member of Student Fellowship, and the Kansas Council of Congregational Christian Student Fellowship and will represent that group at the United Student Assembly in June at Defiance, Ohio. He served as a camp leader for the Pilgrim Fellowship of the Congregational Church. He was one of the delegates from Kansas State at the North American Student Conference on Christian Frontiers held at the University of Kansas during the Christmas vacation.

AKA's scholastic standards were boosted by JOHN KOHN, BILL GOODBAR, and STANLEY LINDGREN who made the Dean's Honor Roll this semester. Bill was elected to Pi Tau Sigma, honorary mechanical engineers' fraternity while Stanley was initiated into the Kappa Nu, honorary electrical engineers' fraternity.

Many members are active in campus organizations. Kansas State Players claim JOE ADAMS, KAY WORTMAN, and CARL KISH who is vice-president. JOHN KOHN, vice-president of K-State A Cappella Choir and JERRY BROOKS, president of the ROTC Cadet Officers Club. The Concert Band includes BOB MILLER, PAGE TWISS, and JIM CLARK, while DUANE MILLER plays solo-cornet in the Varsity Band. TERRY WALTER is a Member of the ROTC Band. FRED BUTCHER plays solo-cornet with the Manhattan Municipal Band while JIM CLARK handles the percussion in that organization. JIM HENDRICKS is vice-president of the local chapter of The

Society For The Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Singing In America, in short SPEBSQSA.

Formal Initiation for the second semester was held April 4. The vows were taken by WILLIAM GOODBAR, FREDERICK BUTCHER, JOE ADAMS, CLYDE PARSONS, BRUCE BUEHLER, HAROLD BARTLESON, KEITH MOOTS, and TERRY WALTER. DR. A. A. HOLTZ presided. Following the ceremony the new actives were entertained at a breakfast. The Fraternity attended the First Congregational Church in a body.

At the close of the school year of 1948 at Kansas State College Iota Chapter's membership totaled fifty-seven. All members have contributed admirably towards fostering the principles of Alpha Kappa Lambda.

The membership at present is as follows:

#### *Activities*

RODNEY BEAVER, Ottawa; HERMAN PATTERSON, Lorrain; DAVID SMOOT, Salina; ROBERT WISSING, Salina; JERRY BROOKS, Wichita; DALE MYERS, Dwight; STANLEY LINDGREN, Dwight; GEORGE SMITH, Miltonvale; JOHN KOHN, Kansas City, Mo.; EDWARD VARGON, Kansas City; JOHN ELAM, Winfield; CLYDE PARSONS, Winfield; PAGE TWISS, Manhattan; FRED BUTCHER, Manhattan; JAMES HENDRICKS, Wichita; ROBERT YARNELL, Wichita; NORMAN ERNST, Mansfield, Mo.; ROBERT MILLER, Elizabeth; HERBERT COMBS, Burbank, Calif.; FRED TATE, Kansas City, Mo.; DEAN KORDES, Olathe; RALPH MCCURDY, West Orange, N.J.; WARREN TOBUREN, Manhattan; MERRIL TOBUREN, Manhattan; WILLIAM GOODBAR, Coffeyville; BRUCE BUEHLER, Bushton; JOE ADAMS, Belle-

ville; KEITH MOOTS, Newton; TERRY WALTER, Tribune; HAROLD BARTLESON, Beloit; ROBERT CHAPIN, Kansas City; WAYNE LANDER, Salina.

### *Pledges*

ALAN FRYER, Belleville; JACK MOODY, Kansas City; DUANE MILLER, Ellsworth, KAY WORTMAN, Winfield; JAMES CLARK, Overbrook; JACK NEAL, Salina; JOHN MCBRIDE, Seneca; JOE MALONEY, New York, N.Y.; DONALD STAFFORD, Salina; HAROLD EAGLETON, Kanapolis; IVAN WIXSON, Chase; BILL WILSON, New Jersey; JACK MOSS, Newton; JIM SHIELDS, Clay Center; KELLEY PHILLIPS, Olathe; RAYMOND RODICK, Kansas City; GALEN WIGGINS, Chanute; KENNETH WHITNEY, Kansas City, Mo.; GLENN BERGMAN, Axtell; DONALD MC CRACKEN, Ellsworth; CARL KISH, Rock Point, Mo.; BRUCE SELBY, Bushton; DONALD PLOGER, Kinsley.

June 3, is the date that BOB MILLER and HAROLD BARTLESON were due to report to Pensacola, Fla. to enter flight training under the Navy V-5 program. Both men have played an important part in furthering the ideals of AKA. Good-luck.

As this year's activities come to a close Iota says goodbye to three outstanding Seniors.

### RODNEY CLAIR BEAVER

ROD was born February 24, 1921 at Ottawa, Kansas. He graduated from Ottawa High School in 1939 and entered Kansas State in 1940. In July 1942 he entered the Army and was commissioned and Lt. in the Field Artillery April 8, 1943. He served sixteen months in the ETO as a Forward Observer in the 80th Division. Rodney was released July 5, 1946 and returned

to K-State, where he received his Bachelor of Science in Industrial Physics May 30, 1948. Treasurer and Chaplain were his offices in Iota.

### HERMAN DALE PATTERSON

"Pat" was born November 25, 1923 and was graduated from Lorraine High School in 1941. He entered Kansas State in the fall of 1941. In October 17, 1941 he enlisted in the Army where he was commissioned 2nd Lt. in December of 1944. Herman piloted a P-47 until released September 21, 1945. He re-entered K-State January 1946. In 1947 "Pat" was a member of the varsity wrestling team and was active on all AKA intramural teams. He received his Bachelor of Science in Geology May 30, 1948.

### ROBERT WALKER YARNELL

BOB was born on June 9, 1922 and was graduated from Hutchinson High in 1939. He attended Hutchinson Junior College from 1939 to 1941. In September 1942 the Medical Corps of the Army occupied most of his time. Bob served as medical technician overseas for over a year and received the Combat Infantry Badge and Good Conduct Medal. He came to K-State in September 1946 and was graduated in Mechanical Engineering May 30, 1948. Bob was a member of the Varsity-Aires barbershop quartet which brought fame to AKA this past year. He was pledge class President and was a member of the AKA chorus. He is employed by the Carrothers Construction Company as Assistant Resident Engineer at the Humbolt Project.

We of Iota regret to lose these men, but at the same time are proud that they were members of our organization.

### *Sports*

This spring semester we have participated in all intramural sports. Our volleyball team lost one game this season. The team that beat us won the bracket championship, and then went on to take the school championship.

The AKA bowling team was our outstanding team this spring in intramurals. The team won second place in the bowling tournament, and they received a fine trophy for second place. BOB WISSING and DUANE MILLER also won individual honors in the tournament. Bob took second place in high game score and Duane was second high individual scorer in the tournament.

Our softball team was the weak spot in AKA intramurals this spring. We played four games and lost four games. Our poor showing in softball was due chiefly to lack of pitching strength and insufficient practice.

The AKA tennis team rated good this year. In doubles BOB WISSING and ED VARGEN remained in the tournament until they were finally eliminated in the semi-finals. The rest of the team won several sets before being eliminated.

Track season found the AKA's well represented in all departments. We had men place in most of the events and our relay team took first in their heat, but only took third in the meet.

To sum up our intramural activities for the year: we have greatly improved our athletic standing on the hill, and we have the reputation of being able to give any team that plays us one whale of a battle in any intramural sport.

### *AKA Wins in Y-Orpheum Production*

In the annual display of original theatrical skits produced by eight fraternities and sororities, Alpha Kappa Lambda placed second this year with a production entitled, "The Old Songs."

The purpose of the skit was to present several old songs ("Hello My Baby," "Merry Oldsmobile," "My Gal Sal") in the manner of a vaudeville show.

BRUCE BUEHLER and JOE ADAMS teamed together for a singing, dancing, comedy act. "The Varsity-Aires," AKA's barbershop quartet, the fraternity Glee Club, and ten piece band rounded out the rest of the show.

PAGE TWISS, FRED BUTCHER, JOE ADAMS, and JIM HENDRICKS collaborated in originating the script. FRED BUTCHER wrote the musical score and conducted the band. JIM HENDRICKS was chosen to direct the production.

### *Big Strides in Music*

Iota has, since reactivating, encouraged its members to participate in musical activities, especially singing. We recognize the importance of singing in developing a close fraternal spirit and with that goal in mind a glee club was organized last fall under the direction of Jim Hendricks. The embryo chorus began operations by serenading all organized houses at Christmas. Later, in the spring, the chorus was a valuable asset for our prize winning Y-Orpheum skit, "The Old Songs."

Our Glee Club was one of nine participating in Interfrat Sing this year and showed up well.

JOHNNY MCBRIDE, JOE MALONEY, BOB YARNELL and JIM HENDRICKS

formed a barbershop quartet known as the "Varsity-Aires." The quartet entertained at the Ag Barnwarmer, banquets, conventions, assemblies, radio programs and aided materially in the Y-Orpheum skit. They distinguished themselves by being the first barbershop quartet to perform over a television show in the mid-west. The "Varsity-Aires" became well known to the campus before the year was out.

Iota has several members participating in the college concert band, marching band, varsity band, ROTC band, Manhattan civic orchestra, and local dance bands.

JIM CLARK organized a dance band known as "The Nightwatchmen." A majority of the musicians are Iota men. Clark is also a member of the executive board of the musicians' union, Manhattan local.

FRED BUTCHER is probably our most talented musician. Fred plays saxophone and trumpet, in addition he composes and arranges. He wrote a new arrangement of the AKA sweetheart song for the chorus. He wrote the musical score for the Y-Orpheum skit and directed our band for that production.

Iota is proud of its record in music and considers it an important facet to a well rounded education.

#### *A Tribute*

Men of Alpha Kappa Lambda were shocked at the tragic and untimely death of Iota Honorary, Dr. JOHN WILLARD GREENE. He contributed a great deal towards furthering the high ideals of Alpha Kappa Lambda and gave valuable aid towards the functioning of Iota Chapter.

Dr. GREENE was born in Seattle,

Washington, September 8, 1902. He graduated from Queen Anne High School in Seattle. He received his B.S. from University of Washington in 1926, his M.S. from Carnegie Tech in 1927 and his Ph.D. in 1930 from the University of Pittsburgh.

He was head of the Department of Chemical Engineering at Kansas State College from 1937 to 1946. He then served as Head of the Chemical Engineering Department at the University of Denver in Colorado.

His death occurred when a rubber boat in which he and three friends were fishing was overturned by rapids near Castle Rock, Colorado in May, 1948. Our deepest sympathies are extended to his wife and children.

#### *Alumni*

HOWARD R. ANDERSON, '42, has returned to Manhattan this summer to take some post graduate courses in radio. At present he, his wife and son, Lyle are living in their trailer in the rear of the Chapter house. His address is 413 N. 17th St., Manhattan, Kansas.

BERNARD FRANK BEAVER, '36, 4047 Lafayette Avenue, St. Louis 10, Mo. visited at Manhattan May 30, to see his brother Rodney obtain his diploma.

CLARENCE BREHM, '32, 1720 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, Ill., attended Iota's spring formal and banquet May 1. He drove all the way from Illinois especially to attend the event.

ROY G. CURRIE, '47, RR 1, Westmoreland, Kansas, dropped in to see the dress rehearsal of our Y-Orpheum play.

GORDON B. WEST, '45, made an unexpected visit to Iota this spring and was surprised to find that our present Chapter house was once the home of

his grandparents. His present address is House 71, Court D, W. State St., West Lafayette, Ind.

RODNEY CLAIRE BEAVER, '48, 938 S. Maple, Ottawa, Kansas new alumnus writes that he is "taking life easy this summer after graduating."

FRANK RYDER FREEMAN, '32, 514 8th St. spent a few days at Iota while he was attending a conference at K-State. He is a vocational agriculture instructor at Phillipsburg, Kansas.

RECTOR P. LOUTIAN paid several visits to Iota this spring. His address is 423 Wyandotte St., Bartlesville, Okla. He has been serving as a chemist for Phillips Oil Co. since graduating in 1917.

## KAPPA

### *President's Message*

Dear Brothers,

This year has seen a great many changes in Kappa chapter at Purdue, not only in our house and its membership, but in the renewed interest on the part of the alumni. We are very glad to have heard from so many of you and hope you will continue to send in your letters. If you have no comments or suggestions, write us a note anyway, and be sure to make this your headquarters at Purdue.

Our policy of building for the future has begun to show results, but we need the interest and support of all our members, active and alumni, to make Kappa of Alpha Kappa Lambda the Fraternity you want it to be. Plan now to stop and see our progress.

We are planning a great many more changes in the near future. We hope to have a new foundation and base-

ment this summer. The dining room will be moved downstairs where we will also have room for a bum room and ping-pong table. We plan to build an addition to the back of the house, making room for additional study rooms. A grand piano, new rugs downstairs, new flooring upstairs, and a new chapter room round out our present plans, but there are a lot more plans in the idea stage. All in all, this has been a great year for Kappa Chapter, and we look forward to another just as successful.

Fraternally,

JOHN K. PATTERSON

### *Tenor Tremors*

At this writing, we are still recovering from the University Sing, which was held just recently. Being quite human, and naturally somewhat prejudiced, we felt that a certain degree of injustice occurred in our not placing in the finals. However, we still think our new song, which was written especially for the sing, sounded fine, and we all enjoyed being in the competition. The fact that we do not, at present have a piano, makes the learning of a new song a particular accomplishment. Earlier in the term, President JACK PATTERSON's fiancée PHYLL DAVIS, ZTA, was serenaded and much favorable comment was heard after the event. Subsequent obligations in the way of serenades for some of the other "pen and ring men" are still to be fulfilled. As usual, in the evenings, we burst forth in merry song; we find after dinner singing an enjoyable habit. Incidentally, we would appreciate having any of you men in other chapters, or Alumni, who have some AKA songs or arrange-



ments, share them with us. A new song is always welcome.—L.C.

### *Sport Flash Backs*

**Basketball**—Much improvement was seen with our winning, in true-to-form style, all three practice games and then winning one regular game, although we were beaten in most of the games by very small margins.

**Volleyball** followed and with such stalwarts as AL ARMSTRONG, PAUL BRINDUSE, and LON CHUCHMAN, the opposing teams were given plenty to worry about.

Looking at the more successful side of things, OTTO SCHLESINGER did a fine job with the squash team and earned his letter. TOBY LEFEVRE is doing a fine job with tennis and, if eligibility permits, should be a threat for the tennis team. George Thomas is proving himself a Big Nine golfer as well as a fleetly halfback on the gridiron—shot a 74 round before the season even opened.

**Softball** is the sport now occupying everyone's time and, with a little more pitching support to Jim Dennison (who has been doing a fine job), Kappa should figure in the final decision.

### *Social Flings*

At the end of last term, we had a stag party in the rustic atmosphere of Hacker's cabin on Wildcat Creek, and it "sorta" helped ease the cares away. At the beginning of the term, we felt more sociable so, at our next cabin party, we included the coeds and all the trimmings. It was an awfully cold night, but we had two fine pot-bellied stoves, and those who could not get near the stoves danced the numbness away. It was a

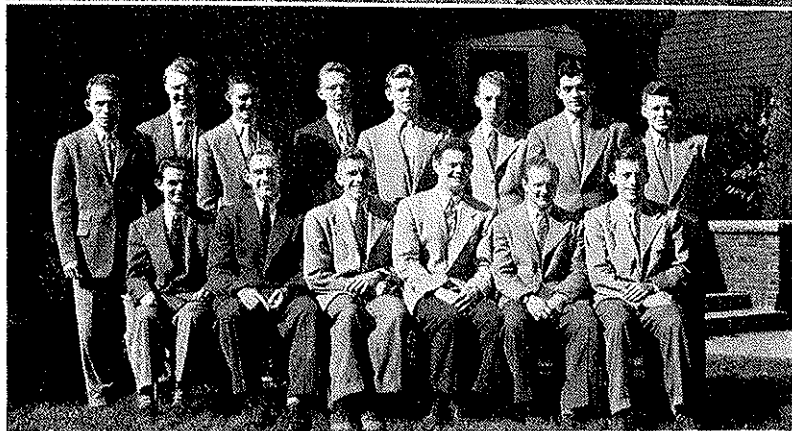
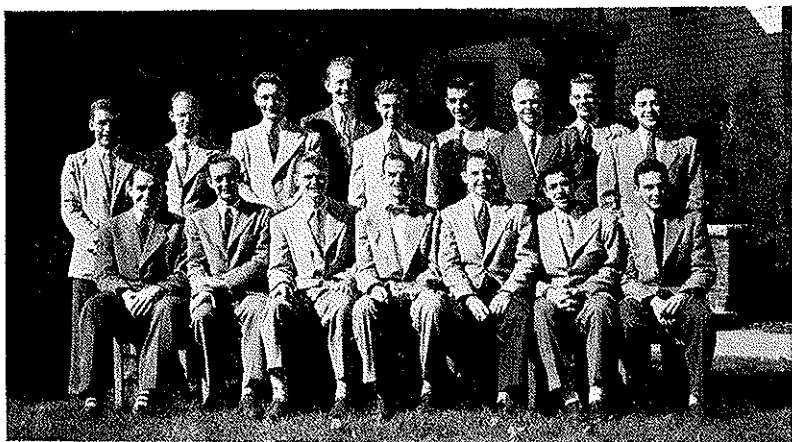
fine way to start the semester.

The University treated us to many dances during the term, but of course, the Junior Prom was the biggest and best of all. It started at eleven p.m. and lasted until four a.m. We started the evening with a formal house dinner. Our cook, Mrs. NICHOLSON, really outdid herself with one of the finest dinners we have ever had. The dining room was beautifully decorated with snapdragons and candles. JUSTIN SEILER's date, MARION LITTLE, came all the way from Pittsburgh, and MILLY SEISER came from St. Louis to be with LES WEBER. After the prom, we had five a.m. breakfast at the sorority houses, and most of us wandered in at about six in the morning. In the afternoon, we all rested with a nice lazy picnic. The picnic was so good that we are planning another in May. A dinner for the Seniors in June will wind up our social fling for this term.

It may sound trite, but this Spring weather is still accomplishing things. JACK PATTERSON plans to be married to PHYL DAVIS (ZTA) in July, and OTTO SCHLESINGER will be married to MURIEL FRITZ (KKI) in June. FRED McALLISTER announced his engagement to PEGGY CLAUER (ADII), and TOM WELLEMS gave his pin to MARGE HOFFMAN (WRH North). ROY DENISON joined the group of men "sans pins" by bestowing his pin on VERA KOBAL.—F. MCA.

### *Initiation*

On April 18, Kappa assembled forces for the formal initiation of four men who had successfully completed their pledge training which, of course, was culminated by "Fraternity Appreciation Week," a modified version



In these two pictures are shown the brothers who were active in Kappa Chapter, Purdue University, last Spring.

of the notorious "Hell Week." Following the ceremony, during which RALPH KNIEFEL and BRUCE SCOTT of HOBART, Ind., WILLIAM GULBAN of Gary, Ind., and CHARLES PHILLIPS of Woodville, New York, were received into active membership, the entire chapter attended the local Methodist church as a body.—J.V.

#### *Rush*

The Rush Committee has but one recent pledging to report. Our latest is the pride and joy of Caracas, Venezuela. He is another good reason for this "good neighbor policy." Six feet three inches tall, and weighing over 200 pounds, he will represent us

well on the soccer field. He's tough, but oh, so gentle.

We are presently in contact with the young men several of you have recommended as rushees; and we are on the look-out for about five more good prospective pledges, so suggestions on the part of you alums will be greatly appreciated.—T.W.

EDITOR'S NOTE—JACK OSMENT, Terre Haute, Ind., a new pledge just "got in under the wire" for this issue.

#### *Scraps from the Steward*

Violets go to "Cookie" our cook for preparing some of the best meals ever tasted. Not belittling any wives in that statement, but Cookie really put us on an eating basis. If any or all of you get a chance, just drop in anytime for a meal and a bull session. We will be glad to see you.

Cool nights are here for us this summer, thanks to DOC DEKAY who came staggering up the stairs last summer with an exhaust fan for the dorm slung over his shoulder. We finally found enough workmen (who did not want a third mortgage) to paint our house and put in new storm windows and screen.

A rather nice surprise awaited us when we came back from vacation at Christmas time—we had new flooring on our study rooms, and in the kitchen, a new coffee urn. Looks like black coffee study nights coming up soon.

Things are looking bright for the future as we are beginning to make headway in our struggle with our "manse."—R.S.

#### *Alumni News*

We, of Kappa chapter, wish to keep

in closer contact with our alumni, who now number well over one hundred. In order to do this, we urge that every alum send in significant news of himself from time to time. This news will appear in future news letters so that every alumnus can see what his classmates are doing.

ABNER PAYNE, '34, is working with biologicals, insulin and penicillin at Eli Lilly and Co. in Indianapolis. The PAYNES have two children, DAVIN, 10, and JOHN, 4. BILL LANGE, '35, of LaPorte is manager and owner of the LaPorte Foundry and Plastic Mfg. Co. Bill has made several visits to the house in the past two years, his last visit being in April for a Foundry Convention held at the University. RUSS CARLSON, '37, resigned his ten year tenure with DuPont Co. to take a position with the Sharples Corp. in Philadelphia. Russ is a Development Engineer working on centrifugal machinery and chemical plant processes.

WENDELL BOND, '38, is at the University taking an 8 week course in Grain Elevator management. Wendell is managing the Farm Bureau Elevator in Davis County, Ind. He and Mrs. BOND visited the house during Gala Week. After discharge from the Air Force in 1945, DON MALOVE, '39, coached basketball at Salem, Ind. for two years. Last year he accepted a coaching position at Test Jr. High School in Richmond, Ind. Don and his wife, the former REBA HUNT, H.E. '40, have two children, LARRY, 7, and JUDY, 5.

MATT BRINDUSE, '41, is an Aluminum ware salesman in Long Beach, Calif. Matt and his wife have a 4 year old daughter, DIANA KAY. ROBERT HULL, '41, is a Captain in the Air Force,

stationed at Hamilton Field, Calif. He is married and has two children, Bob may be sent back to the University by the USAF for additional technical training. JIM MEYER, '42, is in the heating contracting business in La Porte. He is in partnership with RAY HESS under the firm name, HESS & MEYER. Jim and his wife have an 8 month old daughter. JACK STARK, '42, is working at the Purdue Agricultural Extension in Angola. DEAN WILBUR, '42, is employed as a chemist by General Mills of Buffalo, N.Y. Dean was married on February 14 to MILDRED KENDALL of Elkhart. ART TISSOT, '42, will receive his B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Northwestern University in June. Following his graduation, Art expects to work for the Union Carbide Corp. in Oak Ridge, Tenn.

ED SEILER, '43, who is visiting his brother JUSTIN, '49, at the time of this printing, is a field engineer for General Electric in Bloomfield, N.J. working on air conditioning. Ed and Mrs. SEILER have one boy, EDWIN, JR., one year old. BILL TAYLOR, '43, is working on a doctor's degree in Metallurgy at the University. He and Mrs. TAYLOR live in Lafayette. ROGER WEATHERSTON, '43, received his master's degree in Mechanical Engineering at the University last year. He is working for the Cornell Aeronautical Laboratory in Buffalo, N.Y.

C. R. "PETE" BUEHLER, '46, is a Chemical Engineer for DuPont in Charleston, W.Va. ROY KNOWLTON, '46, is working for the Peoples Drug Co. in Washington, D.C. ROY married the former MARY ROBERTSON, Sc. '46. EUGENE YODER, '46, is employed by Smith Drugs of Elkhart, Ind. GENE

married the former BEVERLY WILLIAMS, H.E. '47. WALTER EWALD is now attending Wright Business College in Chicago.

DICK KILPATRICK, '47, is a Machine designer for the American Steel Dredge Corp. in Fort Wayne, Ind. ERNEST KOESTERING, '47, is working for his master in Civil Engineering at Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago. He is also employed by the Mutual Insurance Co. of Chicago as a safety engineer. BILL NARIGEN, '47, is engaged in development engineering for the St. Regis Paper Corporation in Trehon, N.J. NEAL SCHAUER, '47, is a maintenance engineer for DuPont in Cleveland, Ohio. Neal and NORMA KNAUB, H.E. '48, will be married this summer.—R.W.

#### *On the House Improvement Front*

Wayback in the fall of 1946, BILL STUEY ordered a coffee table. Many of you who have graduated have probably long since given up seeing that coffee table but we who are here have stuck steadfastly to our guns and we are now enjoying the walnut coffee table that made its appearance in the living room shortly after Spring vacation.

It is a common habit for fraternity men to want to "take a break" and go for a coke at the Gold and Black. Some of the more enterprising men in the house decided to cut in on the lucrative profit made by the Gold and Black by initiating the installation of a coke machine in the house. Said coke machine has not only been a decorative improvement to the second floor landing, the little one armed "juice dispenser" has also been paying for itself.

Last week MARV. JOHNSON, BILL GULBAN, and SHEPP (WAYNE SHEPPELMAN) "moved in" on our sparsely seeded front lawn and proceeded to saturate the earth with vigoro and grass seed. LES WEBER was credited with an assist by preparing the burlap sacks for covering the new seedlings. We hope to have a presentable lawn in a few months. (Assist. Ed. Note) The lawnmower is standing by.

The great engineering feat for the house this semester was the installation of a new front house walk and front porch steps. The project was drawn up and supervised by three of our very able Civil Engineers, BILL LORENZO, "HAPPY" HAMANN and "JUICE" SEILER. With the fine cooperation of the entire house and the talented hands of BILL LORENZO, the uncooperative ready-mix cement never had a chance. Several of the men worked through the Saturday noon hour to smooth the fast setting cement and now—two weeks later—"We find Tim and Marge still faced with the problem of "Her Neighbors Children"! Be sure and keep tuned to Station WAKL for the next news letter and news of more house improvements.—T.L.

## ETA

Two new initiates of last Fall were WILLIAMS K. WEBSTER, Pullman, and WARNER H. GOODRISH, Battleground, Washington.

Those pledged in the Fall were LELAND TUPPER, Everett, Wash.; THOMAS FOWLER, Spokane; GARY GOTHBERG, Chehalis; and CARL NORDHEIM, LAWRENCE NORDHEIM and RICHARD CORCRUM, all of Walla Walla.

Social activities, besides various fire-sides, house parties and exchanges included the Blind Date Fireside, November 20, at which neither the fellows nor their dates knew who was going with whom until just before the dance. All dates were arranged by the social chairman and his assistant.

The annual semi-formal Pledge Dance was held at the Golf Club House on December 4. A midnight stag party was held just before the Christmas holidays at which time the fellows sang songs and exchanged gifts.

Our greatest thrill of the year has been the opportunity to help reactivate Theta Chapter at the University of Washington.

RUSSELL W. FULGHAM  
*President*

## LOST LIST

*Your aid is solicited in locating the correct addresses for the following brothers. The cities shown are the latest addresses recorded in the national files, but recent mailings have been returned. Please check over carefully the list from your chapter, and notify the national secretary of any correct addresses you know for these brothers. Keeping addresses up-to-date during wartime was an impossible task, so your assistance now is particularly needed.*

### ALPHA

Lucious Ray Ades, Richmond, Calif.  
Edward Harvey Alling, Reno, Nev.  
Rudolph Walter Beard, Schenectady, N.Y.  
William Thomas Beard, San Francisco, Calif.  
Donald Lee Burdick, Aukum, Calif.  
David Parker Chase, Altadena, Calif.  
Warren Dewitt Cheney, Palos Verdes, Calif.  
Keith Wager Coplin, Oakland, Calif.  
James Essay Fowler, Madera, Calif.  
Reed Erskin Miller  
Arthur Reynolds, Baguio, P.I.  
Roy Woodrow Stephens, Presidio of Mexico or Monterrey  
James Roy White, Bakersfield, Calif.

### BETA

Hammond Ashley, Lanikai, T.H.  
Carroll Earl Bradberry, Los Angeles, Calif.  
Edward Leroy Brandon, Lawrence, Kan.  
Morden Grant Brown, St. Louis, Mo.  
Kenneth Hare Burell, Helena, Mont.  
Robert Cutler Case, Los Angeles, Calif.  
Charles Edward Cooper, Salinas, Calif.  
John Bedley Ferguson, Los Angeles, Calif.  
Richard Flint, Honolulu, T.H.  
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Reimers Doran Koepke, Canacao, P.I.  
Selden Leroy Osborne, Pasadena, Calif.  
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Edward Hamilton Gildemeister  
Charles Otho Glover  
Ralph O. Johnson, Burlington, Kan.  
Albert Kast, Missoula, Mont.  
Clyde Leroy Kauffman, Ft. Wayne, Ind.  
Wesley Milton Roberds, Fort Worth, Tex.  
James Rowe Taylor, Detroit, Mich.  
Harold B. Wells, Detroit, Mich.  
Mason Earl Wynne, Great Falls, Mont.  
Ralph Smythe Grant, Clarkston, Wash. or Lewiston, Idaho

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Marvin John Anderson, Wausau, Wis.

Robert Christian Frank Bartles, Silver Springs, Md.

Russell Harry Baum, Annapolis, Md.

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Henry Joseph Walter Coutu, Athens, Ga.

Walter Louis Fiedler, Fountain City, Wis.

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Edward Bosworth Olds, Okayama, Japan

W. Bert Peterson, Chicago, Ill.

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Thomas Elsworth Rawlins, Orinda, Calif.

Eldon Maitland Robinson, St. Paul, Minn.

Otto Eric Toenhart, Madison, Wis.

Bennett Harvey Tollefson, Madison, Wis.

Herbert Woodrow Wilson, N. Canton or Lakewood, Ohio

Raymond Charles Zuehlke, Washington, D.C.

### ZETA

Philip Noel Comins, Flint, Mich.

Wendell Erskine Eldred, San Diego, Calif.

Robert Harold Freeman, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Arthur Heyl, New Rochelle, N.Y.

James Welby Hulme, Detroit, Mich.

Emil M. Kaiser

William Warren Kearns, Flint, Mich.

Philip Eugene La Rowe, Detroit, Mich.

Alexander McClellen, Bad Axe, Mich.  
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Harlow Clark Powers, Saginaw, Mich.

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Irvin Eldon Lisle, Yakima, Wash.  
Archie Eugene Lloyd, Everett, Wash.  
Vernon Ira Luthans, Yakima, Wash.  
Roland Ammerman Lyons, Kelso, Wash.  
Virgil McBee, Wenatchee, Wash.  
Bruce Robert McElderry, Inglewood, Calif.  
Frank Theodore McFarland, Seattle, Wash.  
Virgil George McFarland, Kanatak, Alaska  
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