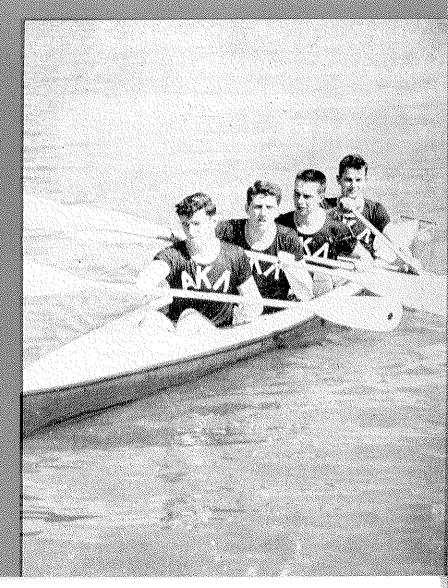
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OF ALPHA KAPPA LAMBDA



### "True Meaning of Fraternity"

"It is important for us to remember that the fraternity is not a grip, a badge, an emblem, or primarily a house. The true meaning of fraternity is something that is intangible, something that is real and precious. It is good for us to pause and recall the ideals and the spiritual qualities that they embody. Fraternities are seeking as their ideal to love truth and use it for the benefit of young men.

"The object of fraternity is certainly to contribute to the education of its members through its moral influence, its social advantages, its spiritual tone, and its cultural development.

"In the formative years of college life the fraternity offers a wonderful set of techniques for civilizing men through a pattern of values. A fraternity is essentially a venture in group living. It is an experiment and an experience in mutuality, in mutual problems, in mutual ideals, and in mutual hopes. It is an organism for enriching the human spirit. It is a venture in self-discovery, in self-development, and in self-management. It is fundamentally a device for enriching the human spirit."

—The Very Reverend J. Milton Richardson, Dean of Christ Church, Houston, Texas, in an address to the National Interfraternity Conference, November 27, 1953.

# Our Cover

Kappa chapter members at Purdue University participated in the boat race on the Wabash River late in the Spring. Held on "Race Day," the contest pitted a number of fraternities against each other. The AKL crew is made up of Don Craft, Verne Lee, Dick York, and John Mihok. They won fourth place.



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Summer, 1954

# AN EVALUATION OF FRATERNITY LIFE

by

Lt. Gen. Oliver P. Smith, Alpha '16
U.S. Marine Corps

"Retreat, Hell!"
General Says
Military Service
Not Unlike
Fraternity

Forty years ago when I was a Junior at the University of California I participated in the founding of Alpha Kappa Lambda. Fraternity matters then loomed large on my horizon as they did for the other members of the Los Amigos Club who joined in what we considered a significant step: the founding of a national fraternity.

Much prayerful consideration had been devoted to the proposition of whether we should affiliate ourselves with some existing fraternity or should launch out on our own and set our own course. The decision was to found Alpha Kappa Lambda.

The passage of forty years provides sufficient perspective to evaluate the significance of the fraternity in my own experience both in college and subsequently.

Some of the conclusions I reached while still in college remain valid.

Like many other members of the fraternity I grew up in a small town. My guidance from the moral, religious, and educational standpoints had been perfectly adequate. Enrollment at the university, however, was an entirely new and somewhat confusing experience. The university was one of the largest in the country. There was very little personal guidance. It was also necessary to develop an entirely new set of friendships. As an aid in this respect there were church associations and affiliation with the YMCA. The fraternity, however, filled a gap which neither of them could fill. The day to day association with men of similar background and similar character guidance was a strong anchor to windward. I realized this at the time and have since had no reason to discount the value of these associations.

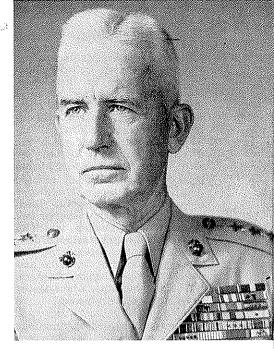
The alumni of Alpha Kappa Lambda are in almost every walk of life, business, the professions, agriculture. Has the fraternity left any imprint on these alumni? I am sure it has, but I can only speak for myself.

My path led me into the military service. For the thirty-seven years I have been an officer of the Marine Corps, my preoccupation has necessarily been human relations. In the military service there can be no successful effort that is not a group effort. There must be teamwork and there cannot be teamwork without leadership. We bend every effort to develop and nurture leadership qualities in all echelons, high and low. And what we demand in the way of leadership qualities is not greatly different from what is required in civilian life, nor incompatible with the standards we set in Alpha Kappa Lambda.

We do not assume that man is born a leader. We do demand good raw material. We can assist in the development of leadership qualities, but, in the final analysis it is the man himself who must develop his full potential.

What do we consider good raw material for leadership, particularly in an officer? I can enumerate the principal qualities. He must be intelligent. He must be alert to learn. He must possess energy and enthusiasm, but this energy and enthusiasm must be tempered with common sense. He must be able to cooperate with his equals, his subordinates, and his superiors. He must have a willingness to serve, often without recognition. He must be willing to assume responsibility. He must be loyal, and I use this term in the general sense. Finally, he must possess integrity and moral courage. These are the qualities we would like a young officer to have when he enters upon his service.

You would want a prospective member of Alpha Kappa Lambda



Lt. Gen. O. P. Smith

to possess these same qualities.

As I pointed out earlier our task in the military service is to develop and nurture leadership qualities in our young officers and noncommissioned officers in order to mature these qualities and to produce leaders to assume the progressively more important responsibilities that come with age and advancement. This is brought about by example and by the development of professional competence as a result of schooling and experience. With professional competence comes confidence, an essential of successful leadership. Competence and confidence on the part of a leader engender the respect and confidence of subordinates, without which leadership would be ineffective. Loyalty is then a natural concomitant, and group and individual loyalty have paid remarkable dividends in combat. With competent leadership, with mutual respect and confidence and with loyalty up and loyalty down men will be instinctively proud; proud of themselves, proud of their accomplishments. Pride is essential to success in any military effort. There are no financial rewards for military success. Pride of accomplishment is the only reward. It is the task of leadership to stimulate this pride.

A willingness to serve, which we consider a basic essential, becomes devotion to duty, which in turn may extend to self-sacrifice. In the military service the examples of devotion to duty and self-sacrifice are legion. They are part of our heritage, a heritage of which we are justly proud.

Is our problem in the military service essentially so different from that in many other walks of life? I think not. Certainly integrity and moral courage are essential in any walk of life. Loyalty is vital: loyalty to your fellow citizens, loyalty to the community. loyalty to constituted authority. loyalty to ideals. The willingness to serve, or devotion to duty, typifies the teaching profession, the medical profession, the ministry, government and community service. The analogy could be continued, but it should be apparent that leadership in community and national life demands much the same qualities as leadership in the military service.

I feel that I am on firm ground in stating that fraternity life, as exemplified in the Alpha Kappa Lambda I knew, made a significant contribution in preparing me to meet the obligations of a military career. My fellow alumni in civilian life are in better position than I to evaluate the significance of this experience in their own cases, but I do not see how they can escape the same conclusion.

### CONGRATULATIONS, LOU!

Abandoning the ranks of eligible bachelors, Lewis Bacon, AKL's popular executive secretary, was married to Miss Jean Smith of Topeka, Kansas, on June 6. A large number of fraternity brothers attended and participated in the beautiful ceremonies, and the reception held afterwards.

Lou and his bride spent two weeks honeymooning in Colorado before being joined by the members of the National Executive Council for the 1954 meeting of the group, held at Glenwood Springs. The bride and groom are now at home at 610 Arundal, Emporia, Kansas.

# Alumni News

Loren A. Woolf. Stanford '33, is divisional commercial manager of the Pacific Gas and Electric company. He and his wife Phyllis and child, age 13, live at 348 Main street, Red Bluff, California. Loren is active in the Rotary club, Chamber of Commerce, and Boy Scouts.

John W. Coulter, California '18, is Professor of Geography at the University of Cincinnati.

Marvin C. Johnson, Purdue '50, is engaged to Betty Brandt, an elementary school teacher at Gary, Indiana. Marv is in the engineering training program of the U.S. Steel corporation. A summer wedding is planned.

Gunther R. Detert, Stanford '33, is a trial lawyer in San Francisco. He, his wife Marie, and children ages 11 and 9 live at 2533 Filbert street, San Francisco. Gunther holds offices in the Barristers club, Improvement association, Bar association, and the Chamber of Commerce.

Robert C. Sherman, Purdue '44, is an engineer with the Delco Remy division of General Motors. Bob designs conveyors and plating equipment. He lives at 3019 George street, Anderson, Indiana.

# "DOMINUS ILUMINATIO MEA"

(which is the motto of Oxford University)

by Alain Enthoven, Beta '52 Rhodes Scholar, Oxford

Oxford is not easy to describe—
it is even less easily explained.
A description of the mechanics of
its institutions would miss the
point whereas to capture its spirit
in a few words is surely beyond
the powers of most writers. Structurally, it is a federation of colleges somewhat analagous to the
British Commonwealth.

If one is interested in measurable quantities, one might put the number of colleges at about twenty-eight, five of which are for women, though this is not exact because the line between those bodies which are colleges and those which are not is not exact. If one is interested in dates, one might know that the university dates from the reign of Henry II, though Oxford was already a center of learning before then and the first college was not founded until 1280.

The college is the center of the student's life. He eats nearly all of his meals in the college hall and he usually has two spacious rooms within its walls. He finds the larger part of the books he needs in the college library and, what is of primary importance, he receives his instruction there. The colleges vary in size between three and four hundred in the case of the larger ones and around a hundred in the smaller ones. They vary in academic standards and entrance requirements, but, with practically no exceptions, they are completely unspecialized.

The tutorial system is the core of Oxford education. Each week, each undergraduate meets privately with his tutor and reads him an essay which he has written on his reading for the week. The tutor and the student then discuss it critically, both in terms of content and style of exposition. The tutor attempts to show the student where he has failed to properly understand some of his authors, or, perhaps, where he has not expressed himself well. The weekly ordeal—once called "trial by tutorial"—stimulates the student to carry out a more penetrating analysis in the subsequent essay.

Oxford undergraduates read practically no text books. From the beginning, they plunge into original and un-digested writings and decide for themselves whether their authors were right or not. The great strength—and also the failing—of the Oxford education is the very highly developed critical faculty which it instills into the students.

We sometimes jokingly comment that whereas the American student commits to memory "the four main points" of an author's thought, as seen by the author of the text book, the Oxford student, aided and abetted by his tutor, seeks the "four main errors" of the author's thought and attempts to remember them.

The undergraduate may attend a few lectures during the term, but attendance is by no means compulsory. The process of choice of lectures is like wine-tasting. The tutor suggests a few interesting possibilities and the student samples for himself. If the lecturer pleases him and if he thinks that the one or two hours a week listening to him will be profitably

spent, he may attend until he gets bored. If the lecturer is bad, attendance approaches zero asymptotically. The lectures are meant for stimulation more than for instruction.

The climax of the academic career of the Oxford undergraduate is "schools," short for the examination schools. During his three years of undergraduate study, he will have taken a few minor examinations either to qualify for further study or to convince his tutor that his vacation wasn't spent entirely on frivolities.

But the only examinations that "count," the ones upon which his degree and standing depend, are those concentrated in the week near the end of his last term. No "mid-terms" or weekly quizzes have distracted him from his studies or disturbed his thoughts during his time at Oxford—how fortunate he is for that—but he pays dearly for this privilege on the day of reckoning.

Even those happy few who win a "first," perhaps the top five per cent, admit that the week on which their careers depended was, at best, a refined torture. But when the ordeal is over and the Oxford man (or woman) receives his degree, he can be justly proud of one of the finest educations this ignorant world can provide. Rather than a certificate that he has attended so many lectures and regurgitated so many facts at regular intervals, the Oxford B.A. signifies that its holder has read the important books and articles in his field and that he has proved himself capable of discussing them intelligently on paper and orally.

Oxford has its recreations too. Tea is more than a drink—it is an important social institution. It fills the place of the American campus "coffee date." Though fewer in number, Oxford has dances that rival any in splendor. The greatest

of these are the Commemoration Balls, held in each college once every three years.

The "commem" is an all night affair starting with a champagne supper in the evening and usually ending in a punt on the Cherwell or the Thames sometime during the next morning. New College, my college, had its "commem" last summer and the event was recorded in the June Holiday by Joyce Cary. One of my many recollections of the glorious affair was the surprise of my partner to find that I lacked the energy to do an eightsome reel at five a.m. or to propel a punt at eight.

The Oxford college system would be ideal for the achievement of the goals of American university "intramural" athletic programs. Each college fields teams in more than a dozen sports, and often second and third teams too.

There is no question of de-emphasis of athletics at Oxford. There are no athletic scholarships and athletic accomplishment is not usually a passport to social prominence. The university teams are picked from the college teams and they are usually coached by enthusiastic alumni—never by professionals.

Oxford does not have much of a problem with athletically minded alumni. If they want their old teams to win, they can come up and help coach them. Nevertheless, the standard of varsity sports is not far below that of many American universities.

If I were to attempt to epitomize Oxford in a few words, I might well choose freedom and intellectuality. An American cannot help but be struck by the wide variety of opinion that is freely expressed and subjected to critical discussion in Oxford.

In politics, for example, there are clubs representing every shade of political opinion from Blue Rib-

bon Toryism to liberalism to communism. My guess would be that currently the majority of Oxford intellectuals are conservatives, but this would be very difficult to document and may well be wrong. In any event, whatever opinion they hold, it is not held because they have not been exposed to others.

The English have great faith in the strength of their democratic institutions and they do not find it necessary or desirable to suppress the dissenters or to enforce conformity. Freedom and variety can be found on any number of other spectra too: art, religion, philosophy, clothing styles, etc. Pressures for conformity are minimized as Oxonians firmly believe in freedom as an indispensable part of education.

It may seem strange to point out that a university has an intellectual bias as this is something whose existence should be taken for granted. Yet the contrast between Oxford and our own institutions of higher learning in this respect is striking. Oxford abounds in clubs devoted to study of literature, politics, art, etc.; its students publish many magazines and reviews containing poetry, literary criticism and the like; its dinner table conversation is more likely to be on philosophy than on athletics.

But most important, the social position of the accomplished intellectual or artist is assured and is somewhat comparable to that of the varsity football player on an American campus. The energy spent on an American campus on football games, home coming decorations, pep rallies, card stunts, float parades, some student body organizations and other such activities which are in large part indefensible wastes of time are channelled, at Oxford, by the students themselves, into essay societies where students write and discuss

papers on the sciences and the arts and discuss them extremely competently, into poetry and other artistic endeavors, into study groups and political associations who invite and hear famous speakers regularly, and into dramatic societies and the Oxford union.

And, it is worth emphasizing that these are the extra-curricular activities. Faculty members only come to them as invited guests. The societies are entirely run by the students for their own enjoyment. It ought to be added, though, that the existence of Guy Fawkes Day riots and the traditional punting on the Thames indicate that they do other things for their enjoyment too.

Oxford in particular and English education in general have a great deal to learn from the Americans. I would make this the subject of an article for English readers. The accomplishment of our ideals of equality of opportunity and of education for all may well be worth the price we pay for it. But the experience of living in such a select society as that of Oxford does make it clear that in terms of quality, we are paying a price—perhaps a partially unnecessary one.

Oxford education is education for England's elite. No Englishman who could attend Oxford or Cambridge would choose to attend another university. This would not be true for even a dozen American universities. The student body is very carefully selected and the ratio of faculty to students is high. The result is excellent education for the fortunate ones, but it is obtained at the cost of a disadvantage for the rest.

The comparison that an American Oxonian inevitably makes, nevertheless, leads to the equally inevitable conclusion that the opportunities for us to learn from each other are not entirely unilateral.

# Progress Report of

# THE LOGOS FOUNDATION

I neouraged by the response to its **L** first campaign last year, and inspired with the opportunity which lies ahead to build Alpha Kappa Lambda into an ever better and stronger fraternity, The Logos Foundation began its second year on April 1, 1954. Letters urging the support of every alumnus were mailed early in May. Alumni chapters in all parts of the country are co-operating with local campaigns.

As almost every A.K.L. knows by this time, The Logos Foundation is an alumni organization within the fraternity devoted to raising funds through voluntary donations from the alumni for four major purposes: (1) expansion, (2) encouragement of Christian leadership and high scholarship, (3) reactivation of our dormant chapters at Michigan and Wisconsin, and (4) aid to active chapters for the construction and improvement of chapter houses. It is designed to afford a convenient and effective method, which had hitherto been lacking because, unlike most fraternities, we have never collected alumni dues, for our alumni to help A.K.L. on a national scale financially. It is intended to supplement, and certainly not to discourage, aid given to individual chapters by local alumni groups. Because of the urgency of the need, the Foundation operates on a cash basis rather than as an endowment.

Since the constitution provides for a certain turnover in its membership, the Foundation's Board of Trustees has two new members this year, Thomas F. Hull, Kappa '51, president of the Indianapolis

Alumni Chapter, and Robert C. Robertson, Alpha '37, past president of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter.

The outgoing members are Everett V. Prindle, Alpha '25, and Ralph Wood, Kappa '49, Much credit is due them for their loyal and unselfish work. Men serving for the second consecutive year are Lewis Bacon, Lambda '49 (who as National Executive Secretary of A.K.L. is a permanent member), Frederick H. Clapp, Epsilon '25, and Alfred B. Post, Beta '27, who as Treasurer heads the Board.

Since a complete financial report and a list of contributors appear elsewhere in this issue of The Logos, it is sufficient to say here that contributions to The Logos Foundation during its first year totalled almost \$2,500. That is no mean sum of money, but we hope to do better this year. The individual donations ranged from \$1 to \$100, with the greatest number falling within the \$10-\$20 bracket.

What have we done with the money? A complete list of scholarships and awards appears on another page. We feel that within the limitations of our budget we have made an important contribution toward expansion through grants of scholarships to men who will take the lead in colonizing or guiding new chapters at universities where our Fraternity is not now represented. Aggressive Christian leadership has been encouraged by giving tangible recognition in the form of an award to the active chapter which has been most outstanding in that respect.

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We are hopeful as this is being written that we will have the opportunity soon to be of active help in attaining part of our third major objective-reactivation of our dormant chapters at Michigan and Wisconsin. And there are indications that we have been of at least indirect assistance to our active chapters by giving them another talking point—alumni interest and support through scholarships,-to use in pledging new members.

Money is of course no substitute for right thinking and right living, nor for hard, unselfish work by individual members, but it certainly is a necessary supplement to such activities. The Logos Foundation wants to build and strengthen Alpha Kappa Lambda both from without and within. The horizons are limitless if we all join in the crusade.

If you have overlooked sending in your contribution, won't you do it RIGHT NOW, on the installment basis if you want to. Address The Logos Foundation, 2010 Lorain Road, San Marino 9, California,

### THE LOGOS FOUNDATION 2010 Lorain Road San Marino, Calif.

### FIRST ANNUAL REPORT STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES Year Ended March 31 1954

Income				
Contributions Received  Expenses	\$2,458.00	\$2,458.00		
Leadership award and medals Printing and stationery Postage Miscellaneous expense, mainly postage Assets  Assets	21.35 89.22 75.00 20.30	205.87 \$2,252.13		
Cash (California Bank, 6th & Grand) Liabilities		\$2,252.13 None		

Alfred B. Post, Treasurer

April 10, 1954

Contributions have been received from the following brothers since the first list of contributors was published in the winter 1953-54 issue of the Logos:

Randolph Hili Walter L. Peter William E. Britton Osman R. Hull Robert H. Paddock Lindsay Wheeler, Jr. H. M. Naylor Frank Mischlich Kenneth D. Henry Albert E. Armstrong, Jr. Douglas J. Gilchrist E. W. Ellsworth William Morrison Edwin H. Morris, Jr.

Maclyn McCarty, Stanford '33, is a physician. Mac and his wife Anita have children ages 18, 15, and 6. The family resides at 10 Belmont avenue, New Rochelle, New York. Dr. McCarty is a member of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

Clarence H. Dykeman, Illinois '28, is working in the publications office of the Ford Motor company. Clarence is editor-in-chief of the Ford magazines. He has two daughters, Terry and Penny, ages ten and six. The family lives on a farm which they operate as a hobby. The address is 8870 Merrill Road, Whitmore Lake, Michigan.

Henry H. Bloomer, Illinois '30, is in charge of the speech department at the University of Michi-

Lewis C. Reimann, Michigan Honorary, is the author of two recently published books about the early days in Michigan.

John M. Wilson, Washington State '53, is now with the U.S. Air Force and is stationed at Scott Air Force Base, Belleville, Illinois.

Lyle N. Brock, Kansas '29, is manager of the J. C. Penney store in Antigo, Wisconsin. He has been with the company for twenty-five years. Lyle and his wife, Ruth, have two sons, Richard and Rob-

# THE LOGOS FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES Awards

"Alumnus of the Year"

Reverend James W. Bell, Washington '32, is honored for the tremendous job he did in the reactivation of Theta chapter at the University of Washington. An enthusiastic and tireless worker, Rev. Bell is director of the Westminster Foundation for the Synod of Washington, and Presbyterian University pastor at the University of Washington at Seattle.

Jim was a charter member of Theta chapter, was ordained to the ministry in 1936, and served in pastorates in Illinois, Ohio and California before undertaking his present work. He brought together the men constituting Theta chapter in 1952-53 under the name Preston House. The chapter was installed on May 17, 1953.

Campus Leadership (Individual)

Joint winners of the campus leadership award are Art Aspengren of Nu chapter, Ohio University, and John Stahr of Beta chapter, Stanford.



Arthur Aspengren is a junior at Ohio Univ. and one of the school's campus leaders. During the 1953-54 school year, he was president of the Wesley Foundation, Methodist student group, and played on the varsity football team. Topping a full year was his election this spring to the position of president of the Ohio University Student Council.

Other activities which earned Art the Logos Foundation award are his participation in Sigma Theta Epsilon (Methodist

Key, J-Club, chairman of Campus Chest, Arnold Society, and others. He is enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences, and has a cumulative scholastic average of 2.8.

Art's fraternity activities include filling the offices of corresponding secretary, chaplain, and recording secretary.



John R. Stahr

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John R. Stahr, a senior at Stanford, served during the school year just past as Student Manager of the Associated Students of Stanford University. In this position, he supervised the half-million dollar a year business of campus organizations. No student group could receive funds without his okay.

As a duty of his office, John managed the campus charity drive, sponsored annually for the benefit of the Stanford Children's Convalescent Home. Other campus activities include battalion commander of the

NROTC unit, and varsity rifle team. He won first place in individual competition against the best shots from all NROTC schools in the annual Hearst Rifle Match.

A straight-A student, John has served as 1953-54 president of Beta chapter. His pinning was recently announced.

Christian Leadership (Chapter)

Theta Chapter
University of Washington
Improvement Award (Chapter)
Nu Chapter
Ohio University

(This award is for the active chapter which in the opinion of the National Executive Council has shown the greatest improvement during the past year. Chapters which have been in the Fraternity less than one year are excluded from this competition.)

# Scholarships

Thanks to the contributions of AKL alumni, The Logos Foundation has been able to chalk up another "first" in our Fraternity's history by offering scholarships to active members who will transfer to certain universities to take the lead in establishing new chapters. The following scholarships have been awarded:

### OREGON STATE COLLEGE, CORVALLIS, OREGON

Jack P. Austin of Delta chapter is the winner of the scholarship to Oregon State. During the past year he has been studying at the University of Kansas, where he was a pre-law freshman. Jack has been active in the Business School Association and Pershing Rifles, as well as serving as historian, parliamentarian, and on the Delta Day Banquet committee in the fraternity.

Jack is the son of Lindsay Austin, Delta honorary, and is from Topeka, Kansas. He will enroll at Oregon State in the fall.

### COLLEGE OF THE PACIFIC, STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA

Robert Gene Haigh of Lambda chapter is the winner of the scholarship to the College of the Pacific at Stockton, California. Bob will enroll in pre-engineering and will be a junior. While a member of Lambda chapter, he served as chaplain, social chairman, and scholarship chairman. He is active in the Methodist church and was a counselor for a church youth group in Emporia while attending school. His home is at Osawatomie, Kansas.

Jerry Scheiman, Ohio State '53, and Sara Mall were married in the spring. They now live at Stallings Air Force Base, Kingston, North Carolina.

Brother Alexander E. Wylie, Michigan '25, writes asking for a back issue

of THE LOGOS which is not available from the National Office. He needs the issue of February, 1940. (volume 16, number 3). If any alumnus has a copy he no longer needs, Brother Wylie would like to have it to complete his files. His address is P.O. Box 61, Mendota, Illinois.

# Reports on the Alumni

John F. Krueger. Purdue Honorary, is an assistant professor of accounting at Purdue University. He is an advisor to Kappa chapter of AKL, active in the Presbyterian church, treasurer of the Hoosier dance club, and an officer in the scouting movement. John's two sons are both in high school.

Bart Hinkle, Purdue '49, is working in the field of synthetic fibers with DuPont Corporation. He recently delivered a paper at the annual convention of chemical engineers. He lives in Richmond, Virginia.

Melvin "Shorty" Long, Emporia State Honorary, is a member of the staff of the physical education department at Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia. "Shorty" is a sponsor of Lambda chapter.

Paul Galloway, Purdue '53, is an ensign in the Navy. Paul's address is Company J, Naval Supply School, Athens. Georgia.

Roy M. Hagen, California '15, received an award for his contributions to civic development as president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce. At a meeting of the Advertising club, the publisher of Minute Magazine presented Roy with an engraved hour-glass.

Robert D. Brodt, Illinois '38, is minister of the Salem Church in Allentown, Pennsylvania, Active in civic affairs, Bob is chairman of the Lehigh county Red Cross, pastpresident of the Minister's League of Allentown and vicinity, chairman of the Committee on Religion and Education, and a member of the Commission on Christian Social Action and the Lehigh Community Council. His church activities have taken him to Norway and Europe, and he recently contributed a chapter to a devotional book for young people entitled

"Pathways of Prayer." Bob and his wife Helen Jane have three children, Roberta, 10, Becky, 8, and Stephen, 5.

Dave Sanford, Stanford '49, is studying dentistry at the University of California.

John Mangan, Ohio State '52, is a lieutenant on Okinawa. His wife Rae recently joined him there.

Charles Dunard, Kirksville State '54, is now stationed at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas.

Don Bishop, Ohio '53, is in the quartermaster corps in Korea.

Keith Nelson, Stanford '53, has been awarded a Rotary International Foundation Fellowship, and plans to study at the Free University of Berlin, Germany. He will leave the United States in August.

Charles A. Gustafson, Michigan '28, is the Indiana manager of the American Casualty Company. He is active in the Friends church, Indianapolis alumni chapter of AKL, is past-president of the Carmel P.-T.A., and is a 32nd degree Mason. He and his wife have two daughters, Carole 15, and Sharon 12.

Bob Mauger, Purdue '53, is studying dairying in the graduate school at the University of Illinois. Bob lives at 208 E. John, Champaign, Illinois.

William T. Walters, Kansas St. '35, is with the Bureau of Reclamation. His address is care of American Embassy, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, Africa. Bill is a field engineer with a water resources group which is gathering basic data to be utilized in future irrigation and hydroelectric projects. For recreation, he goes hunting in the large river valleys for wild pig, antelope, gazelle, and leopard. Bill would like to hear from other Iota alumni.

Robert Foster. Ohio State '52, is a lieutenant (j.g.). Bob married Carolyn Moise of Providence, Rhode Island, in May.

Arthur L. Fabrizius, Emporia State '52, is a private in Korea. Art's address is 24th Recon. Company, 24th Infantry Division, APO 24. San Francisco.

John M. McKinley, Kansas '51, is back from Korea and Japan. A lieutenant in the Army engineers, he is now at Fort Belvoir, where he has been joined by his wife, Martha.

Grant R. Gaines, Washington State '43, is teaching in Pocatello, Idaho, and working towards his Ph. D. in psychology. Married to the former Jackie Melcher, he has one son, Gary, age 2.

Fred L. Stettner, Stanford '41, is the plant manager of the Victor Equipment company. He is also a member of the board of directors of the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce, and is chairman of their industrial safety and transportation committees.

John R. Sieding, Michigan '44, is now residing at 44312 North 3rd

street East, Lancaster, California. He is employed by the Allison division of General Motors as a supervisor of flight tests at Edwards Air Force Base. He has two daughters, four and two years old.

Don Cerefin, Purdue '52, has been called into the Army. Don was employed in the electronics laboratory of the Allison division of General Motors, in Indianapolis.

William P. George, Kansas '29, attended the 25th anniversary reunion of his class at Kansas University in early June. Bill and his wife, Maurine, have four children: Mary, a senior in music at Drake; Katherine, entering nursing at Kansas next Fall; David, entering high school; and Stephen, who will enter junior high.

Douglas J. Gilchrist, Michigan '20, lives at 440 North Seward avenue, Auburn, New York. Doug does contracting work. His daughter, Edith, graduates in June from a teachers college in New York.

William A. Alfonte, Jr., Stanford '44, is on duty with the Army in Germany.

It is with sorrow that the deaths of the following brothers are noted on the fraternity's Omega Roll:

George Matson Brown. Eta '29, was killed in a civil air patrol rescue mission in Groton, New York, on May 10, 1953. He was an electronics engineer with the New York Central System.

James Wilby Hulme, Zeta '31, a resident of Dearborn, Michigan, died after a number of years of failing health. (No other information available).

Dr. Paul B. Lawson, Delta Honorary, died March 30 at Lawrence, Kansas, following a short illness. For 21 years he had been dean of the Kansas University college of liberal arts, and was retiring this year at age 65. Plans had been made for a world tour during next year. Dean Lawson was a charter member of Delta chapter, and had served the chapter as faculty advisor and board member.

# Spotlighting: AKL EDUCATORS

Dr. Ernest Carroll Faust, Illinois '15, who for 25 years has been on the faculty of the School of Medicine at Tulane University of Louisiana, serves as head of the division of parasitology and William Vincent Professor of Tropical Diseases and Hygiene.

On the occasion of his 25th anniversary at Tulane, a commemorative service was held and his portrait was presented to Tulane by his colleagues and former students.

Dr. Faust was honored as "the man who has had the greatest influence on the development of human parasitology in the United States in this generation," and as



Ernest C. Faust

"a kindly, stubborn, methodical, dependable, honest Christian gentleman commanding the respect of all his colleagues and students, and the affection of those who know him best, and standing four-square for the highest standards in personal and professional life."

Born in Missouri, he received his undergraduate work at Oberlin college, graduating in 1912. Thereafter he became a student at the University of Illinois, earning his M.A. degree in 1914. After two years of teaching, he returned to Illinois, received his Ph.D. in 1917, and stayed on as an instructor in parasitology. It was during this time that he became a member of Bushnell Guild, the predecessor of AKL's Gamma chapter.

In 1919, Dr. Faust took his bride to China, where he taught at the Peking Union Medical College. He was associated with this school until 1928, and did research work on the oriental blook fluke of man, the liver fluke, tapeworms, and malaria.

Dr. Faust joined the Tulane faculty in 1928, to become head of the division of parasitology, a position he still holds. The museum of tropical medicine, now world famous among medical circles, was started at his instigation.

During World War II, Dr. Faust served with the Commission on Tropical Diseases of the Army Epidemiological Board to head a commission to study and control tropical diseases in the Philippines. For his work, he received the Freedom Medal.

He is the author of 281 scientific papers. His two major texts are "Human Helminthology," now in its third edition, and "Clinical Parasitology," now in its fifth edition.

Dr. Faust has been a member of the Council of the American Association for the Advancement of Science for 25 years. He has been president of the American Society of Tropical Medicine and the American Society of Parasitologists. He has been resident consultant to the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, and has lectured at the Army Medical School.

Currently, Dr. Faust is a member of the Expert Committee on Parasitic Diseases of the World Health Organization and a member of the Committee on Revision of the U.S. Pharmacopoeia.

Dr. Dow V. Baxter, Michigan Honorary, is professor of forest pathology and silvics in the School of Forestry and Conservation at the University of Michigan. He has been on the faculty since 1926,

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and has held full professorial rank since 1946.

A tireless explorer and traveler, Dr. Baxter has done research in every state in the Union, and has been on 15 expeditions to Alaska. The most recent were in 1952, when he worked up the Stikine



Dow V. Baxter

in 1944.

River, and in 1953, in Glacier Bay area and ons the Pribilofs.

Other expeditions in which he has participated, either as director or participant, are to Quebec and

New Brunswick in 1942, Newfoundland in 1946, Laborador in 1947, and Iceland in 1950. He conducted special forestry research in Puerto Rico

A native of Illinois, he received his bachelor of science in forestry from the University of Michigan in 1921, his M.S. in 1922, and the Ph.D. degree in 1924. During this time, he worked as an assistant instructor at Michigan University. Then, after two years on the faculty at the University of Wisconsin, Dr. Baxter returned to Michigan, and has been a member of its faculty ever since. He has taught specially during summer sessions at Michigan State College, and with the National Research Council in Alaska and Sweden.

From 1937 to 1941, he served as a member of the executive board of the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies.

Dr. Baxter was president of the Forestry Section at the VII International Botanical Congress held in Stockholm, Sweden, in 1950, and will be honorary president of the Forestry Botany Section when the VIII Congress meets in Paris, France, during the summer of 1954.

Among his professional affiliations are the Society of American Foresters, the American Forestry Association, the Mycological Society of America, the American Phytopathological Society, the Society of Foresters of Great Britain, the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts, and Letters, the Washington Academy of Sciences, Sigma Xi, and others. He also holds membership in the Explorers Club of New York.

"Pathology in Forest Practice" is the chief text which Dr. Baxter has written. It is now in its second edition. He has also authored 26 scientific papers on wood-decay causing organisms, and others dealing with his Alaskan research. He is now monographing a certain group of fungi for all North America.

Among his more popular-type writing are articles which have appeared in the Michigan Quarterly Review on "I'll take the Byway," "Mona Passage," "Byway to the Island Empire," "The Sheelite Rush is On," "Three for the Ganger," "Photographic Foray," and many others.

Dr. Baxter's hobby is taking motion pictures of wildlife, and he has assembled films on the Cassiar Trail, Alaskan Panorama, and On and Off Alaskan Byways.

Lloyd E. Thomas, Washington State '31, is an associate professor of biochemistry at the University of Missouri. Lloyd has been with the university since 1937. He is teaching and doing research work

in the chemistry of cells. Lloyd was a charter member of the Diversity club at Washington State, which became Eta chapter of AKL. He finished graduate work at Stanford in 1937.

# McCoy Wins Pulitzer

A series of hard-hitting articles eventually leading to the resignation of Republican National Chairman Wes Roberts has earned Alvin S. McCoy, Delta Honorary, the newspaperman's highest honor—a Pulitzer prize.

Mr. McCoy stirred up a political hornet's nest in the spring of 1953 when he exposed a shady financial deal committed by Roberts that was connected



Alvin S. McCoy

with the misappropriation of public funds. Roberts later resigned because of a wave of public resentment.

The Kansas editor of the Kansas City Star received a degree in chemistry from Kansas University in 1925. But after working himself around the world, he laid aside his test tubes and went into the newspaper business. He has been with the Kansas City Star for nearly a quarter of a century, and during World War II was his paper's correspondent in the Pacific war zone.

Mr. McCoy was initiated into Alpha Kappa Lambda in the spring of 1953. Since that time, he has taken a great interest in fraternity affairs, serving now on Delta chapter's board of trustees. He was featured speaker at the Founders' Day banquet in Kansas City.

Denise Is Adviser

Theodore C. Denise, Michigan '42, fills the important post of fraternity adviser at Syracuse University, at Syracuse, New York. He has been at the university several years.

Writing in the Winter '53 issue of Banta's Greek Exchange, Denise discusses the fraternity adviser's job, and points out that more and more schools are adding such a post. The main areas of work are, he says, collecting relevant fraternity information. strengthening relations with national fraternity offices, strengthening relations with local alumni. strenthening relations with local chapters and local fraternities, orienting house presidents to their responsibility, and working toward eliminating fraternity weaknesses.

David Hale, Stanford '33, is a partner in the Hale Fruit company. He and his wife Elizabeth have children ages 11 and 6. The family resides at Suisun, California, post office box 365.

John McKean, Illinois '35, is the executive vice-president of Borcherdt Malt company in Chicago.

Grosvenor W. Cooper, Stanford '32, is an associate professor of humanities and is chairman of the department of music at the University of Chicago. He received the annual award at the university for the best undergraduate teaching.

Max Warner, Ohio State '52, is employed by a geologist in Columbus, Ohio. Max has two children.

Frank W. Fisk, Illinois '36, now resides at 483 Colonial avenue. Worthington, Ohio. After completing his graduate work at the University of Minnesota, Frank has been assistant professor in the department of zoology and entomology at Ohio State University. His particular interests are in insect physiology and insect toxicology. but his duties cover a wide range in entomology. Frank has two daughters, Margaret, 6, and Elizabeth 2. He has been faculty advisor to Mu chapter since it was chartered.

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# Report from National

During the past five years, Alpha Kappa Lambda has established itself in the fraternity world as a fraternity with progressive expansion ideas and as a leader in establishing new chapters. This has come as a shock to many, as AKL had always been somewhat conservative in enlarging its chapter roster.

Some of the larger national fraternities were knocking at our door with the hope that Alpha Kappa Lambda would give up and consolidate with their organization. Several offers of merger were seriously considered prior to WW II, but early in the post-war era the brothers, assembled in Conclave, decided that it was time to launch our own expansion program.

The first move was to increase chapter dues and to build a reserve salary for a full-time secretary. A goal of 25 chapters was set and it was decided that we should attempt to add one good chapter each year. Since that decision was made, we have established collegiate chapters at Kansas State Teachers, Ohio State, Ohio University, Missouri State Teachers and have reactivated Theta Chapter at the University of Washington.

Fraternity expansion among the 61 national fraternities is almost at a standstill due to decreased enrollments in many colleges and universities. During this time, we have contacted hundreds of school administrators on future expansion. Now that enrollments are climbing again, we are prepared to establish chapters in a number of good schools.

At the present time we are negotiating with groups at Michigan, Millikin University (Illinois), Lewis & Clark (Portland, Ore.), and

Trinity (Conn.). Because of the response to the newly established Logos Foundation, we are preparing for colonization through transfer students at Oregon State and College of the Pacific. We are continuing negotiations with many fine schools for future expansion and it is very possible that chapters might be established at Wvoming, Colorado, New Mexico. Southern California, Idaho State, Central Missouri State, Kansas City University, Wichita, Cincinnati, Oklahoma A&M, Southern Methodist, and Colorado State.

Establishing chapters at these schools will require the combined efforts of alumni chapters, collegiate chapters, and individual alumnus members. You can help by contributing to the Logos Foundation to establish scholarships to encourage members to transfer to colonize.

Alpha Kappa Lambda will continue to expand in opportune schools. We will not sacrifice any part of our growing fraternity just to expand, but the success of our national organization should not be measured by expansion alone, since increasing the chapter roster constitutes only about 10% of the secretary's time, Records, addresses, forms, visitations, and services must be continued and improved. A national office must be established and additional clerical help must be added to meet the demand of our growing chapters.

For the first time in five years, all of our chapters are increasing in strength and none are sliding backwards. The help that you have given or are giving is deeply appreciated and it is with a sincere note of tribute to you brothers that this column is written.

Lewis Bacon Executive Secretary

# NEWS of the Collegiate Chapters

Alpha-

CALIFORNIA



Alpha Chapter, 1953-54



FOUNDER. Rev. Gail Cleland, Alpha '09 delivered the principal address at Alpha chapter's 40th Anniversary banquet, April 11, in the chapter dining hall. He is one of the Los Amigos founders.

As the school year ended for Alpha, the main attractions were the annual push-cart relays and the Spring Formal. We teamed with Stern Hall, a girls' dorm, in entering the relays with our entry, "The New Nash." On the body of the cart there was a huge mattress, with the driver, a Stern Hall girl, tucked cozily under some blankets. The four Alpha men pushing the cart were dressed in pajamas, thus adding a touch of realism. The Spring Formal was held at the Mira Vista Country club.

The pajama dance, not to be confused with the push-cart relays, was another hit this year along with our annual Roman Toga dance. The Roman Toga affair this semester was probably the most successful of all those held in the past, as a six-piece band provided the music. Spring pledges Dick Lane and Dick Howard were presented that night.

A social affair deserving attention because of its symbolic significance was the dinner held here April 11 celebrating the Fortieth Anniversary of the founding of

Alpha Kappa Lambda. Reverend Gail Cleland, one of the original founders, was the guest speaker.

Besides being successful in our social events, Alpha has also prospered in the scholastic aspect of the Big U, with its actives placing sixth in the race for top scholar-

ship among the other fifty-one fraternities.

We have also added more trophies to our small but growing collection by winning the All-University Intramural championships in badminton and table tennis.

Dink Leigh

\_ STANFORD

### Beta ...

In a concerted effort to place AKL in a more prominent position on the campus, we changed the election by-laws to give our house president a chance for a post on the Inter-Fraternity Council. In the past we have elected our president too late for him to be an IFC officer. This motion was adopted, and Bob Smith, a junior, was elected to be the new house president at a meeting held on April 5. This brought to an end the short term of office held by John Stahr, who being a senior this year, would be unable to hold the office through next autumn quarter.

In campus activities, AKL still rates as one of the outstanding fraternities. John Stahr has done well in his job as ASSU Student Manager for this year, and we hate to see him leave this office, but at the same time, we look forward with equal expectancy to next year when Bob Gable will as-

sume the job, thus keeping one of the most important campus offices in the house.

We also saw the sophomores work hard this year on our booth which was one of the leading collectors at the annual carnival held for the Stanford Convalescents Home. Again this year, the quartet, "What Four," was more popular than ever on campus, at serenades, and at other events. It is still composed of the original members: Steve Stevens, Neil McKenzie, Phil Sweigert, and Ross Pyle.

On May 1, we held our annual spring quarter overnight at Dentons Mountain Inn up in the Santa Cruz mountains. The atmosphere, being very rustic, caused us to eliminate any ideas of a formal dance, but we nevertheless adapted ourselves to the environment and made it one of our best social events of the year.

George R. Wilson

### Gamma-

ILLINOIS

As the last few weeks of the Spring semester drew to a close, the men of Gamma heaved a sigh of relief from the full calendar of social events. Leading the long line of activities was the annual Feud with Acacia on April 3. One of the high points of the week-end was the rope pull over the Boneyard. AKL once again proved its might by dunking the Acacia "tuggers" for the seventh straight year.

A week before, on the 25th of March, was the date for our Founders' Day Banquet. It was a lot of fun getting together once again with many of our honoraries and alums. We were very happy to have two of our honoraries as speakers for the evening. They were Dean Joseph Cullen Blair, dean emeritus of the College of Agriculture, and University President Lloyd Morey.

Along with them and six alumni were several other honoraries: Prof. W. E. Black, T.A.M.; Donald Grossman, University Examiner; The Rev. Harry Johns, McKinley Foundation; Prof. Charles Kneier, and Prof. Clyde Snider, Pol. Sci.;



JEST FIESTA. At Spring Carnival, members of AKL's Gamma chapter joined with McKinley Hall, girls' dorm, to put on a show. Whatever is going on, it looks good from this angle. The judges thought so too, gave them fifth place award.

Dean Gerald Moore, L.A.S.; Prof. Carrol Wiley, Civil Eng.; and Earl Reitan, History.

The next big week-end came on April 24. This was the date for the Spring Carnival, and as usual, Gamma was among the top contenders. This year we paired with the McKinley Hall girls and entered the "show" division. It was our second try in this field. The show was entitled "Jest Fiesta" and took fifth place out of 19 entries.

One of the more pleasant weekends of the Spring semester is Campus Mother's Day week-end. During three days, April 30-May 2, we turned the third floor of the house over to the Moms. Several came Friday evening and really "lived it up" right on through the banquet which was Sunday noon at the chapter house.

Our last big social fling of the semester was our Spring Formal.

It was probably one of the best decorated dances seen at Gamma for some years. All the decorations were inside the chapter house.

Sachem Sing, the interfraternity sing, was the last big participation activity we entered for the Spring semester. We competed with ten other houses and brought home the second place trophy with an original arrangement of "It Ain't Necessarily So."

As we look forward to the Fall semester, we notice that a few faces will be absent. For the main part, they will be graduating seniors, and we want to wish them the best in luck. However, one Gamma is becoming the victim of Cupid. Larry Lawler, junior, and Ernistine Hanks will be married September 5. Larry will finish school here and then enter Garrett Seminary in the Fall of 1955.

Don Lanier

Banquets, floats, picnics, formals—all these have provided Delta chapter with a continuous round of late spring social events.

It started April 16 when several carpenters, painters, artists, and stuffers pooled talents to construct Delta's float for the Kansas Relays parade. To illustrate the general theme of "Joy Through Effort," pledge Jim Sawyer was portrayed sitting at his desk, burning the midnight oil. Standing near him was pledge Bill Luce, attired in cap and gown and clutching a diploma. Thus the "message" was: Long study hours pay off in the end.

The following weekend we picked up the AKL Founder's Day trophy by virtue of topping Iota, Lambda, and Xi in singing, bowling, and basketball competition. President Kent Bowden was presented with the award by the Wichita Alumni chapter at a Sunday afternoon in Kansas City's Town House hotel.

Almost 200, including chapter members, parents, friends, and alumni, heard K.U. economics professor John Ise rake Sen. Joseph McCarthy over the coals at the first annual Delta Day banquet a week later. It was held in the Crystal room of the Eldridge hotel.

National AKL secretary Lou Bacon introduced the parents to the five goals of AKL. Kent Bowden dedicated a plaque thanking the Mothers' Club for its efforts in helping the chapter. Later he was named Delta's outstanding senior.

All present agreed the event—originated by Ray Birk—was the proverbial "howling success."

Delta threw a banquet before the annual Laurel Fete — the spring dance—May 8. The dinner and dance were held in the Kansas room of the Student Union.

Seven men graduated June 7. The new alumni members are Glen Davis, Ralph Kiehl, Ray Birk, Chuck Morelock, Kent Bowden, Del Fillmore, and Jack Chittenden.

Four men pledged during the spring semester: Stewart Elliott of Independence, Gary Westhusin of Plainville, Richard Lee of Prairie Village, and Bill Haines of Mission. These four brought to 42 the total number of chapter members for the spring semester.

Five years of straight-A work have paid dividends for Stan Lehmberg, a graduate student from McPherson. Stan won a Fulbright scholarship to England's Cambridge university in April. He will sail from New York on September 17.

Chapter officers for the fall semester are Jim Van Pelt, president; John Richards, vice-president; Don Williams, recording secretary; Harold Bergsten, corresponding secretary; Bill Roberts, treasurer, and Tom Ricky, house manager.

Chuck Morelock

WASHINGTON STATE

### Era

This spring semester at Washington State, the move toward better housing for Eta progressed considerably, with several prospects opening up. Building seems to be out, for financial reasons, and while no definite action has transpired, the situation is still

on the optimistic side.

Our social calendar for this Spring was a little on the blank side, but we had time for at least two good functions, a Spring picnic and the traditional Blind Date Fireside. The Fireside, an annual affair, is always interesting. Since

the dates for the Fireside are picked by the social chairman sight unseen, the close of the dance always sees a little mutiny brewing in the ranks, but in the end, everyone admits, as they did this year, that it was a big success.

House officers for the Fall semester of 1954 were elected in March, Dale Bowen, previously pledge-class president, was voted president; Dick Barker, vice-president and pledge master: Hal Tve. secretary and social chairman; and Soba Oyawove, ideals and chaplain. Bob Rice was chosen house manager and Morrie Payton, assistant house manager. New men in the house are Soba Oyawoye, from Nigeria: Elmer Gibbons from Pine City, Washington, and Greg Miller, from Pullman, Washington. New initiates are Hal Tye and Dale Bowen.

Eta racked up several firsts on the campus this semester that are worth noting. We, along with the Chi Omegas, were the first house to reach our goal in the Cougar Chest drive in February. The goals for the living groups were either \$100 for the group, or \$1.00 per person. Eta made it the latter way.

Our other two first were won by Shoba Oyawoye, champion of the intramural wrestling tournament, and Gus Wahbeh, winner of the intramural ping-pong tournament.

The last week in April, we observed Founders' Day with a combined Founders' Day and Scholarship banquet. Among the guests present was Vic Anderson, national vice-president, who was guest speaker for the event. The trophy for the outstanding scholar in the house was awarded to Ray Needham. Ray, a senior in agricultural education, along with Pete Funk, senior in agriculture, will graduate and leave the house in June. Both Ray and Pete plan for a tour of duty in the Army.

Dale Bowen

WASHINGTON

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one of our most helpful alums, the "AKL of the Year," Jim Bell and

his wife, Shirley.

Spring quarter has been a time of real accomplishment at Theta. On April 10, we had our first party of the quarter when we attended a school play. Afterwards, we returned to the house with our dates and danced and had refreshments. The chaperones were Paul Hungerford, newly elected president of the Seattle Alumni chapter, and his wife.

On May 22 we held a picnic on the shores of Lake Washington. As chaperones for this party, we had Two new men have been pledged this quarter and another initiated. Those pledged are Ken Brandt from Richland, Washington, and Henry Hazenburg, a naturalized American citizen from Holland. The new active member is Dan Klingler.

One of Theta's biggest headaches for this summer will be the problem of finding a new house. The one we are now in is too small for our purposes. We need a house approximately twice as

FOUNDERS BANQUET. Seattle alumni joined with members of Theta chapter to celebrate AKL's 40th Anniversary on May 15 at the Hotel Edmund Meany.



### He Ought To Be An AKL . . . .

As every AKL alumnus knows, the most important fraternity work during the summer months is rushing. The fraternity's strength depends on its continuing to pledge promising, outstanding, and dedicated young men. Why not help the boys along. Send names, addresses, and other pertinent data about prospective members to the chapter membership chairmen:

Chapter Rush Week Membership Chairman And His Summer Ad Alpha Sept. 12-19 Norm Lackwood 1515 N. Willow Puente, California Beta Winter quarter William Brown	igress
Rata Winter quarter William Brown	
Stanford Univ. First weeks 2 Odell Place Atherton, California Gamma Sept. 7-10 Temple	
Univ. of Binois 401 East Daniel Champaign Winois	
Delta Fall Term Reiden Mille	
Univ. of Kansas First week 5718 Roeland Drive Mission, Kansas Eta Sept. 18-23 Dale Bowen Washington State 813 East 7th Ave.	
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Lambda Fall Term Jerry Williams Kansas St. Teachers First week 4900 Georgia Col., Emporia Kansas City, Kans. Mu Sept. 23-26 Bob Parkinson Ohio State Univ.	
Nu Fall Term Chiro Box 197 Ohio Univ. First week Box 197 Andrea Columbus, Ohio Nu Charles D. Marr Box 197 Andrea Chiro	
Xi First week Andover, Chio  Xi First week Ronald Bailey  Northeast Mo. State in December 711 S. Florence  Kirksville, Mo.	WEALS

large as the one we now have, and we hope that by engaging in organized rush week for the first time next fall, we can really become firmly established on campus.

Recently Stan Willard pinned his girl, and as tradition would have it, he had to be thrown into Frosh pond. After Stan hit the water, we threw Jim Ballinger in on general principles and Leon Arksey forgot to let go. Consequently, three wet men came home in the trunk of a car. We have two more men well on their way to pinning. Maybe if they

don't do it soon, we will throw them in anyway.

At our recent elections, we decided we liked our old president so well that we re-elected Gordon Johnson for next year. The vice-president is Phil Fisher; while Dick Morley is house manager; Duane Wilson, recording secretary; Dan Klingler, corresponding secretary; Stan Willard, treasurer. The chairmen for next year are Ken Brandt, social; Jim Ballinger, rushing; and John Howard, scholastic. Henry Hazenburg was appointed chaplain.

Dan Klingler

SUMMER, '54

The end of the year is upon us, and news is getting fairly hard to find. However, I will try to write something of importance as well as informing.

Three of our men are going down in utter defeat within three months. On May 22, Gil Park married Lois Allen; in July, Harold Hartshorn will marry Fay Demmit; and on August 28, Bunk Smith will marry Sue Caldwell.

Iota was again active in campus politics this semester and succeeded in getting Gary Swanson elected to the Student Council, and also acquired numerous student council committee appointments.

We are all proud of Jerry Friesen, who was recently elected president of Steel Ring, honorary engineering fraternity. Bunk Smith and Wayne Stockebrand were also initiated as members this semester.

New men whom we have pledged this semester are Dick Gallion, Salina; Dick Bland, Larned; and Pete Poe, Puerto Rico. These men will all be a great benefit to AKL.

I would like now to write something very important, and hope all members of AKL and especially our alums will consider seriously and see what they can do to help us.

We, of Iota, are trying to build a new house and need help. We have had a very outstanding year and can continue to have outstanding years, but only with the aid of a new house.

Many of you think this foolish, but it isn't. It is a case of necessity. In the past two years, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Delta Tau Delta, Pi Kappa Alpha, Acacia, Alpha Gamma Rho, and Farmhouse fraternities have built or are building and moving into new houses. We of Iota are able to compete with these fraternities for good rushees and college men in all respects but one. OUR HOUSE.

We can, we are willing, and we have been doing all we can to get a new house, but all of you know we can't do it alone; we need help from our alums and brothers. Do you alums or fellow brothers want Iota to die out? We know you don't, so please send us all aid or ideas you might have that will help us reach this goal. Tomorrow is too late!

Send any ideas or help to Gary Galyardt, his summer address is Russell, Kansas, and during school it is the chapter house.

Andy Galyardt

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PURDUE

When we returned, refreshed and rejuvenated, from our four day vacation between semesters, we found a new phenomenon to contend with, the "Purdue Week" which defied all known laws by beginning on a Thursday and ending on a Wednesday. Our seniors, with their eyes on May 30 immediately plunged back to work, and the rest of us followed suit, with varying degrees of enthusiasm.

When we held our second se-

mester elections, old men Ron De-Walt and Bob Wilson passed their positions as President and Vice, respectively, along to Jim Kline and Win Goodwin, while Dick York took over the Pledgemaster's duties. Chuck Despain and John Mihok directed our all-important rush program, while Jim Underwood and Tom Boots became the new House Manager and the new Recording Secretary.

We did quite a bit of traveling during the spring, first by land to

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### Spring Initiates

To these new members of Alpha Kappa Lambda, go the congratulations and best wishes of all AKL's:

ALPHA—February 28, 1954
Ronaid George Dallas
Phillip Dana Erickson
Robert Henry Glenn
Richard Holliday McCurdy
Frank Austin Stevenson
Emory Floyd Summers
BETA—April 11, 1954
John Clifford McKelvey
Ralph Thomas McLaughlin
Peter Appenzeiler (Hon.)
GAMMA—March 7, 1954
James Thomas Temple
Bruce McCaw Baxter
Lavic Eitzhlany Comes

James Thomas Temple
Bruce McCaw Baxter
Louis FitzHenry James
John Ream Cory
Dr. B. Vincent Hall (Hon.)
Dr. Clyde F. Snider (Hon.)
Earl A. Reitan (Hon.)
DELTA—February 21, 1954

George Michael Beckmann (Hon.) Neil Orest Nelson John Kelso Curry Donald Wesley Roberds Harry David Zerfas Donald Robert Schoech Donald Freeman Williams ETA---February 28, 1954 Halford Jack Tye Dale Andrew Bowen THETA-February 28, 1954 Philip Henry Fisher Richard Creighton Morley ---May 9, 1954 Willard Daniel Klingler IOTA-April 4, 1954 Robert Lee Hougland Norman P. French (Hon.) KAPPA-February 7, 1954

William Frederick Johnson Allan Richard Burke Charles Raymond Huddleston, Jr. Dale Carl Hesterman LAMBDA-April 7, 1954 Louis Leroy Robinson Eldon Griffith Evans Gerald Eugene Saunders Wesley A. Pletcher John Henry Mohler, Jr. -- May 26, 1954 Forrest J. Reynolds (Rev.) (Hon.) Karel Jon Wilhite John Lee Grago Alvin John Koops Leonard Francis Navrat MU-February 14, 1954 Kenneth Marvin Mahan John Robert Toth Arnold Gene Keberle --- May 2, 1954 Darrell Edward Norris David Dale Wonsetler
XI—February 14, 1954 Chong Taik Ahn Ronald Bruce Bailey William Vincil Cundiff Dean Leroy Easterday Glen Allen Easterday Linden Max Eitel Jerry Sanford Greene John Lewis Jones John Richard King David Gabriel Lillard Karold Lee McDonald Robert Francis Moore Charles Lee Mosley Noel Junior Pagitt

Howard Dudley Platz

Robert Paul Sellers

Robert Arthur Snow

(Hon.)

Charles Andrew Woods

Eugene Alberto Mawhinney

Glenn Freeman Leslie (Hon.)

Dean A. Rosebery (Hon.)

Dean Bradford Bowman (Hon.)

James Milliken University, in Decatur, Illinois, where we visited Sigma Phi Alpha Fraternity, a local there which was interested in Alpha Kappa Lambda. Later we swung into darkest Ohio, where we discovered Columbus. We were the guests of Mu Chapter there at Ohio State, and with Nu and Gamma Chapters leading the way, we had quite a Tri-State day. We even managed to bring home a huge trophy, which we

With the graduation, our loss

was definitely the Services gain, as John Rich picked up his bars from the Air Force, and headed for the Malden Air Force Base in Missouri, Jim Barry for Texas and the Army Medical Service Corps, and Ron DeWalt set sail for the Pacific, where he will pick up his berth on the USS Toledo.

But with promising new men like Jean Coleman, Harold Caucig, George Kalantzis, Ned Sacket, and William Travis, we are also gaining strength, which we hope to put to good use next year at Pur-

won for participation.

due, furthering our belief in AKL's for the year ahead. ideals and using them as our guide

George S. Hamilton

### Lambda\_

### EMPORIA STATE, KANSAS

Lambda chapter can look back over the year with pride.

Miss Genny Kreh, AKL nominee for an all college beauty contest, was selected to represent Emporia State in the contest for all-American college queen.

A total of 23 men have been pledged by Lambda chapter this vear. Of these, 12 have been initiated.

Officers for next semester are. Jerry Williams, president: Wesley Pletcher, vice-president; James Downs, secretary; Gerald Saunders, treasurer; and Ed Grafke, pledgemaster.

We attended the Founders' Day banquet at Kansas City in force, but suffered defeat in the tournaments there. However, we offer warning that things will be different next year.

Newest pledges of Lambda chapter are Bud Stenle of Burlingame, and Dick Bliss of Beloit.

Graduating from Emporia State this spring were John Sackman, Don Ingwerson, Elmer Ott, and Ray Carver.

The annual "Go to Hell with AKL" party was held in the middle part of March, A good deal of publicity was received, as it was one of the most eventful parties of the Emporia State season.

Jim Downs.

OHIO STATE

With the ending of Winter guarter. Mu chapter elected new officers. Sam Smith is now president; Don Marler, vice-president; Dick Treherne, recording secretary: Dick Flory, corresponding secretary; Jim Horn, steward; and Ed Scheiman, treasurer.

Mu participated actively in many campus activities during the Spring quarter, Bob Kaufman received four awards for outstanding military and academic achievements during the annual president's review on Corps Day. Lowell Copeland was a candidate for senior class senator in the May Week campus elections. A very extensive campaign was launched. but he was not elected. Lowell is a member of Beta Alpha Psi, accounting honorary, and Alpha Kappa Psi, commerce honorary. Doug Horlick is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi, also,

The week-end of April 3 was an enjoyable one for Mu. and we hope Gamma, Kappa, and Nu found it so, too. That was Tri-State Day at Mu.

Another outstanding event of



WINNER. Mu president Donn Trautman, right, presents the Tri-State Day Trophy to Win Goodwin of Kappa chapter, this year's winner in the four chapter competition.

the quarter was the annual Founders' Day banquet, held at the student union on May 1. Dick Schreck, '52 was guest speaker. Mu saw many old faces, and the alumni got a chance to meet the new members. A corporation meeting and board of directors meeting followed, at which time new officers for the board of directors were elected.

Other events on the social calendar for the spring were a wiener roast, under a spring moon; and the annual spring picnic with intermingling alumni, softball, football, horseshoe, and that which goes to make a wonderful picnic.

Mu serenaded two beautiful girls this quarter. The two lucky men were Bob Parkinson who is engaged to Mary Ellen Wright. and Ken Mahan's wife, Pat. The Mahans gave a very welcome reception at their home after the serenade.

Four men graduated spring quarter. Bob Kaufman, Dave Murray, and Ray Diamond will receive commissions in the navv. and Donn Trautman is a lucky civilian.

The pledge class now consists of Keith Sperry, Frank Novak, Dave Eble, and Bob Copeland.

Ray Diamond

OHIO

Nu Chapter has had a very busy year getting back on its feet after losing many members through graduation and the Armed Forces.

By January of the new year our membership had more than doubled. Two outstanding accomplishments established AKL even further on the OU campus when Art Aspengren, a junior from Watervliet, Michigan, was elected Student Council President for 1954-55, and when Art Hill, a freshman from Warren, Ohio, our pledge class president, was elected Interfraternity Pledge Council President.

Our scholarship, always among the top fraternities on campus, is expected to be near the top again this Spring semester, Social functions have included Tri-State Day at Mu Chapter, a Mother's Day tea, a Gangster-Moll party, entering J-Prom King competition with Jim Bostancic, a junior from Neffs, Ohio, as our candidate and the theme, "Draggin' In The Votes," and the entire fraternity attending church in a body March 21st.

A fine pledge class has helped to rejuvenate Nu. They include Art Hill, president; Bill Perry, vice-president; Bob Mokren, secretary; Doug Murphy, treasurer: Carmen Frogale: Amos Blakeslee.

Chuck Marr, a sophomore from Andover, Ohio, after one successful term as president of Nu, was re-elected April 26th. Other chanter officers include Dominick Calo. vice-president; Jim Bostancic. pledgemaster; Phil Cain, recording secretary; John Pangle, corresponding secretary; Jim Finlayson, house manager; and Dave Wonsetler, chaplain.

Chuck Marr

SUMMER, '54

### KIRKSVILLE STATE, MISSOURI

Well, school is over for another summer, and out of the confusion of packing, comes the latest news from Xi chapter.

April 30 saw the first Founders Banquet and Spring Formal dance

given by AKL at KSTC, Brother Sidney North, Iota '33, the banquet speaker, chose "The Principles of Alpha Kappa Lambda" as his topic. The theme of the dance was "Mayday" with the decorations

carrying out the theme. Miss Linda Heimer of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority was crowned "Sweetheart of AKL" for the coming year.

Among other advances on campus. Xi won the President's Scholarship Cup this year (the first year Xi has been eligible). And Ronald Bailey was initiated into Kappa Delta Pi.

Speaking of advances, Xi has also stepped into the political limelight. Alpha Kappa Lambda joined with three other Greek social organizations and various independent groups to form the Student Coalition Party. Although this bond had been in effect only a month and a half, the SC's won five out of seven Student Council seats including our own Ron Bailey as Council-member-at-large.

In accordance with AKL policy, Xi participated in "Help Week" by painting the interior of the Salvation Army Citadel, We learned that a greater spirit of brotherhood evolves from the worthwhile "Help Week" than from going through "Hell Week."

Steering the ship of state next year will be Ron Bailey, president; Ron Phillips, vice-president; Glen Easterday, recording secretary; Jerry Greene, corresponding secretary: Howard Platz, treasurer; Karold McDonald, chaplain: Dave Lillard, sergeant-at-arms; Dean Easterday, historian: William Mayers, interfraternity representative: and Charlie Ahn, international representative.

Jerry S. Greene

# NEWS of the Alumni Chapters

### East Bay.

AKL alumni in the East Bay area of California met early this Spring to elect new officers and to get things rolling on a new series of activities.

David S. Way, California '43, was named president, and R. T. Manual, Jr., California '47, will be vice-president, and Abney Dana, California '47, secretary.

A picnic is being planned for the summer season.

Abney Dana

### Los Angeles\_

Los Angeles alumni of Alpha Kappa Lambda held a Founders' Day banquet on April 27 at the Redwood House. A large gathering was on hand for the event and to hear Brother James S. Ricklefs, Stanford '37, discuss commercial helicopter operations—the helicopter's use today and its potentialities for the future.

Mac Elliott

The Seattle Alumni chapter held its annual Founders' Day banquet on May 15 at the Hotel Edmond Meany. This banquet not only celebrated the fortieth anniversary of the founding of AKL. but it also celebrated the 25th anniversary of the establishment of Theta chapter and the first year of existence for Theta III.

Vic Anderson, national vicepresident, summarized AKL's growth in the first forty years.

Harry Denny, Ted Ramsden, and Gordon Johnson told of the formation of Thetas' I, II, and III.

Alumni officers for next year are Paul Hungerford, Washington State '27, president; Art Broetje, Washington '30, vice-president; Edward Ramsden, Washington '51, secretary; and Al Carpenter, Illinois '46, treasurer.

Dan Klingler

### Wichita

Wichita Alumni chapter of AKL met Sunday, March 21, at Fairmount Park recreational building for the annual election of officers.

Lewis Bacon, national secretary, gave a report of his West Coast tour and of the splendid progress all active and alumni chapters are

making, Robert L. Davis, Logos editor, gave a report on the scholarships being offered by the Logos Foundation.

New officers elected are Don Wick, Kansas State '38, president: Willard Challender, Kansas State '36, vice-president; and Mrs. Warren Lyttle, secretary-treasurer.

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Alpha Kappa Lambda's ideal of high scholarship, like every ideal, achieves fulfillment only through individual effort. We alumni take pride in the scholarship ratings which our chapters achieve, and we try to encourage scholastic excellence through advice and admonitions. But the work is done by the collegiate members.

So, it is an especial thrill when, at the end of the year, the scholarship of individual AKLs is given recognition. This school year just closed has brought its share of honors.

Top award for 1954 went to Stanford Lehmberg of Kansas University.

ABOUT OUR AUTHORS. Lt. Gen. O. P. Smith, a charter member of AKL's Alpha chapter at California, is the fraternity's most distinguished military leader. He is a veteran of more than thirty-seven years of Marine Corps service, and at the present time is Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic.

During World War II, General Smith had command of the Fifth Marines during the Talasea phase of the Cape Gloucester operation, and he participated also in the Peleliu operation and the Okinawa operation.

Named Commanding General of the First Marine Division in June, 1950 General Smith led his division through the bitter campaigns of the Korean conflict-from the late summer assault at Inchon, to the sub-zero winter drive north to the Chosin Reservoir, In November, 1950, with the First Marine Division surrounded and vastly outnumbered at Chosin, he directed the breakout and subsequent 70-mile march to the seaport at Hungnam.

His stateside assignments have included Commanding General, Marine Corps Base at Camp Pendleton, Commandant of the Marine Corps Schools at Quantico, Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps and Chief of Staff at Washington, D.C., and many others.

Alain Enthoven, whose article about Oxford University appears in this issue, is holder of a Rhodes scholarship to the English university, having been one of the 1952 winners. He is a 1952 alumnus of Beta chapter at Stanford, where he was particularly active in debate. His graduate field is economics.

After establishing an enviable undergraduate record and earning Phi Beta Kappa honors, Stan received a Fulbright scholarship. He will study history at Cambridge University in England, beginning this fall.

At California, election to Phi Beta Kappa was accorded to John Kerby-Miller. At Illinois, Jack Andrews was named to Beta Gamma Sigma, commerce honorary, and to Phi Kappa Phi, all university honorary. Also at Illinois, Porter Womeldorff was elected to Phi Kappa Phi, and Jack Cory was named to Phi Eta Sigma, freshman scholastic honorary.

Washington State reports that Greg Miller is now a member of Sigma Delta Chi, journalism honorary, and Dale Bowen is a new member of Pi Tau, pre-medical honorary. At Ohio State, Lowell Copeland was elected to Beta Alpha Psi, accounting honorary, and Sam Smith to Phi Alpha Theta, history honorary.

To these men, and to the many others whose scholastic efforts. though less distinguished, are as important to the fraternity's reputation and standing, we alumni send our congratulations and thanks.

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"Members of Alpha Kappa Lambda fraternity pose for a picture while repainting the interior of the Salvation Army Citadel on North Franklin street. Members of the fraternity are carrying out the project as its "Help Week" during the initiation of pledges. The interior of the building has been entirely redecorated in green and white."