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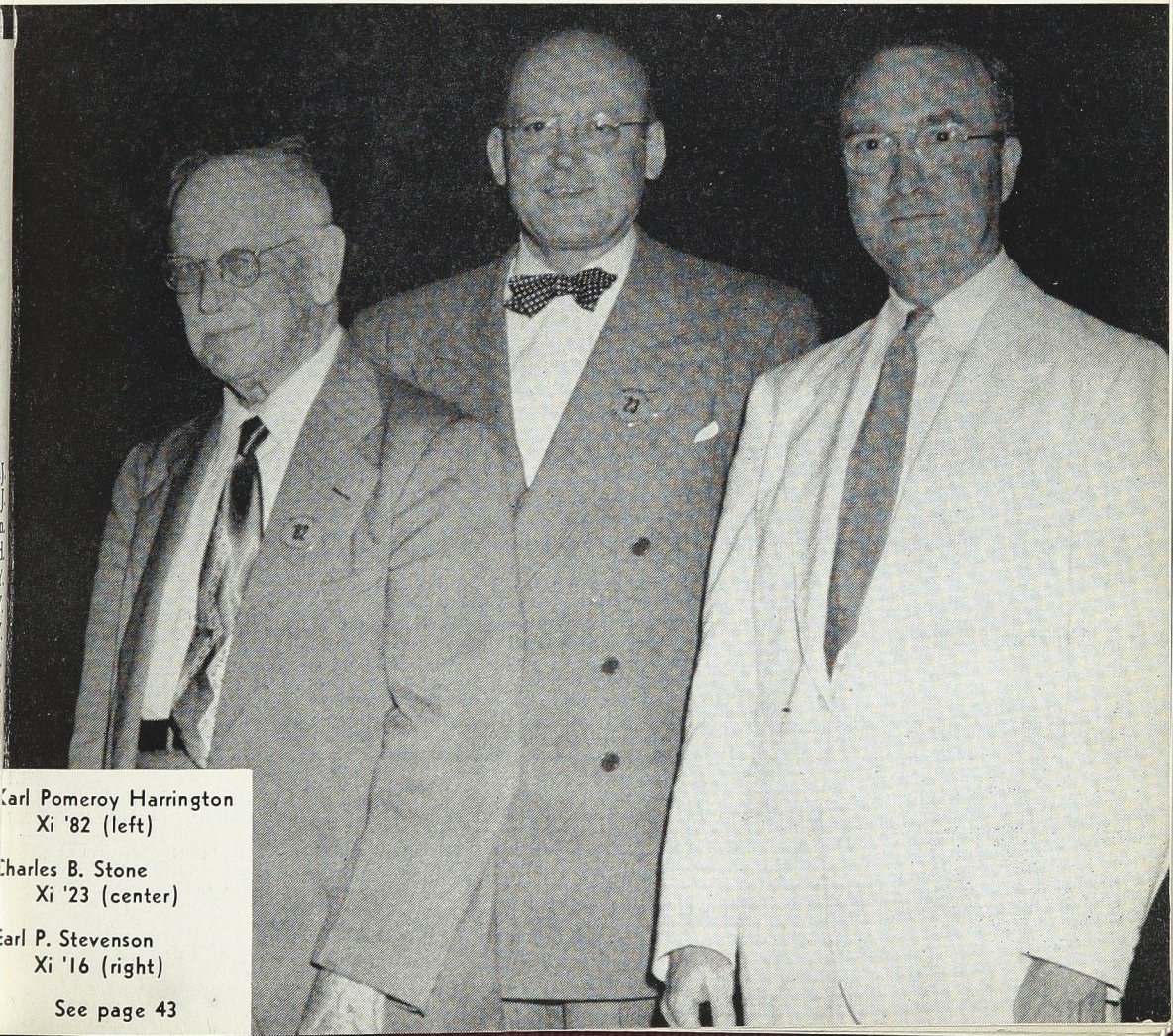
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Karl Pomeroy Harrington  
Xi '82 (left)

Charles B. Stone  
Xi '23 (center)

Earl P. Stevenson  
Xi '16 (right)

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This is a picture of the 1924 Convention, held with the Chi. How many of you will attend the 1954 Convention of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity this Fall at the Chi?

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# EDWARD LIVINGSTON STEVENS, CHI '99

By LEROY J. WEED, *Theta '01*

**E**DWARD LIVINGSTON STEVENS died in the Greenwich Hospital, following a long illness, on November 9, 1953. This terse announcement in the Greenwich, Connecticut paper saddened thousands of Psi U's who had known and worked with Ned since his graduation from Cornell University Law School in 1902.

Ned's greatest interest outside of his family was the welfare and promotion of Psi U activities over a substantial period of his life. His interest in the Fraternity was natural, since he was a member of an all-out Psi U family. His father was Edward Livingston Stevens, Theta '55. His brothers, Harold Burr Stevens, Chi '02 and Stoddard More Stevens, Chi '85; his nephews, George May Stevens, Chi '16 and Stoddard More Stevens, Chi '14; and his two sons, Edward Livingston Stevens, III, Psi '30 and Lyndon H. Stevens, Psi '39, all combined to form a Psi U family seldom equalled in the history of the Fraternity.

Brother Stevens received the degree of A.B. at Cornell in 1899 and LL.B. in 1902 in the same university. He was elected a member of the Phi Beta Kappa and was for years an active member of the Cornell University Club in New York City. He was a member of the New York law firm of Sackett, Chapman, and Stevens. In 1921 he moved to Delhi, New York, where he practiced law until 1942. During the last two years that he lived in Delhi, he was also editor of the *Delaware Express*, the local newspaper.

On September 15, 1906, Ned married Emily C. Stevens and on the completion of their sojourn in Delhi, they moved to Greenwich, Connecticut in 1943, where they lived until Ned passed away. Ned is survived by two sons—Edward L. Stevens, Psi '30, graduated from Cornell Law School in 1934 and is now a Lieutenant Colonel in the Judge Advocate's General Corps in Japan; Lyndon H. Stevens, Psi '39, is in the wholesale furniture business in Pasadena, California.

Brother Stevens was a member of the

Psi U Executive Council for twenty-two years and was president of that body from 1928 to 1933. Since the last date and until his death, he has been an honorary member of the Council. It became Brother Stevens' responsibility to prepare for the Psi U Centennial which was held at the Theta in 1933. He presided at the business sessions of that great Convention and was one of the speakers at the Centennial Banquet.

As a member of and president of the Executive Council, his first interest was in the stimulation and development of scholarship among the members of the Fraternity. It was his constant effort to instill in the younger Brothers the importance of acquiring habits of study and to cultivate their appreciation of the part that scholarship played in the life of any man. His second great activity as a member of the Council was the visiting of chapters. He did much to bring various chapters into a closer understanding of the aims and pur-



Edward Livingston Stevens  
Chi '99

poses of the Fraternity and with one another. Ned was a man of loyalty and enthusiasm, kindly and sympathetic—a splendid influence on the lives of thousands of the young men with whom he had associated in Psi U. The Centennial Convention in 1933 adopted the following resolution in token of its feelings for Brother Stevens:

*“Be it resolved:* By the Psi Upsilon Fraternity in Convention assembled, that it has received with deep regret the resignation from the Executive Council of Brother

Edward L. Stevens; that it expresses its gratitude to Brother Stevens for the splendid service he has rendered the Fraternity during his membership on the Council of over twenty-two years, and as President of the Council for the past five years; that it regards him as a Brother who embodies the highest ideals and traditions of the Fraternity.”

Brother Stevens' genial and happy presence will be missed wherever the Brothers gather and sing “The Dear Old Shrine.”

## Letters to the Editor

Columbia, S.C.  
October 26, 1953

DEAR EDITOR:

For some time it has been my pleasure to know and several times a year work with Mr. A. W. Walker, of Spartanburg, S.C., in Scottish Rite Masonic work. With Spartanburg some 100 miles away, we have not had the opportunity to really come to know each other until last week when we both journeyed to Washington, D.C., to take part in putting on a Ceremony of Investiture of the Knights Commander of the Court of Honor at the Biennial Session of the Supreme Council, 33 degree, of the Southern Jurisdiction. Our Columbia Consistory, of which Brother Walker and I are members, was singularly honored by being allowed to put on the ceremony, and we held several rehearsals, and meetings before making the trip to Washington . . . but it was not until a very short time before the event itself, and it was because of another member of Psi Upsilon, that Brother Walker and I discovered that we have the additional tie of membership in Psi Upsilon.

We were discussing the Secretary of the Treasury, George M. Humphrey (Phi '12) (and whose middle name is the same as my family name, although I do not know the relationship . . . far too remote for me to drop by and ask for samples of the product he produces and signs, I'm sure), and it developed that

both Brother Walker and I are members of Psi Upsilon. Brother Walker is Beta Beta '14 and I am Delta '42.

While the meeting of two members of Psi Upsilon is a daily happening in most places, it is almost a unique experience in South Carolina where there are only a few. Both Bro. Walker and I own copies of the Annals, but so seldom does one meet Psi U. members here that neither of us have happened to notice it in the listings. Perhaps this happy discovery will lead to the formation of a South Carolina alumni group.

It continues to be a pleasure to read the excellent DIAMOND of Psi Upsilon.

Fraternally,

RALPH MACOFFIN, *Delta '42*

Portland 14, Oregon  
May 19, 1953

DEAR BROTHERS:

For some time I have intended becoming a Life Member of the Alumni Association, but procrastinated. Now it seems appropriate to celebrate a recent promotion by joining the Life Members of our great Fraternity. In being elected Secretary and General Counsel of Jantzen I realize I owe much to the training and associations in the Hall of the Pi.

Yours in the Bonds,

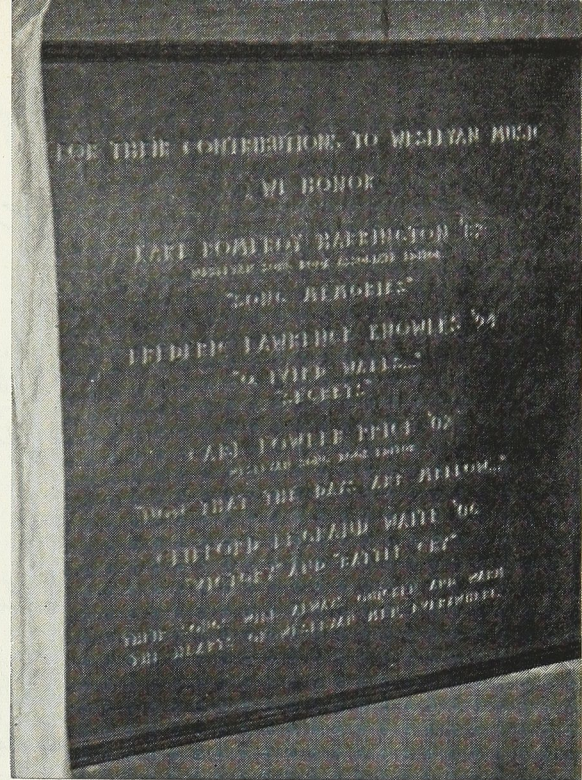
GEORGE D. RUBY, *Pi '34*

# KARL POMEROY HARRINGTON, XI '82 (1861-1953)

By MALCOLM STEARNS, JR.  
Gamma '39

**K**ARL POMEROY HARRINGTON, Xi '82, was a distinguished classicist, teacher, author, composer, organist, choir-director, editor, hiker, and clubman, and a devoted Psi U. He and his father represented an unbroken span of 105 years active association in the Xi Chapter of Psi Upsilon. Calvin Sears Harrington was initiated into the chapter in 1848, graduated with the class of 1852, and after almost a decade with the ministry, was called back to his alma mater in 1861 as professor of Greek. On his return he brought with him his only son, born June 13, 1861 in Great Falls, New Hampshire. Thus at the age of three months "K.P." began his association with Wesleyan and with Psi Upsilon. His father was extremely active in the Xi, writing no less than five songs for the Fraternity, including the immortal "Shrine Song" in 1868. At his death in 1886 he was one of the most revered alumni of Wesleyan and Psi Upsilon.

"K.P." was educated in the Middletown schools and entered Wesleyan with the class of 1882. The intense rivalry between the Xi and the local Eclectic fraternity was based primarily upon the number of Phi Beta Kappa members and the amount of scholarship prizes awarded annually. In this strong competition "K.P." was a contributing factor in the consistent year after year victory of Psi U over its rival. He graduated with special honors in Latin and English literature, a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He then taught at Westfield and Wilbraham, did graduate work abroad and at Yale, and was a teacher on the faculties of the Universities of North Carolina and Maine before returning to Wesleyan as professor in 1905. In his field of Latin language and literature he was a prolific author, publishing more than a half dozen



The late Karl Pomeroy Harrington, Xi '82, (see cover) was honored at a ceremony of great interest at Wesleyan University on June 10, 1950, when Charles B. Stone, Xi '23, then president of the Wesleyan Alumni Association, and Earl P. Stevenson, Xi '16, president of the Board of Trustees, unveiled a plaque to four men "for their contribution to Wesleyan music." Those honored besides "K.P." were Frederic Lawrence Knowles, Xi '94, and Carl Fowler Price, Xi '02, together with C. L. Waite, a member of Alpha Delta Phi. "Their songs will always quicken and warm the hearts of Wesleyan men everywhere."

works on classical poetry and pedagogy, including his standard anthology of readings, *Medieval Latin*. His characteristic enthusiasm and philosophy are displayed in the ending of a letter to *Classical Weekly* for May 22, 1944:

"Must we then visualize the life of the future as an illiterate one whose English is that of the trenches, one to which the history and literature of the ages are closed books, one which knows nothing of the noble, tender, generous and beautiful persons and things of the past. . . ? I hereby reiterate my profound belief that (i) classical study makes a better basis for other studies and for the occupations of life than anything else yet discovered, and (ii) our present-day teachers are too timid in its proliferation. We have a sacred mission to a near-sighted and superficial generation; let us not shirk it!"

# FIRST DRAFT OF THE "SHRINE SONG"

O dear old Shrine -  
Our hearts around thee twin  
We love thee yet - will never forget  
The days of Auld Lang - syne -  
Come Brothers of the ~~ancient~~ <sup>dear old</sup> Xi  
Who trod its halls of yore  
Under the ivied gate of years  
And tread these halls once more.  
The buried jewels glitter still  
The lingering voices call  
While we with spirit gaze & grasp  
At ancient altars fall -

Come Brothers of this later (daytime  
Of earlier <sup>worth</sup> (days) the peers  
Who bear the honors of the past  
Along the hurrying years  
(Ye keep our <sup>temples</sup> (palace) walls still bright)  
(Ye hallow still our temple walls)  
Ye weave the wreaths of bay  
Ye feed the hallowed vestal fires  
We gather round to-day -

"Dear Old Shrine," written by Professor Harrington (Xi 1852) for the quarter-century anniversary of the Xi in 1868, early attained a unique place in the affections and the usage of the Fraternity, and according to the latest canvass of the Chapters, is almost universal in its popularity. It has long been the custom to sing

it as a parting song in the regular ritual of the Chapter meetings, and it is heard at all reunions of the Chapters or of the Fraternity in general.

It was particularly fitting that the article on "The Songs of Psi Upsilon" in the 1940 *Annals of Psi Upsilon* should be written by Brother Harrington. Not only were his

father's "Shrine Song" and "Bold and Ready" two of the most popular songs with the current undergraduate chapters, but he himself had been editor of both the 10th and the 11th editions of the Psi Upsilon song-book, and composer of no less than ten of the tunes in the latter volume, by far the largest number written by any brother. "K.P.'s" own most popular tune in fraternity circles today is that for the serenade—"Swift as an arrow time has flown." He closed the preface to the 11th edition with the exhortation: "May the volume of Psi U song ever increase, and its spirit never grow less!" When Wesleyan conferred an honorary degree upon Professor Harrington in 1946 it was the uncommon Doctor of Music, honoring his outstanding interest and competence in that field. He was presented for the degree by Harold G. "Red" Travis, Xi '20, with the words: "Karl Pomeroy Harrington . . . who of all living men has contributed most to the songs and the singing of his church, his college, and his fraternity." This well-deserved praise refers to his sixty-eight years as organist and choirmaster in various Methodist churches, and his organization and direction of several popular choruses. He was a tireless editor and composer, six of his tunes appearing in the *Wesleyan Song Book*, of which he co-edited the first seven editions. Methodist hymnals, college-song anthologies, and even Christmas carol albums prove his virtuosity in musical scholarship. When to this record is added "K.P.'s" unchallenged position in the musical hierarchy of Psi Upsilon, his full stature in the world of music is evident.

Professor Harrington retired from the Wesleyan faculty in 1929, but if anything his activities increased. Several books on a variety of subjects date from this period. Mrs. Harrington was the former Jennie Canfield of Middletown, and they continued to live in the town of their childhood, but in addition they maintained a summer home in North Woodstock, New Hampshire, which provided an outlet for "K.P.'s" enthusiastic interest in the outdoor life. He became an active supervisor of trails for the Appalachian Mountain Club, edited a guide for hikers, and even in his seventies still assisted the Club's

trail crews. In the winters at Middletown he and his wife were undeterred by inclement weather, taking part in numerous campus activities and in several town clubs and associations. He continued in his post as senior counsellor to the oldest society on campus, Mystical Seven, of which he had been Chief Pontiff since 1905. Throughout this retirement period until 1951, when he moved to California to be near his daughter, he took a leading role in the affairs of the Xi Chapter. In 1935 he published the 203-page *History of the Xi Chapter of Psi Upsilon*, which is still a model of its kind. In this labor of love, as in his numerous inspirational appearances at the head table of Xi banquets, he stressed the high purpose and constructive potential of the fraternity. Many were his tales of rousing good fellowship, based on the sound foundation of a solid scholastic record. His was not only the voice of the senior brother, but of the most devoted and best loved in every gathering.

"K.P.'s" departure from Middletown in 1951 was a sad occasion for the Xi, but in his new home in Berkeley, California, he still took part in the local Psi U life, attending the 1952 convention and warmly greeting all brothers who called on him while passing through the area. It is hoped that his last illness was brightened somewhat by the telephone call from the 1953 Convention banquet at Hartford, when a rendition of his father's "Shrine Song" was sent over the wires to him. News of his death on November 14, 1953 saddened the wide circle of his friends, and messages of condolence were sent to his wife and daughter who survived him. Among the many people who attended the funeral in Middletown were a host of Psi U brothers to whom he had been an inspiration for over half a century. Bishop Herbert Welch, Xi '87, assisted at the services, some of "K.P.'s" songs were played, a poem by his old friend Frederic Lawrence Knowles, Xi '94, was read, and six undergraduate brothers acted as bearers. There were garnet and gold chrysanthemums at his head and feet, and Psi Upsilon, Wesleyan, and the world had lost one of the noblest, friendliest, and most talented figures of our time.

# A NEW KIND OF POLITICAL EXECUTIVE

By ROBERT H. BUSH, *Theta '47*

ON JANUARY 1, 1954, a Yale alumnus, Beta '33, took over the administration of the largest city in the world. His new job is often called the biggest and toughest administrative job in the world. Certainly few jobs are more complex than being Mayor of the City of New York and daily contact with the problems of eight and one-half million constituents.

However, Robert F. Wagner, Jr., famous son of a famous father, is learned in the ways of political leadership. In fact, few aspirants to, even fewer incumbents of the office of the Mayor of New York, have been more carefully trained or educated for the job.

Bob Wagner's birth on May 20, 1910,

was the beginning of this career in government that has led to Gracie Mansion overlooking the East River in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City. At that time his father, an immigrant from Germany, was a young and vigorous leader in the Senate of the State of New York, after serving for three fruitful years in the New York State Assembly representing the Yorkville district of Manhattan.

The famous Senator's beloved wife died when their only son was but nine years old. Between father and son developed a deep devotion that was not to end until the aged lawmaker's life ended about a year ago.

In spite of the father's love for his son, there is little parallel between their early



Robert F. Wagner, Jr., Beta '33, New York City's new mayor, poses with his wife, Susan, and their sons, Robert F. Wagner, 3rd, (left) 9, and Duncan, 6, in their Manhattan home. Family cocker spaniel, "Tricks," gets in the picture, too.



lives. The Senator came to the United States when he was eight years old, sold newspapers and ran errands for grocery stores after school to help support his family. By the time Bob, Jr., was born, Senator Wagner was able to provide the best for him, later sending him to preparatory school and then to Yale, where he joined Psi Upsilon in the Class of 1933.

At Yale the young man began his study of government, business and finance, moving on to Yale Law School and then to Harvard Business School. He spent a summer at the School of International Relations at Geneva.

Even before his college education began, he had studied public speaking in preparatory school, and had been a member of the debating team, training that was to serve him well in his later career.

### First Elective Position

His real political career began in 1937 when he was elected to the New York State Assembly, representing his father's old district. He was only 28 at the time, and he was re-elected twice, with increasing majorities each time. In 1938, when his father was Democratic leader in the State Constitutional Convention, young Robert worked on many of the problems facing the convention, including housing and welfare changes.

He resigned from the New York State Assembly in December of 1941, immediately following the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and entered the military service as a lieutenant. Four years later he emerged as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Air Corps. He had spent three and one-half years in the European Theater of Operations.

During the great conflict two great and memorable events occurred in the life of Robert F. Wagner, Jr. On St. Valentine's Day, February 14, 1942 he married the beautiful blue-eyed and blond Susan Edwards of Greenwich, Connecticut. They had been introduced by her brother, Duncan Edwards, Jr., one of Bob's classmates in law school. Mrs. Wagner is a graduate of Rosemary Hall, Greenwich, and later attended Smith College. Their first son, Bobby, was a year and one-half old before

his father saw him upon his return from the war.

It wasn't long before Bob was in the public eye again, as a member of the New York City Tax Commission where he served from January to December 1946. He then became Commissioner of Housing and Buildings for New York City where he made great strides toward eliminating the tremendous backlog of violations pending, so improving protection of tenants against fire and health hazards. He streamlined the department with the aim of increased efficiency.

### Fast Promotions

He was then promoted to the position of Chairman of the City Planning Commission, one of the most important jobs in the city government. He sponsored the Harrison, Ballard and Allen survey which led to a report setting forth a master zoning plan for the city. In this post Bob was a key man in the planning for an improved New York City school system, just now showing results in the form of new and modernized schools.

Aiming again for an elective position, Bob, Jr., entered the race for the Borough Presidency of Manhattan in 1949. He won a resounding victory, and after he took office on January 1, 1950, he took advantage of an obscure section of the City Charter to set up 12 "community planning councils" to operate in every section of Manhattan. These councils, operating like forums, brought local problems to the Borough President's office for discussion and solution.

The young political executive's rise was accelerated by his "open door" policy to permit citizens of the metropolitan borough to bring their problems directly to him or his staff of experts in public affairs. At the same time he held down the budget while increasing efficiency in his office.

Borough President Wagner's forum, his sounding board during this period, was the Board of Estimate, the panel that plans the financial future of New York City. There he took the lead in rejecting the concept of a "transit authority" as first proposed by Mayor Impellitteri and later, in a different form, by Governor Dewey. Be-

fore he was a candidate for mayor, he warned that such an authority spelled out "higher fare" in any form, which would be bad for labor and business alike.

### Candidate for Mayor

Soon his greatest political challenge faced him. He became an avowed candidate for the office of Mayor of his native city. He, like his father, was a lifelong Democrat, and, normally, New York City is predominantly Democratic. But the young candidate was shackled by a party divided by decades of sectional rivalries, attack by the press and undermined by its own shortsighted candidates. A splinter party of major proportions had developed. The Democratic label was by no means tantamount to election. The incumbent Mayor Impellitteri had rejected the label and had been elected as an independent, running on the "Experience Party" ticket.

But Bob Wagner was determined. Three of the five Democratic borough leaders rejected his candidacy and threw their support to his major opponent, Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri. There was no outspoken division among the Republicans or among the Liberals.

Again the race was long, bitter and expensive. The air was full of charges and countercharges, but through it all, Bob Wagner maintained the dignity of his family name, his education and experience and kept "the air of a listening, learning, Ivy League man with a suppressed shyness" according to a *New York Times* description.

The basis for many of the planks in the Wagner platform was the Mayor's Management Survey prepared during the Impellitteri administration under the guidance of Dr. Luther H. Gulick, a leading authority on city administration and President of the Institute of Public Administration. One of these planks called for a city manager for New York City—a shocking proposal to many of the city's old-line politicians.

The night of November 3, election night, told the story. Even without the support of a single major New York daily newspaper, Robert F. Wagner, Jr., never fell behind either of his rivals as the votes poured in. Although he did not win by a

clear majority of the total vote, his plurality of 360,078 votes was the largest of any winning candidate since 1945.

Newspapers of November 4 showed pictures of a short, square man with dark hair, very tired but very happy, his conservative clothes belying his 44 years. At his side was his jubilant wife, blond and lovely. Their biggest battle to date had been a success, and now Bob Wagner faced an even greater trial: administration of a complex city of eight and a half million, ridden by financial difficulties, slums, impending labor problems, faced with teacher shortages, classroom shortages, acute transportation problems and a multitude of problems so staggering that it would take pages just to describe them.

### Move to Gracie Mansion

Now the Wagner's have a new home—the traditional home of New York's mayors, Gracie Mansion. And Robert F. Wagner, Jr., who acknowledges the magic of his name and reveres the memory of his father and his father's career, insists that he must be judged by his acts alone and by his own qualifications for the difficult job ahead.

Immediately after the election the Wagner's packed up for a southern vacation, but it couldn't last long. They were soon back to consult, study and plan for the trying days ahead. One of the first appointments announced by the new mayor was that of Mr. Robert Moses, Park Commissioner and City Construction Coordinator. That appointment was immediately hailed by the Mayor's friends and foes alike. Soon after came the important announcement that Dr. Luther H. Gulick would become the City Administrator—the city manager's job described in the Mayor's platform.

What the political future of Robert F. Wagner, Jr. may be, will be seen by his actions in this staggering administrative post. If initial press notices and editorials have any meaning, his future is bright. Certainly the future of this quiet, smiling and unassuming man will be based on a legacy and a career of training for public office.

# FOUNDERS' DAY PARTIES

## Metropolitan Association Inaugurated at New York Dinner

A Founders' Day Dinner for Metropolitan New York alumni was held at the Columbia University Club in New York on November 24, 1953. Over one hundred Brothers enjoyed an evening of song and story.

The Rev. John E. Large, Beta Beta '28, asked the blessing and gave an interesting address. Alfred H. (Doc) Morton, Omicron '19, was toastmaster, and Eduard (Ted) Baruch, Lambda '30, led the singing of Psi U songs.

Ray N. Spooner, Lambda '15, chairman of the dinner, brought up the matter of forming a Metropolitan Association of Psi Upsilon for the Greater New York area. The Brothers present unanimously voted to form such an association—primarily to have a group in the New York area to sponsor Founders' Day dinners each November 24, and informal luncheons several times during the year to enable Brothers to meet one another in this area.

In response to a notice sent out by Brother Spooner, upwards of one hundred members have already sent in two dollars apiece as dues for the first year of membership in this new Association.

The first meeting will be a luncheon at the Columbia University Club, 4 West 43rd Street, New York City, on Tuesday, February 9. All local as well as visiting Brothers are welcome to attend this luncheon, which will cost three dollars per plate.

If you wish to join the new Metropolitan New York Association, send your dues of two dollars to Brother Ray N. Spooner, 143 Liberty Street, New York 6, N.Y. Reservations for the luncheon on February 9 should also be sent to Brother Spooner.

At the meeting on February 9 officers of the new New York Association will be elected.

As we go to press, the following Brothers have become members: Walter Scott Robinson, Benjamin T. Burton, Herbert J. Flagg, Bryant J. Brooks, George H. Lindsay, Gilman Dorr Blake, W. C. T. Davis,

Murray Vickers, J. J. Evans Hesse, Edward Abbe Niles, Edward deLima, Edward F. Smith, II, George L. Brain, Ferris Booth, Henry H. Curran, Frank Newton Miller, Stephen G. Kent, W. S. Bastine, George R. Furey, Calvin B. Cathers, H. H. Hennessy, Edwin Louis Garvin, Peter A. GaBauer, George S. C. Newkirk.

Also, Ewen C. Anderson, Donald B. Derby, Sterling Van de Water, A. H. Wilkinson, Dr. Victor B. Seidler, Richard M. Ross, Earl D. Babst, James G. Sloman, Rowland L. Davis, Jr., Arthur Lawrence Dowling, R. E. Tomlinson, G. Forrest Butterworth, Alfred W. Booraem, Frank E. Booth, James C. Higgins, John E. Foster, Robert P. Rhoads, William H. Decker, Jr., Francis C. Leffler, Edgar L. Newhouse, Arthur C. Miller, Harmon V. Swart, Franklin J. Dickman, Earle W. Allen, Henry C. Trundle, G. A. Saxton, G. Harry Kohl, C. Herrmann, Jr., David Wainwright Avery, E. A. Lamb, M. Hartley Dodge, E. M. Fuller.

Also, Oliver B. Merrill, Maxwell Ludlum Scott, Cesar J. Bertheau, Jerome V. Detmer, Arthur Lucian Walker, Roscoe Case, David A. Foster, John Lushear, Harold W. Comfort, Louis L. Pettit, Leonard T. Scully, Matthew F. Kammenzind, E. M. Gundy, George Walter Carmany, Francis T. Ward, Albert T. Elias, William T. Tracy, G. Foster Sanford, Jr., John Wills Patten, Rufus H. Knight, Charles H. Seaver, Robert M. Lovell, William H. Dane, 3rd, Robert W. Milbank, Franklin F. Bruder, Ray N. Spooner.

## Dinner Held in San Francisco

After a jovial cocktail hour, about one hundred enthusiastic Psi U Brothers sat down to dinner at The University Club, San Francisco, on Thursday, November 12, 1953 to celebrate Founders' Day. It was the largest gathering of brothers since the Convention Banquet last year.

Henry F. Swift, Epsilon '12, was chairman of the committee in charge of the affair. Roland C. Foerster, Epsilon '14, was the toastmaster. N. Loyall McLaren, Epsilon '14, was the keynote speaker.

Bradley B. Brown, Epsilon '18, President of the Epsilon Building Association, reported on the improvements which have been made in the Chapter House in Berkeley. Albert E. Chandler, Epsilon '96, and Bernard A. Etcheverry, Epsilon '02, charter members of Epsilon talked briefly of the early days of the Chapter. Tully Williamson, Epsilon '08, concluded the speeches after Charles "Skip" Dresel, Epsilon '54, had made his interesting report. The hearty singing was lead by Frank D. Andrews, Epsilon '07, well known tenor robusto of the Bohemian Club. The formal part of the evening was closed by the singing of the Shrine Song.

The number of Psi U's from all Chapters is increasing in the San Francisco Bay region. We are anxious to add them to our mailing list. It would be a fine thing if they would communicate with the brothers at the Epsilon Chapter House, or better yet, drop in on them. The address is 1815 Highland Place, Berkeley 9. The phone is Berkeley 7-8937.—TULLY WILLIAMSON, *Epsilon '08*.

### Dinner of Psi Upsilon Alumni Association of Western New York

On November 16, 1953, the Psi Upsilon Alumni Association of Western New York held its annual Founders' Day Dinner at the Buffalo Club, Buffalo, New York. A new record was established by the attendance of thirty-seven Brothers representing fifteen chapters and twenty-six class years ranging from 1895 to 1953.

During the cocktail hour a wire recording of the official records was played for background music. A Psi U flag was hung behind the speakers' table, and with garnet and gold decorations, established a real Psi U atmosphere.

The meeting was presided over by Brother Barton L. Searle, Upsilon '41, retiring President of the Association. The major business of the evening was the election of officers for the coming year. Brother John F. Zietlow, Jr., Beta Beta '35, who was chairman of the dinner committee and largely responsible for the planning and success of the evening, was elected to the office of President. Vice-Presidents are Brothers Richard W. Borton, Pi '49, and

O. Roland Fleming, Upsilon '22. Albert J. Wright, III, Psi '49, was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer, and the Rev. Charles D. Broughton, Beta Beta '95, was elected permanent Chaplain of the Association, to which he has given many fruitful years of faithful service.

Chauncey D. Cowles, Jr., Psi '33, acted as toastmaster at the dinner, and read selected portions of the Annals of Psi Upsilon which recalled important and agreeable aspects of the Fraternity. He delivered a commentary in verse upon a local bird watching society among the membership, the Brothers' delighted laughter testifying to their amusement in imagining that they belonged to this group. Lewis G. Harriman, Beta Beta '09, who played the piano to accompany the singing of Psi U songs, was called on for a few words and remarked that there were four generations of his family in Psi Upsilon. He recalled the first time that he saw the Rev. Brother Broughton, then an undergraduate and shortstop on a Trinity team that beat Yale that day. Brother Harriman added that he was pleased indeed to see that the Western New York Association had been taken over by the Beta Beta.

The meeting was brought to a close by the singing of the Shrine Song. Many of the Brothers remained after the meeting to join in the group singing led by Brother Harriman at the piano and Brother R. D. Stevens, Tau '17, on his banjo.—ALBERT J. WRIGHT, III, *Psi '49*.

### Elmira Association Holds Christmas Dinner

The annual Christmas dinner meeting of the Psi Upsilon Association of Elmira, New York, a forty-plus-year-old event, was held Tuesday evening, December 29 at the Elmira City Club. Present were 37 Brothers and pledges representing twelve different Chapters (in order of most brothers present):

Theta .....	12
Pi .....	6
Eta .....	3
Gamma .....	3
Tau .....	3
Delta .....	2

Xi .....	2
Chi .....	2
Omicron .....	1
Upsilon .....	1
Epsilon Nu .....	1
Iota .....	1

Oldest Brother present was William W. Gregg, Gamma '92, and youngest present were three Theta pledges: Charles E. Cassidy, Sidney J. Mann, and S. Park French, all '57.

Several Brothers gave informal talks. Elected President for 1954 was Hume Morss, Pi '10; and as Secretary James V. Mathews, Pi '46. Brothers attending were from Elmira, Waverly, Corning, Bath and Geneva, New York.—BOYD McDOWELL, II, Pi '47.

### Philadelphia Celebration

On November 25, the Psi Upsilon of Philadelphia foregathered some seventy-five strong at the Racquet Club to hold one of the local Association's two chief annual functions, to elect Trustees for the coming year, and to hear Brother Henry Noble MacCracken, Delta 1900, and long-time President of Vassar College, give a talk which was as absorbing as it was appropriate to the occasion. President Carl A. Beck, Delta '41, presided, and Brother C. G. Cooke, Jr., current head of the Tau Undergraduate Chapter, was spokesman for the Tau senior delegation, present as guests of the membership.

Brother MacCracken lost no time in establishing a Founders' Day atmosphere, for his own undergraduate career was just early enough to have provided a personal contact with one of the three "Founding Fathers," Samuel Goodale, who paid the N.Y.U. Chapter a visit in 1896. Brother Goodale was apparently minus a Bible on the occasion, and Brother MacCracken, a freshman, was detailed to obtain one. None

being conveniently to hand, he finally had to negotiate a 30-foot walk along a dormitory cornice to get access to the quarters of Brother Leonard (later to become a Methodist Bishop) wherein he located one.

Brother MacCracken posed the question why Union College, in the then-small village of Schenectady, should have proven the fertile seed-bed from which sprang not only our own, but also five other Greek letter college fraternities. It was, the speaker held, a combination of circumstances. First, Union's President Eliphelut Knott helped nurture them by the simple expedient of voicing no administrative objection. He sensed, at a time when college spirit and loyalty as we understand them today were negligible, that such societies would foster group co-operation and in so doing take some of the rough edges off the highly individualistic and selfishly-bent undergraduate. Loyalty to fraternity would prove to be, as it did, loyalty to college, for the aims and ideals of both were essentially the same. Then, the Erie Canal, flowing beneath Union's dormitory windows, was at that time more than merely symbolic of the "opening of the West." It was an important commercial gateway to an area thus far lacking in cultural attainment, and Union was situated in a strategic position to furnish the human means to such cultural awakening.

Bringing us down to the present time, from those pristine beginnings, Brother MacCracken pointed out that one of America's chief difficulties today is the great, existing disparity in cultural achievement. College fraternities, however, have helped to reduce this gap and continue to do so. For, they teach young college men the concept of working together in cohesive social groups of manageable size and of thus pursuing common purposes and ideals.—STANDISH O. SMITH, Xi '25.

# ALUMNI NOTES

By CRAIG F. MITCHELL, Theta '46

IS THIS A RECORD? Brother Barret K. Mason, '32, dropped in at headquarters recently with what we think is a record. All told, he counts fourteen Psi U forebears and contemporary relatives in his family. Here they are: Edward Gay Mason, Beta '60, grandfather; Alfred Bishop Mason, Beta '71, great uncle; Henry Burrall Mason, Beta '70, great uncle; Henry Eager Mason, Beta '89, father; Edward Hopkins Mason, Beta '92, uncle; Roswell Bertram Mason, Beta '95, uncle; Julian Starkweather Mason, Beta '98, uncle; Huntington Mason, Beta '99, uncle; Maurice Mason, Beta '01, uncle; Norman Howell Mason, Beta '02, uncle; Lawrence Mason, Beta '04, uncle; Frederic Ogden Mason, Beta '09, uncle; Arnold D. K. Mason, Tau '27, brother; Rodney S. Mason, Omicron '21, brother.

Including Barrett, that's fifteen in one family. Can anyone top this?

AT A BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING held in the offices of Allen N. Spooner & Son, Inc., on December 22, 1953, the president of Allen N. Spooner & Son, Inc., John I. Spooner, a

founder of the company and its president the past 26 years, retired and his brother, Ray N. Spooner, was elected president to succeed him.

This makes the third Spooner to head the organization—the co-founder and father, Allen N. Spooner (Lambda '86), was first president until his death January 2, 1928, was succeeded by his son, John I. Spooner; now Ray N. Spooner (Lambda '15).

WILLIAM W. LAWRENCE, Kappa '98, distinguished scholar, internationally-renowned medievalist, author, senior Trustee of Bowdoin and good Psi U, retired last year after 29 years on the Bowdoin Governing Board. The *Bowdoin Alumnus* in paying tribute to his distinguished service also notes his "academic grand slam" of writing authoritative studies of 1) the oldest English epic, 2) on Shakespeare's "dark comedies" and 3) on the greatest storyteller of the middle ages, Chaucer. Now in his seventy-eighth year, Professor Lawrence is studying and writing at his home at 14 Bowdoin St., Portland, Me.

Word is in from WILBUR R. DENNIS, Lambda '40, that he's joined the Curtis Publishing Co., in the Advertising Dept., in New York, working on the *Ladies Home Journal*. He, his wife, his son and his daughter are living in Babylon, Long Island.

CHARLES LEFFINGWELL, Lambda '92, California citrus industry pioneer, honeymooned in the Hawaiian Islands after his marriage this summer. Brother Leffingwell, whose first wife died three years ago, has three children, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Other weddings noted in recent newspapers include: Howard Acheson, Jr., Chi '50, in St. Petersburg, Fla.; Edward T. Richards, Jr., Sigma '51, in Honolulu; Robert K. Morton, Tau '41, in New York City; Charles B. Stone, Jr., Xi '49, in Mt. Kisco, N.Y. Further details on brides, addresses, etc., are available from Psi U Headquarters.

NATHAN DANE, II, Kappa '37, now an Associate Professor of Classics at Bowdoin, has just published his first book, "An Introduction



Ray N. Spooner, Lambda '15

to the Languages and Literature of Greece and Rome."

The nation's capitol is well-staffed with Psi U's. Add to the list of high-placed persons CHARLES S. THOMAS, Chi '19 (also affiliated with Epsilon). Brother Thomas is now Assistant Secretary of the Navy. He was with the Navy Department during World War II. Also add NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER, Zeta '30, to the list. Ike's named him Undersecretary of Health, Education and Welfare. The Chicago chapter of the Society for Advancement of Management has elected JOSEPH W. TOWLE, Eta '32, as its president. Brother Towle is professor of management in the Northwestern University School of Commerce.

DONALD HOLMES, Theta '50, has left Prudential Life to join the Battelle Memorial Institute and is now living in Columbus, Ohio.

*Some notes from the Pi:* JAMES ABBOTT, '49, appointed Assistant Administrator of University Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, N.Y. . . . Rev. IVAN M. GOULD, '30, has been elected Executive Secretary of the West Virginia Council of Churches. He's also Associate General Director of the National Council of Churches commission on higher education. . . . ALFRED L. SEELYE, '37, has accepted a position with the Manufacturers Association of Turin, Italy. He'll serve as consultant to some of Italy's manufacturing firms and will take part in an executive training program at the University of Turin. . . . EARLE J. MACHOLD, Pi '25, president of Niagara Mohawk Power Corp., has been elected a director of the New York Central System. He's also a Trustee of Syracuse University and a director of the Glens Falls Life Insurance Co. (plus, of course, being a member of the Executive Council of Psi U.). . . . J. HOLDEN WILSON, '10 is now with Cohu & Co., investment specialists, in their Syracuse office. . . . GEORGE D. RUBY, '34, named Secretary of Jantzen Knitting Mills, Inc. . . . HERBERT BRECKHEIMER, '52, now a second lieutenant in the Air Force. . . . GORDON SCHOPFER, '38, new president of Syracuse (N.Y.) Society of Architects.

W. NIVER WYNKOOP, Psi '21, has been elected Executive Vice President of First Trust and Deposit Co., Syracuse, N.Y. He's also very active in the Syracuse Boys Club.

*Trinity Alumni Magazine* has a wonderful article on ANDREW S. DOUGLASS, Beta Beta '89. An internationally-famed astronomer,

Brother Douglass is also an expert on sun spots and predicts weather by reading tree rings. Wish we had room to reprint the whole story.

The "Los Angeles Examiner" featured the early activities of three brothers from the Epsilon in a recent column. It recounted how MAYNARD McFIE, '07, SAYRE MACNIEL, '08, and STUART O'MELVENY, '09 walked from Berkeley to L. A. at the end of the 1907 spring term. The 650-mile stroll took 26 days during which they only met one automobile. All three went on to further honors. All were elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Brother McFie became president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce and a director of the U. S. Chamber. Brother O'Melveny became president of the Title Insurance and Trust Co., and is now Chairman of its Board. Brother MacNiel became a Professor of Law at Harvard and later Dean of the Law School at Loyola University of Los Angeles. More power to 'em.

FRED G. CLARK, Iota '13, is co-author of a new book published by D. Van Nostrand, price \$2.75, called *How to Think About Economics*. Economics being essentially a study of man's material life, Clark proceeded on the basis that almost every literate person already knows many facts concerning economics—facts that spring alive when expressed in simple, non-technical language. This book uncovers the mysteries that surround money, inflation, profit, job security and other elements that feed fuel to the flames of economic friction.

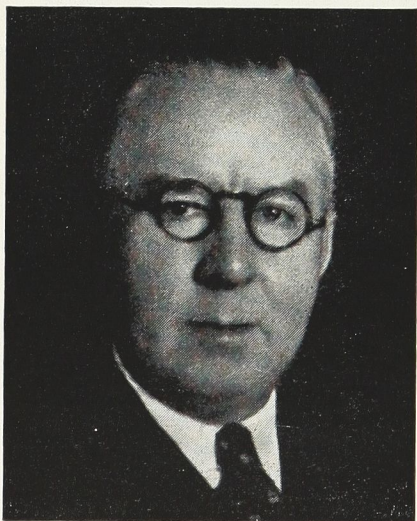
When Brother JACK WESTLAND, Theta Theta '25, was twenty-six, he was runner-up in the National Amateur Golf Tournament. He lost to Francis Ouimet, and after that he settled down in Everett, Washington, as a commendable tournament golfer.

Westland, now a grey-templed 47, decided to try his luck at this year's National Amateur. Before a gallery of 8,000, Brother Westland won 3 and 2, the oldest U. S. amateur champ of all time.

The American Surgical Association recently chose as its president one of America's leading neuro-surgeons, Dr. HOWARD C. NAFFZIGER, Eta '07. Membership in the Association is by election only and elevation to its leadership is one of the highest honors a surgeon can attain. Brother Naffziger is Professor of Surgery at the University of California.

*News from the Rho:* ARTHUR SLEMMONS, '43, now an engineer with Chrysler Corp., living in Highland Park, Mich. . . . ALBERT A. SIBBERNSEN, '42, is farming in Bennington, Neb. . . . EDWARD F. CARLETON, '38, handling truck and trailer leasing with Arco Auto Carriers in Chicago. . . . TULLY BRADY, '34 owns the Brookhaven Broadcasting Co., in Brookhaven, Miss. . . . JAMES W. HALL, '26, lists his major occupation as V.P. and general manager of Consolidated Engines and Machinery Co. Ltd., Montreal, but also spends some time being president of J. W. Hall & Sons, Ltd., and a director of Selkirk Metal Products, Ltd. We're proud to note that he's a wearer of the King George medal for his distinguished public and private service. . . . JAMES B. HILL, '27, runs his own insurance company in St. Louis. . . . RICHARD B. KROPF, '29, a metallurgist for International Nickel in Detroit. . . . ROBERT F. HUNT, '38, now a Chevrolet dealer in Buffalo, N.Y. . . . WILLIAM DOUSMAN, '38, an attorney with Hardware Mutual in Springfield, Ill. . . . WILLIAM W. MEYST, '32, a foundryman with Northern Aluminum Foundry in North Fond du Lac, Wis., now has three boys and a girl. . . . WILLIAM E. JOHNSON, '45, a sales engineer with Gisholt Machine Co., Madison, Wis. . . . BERNARD J. CONNELL, '43, sales manager of Inland Restoration Co., Milwaukee. . . .

MARTIN F. HILFINGER, Pi '14, president and general manager of Associated Industries of New York State, Inc., was awarded the George Washington Honor Medal by Freedoms Foundation last spring.



Hon. Edwin L. Garvin, Delta '97

REX BLAZER, Omicron '28, is president of Ashland Oil and Refining Co. Brother Blazer also holds the distinction of being a Kentucky Colonel.

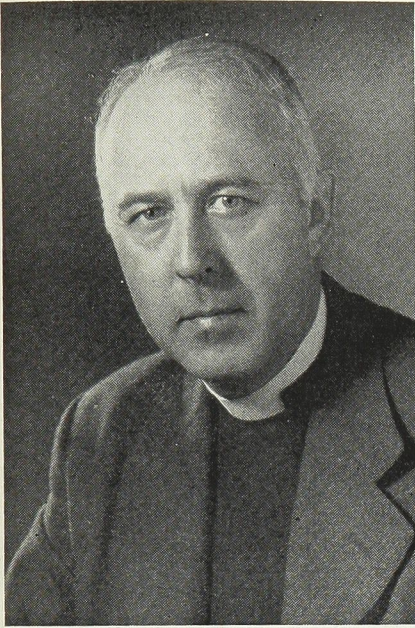
EDWIN L. GARVIN, Delta '97, is planning to re-enter private law practice January 1, 1954. He has been a justice of the New York Court of Special Sessions, a county judge, a judge of the U. S. District Court and a justice of the State Supreme Court. Also, he's recently been elected an honorary member of Phi Beta Kappa. Brother Garvin's new offices are at 189 Montague St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

The Psi Upsilon Alumni Association of Western New York is raising a fund in memory of LOT S. WILDER, Upsilon '31, to assist deserving students with their college educations. The memorial trust has already been established but it can always use more money. Send your contributions to Brother R. O. EDGERTON, Upsilon '36, president of the association, at 104 Alameda St., Rochester 13, N.Y.

Psi Upsilon Alumni Association of Washington (State, that is) seems to be about the most active in the country, what with monthly meetings, a newsletter and all. They're really rolling out there in the West and seem to be having a wonderful time doing it. Here are some notes from a recent issue of their newsletter. GIB GHOLSON is Navy bound, coming back East to Naval Officers School. . . . NORM SCHOONOVER is manager of the Wendell Branch of the National Bank of Idaho. . . . WALT HOLMAN has two daughters and one son. The son, Jack, went Psi U, natch, and one daughter married a Psi U, Norm Schoonover (see above). The other daughter strayed off the path. Oh well, there are always grandchildren. . . . FRED STUTFIELD is a traveling salesman with Harms Pacific Transport. . . . BOB and HOWARD ANDERSON and LAURY WILLIAMS are dealers for the new Plymouth-DeSoto line. . . . BLAINE THOMPSON is Pacific Coast Manager of personnel and public relations for Monsanto Chemical. . . . HANK BACON is in charge of sales for BILL REED's Simpson Logging Co. . . . BILL LILLY has bought a hydroplane and taken up speed boat racing. . . .

The Rev. Dr. HOWARD V. HARPER, Iota '29, has been appointed executive director of the committee on laymen's work of the Rt. Rev. Henry Knox Sherrill, Presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Brother Harper was formerly chairman of the department of promotion and secretary of the standing com-





The Rev. Dr. Howard V. Harper, Iota '29

mittee of the Diocese of Michigan. He assumed his new duties in September, and is now living in New York City, at 390 First Avenue.

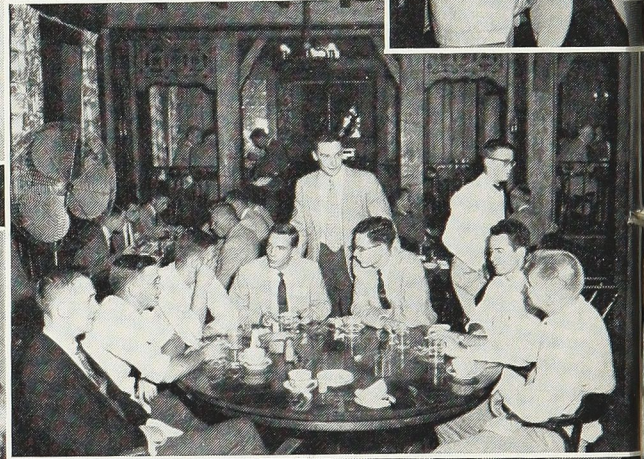
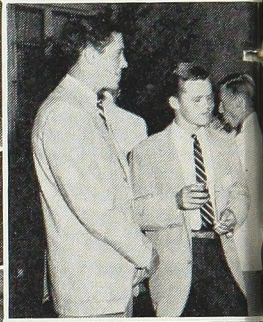
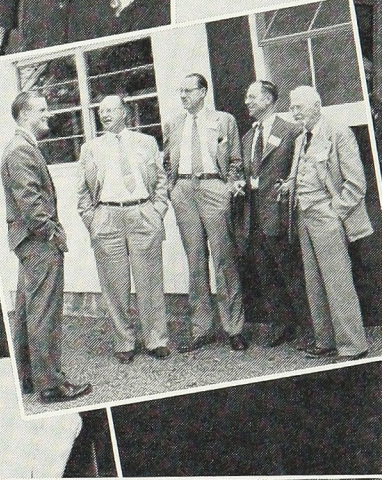
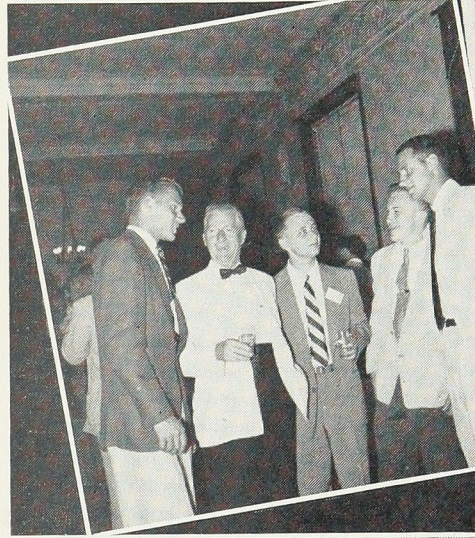
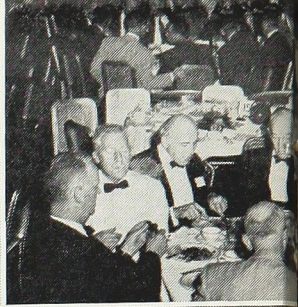
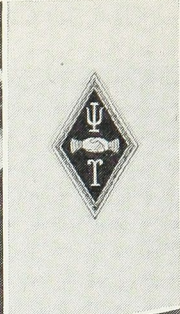
CLARENCE GREEN now with the United Nations. . . . JOHN WILSON, editor of the association's newsletter is looking for news, especially from out-of-town Theta Theta's and in-town Brothers from other Chapters. Let him know where you are. You can reach him at Washington State Feed Association, Inc., 814 2nd Ave. Bldg., Seattle 4, Wash.

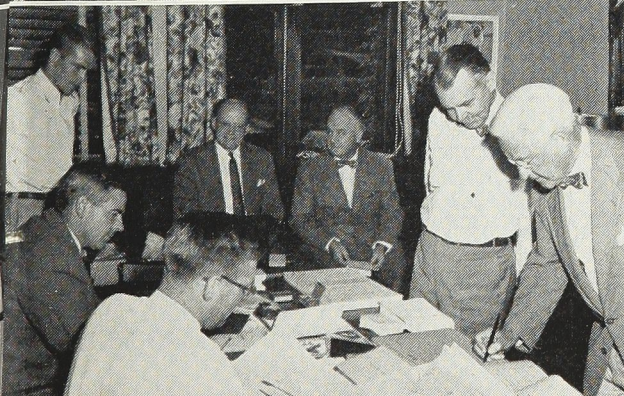
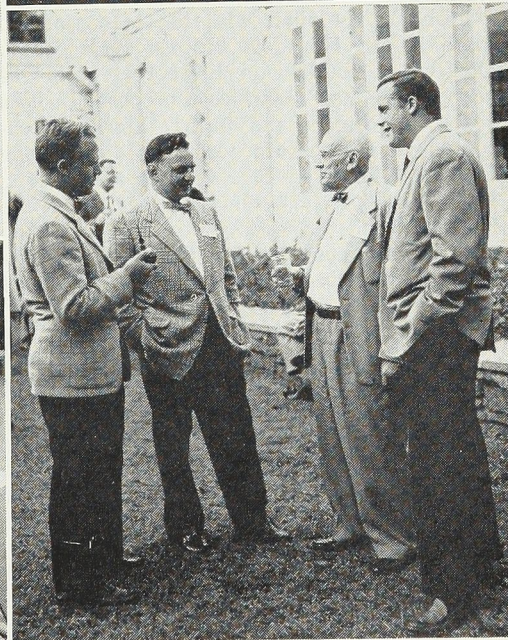
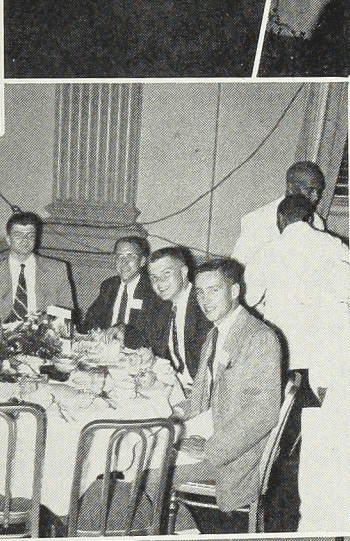
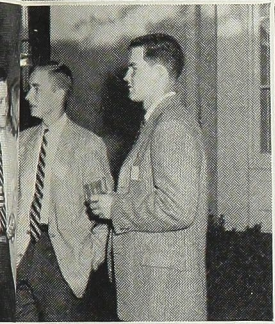
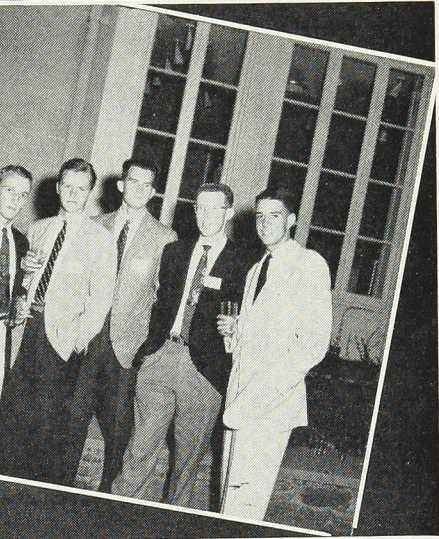
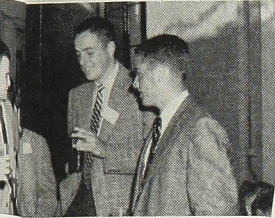
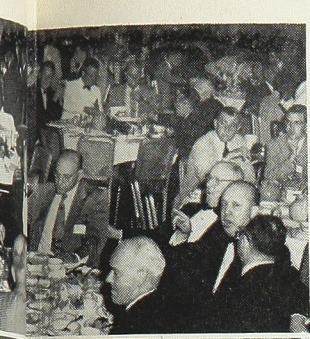
NORMAN DAWSON, JR., Chi '46, has been

appointed superintendent of the Brass Belows Division of Flexonics Corp. in Memphis, Tenn. Brother Dawson, in addition to being president of the Chi as an undergraduate, was All-East and All-American back in 1945.

*Notes from the Theta:* ROBERT H. BUSH, '46, is Director of Information for the American Textbook Publishers Institute in New York City. . . . GEORGE REDINGTON, '50, is with American Telephone and Telegraph in New York City. . . . JOHN BAAS, '42, is in International Business Machine's New York Office. . . . FRANK BRUDER, '25, is V.P. and Secretary of Bambergers, giant Newark, N.J. department store. . . . CRAIG MITCHELL, '46, is Promotion Manager of *Engineering News-Record*, a McGraw-Hill publication. . . . Rev. ROBERT FIELD, '44, is pastor of St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Mechanicville, N.Y. . . . DAVID DEMAREST, '47, is a sales engineer with Aluminum Company of America in Syracuse, N.Y. . . . BUD TRABOLD, '44, and JOE FUCIGNA, '47, are with Dunlap and Associates, Inc., industrial psychologists, in Stamford, Conn. . . . DONALD L. STEVENS, '42, is with the Bureau of Advertising, of the American Newspaper Publishers Association in New York City. . . . JAY BOTTOMLEY, '46, is in Young & Rubicam's Hollywood, Calif., office as a television production expert. . . .

We're trying to expand the alumni news section of THE DIAMOND. We want more names, more news, fewer detailed biographies. We need your help. Send in all you can get your hands on. Or drop in at the new Psi U headquarters in the Columbia University Club at 4 West 43rd, New York City and tell the news to our Miss Ford.





Photos by David W. Fricke, Xi '56

# THE CHAPTERS SPEAK

## THETA

### Union College

PETER PIRNIE, *Associate Editor*

Since submitting our last report to *THE DIAMOND*, many things have happened at the Theta. The Chapter had a successful rushing season, pledging nine new men and initiating a pledge who has returned from two years in the Army. Philip Jewett Palmer, recently returned from two years' service in Korea, was initiated into the Brotherhood of Psi Upsilon on November 19, 1953. The new men pledged are: Charles Cassidy, Elmira, N.Y.; S. Park French, Elmira, N.Y.; Bruce Pirnie, Baldwin, N.Y.; John Hathaway, Schenectady, N.Y.; Jaroslav Dudak, Hudson, N.Y.; Sidney Mann, Elmira, N.Y.; Norman Kesterke, Fulton, N.Y.; Edward Ince, Floral Park, L.I.; and Ethelbert Nevin, Elmira, N.Y.

The Theta did not have a large representation on the fall sports teams, but the few men we did have were exceptional. Brother Dick Carpenter was a standout for the soccer team and accumulated enough points to assure himself of at least honorable mention and very probably first team All-American. Bob Adsit and Walter Helm were also members of the soccer team.

Probably the man with the least time to spare in the House is Brother Dick Havill. Dick was a standout on the football team this year as he has been for the previous two years, and bigger and better things are expected from him next year. Besides playing football, Dick is an E.E. student, maintaining Dean's list grades, steward-treasurer of the House and in the spring plays first-string on the lacrosse squad. Being a junior, Dick seems likely to gain the junior award this year, hands down.

The social season was highlighted by the Air Force R.O.T.C. Ball held in November. The Psi Us turned out in force and helped to make the affair a crowning success. A joint party with the A.D.'s to celebrate the one hundred twentieth year of our respective foundings is in the formative stage and we hope to have a report on this joint celebration by the next issue of *THE DIAMOND*.

Brother Phil Beuth has just concluded his term of office as Head of the House. Brother

Beuth did an excellent job of getting the House in shape this fall and carrying out a successful rushing program. Under his guidance, Brother Tighe of Malverne, L.I., elected the outstanding junior in the House last year, has taken over the reins now and is assisted by Bob Seydel, Fredonia, N.Y., First Vice-President and David DuBois, Catskill, N.Y., Second Vice-President. Louis Booth has been elected Secretary.

The first task that faced Brother Tighe was controlling ten youngsters from the Schenectady Boys' Club who were entertained at the annual Psi U dinner and Christmas party for a group of underprivileged boys. With the help of Brother Beuth's wife, Pledge Hathaway's wife and a couple of dates, the affair went off quite well. The success of the party, however, hinged largely on the fact that Bill Ketz, one of the more robust members of the faculty, ably handled the job of Santa Claus.

In intramurals, the Psi U tennis team finished third, thanks to the fine efforts of Brother Lewis and Pledges French, Mann and Cassidy. The basketball team has come out unscathed in its efforts thus far, while the other teams in our division have suffered at least one setback.

This month will be a busy one around the Theta as everyone is preparing for first term finals. We are anticipating a rise in our academic standing which was not as high as had been expected last June.

The doors of the Theta are always open, however, and we will be glad to welcome Brothers from near and far, new and old. Here's wishing all the best in the New Year.

## DELTA

### New York University

JAMES H. FAY, JR., *Associate Editor*

Psi Upsilon's Pledge Class this fall has eighteen members chosen from the best material in the Colleges at the Heights. The Brother responsible for this class is Dick Haywood. As Vice-President in Charge of Rushing he directed our most successful rush in many years. By his constant effort Dick got to know the Freshman Class and bring them to the House. We all owe Dick much for his work.

Jerry Cantor, '55, a transfer from the Gamma, has organized a quartet which will, or should, be able to sing before very long. At this time they have not yet been heard but a reliable source has hinted that arrangements are being quietly made for a Town Hall appearance in the not too distant future. The membership list, with the exception of Brother C., is secret.

The dances this fall have been very successful. The most interesting of them was the Hallowe'en Dance. All were required to wear costume and act the part for which they were dressed. The House was decorated with jack-o'-lanterns and the Owl was painted orange and black.

The rugs at the House look like they've had a face lifting since the new vacuum cleaner donated by the alumni has been put to use. . . . The new cook and his wife are doing a good job serving the thirty-odd fellows at mealtime. . . . Food's improved too. . . .

Fred Backer, '52, is in the Air Force stationed somewhere in the West. . . . Joe Marra, '53, was presented with a son. . . . Al Rugiero, '54, with a daughter. . . .

Edwin L. Garvin was recently elected an honorary member of Phi Beta Kappa. . . . Dave Mitchell, '54, has been elected Vice-President of N.Y.U.'s Student Federation—a group made up of representatives from student councils from all colleges in the University.

Now that Christmas vacation is over the House has become very quiet and there is an air about the place of intellectual concentration. The finals for the semester begin the second week in January and we are all pulling to keep our place on the Fraternity Scholastic List. This is an average of the marks of everyone in fraternities. We are consoling ourselves with the thought that it will soon be Spring and House activities will go back to normal.

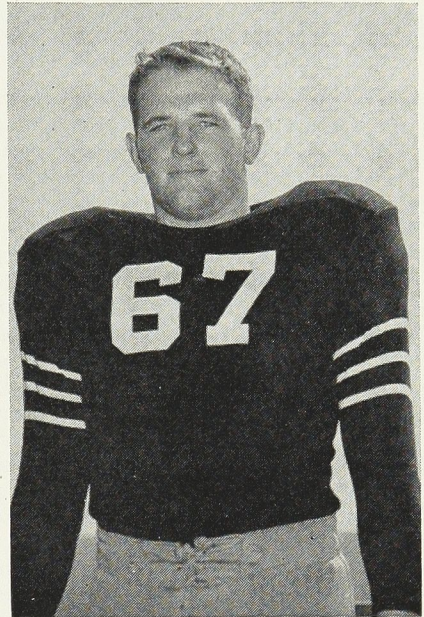
## GAMMA Amherst College

CHARLES E. NAIL, *Associate Editor*

The Gamma Chapter is proud and happy to tell of the selection of its President, Thomas Blackburn, '54, as a Rhodes Scholar for the coming year. Tom will begin two years of study in English literature and the classics at Oxford University, England. He is one of 32 American students selected each year from each of eight six-state districts. This appointment is the culmination of a long series of outstanding achievements by Tom during his four years at Amherst.

Brother Blackburn is a member of the Senior Honorary Society, Scarab, has been a varsity football player and wrestler, winning his "A" in both sports, and last year headed the Embassy of the Christian Association.

A recipient of the Samuel Walley Brown Scholarship at the end of his sophomore year



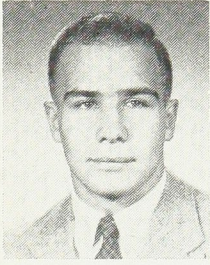
Thomas Blackburn, President of the Gamma Chapter, who will go to Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar next year.

for "standing highest in his class in character, class leadership, scholarship, and athletic ability," he was also a member of Sphinx, the Junior Honorary Society.

Brothers George Tullock and Dick Willemson will captain the wrestling and hockey teams, respectively. Dick has been described in the newspapers as "the finest goalie in New England Collegiate hockey."

Socially speaking, Sunday, December 13, was the date of the finest Gamma Chapter Christmas Party in this writer's memory. With but three exceptions all the Brothers had dates over to enjoy a quiet afternoon drinking egg-nog. This was followed by a buffet supper of turkey, ham, and other fine foods, Christmas Vespers later that evening, and a sing under the College Christmas Tree.

It has been a productive fall and we all are looking forward to an even better winter and spring.

**ZETA****Dartmouth College**

JOHN M. PALMER  
*Associate Editor*

Since the printing of the November issue of *THE DIAMOND*, we of the Zeta Chapter have looked back at a very favorable semester. December 12 saw the end of the pledging period and the initiation of a strong, well knit sophomore class. This impressive list is as follows: William Frank Benson, Kansas City, Mo.; Thomas Shaun Conlon, Waterbury, Conn.; Louis Lee Dail, Kansas City, Mo.; Frederick Karl Franz, Holyoke, Mass.; Richard Warren Kurtz, Mamaroneck, N.Y.; George Langdon Lovejoy, Glens Falls, N.Y.; Alan Lee Maca, Hinsdale, Ill.; Peter Herbert Shipman, Short Hills, N.J.; Elliott Hawes Sisson, Woods Hole, Mass.; Harold Lee Smith, Westfield, N.J.; Walter Granville-Smith, Harrison, N.Y.; Jonathan Strong, Hanover, N.H.; Herbert Faulkner West, Jr., Hanover, N.H.

The House is well pleased with the group and their integration has been swift and successful.

Secondary to rushing, but a primary factor in our minds at present is a remodeling of the Chapter House, scheduled to take place during the ensuing Christmas vacation. The formation of an official Mothers' Club by Brothers J. L. Davis, Ned Hoban, and President Mike Finnigan has proved a working arrangement. Subscriptions for contributions were sent out to Zeta Alumni and also to the families of present Brothers. The results were very gratifying in that we were able to collect a sum suitable to cover the expense of remodeling a downstairs room and of repairing living-room furniture. We urge Chapters who have not yet tried out this idea of Mothers' Club sponsorship, to explore its possibilities, for our own experiment has received almost 100% cooperation.

With the advent of winter, Psi U is represented in several sports. Brother Glen Wilson, first string guard on the basketball team, has been an important factor in the team's success so far. However, he received a broken wrist in the game with Vermont and will be

sidelined until February. Brother Jack Buffington is playing his third and last year on the squash team, and John Harlor and Don Descombes are in preparation for the winter track season. Brother H. Tucker Creamer is a returning varsity letter winner in swimming as is Brother Fred Brooks while Brothers Edgerton of the ski team and Poorman of hockey are in strict training.

We have unfortunately been somewhat deficient in information concerning alumni. Brother Vince Jones, '52, is in his first year at Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar, and Jack Crisp is attending Vermont Medical School. Ensign Carl Walker is with the Navy somewhere near Japan, and Brothers Fenton, Fast and Florence are also seeing tours of duty in the armed forces.

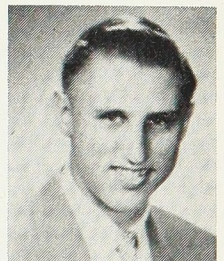
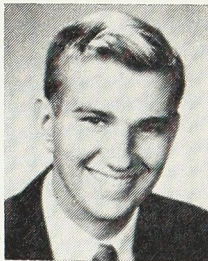
Alumni will be pleased to note that the pre-Christmas wassail celebration has become a tradition here at Zeta. It is planned for the last night before vacation and is anticipated eagerly by the active Brothers.

This fall, Zeta was forced to take a third place in the interfraternity football league and Brothers Patten and Palmer were defeated in the semi-finals in golf. However, an undefeated hockey team sparked by the excellent play of Bill Mayberry and Jack Buffington, with John Strong in the nets, represents Zeta so far this year. We also hope for a repeat first place in the track competition approaching.

Plans are already well formulated for another fine Winter Carnival such as was enjoyed last year. This is in the hands of a highly competent social committee including Brothers Darche and Feltman.

**LAMBDA****Columbia University**

The communication from the Lambda appears on page 71.

**PSI****Hamilton College**

JAMES P. THOMPSON AND CHARLES E. PERSONS, *Associate Editors*

As this communication is being written, the minutes before the start of Christmas vacation are waning. The Psi got into the swing of the Yuletide Season with the annual Christmas party in honor of the pledges on December 12. With a well-trimmed tree, streamers, set-ups, a tuned piano, and a sarong, it was the best party held at the Psi for many a year.

Then on December 16, the annual childrens' party was held for fourteen screaming scamps from the House of the Good Shepherd of Utica. With popcorn balls, Santa Claus, games, Christmas carols, and a turkey dinner, it could not be decided who was having the better time—the children or the Brothers.

The Chapter House will have a redecoration job done early in 1954, if the plans now being formulated by the trustees are carried through. A good second hand piano has already been acquired to replace the old 83½ key grand. New furniture and an over-all paint job should put the House in good shape to face 1954.

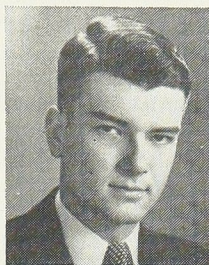
The Psi is well represented on the Hill's winter athletic teams, with seniors Bill Weatherbee as captain of the basketball team and Dick Price as captain of the hockey team. Sophomore Ron Hovey has also earned a starting role on the basketball team as has freshman Jack Taylor on the hockey team.

The House's interfraternity teams are doing well in striving to hold the college trophy. The bowling team consisting of captain Al Drysdale, Dave Eaker, Dick Hall, and John Logan holds second place, while the basketball team with Dave Doty, Ben Salkuski, Earl Cline, Max Gray, Don Benza, "Farr" Wolff, Don Miller, John Sheldon, and John Logan holds a powerful lead over the other teams in the league. The Psi cagers lost to the college varsity by only six points in a recent contest. Although the hockey team consisting of captain Jim Thompson, "General" Spoehr, "Bullet" Bradley, Pete Eld, Don Miller, Gordy Sterling, Jon Holcombe, Chick Rahm, Paul Lewis, and John Logan lost its first game to Lambda Chi Alpha, it promises to be a leading contender for the crown.

Earlier in the season, the swimming team, with captain Kevin Keough, Rog Cunnane, John Bush, and John Logan, won third place in the interfraternity swimming meet. Keough was a blue ribbon winner in the fifty and one-hundred yard sprints while Logan "walked" away with the cross pool events.

The Psi has had a successful year in 1953, and looks forward to an even better 1954.

## UPSILON University of Rochester



DAVID B. SKINNER  
*Associate Editor*

As the midway point in the academic year approaches, an inventory of the Upsilon finds its position well consolidated and developed in both campus and fraternity activities. The informal and formal initiation planned for the first weekend in February will mark the end of pledging for our outstanding twenty-man pledge class. These pledges are slowly, but perceptibly shaping up and gaining a thorough indoctrination into Psi U lore, customs, and spirits, this being the goal of the pledging period. Pledge Brother George Nichols has been chosen President of the class, and his fellow pledges have also selected Jim Tait as Song Leader. Due to the hard work and careful guidance of Brothers McDonald, Rahner, and Jewett, the Upsilon has again assimilated another fine group of men of whom the entire Fraternity can well be proud.

At the close of another football season, we again found that we had several quite distinguished gridders among the Upes. For their superior brand of play throughout the season, Brothers Bruce McPherson and Tom Gibbons were named on the Little All-American selections. McPherson was chosen as third team center, while Gibbons was given Honorable Mention as a halfback. At the post-season Touchdown Dinner, Brother Jim Burkeley of Blairsville, Pa., the team's dynamic quarterback, was named Back of the Year, and Brother McPherson was again honored as Line-man of the Year. To top off the evening, announcement was made of McPherson's selection as co-captain of the 1954 squad. Congratulations are certainly due these Brothers.

In the winter sports scene, several Brothers appear as familiar figures. Brother Dick Wood, a sophomore, has earned a starting forward berth on this year's Varsity basketball team. Brothers Evgenides, Bower, and Devereaux are also on the squad, and Brother Dave Skinner keeps track of their escapades from the managerial position. On this year's Frosh quintet, Pledge Brothers Nichols, Iverson,

Wojonowski, Muirhead, McAnally, Dintruff, Olney, Naccarella, and Brother Bob Folwell, all expect to see action, while Pledge Brother Moore serves as manager.

Shifting our attention from the hardcourt to the pool, we find Brothers Art Jewett and Bob McDonald as the two stars and mainstays of this year's mermen. Jewett, a breast stroker and medley man, is captain of the team, and McDonald is a consistent winner in his specialties, the back stroke and free style. Pledge Brothers Ross and Tait are good prospects on the Freshman team.

In the intramural leagues, Brother Hagedorn has organized strong entries in both the basketball and volleyball competition. Many of the Brothers are participating in this activity, and speculation is running rampant as to the outcome of crucial encounters.

Recent contributions of Psi Us in campus activities include House President Rickert's part in the Stagers' Production, and the preparation and writing of this year's Q Club script, the all-male musical comedy show, directed again by a Psi U, Tom Rickert. Brothers Mike Harvey and McPherson aided in writing the script. Pledge Brother Tait has also become active in campus affairs, having been elected Freshman Class Secretary, thus joining many other Upes already active.

Congratulations to the following Brothers recently initiated into the Chapter: Don Paul, Chatham County, N.J.; Robert Folwell, Brighton, N.Y.; Dyno Evgenides, Rochester, N.Y.

We are certainly glad to have these men in the Bonds.

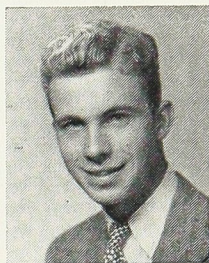
A highly successful event worthy of note was the Parent-Faculty Tea held in the Chapter House under the guidance of Steward Slocum and the Burritts on the last weekend before Thanksgiving. An enjoyable afternoon was shared by many of the Brothers and the aforementioned elements in getting to know each other better on more sociable terms. Another event similar to this will be planned for the Spring.

Thus, as usual, a great state of activity and accomplishment, not only in sports, but also academically and socially, exists at the Upsilon, and again we would like to proffer a sincere invitation to any Brothers to stop

and visit us, and, if possible, stay for one of our outstanding weekend parties.

PHI

University of Michigan



SAMUEL S. STEWART  
*Associate Editor*

The activities around the Phi these past two months have been primarily athletic and social in nature.

Towards the close of this fall's athletic season our football team managed to capture a third place, after having competed against the 42 other fraternities at the University of Michigan. I might also mention that the opening of winter sports finds two of our pledges doing very well on the swimming team and our newly formed hockey team doing a great job at the rink.

Just before leaving for vacation, we gave a Christmas party for several little children attending the grade schools here. A sorority was also present to help entertain them until the arrival of Santa Claus, which was the climax of a very worth while afternoon.

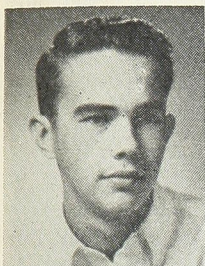
The last weekend before vacation was reserved for our Christmas formal, which included both dinner and dancing to the music of an excellent trio brought out from Detroit for the occasion. The whole weekend proved a tremendous success.

We are very proud to take this opportunity to announce that Kieth N. Olson was initiated into the Phi Chapter of Psi Upsilon on December 5, 1953.

I would also like to say that we were very honored and privileged to have Brother Dan H. Brown, Omega '16, with us for a few days this Fall, and we sincerely hope that if any Brothers do happen to be in this area they drop in on us at the Phi.



## PI Syracuse University



PETE AINSLIE  
*Associate Editor*

The climax of the football season for Syracuse University found the Brothers enjoying the hospitality of the men from the Chi. Following a snowswept victory on Cornell's Schoellkopf Field, all Psi Us gathered for a post game open house and date party. All of the best loved songs were sung and a genuinely pleasant time was had by both Chapters. The following was Colgate weekend, at which the Pi conducted its annual Colgate Banquet. A great number of alumni returned to relive old experiences and rekindle forgotten traditions. A stag party preceded the dinner, with the members of the active Chapter entertaining the enthusiastic alums.

After the football season, social activities at the Chapter diminished, due to an approaching examination period. One more major function was held during the semester, the traditional Christmas formal. The house was decorated lavishly with greenery, lights, Christmas trees, and Nativity murals; a pleasant evening was enjoyed by everyone.

In the intramural department, the Pi has performed creditably, winning division championships in football and swimming. At present the bowling team is riding high, with prospects of a championship cup in the offing. Varsitywise, Brother Don Shupe has exchanged his soccer cleats for track shoes, in hopes of running a four-minute mile, while Brother Bob Bennett and pledges Ken Penny, Neil Gutches, and Dick Horstmann are preparing for the oncoming crew season.

The Pi has seen representatives of four Chapters at the house during the first semester. Brothers from the Chi, Psi, Tau, and Sigma stopped in at various times to say hello. Also many recent Pi Alums have returned, many from the distant fields of war. It's always heartening to see men of the Garnet and Gold passing through the halls from far and near, and we hope that they enjoyed their visits.

As far as campus activities are concerned, Brother Walt Andrew is treasurer of the all important Traditions Commission, with Brothers Al Plate and Bill Burkhart as newly

elected members. Other "Campus Wheels" include: Neil Brenneman and Bob Leberman of Tau Theta Upsilon, Senior Men's Honorary, Chuck Hinman of the national Fine Arts Honorary, Jack Forgette, Cadet Colonel of the R.O.T.C., and Andrew, Leberman, Don Shupe, and Skip Farnsworth of Scabbard and Blade, National Military Honor Society.

The IFC Sing Competition is slated to begin in January. Brother Bob Evans has already begun intensive rehearsals, for the Pi is not anxious to lose the coveted trophy that it earned upon winning the competition.

Although final grades are not available at the time of this writing, the Pi plans to improve its scholastic standing markedly this semester. An extensive study hall program has been installed by Scholarship Chairman Walt Andrew along with a close contact system with the University, so that knowledge of the academic progress of all members has been constantly maintained.

The Pi wishes to thank all of its officers for this semester, President Neil Brenneman, V.P.'s Bob Leberman, Pete Ainslie, and Walt Andrew, Secretary Joe Lopez, Rushing Chairman Pete Ainslie, and Social Chairman Don Shupe for their fine record of accomplishment. It's been a great year so far.

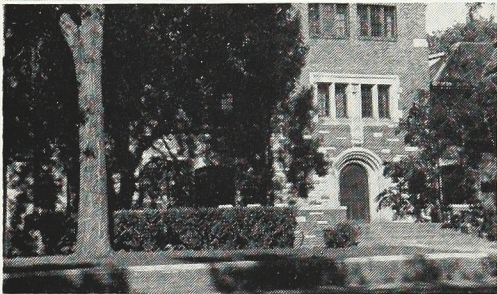
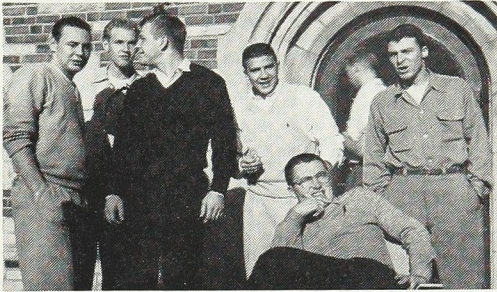
## MU University of Minnesota



MILT PAPKE  
*Associate Editor*

Looking back on fall quarter and what we did at the Mu brings up a lot of interesting things, and we're all hoping the future will be just as eventful.

Homecoming proved to be more successful than had been anticipated by anyone in the Chapter. Our pre-game luncheon at the House went over big and it will now become an annual affair. We hope the alums enjoyed it as much as we enjoyed putting it on. Congratulations are in order for co-social chairmen Ron Bruch and Neil Brasted for all the work they did in making our post-game party over at the University Club in St. Paul such a rousing success. A good time was had by



Top: Chuck McCartney, Pete Lee, Buzz Bennett, Jim Beatty and Mark Hurd.

Center: Bernie Martinek, Pete Lee, Harry Coates, Jim Blanchard, Tom Williams, and seated is Al Hitch.

Bottom: Mu Chapter House.

all. Of course we had good reason to celebrate, as the Gophers thumped the Hoosiers from Indiana 28 to 21 in the feature attraction.

Last fall we lost three outstanding Brothers to the armed forces, Chuck McConville, Louie Harris, and Dick Micheels were all inducted into the army shortly after the beginning of the fall term.

Three weddings and one engagement during November and December helped to liven things up around the halls of the Mu. During November, Richard Moses, '53, was united in marriage to the former Miss Janet Dahlstrom and Pledge Robert Johnson was married to Miss LaVonne Jorden. Next came Bud Chase, who was married to Miss Bubee Wright on December 28th up in Williston, North Dakota. To keep things hopping, Dr. Richard "Louis"

Swenson, '52, became engaged to Miss Janet Paschke. It couldn't happen to a better guy!

We are more than satisfied with the progress the pledges have been making under the able supervision of Brothers Jim Beatty and Chuck Schuler. The way things stand as of now, they will be initiated the latter part of January.

On the intramural sports scene, we put up a good fight but didn't win any honors. Playing without two starters, who were ineligible due to the fact they were out for a varsity sport, our touchball team fell in the fraternity division finals to the Phi Eps, 19-0. Last year we won the title by "smothering" the same team 7 to 6. Our bucket-ball squad was eliminated early in the all-U fall tournament, but we're looking for a big improvement this winter.

Buzz Bennett and Milt Papke are members of the Gopher basketball team which is currently rated fifth in the country. Buzz, a starting guard, is in his second year as a regular and is doing another great job.

Two of our pledges, Jack Steele and Dave Bowers, are members of the freshman swimming team and are expected to be of some value during the next couple of years.

Dave Skrien is back with us at the Mu after having completed a successful year of professional football with the Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the Western Inter-Provincial Football League. Dave's team was defeated 12 to 6 by Hamilton in the Grey Cup finals. Dave is enrolled in graduate school where he is working on his masters in the field of education.

In our last meeting before the Christmas holidays, the following brothers were elected to office for the remainder of the school year: President, Chuck Schuler, Vice-President, Harry "Pep" Coates, and Secretary, Jim Blanchard. Thanks are in order for Brother Tom Williams, who did a splendid job as President the past two quarters.

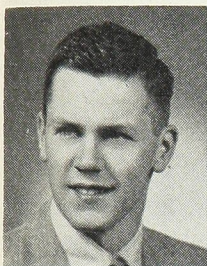
Congratulations to Brothers Lane Kispert and Chuck Wilson who received their degrees during graduation exercises on December 18. We wish them the best of luck in their future work.

Formal rushing starts January 4th and runs through the 8th. We've got our eyes on some good boys who are Psi U material, and I'm sure we'll have another fine pledge class.

Plans are already being made for the annual alumni banquet which is to be held sometime in May. You alums will be getting your letters very soon, and we sincerely hope that we'll be seeing you at the banquet. Remember, its success depends upon you.

## CHI

## Cornell University



WARREN BRECKENRIDGE

*Associate Editor*

Almost perfect weather up to a few days before the Christmas vacation has kept things moving around the Chi for the past several months, but the inevitable snow has now arrived just in time to slow down the Brothers who are driving home for the holidays.

The late fall saw the culmination of football and the beginning of the basketball season, with a good many of the Brothers receiving sports honors. Brothers Herb Bool and Al Sebald received their letters in football—both are seniors and have played varsity ball for three years. In recognition of his outstanding performance on the gridiron, Brother Sebald received the Peterson award given to the player who best overcomes the handicap of small size. This is the second consecutive year that a brother has received this honor. Incidentally, Brother Sebald has recently been elected President of the Chapter. Four more Brothers received letters for their efforts in the one hundred fifty pound football squad—one of the best in recent years. The Chapter intramural football squad went through all its league games undefeated and untied and held high hopes for the fraternity trophy, but was defeated in the quarter finals of the playoffs to squelch these ambitions. Now intramural interest has shifted to basketball where the house is pinning its hopes on the "Owls"—a quintet which has gone undefeated to date. As for varsity basketball, the Chapter boasts one candidate, Chuck Rolles, who has so far compiled an enviable record despite his slight (5'6") build.

In the extracurricular field the Chapter boasts Brothers on the Interfraternity Council, The Men's Glee Club, including one manager, the *Cornell Daily Sun*, and a number of other activities around the campus. Brothers Irv Pettit, Frederick Rose, and Donald Oglesby were recently tapped for Red Key, a junior men's honorary society.

Just preceding Thanksgiving vacation William Douglas Brown, '55, was initiated into the Bonds. The formal ceremony was followed by the traditional dinner with several local

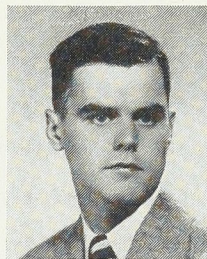
alumni attending.

The Sunday before Christmas vacation saw the brightly decorated Chapter House emitting strains of "Noel" and "Silent Night," intermingled with the gentle melody of nutmeg being sprinkled on the traditional egg-nog, as the annual Christmas party got under way. Gifts, with appropriate poems, given out by Saint Nick and renditions of several yuletide favorites by the House's triple quartet contributed to making it one of the best social events of the term. Later on this year the Chapter will hold for the first time what it hopes will become an annual affair—a pledge formal dance. The motivating force behind the idea is Brother Bill Simon, who has been doing a commendable job with the pledge training program. The program has been revised this year with notable improvement over previous ones.

Preparations for the Convention, which is to be held at the Chi in September, are being made by a committee composed of active Brothers and local alumni and are moving along quite satisfactorily to date. The chapter is looking forward to seeing a good many Brothers then, and encourages any Brothers traveling through Ithaca to drop in at the House.

## RHO

## University of Wisconsin



JOHN H. BURLINGAME,

*Associate Editor*

The Rho has four new Brothers who have just been initiated. They are Hervé de Kerhor of Bordeaux, France; Lars Middelboe of Kvistgaard, Denmark; Rod Tillman of Macomb, Illinois; and Jim "Jumbo" Moss of Winnetka, Illinois, who is one of the big reasons for the high comissary bill this year.

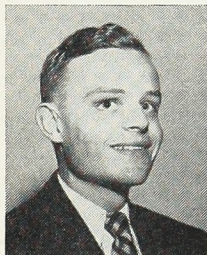
This year's formal was a smash hit. The Chapter turned out in force and we were pleased to see a few of the alumni there too. Social Chairman Bill Connor and his crew did a wonderful job of decorating the House in a Christmas motif with Rudolph and Santa adorning the walls. Bill has planned a number of good parties this fall and we hope to have some more next semester, but about this time every year we begin to think less about

parties and more about the final exams which are coming up soon.

We are still more than holding our own in athletics. The basketball team has not been defeated in its first six starts and hopes to have an undefeated season.

It is the night before Christmas vacation and all through the House not a Up is stirring, not even the "Bear" Stensby. They are all out saying goodbye to their girls or preparing for the long trip home. Roger "six pack" Monson and your harried Associate Editor are the only ones still around and we are leaving now. Goodbye.

## OMICRON University of Illinois



GEORGE FEARHEILY  
*Associate Editor*

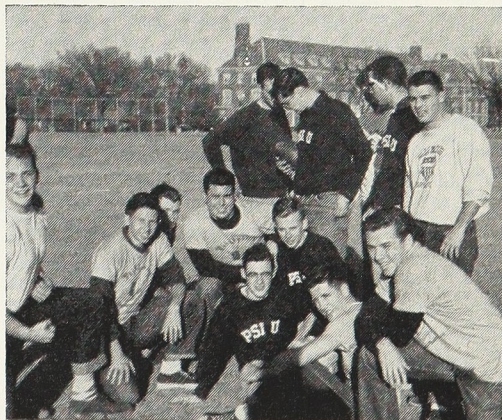
With the end of the first semester in sight, the Omicron believes that it has made substantial progress with the aims set at the beginning of the fall term. These aims were concerned with pledging a good class, filling the House, improving our scholarship, and installing a working spirit and co-operation in all the House members.

The principal goal was to pledge as top notch a freshmen group as possible, to orientate them to the campus and fraternity life, and to end with a large group eligible for initiation. This task was made more arduous by the large size of the entering class—twenty-eight strong, and by the small size of the senior class which is primarily responsible for shaping House policy. Only two recruits have fallen by the wayside, and of the twenty-six remaining neophytes, nineteen made exceptional grades at mid-semester. Pledges showing exceptional qualities for leadership and organization have been placed in appropriate campus activities. Pledge James Archer is on the Junior Interfraternity Council, Pledge Kenneth Derby is assistant to the manager of the Campus Chest, who happens to be our own Brother Robert Maxey, while Pledge Sydney Hormell has written several outstanding articles in the *Daily Illini* while working on the campus staff.

A good fraternity house is a full fraternity house and plans formulated to assure a full

house complement have worked out fairly well. There are at present forty-three members living in the House as well as one active and one pledge living outside. Many of the fifty-six fraternities on the campus this year have overcrowded their houses while others are maintaining annexes with the belief that greater numbers will strengthen their house positions. Although it is a harder task by far, the Omicron still believes that even better results may be realized by maintaining a comfortable house membership of but forty-five while attempting to replace those leaving with even better personnel. Classwise, the House contains nineteen freshmen, fifteen sophomores, seven juniors, and four seniors. Informal rushing chairman Brother Joseph Kenson, working closely with Brother William Manning, our interfraternity representative, has begun preparation for the second semester rushing program in order to fill the few vacancies which will arise. Brother Bernard Quandt, who will shortly step into the roll of Senior Manager of Classified Advertising for the *Daily Illini*, has been appointed formal rushing chairman for next summer. Already he is starting the revision of the rushing brochure, planning his correspondence, and organizing his program.

Brother Robert Maxey, our scholastic chairman, has been having conferences with all of the pledges and is regulating their study hours. As the thought of finals is beginning to dawn on us, noise and the party cry have subsided considerably. The Omicron has come to realize even more than ever that not only does a favorable scholastic standing place a fraternity in high regard on the campus but is a big selling point in rushing prospective pledges. All activities and horseplay that may serve as a detriment to anyone making his grades have



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been abandoned. Brother Kenneth Fairbanks, who was recently initiated into an illuminating engineering honorary, Eta Kappa Nu, is leading a host of both actives and pledges who show signs of registering outstanding marks when the semester ends. Even those loveable boneheads who just seem to make a passing grade each semester are being pushed to help place the Omicron in an even more honored position.

Because of the recent redecorating improvements made in the Chapter House, because there is a full House and an exceptionally good pledge class, and because of closer co-operation with our alumni, the morale of the House is high. All House members are being used in the capacity in which they can serve most usefully. Actives and pledges are mixing well, and the mode of living at the Omicron is still on as high a level as anywhere on the campus.

The issue of discrimination on the campus has recently come to the floor, and sources have attempted to seek commitments from fraternities, while the one world, do-gooder clique has played upon campus emotions and sought to embarrass campus leaders who, they believed, could be made easy targets. The Omicron has maintained a policy of careful watchfulness, while Student Senator Brother Stephen Speltz, has been working through regular channels to restore the general peace and quiet.

Turning to the athletic scene, the House football team made a three win, two loss record while the basketball and volleyball teams have four-two and three-two standings respectively. A promising indication of future strength in intramural sports occurred when the pledge football team took the actives in easy stride.

Socially, two dinner dances highlighted the pre-holiday periods. October the ninth was the date of the Triad pledge dance while the annual "House of the Arrow" dance was held December the fifth. A full schedule of coke exchanges have kept the pledges looking smooth while football weekend parties and informal dances have bought a large segment of the campus in contact with the "new look" here at the Omicron. In an event too hard to describe but called the Turkey Run, Brother John Bandy and pledge Kenneth Derby did enough stunts with two AOP's to win a somewhat skinny duck which never did find its way to our dinner table.

As I write this communication, the House members are preparing to leave for the two week Christmas vacation. The eastern group is checking the plane schedule east, the fel-

lows from Chicago and suburbs are awaiting the Illinois Central Special, while a few of us farmers are waiting around in the hopes of a last minute ride.

## DELTA DELTA Williams College

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## THETA THETA University of Washington

ED RILEY, *Associate Editor*

With the first quarter of the school year coming to a conclusion and the holiday season approaching, Theta Theta takes this opportunity of wishing their alumni and all members of Psi Upsilon a "successful and happy 1954."

In Intramural sports Psi Upsilon retained its customary high ranking. Theta Theta tied for second place in the annual Good Sportsmanship Awards. Brother Archie Patrick was selected for the All-intramural Volleyball Team. Brother Steve Roake received his second football letter.

Pledgeman Bowen King was appointed General Chairman of Frosh Day. This is the most important Committee Chairmanship that a University of Washington Freshman is eligible to hold.

Pledgeman Bob Erickson is newly elected Treasurer of Alpha Omega Phi honorary.

Adding to a well rounded College life, Social Chairman Pete Parsons and his Committee have done an excellent job so far this year. In December the Chapter, in conjunction with Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority, held their annual Christmas party for the Washington Children's Home orphans. Brother Mike Murphy, having all the physical qualifications, was a very appropriate Santa Claus. Brother Jimmy Pell was the motivating power behind the scene.

The most recent House elections brought Mike Murphy '54, to the Presidency; Bill Stevens '54, to the Vice-presidency; "Skip" Flohr '55, Study-hour Chairman; Tom Slipper '54, to the Recording Secretary's chair; and Ed Riley '55, to the position of Corresponding Secretary.

The members of the Theta Theta wish to commend the outgoing officers for the splendid job they have done. A great deal of credit should go to the outgoing President, Tony Callison.

The Chapter hopes that any Psi U in this vicinity will feel welcome to visit the House.

**ZETA ZETA****University of British Columbia**SCOT FARNCOMBE, *Associate Editor*

Zeta Zeta Chapter has concluded another very successful fall pledging period with the initiation of thirteen new brothers. These men were welcomed into the bonds at a short but impressive ceremony at the House on Sunday, November 29.

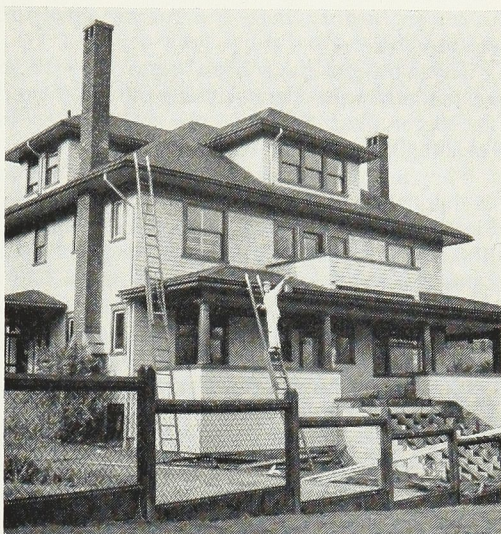
Their pledging period was anything but uneventful, for pledges of other fraternities tried particularly hard this year to separate the Psi U pledges from their beloved garnet and gold rocks. Our pledges were not the least



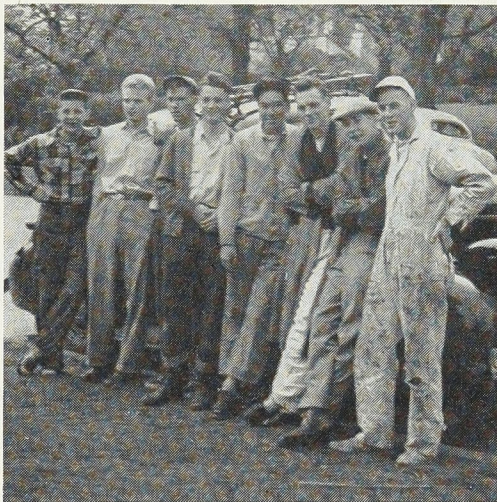
Keith Middleton, President of the Zeta Zeta

inclined to take these indignities lying down and retaliated with several effective sorties on their unfortunate tormenters.

Psi Us at U.B.C. have been busy as usual this fall socially with such activities as exchanges with the DGs and the Kappas, the Founders' Day Banquet, and the pledge party. The new Brothers are to be congratulated on a particularly enjoyable pledge party. Coming up in the middle of December, right after the ordeal of exams is a party at the Chalet on Grouse mountain, overlooking the city. This will be a repetition of last year's very cozy party and involves a long, chilling ride on a double chair lift through the flying snow. For those few who cannot manage to keep



The Zeta Zeta Chapter House. Taken in April 1953 during a face lifting.



Work parties at the House, April 1953.

warm on the lift there is a roaring open fire at the Chalet.

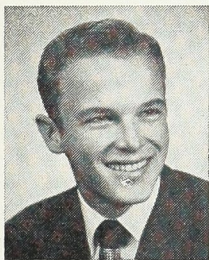
The Brothers have been quite busy these past months with sports, coming off undefeated in soccer and reaching the semi-finals in basketball and volleyball.

The new Brothers are: Leonard Trevis Archer, Allen Baxter, Robert John Bose, Maurice Joseph Richard Charpentier, Maurice Beverley Danard, Alan Julian Drab, Calvin Bruce Easter, John Barry Griffiths, Alan Donnan Holmes, Donald Andrew Nolan, Edwin Tarrington Sortwell, Harold Michael Stickland, and Frederik Hendrik tenBroeke.

As always the welcome mat is out at the House, 1812 West 19th Avenue, Vancouver, to any Brothers who happen to be visiting the Pacific North West.

## EPSILON NU

### Michigan State College



JOHN C. BROGAN  
*Associate Editor*

*(The following communication is re-printed from the November, 1953, issue of THE DIAMOND, where through an error, it appeared under a wrong heading.)*

The Epsilon Nu has gotten away to a fast start this fall being extremely active within the House, as well as in other campus functions.

The social program under the direction of Brother Bill Wedemeyer has been unusually successful thus far this term. Homecoming at the House is always a big event at the Epsilon Nu and this year was no exception. Many alumni traveled great distances to reunite with their Brothers. The Chapter was very proud of its homecoming display this year which was accomplished only through much hard work by the actives. As in the past the Chapter has held a buffet dinner following each home football game. Preceding homecoming was a hayride which was thoroughly enjoyed by all the Brothers and their dates.

In Interfraternity Athletics we have one of the finest touch-football teams in our history. At the present time we are well on our way to a block title in bowling as well as

touch-football. The House should be strong in all sports this year and should be a strong contender for the All-Sport Championship Trophy.

Rushing at the Epsilon Nu has kept the Actives very busy during the beginning of this term. At the present time we have sixteen new pledges as well as four pledges carried over from last term. These men are: James Brooks, Patrick Burke, William Cadwell, Robert Campbell, Michael Carlson, Wayne Dietlin, Thomas Evert, Phillip Fowler, Joseph Harrison, John Herrick, Robert Inch, Richard Marsh, Jerald Matson, Dale Petrosky, Robert Ray, Charles Sawyer, James Simons, Vince Valvona, Gordon Whitcomb, and John Zavitz.

Our House President this term is Charles W. Crandall who is back with us after serving two years in the Army. Brother Crandall was House President during Fall Term, 1950, before leaving for the Army. The other House officers are: Lawrence J. Loughlin, Vice-President; Joseph E. Terrell, Secretary; John C. Neil, Treasurer, and William M. Doerr, House Manager.

In closing, the Epsilon Nu would like to extend an invitation to all Brothers who might happen to be in this vicinity. Drop in any time and stay as long as you please.

## EPSILON OMEGA Northwestern



FRANCIS E. X. DANCE  
*Associate Editor*

At the time of this writing Northwestern University has closed its doors for the Christmas vacation. Examinations are over and the Fall Quarter has ended. Looking back over the past few months it seems as if the Epsilon Omega has had a busy time.

Early in the quarter we celebrated the Homecoming weekend. This year our House decoration consisted of a full size guillotine with an effigy of a Wisconsin football player placed in position for decapitation. Plans called for the blade to rise and fall—however our engineers met with too many difficulties, so o o—the blade remained immobile. However we received many compliments on the decoration. Some of the brothers from the Rho



dropped in for the weekend and many old friendships were revived and new ones were formed.

In late November our Mothers' Club held a buffet supper at the House. Most of the parents were present and everybody ate their fill. The pledge class provided the entertainment. A raffle was held and as a result the House was fifty dollars richer. The Mothers' Club also has given the House a gift of a remodeled kitchen—this was sorely needed and is much appreciated. We indeed have a very active and very kind group of Mothers interested in the Chapter.

At the present time the Epsilon Omega has a small Alumni Chapter at Fort Leonard Wood in Missouri. About five of the graduated brothers are stationed there for their basic training.

One of the Fraternity beneficiaries who is all too often totally neglected is the House cook. Our own cook, Olga, has been an integral part of the House life for almost three years. Her cooking is excellent and her long suffering disposition is even more admirable. Here, in print, the Chapter would like to express its sincere appreciation for both her smile and her cooking.

The House had a Christmas tree decorating party in December, the Brothers and their dates put up the tree—then went around the campus singing carols—returned to the House, drank cocoa and finished decorating the tree.

Our Chapter held elections the first week in December. Our new President is Francis E. X. Dance, the Vice-President is Charles Brown, the Steward-Treasurer is John Reicheldorfer and the Corresponding Secretary is Charles Wolf.

We ended up the quarter with the Chicago Founder's Day Dinner. The Chapter attended *en masse* and we were honored to lead the singing for the Alumni.

Our new trustees are Paul Lewis, Curt Streeter, and Paul Potter.

Happy New Year!

## THETA EPSILON University of Southern California

KARL SCHERDTFEGER, *Associate Editor*

Theta Epsilon Chapter started the fall of '53 in fine style. An all-out rushing program took place during the summer vacation in order that the youngest Chapter of Psi U should make a good showing during this school year. We owe a great deal of thanks and appreciation to Alumnus Royce Crain for

his fine organization of this rushing program.

We are making a firm effort to build our Chapter to great heights during this year. To secure OUR OWN House by the beginning of the 1954 fall semester is one of our primary goals now that we are growing to good proportions.

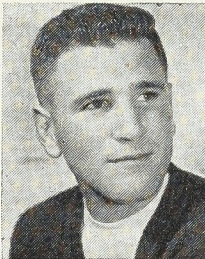
The Mothers' Club has, as usual, done a great deal for the House during this rapidly passing semester. Their fine luncheons and gifts have been appreciated by every one of us more than words can say.

Just before Christmas vacation began, new officers were elected. Brother William Brink again takes over the duties of President. The office of Vice-President is held by Brother William Sheets. Busy keeping track of the minutes is Brother Duane Kirkpatrick, Recording Secretary. Brother Joseph Schneider is watching over our money as Treasurer, while yours truly is Corresponding Secretary. Several important positions were filled by appointment. Brother Robert Kime is Social Chairman, Brother Frank Kaufman takes charge of the House Manager's duties, and Brother Elgian Hurley, as Parliamentarian, tries to keep order during our meetings.

We were very proud of Theta Epsilon's part—a float in honor of those who fought in the Korean conflict—in the University of Southern California Homecoming Parade, down the "miracle mile" of Wilshire Boulevard.

We extend an invitation to our Brothers to stay at Theta Epsilon whenever they find themselves in Southern California.

## LAMBDA Columbia University



JOHN A. CHANCE  
*Associate Editor*

This semester, Ed Hawxhurst grips the gavel of Lambda President. Dick Korsak assumes chair and duties of the former Vice-President, Hawxhurst. Hank Hubbard accepts the scribe's position and Harry Smith will keep tabs on the exchequer. The three ex-officers are Al Perez, President, George Michel, Secretary, and Walter Glinsman, Treasurer. Electing the new officers was a lengthy business. There was much hashing and re-hashing of the nominees' abilities. This debate time

was not ill spent; it resulted in choice of capable men.

On December 15, 1953, we proudly and gladly initiated five welcome new Brothers. The quintet completed pledge period and Devil's Old Home Week in fine style. They are all of a type to add very much needed life to the Lambda of Psi U. Their home towns were in the latest DIAMOND. Here, once again, are their names: Don Kazimir, Peter Martin, Ronald Martin, Robert Patrick, William Temple.

Pete Martin is a standout on Columbia's swimming team. The sturdy, spring muscled aqua-man won first in the 50 yard free style race, second in the 100 yard free style race, and churned water in the relay, winning of which made Columbia victor over Syracuse on January 5.

Psi U. at present is fourth in the Hawke's Cup (Coveted Columbia Cup for top all round interfraternity athletic achievement) competition. As pledges, our new Brothers sparked us to this position and to second place in our football league.

Al Perez, President during the fall semester, was voted recipient of the 1952-53 Junior Key. Outstanding contributions of work and interest to the college and fraternity are the criteria for voting. We think Al was as happy to receive the award as we were to cast our ballots.

Walter Bossert, who is steadily increasing his importance and influence in the AFROTC, has another favorite forte, pipe smoking. He was hosted by the University of Virginia at a fuming contest not long ago. His performance fell short of the record-making one at Yale last year, which still stands.

New Year's Eve at the Delta Chapter, New York University, was a success. The occasion was made more enjoyable by attendance of some Delta Brothers. In past years, they have usually been out of town.

Till the next issue, SKÖL! to our Brothers at each Chapter. Thanks very much too for your colorful Christmas cards. We are planning a raffle whereby to raise cash for purchase of some next Yule season.

## DELTA DELTA Williams College

CALVIN M. BERGER, *Associate Editor*

An alumnus returning to the Delta Delta this winter would find that many changes have occurred here during the past few months. As he entered the House the first change would

be very obvious. Most of the first floor has been redecorated: new rugs, furniture, and great quantities of paint have transformed living-room, library, and study into clean, pleasant rooms. The redecorating, he would find, continues in the upper floors. The Brothers have done a remarkable job with their rooms; nearly every bedroom has been repainted and the furnishings have been done over.

The House will seem different to him for another reason, however, something, he will realize, is missing. There are no pledges at the Delta Delta this year. The college has adopted a new "deferred rushing" system. Under this new plan all rushing of the freshman class has been deferred to the beginning of their sophomore year. In order that we may rush next fall every fraternity member on campus has signed a "Rushing Agreement" that was drawn up by the administration and the Undergraduate Council. This agreement reads, in part, as follows:

"The intention of this rushing agreement is to provide opportunity for normal association between fraternity members and freshmen. The regulations listed below are prescribed in order to prevent actual rushing which shall only be defined as approaching a freshman with the intention of influencing him to join a particular fraternity.

"1. No freshman shall be allowed in any fraternity house or on any fraternity property except on official business. . . .

"2. No fraternity members—except those on official business—shall be allowed in any freshman dormitory.

"3. At no time while college is in session shall there be actual rushing or any activities connected with rushing, on or off fraternity property, until the formal rushing period in September 1954."

All freshmen and fraternity members signed a pledge stating that they will abide by the letter and the spirit of the above regulations. This curtailment of rushing has had a serious effect, both social and financial, upon our House. This year there are about eighteen fewer members than usual sharing in our fraternity activities. This is, of course, a serious loss, but I am happy to report that due to the efforts of the Brothers things are running quite smoothly.

In closing I would like to say that we here at Delta Delta would like our "returning alumnus" to be accompanied by many of his Brethren—we are always glad to see you and hope that you will drop in and say hello.

# IN MEMORIAM

## Henry Newbold Woolman Tau '96

*Henry Newbold Woolman, Tau '96, died on December 27, 1953, from a heart attack at his home, 132 St. George Road, Ardmore, Pennsylvania. Brother Woolman was throughout his life a most loyal and active alumnus of the Tau Chapter, and for thirteen years, from 1938 to 1953, served on the Executive Council of Psi Upsilon. An obituary article will appear in the March issue of THE DIAMOND.*

## Deaths Reported

(The date of death, where known, is recorded below the name)

- Ralph Wilson Bingaman, Pi '09  
October 8, 1953
- George Alexander Carnahan, Xi '84  
January 3, 1954
- Charles Chadwick, Beta '97  
September 28, 1953
- Austin William Clark, Epsilon '19  
Several years ago.
- Arthur W. Cooley, Omicron '22  
October 5, 1953
- Harry Westbrook DeGraff, Theta '98  
September 22, 1953
- H. Ordway Furbish, Gamma '20  
September 2, 1953
- Arthur Boynton Glidden, Kappa '07  
August 21, 1953
- Alfred Ernest Hamill, Beta '05  
July 12, 1953
- John Augustus Hamilton, Pi '91  
Francis S. Haynes, Xi '10  
December 27, 1953
- Sherman Gray Hickox, Zeta '15
- John Howard Holmes, Psi '98-Chi '99  
1951
- Thomas Read Hulme, Tau '29
- Herman Livingston, Beta '79  
December, 1936
- John F. Kumler, Jr., Phi '04  
December 22, 1953
- Donald Brigham Logan, Zeta '04  
June 22, 1951
- Herbert Wesley Markham, Pi '85
- Francis Pope Marsh, Kappa '33
- Richard W. Martens, Zeta '43  
August 16, 1952
- Kenneth Dickerson Miller, Mu '18  
November 10, 1951
- Charles Rockwell Morley, Beta '86  
December 11, 1952
- Howard Nowell Morton, Zeta '11  
February 1, 1952
- John James Nairn, Beta '80
- Archie Lyman Nash, Rho '98
- Frederick Ambrose Pearson, Beta '14  
December 7, 1952
- William L. Pierce, Jr., Lambda '14  
November 24, 1944
- Roy Newton Pierson, Mu '03
- Wilfred Wickliffe Porter, Pi, '86  
October 21, 1949
- Forrest Allen Pruitt, Omicron '07  
June 4, 1953
- Stanley Miller Richardson, Epsilon '08-Beta '11  
December 26, 1953
- Philip Noyes Reidinger, Theta '13  
March 1, 1953
- Kenneth Frank Reimer, Omicron '50  
June 11, 1953
- Sherwood H. Standish, Phi '05  
December 4, 1953
- Adrian Delano Stevenson, Phi '96  
March 5, 1953
- John Cochrane Sweet, Mu '93
- Ernest Benjamin Tomlinson, Rho '04  
November 22, 1953
- Loring Lombard Tonkin, Chi '11  
December 12, 1953
- Dr. Thomas Turnbull, Jr., Chi '88  
December 23, 1948
- Ralph Whitmore Wallace, Delta Delta '27  
December 17, 1952
- Henry Waeller, Omega '04  
November 1, 1952
- Allen Wardwell, Beta '95  
December 5, 1953
- John J. Whittlesey, Phi '00

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