

GREEKS

Alpha Sigma Phi

Brother Robert Erikson was recently appointed rushing chairman; and so far the work seems to be progressing quite well, since the following men have recently been pledged: Robert Jonelis, Louis Long, and Donald Price. Erikson's campaign is continuing and it is expected that quite a few more men will be pledged this semester.

Delta Tau Delta

This Thursday night the alumnae of Delta Tau Delta plan to hold a dinner at the house. They will talk over old times and make plans for the future.

On Saturday afternoon the Delts are having a get-together at the Palmer House. The Delts come from all corners of the country and enjoy that good old Chicago hospitality.

Last Saturday night the boys held a sweater dance which was enjoyed by all. Dr. and Mrs. Richter, who chaperoned the affair, entered right into the spirit of things.

Delta Tau Delta is pleased to announce the formal pledging of Dougan Luebben.

Kappa Phi Delta

Formal initiation was held by the Kappa's, Saturday, February 27, at the Webster Hotel, before the alumnae. This gala affair climaxed with a song and dance program put on by the newly initiated sisters, Jane Ahrens, Lillian Seges, Isabella Winter, and Dolores Zwierko. They are now full fledged Kappa's!

Ruth Body is now feeling better and will be coming down to school one of these days. Best wishes from "her to you"!

Patricia Arns has left school this semester, but she hasn't gone too far. She's now working in the other building for the Signal Corps! At least we see her during her lunch hour!

Pan-Hellenic Tea

Freshman students were introduced en masse to the girls of the four sororities at Lewis, Wednesday, February 24, at the bi-annual Pan-Hellenic Tea, held in the Faculty Dining room.

Miss Mollie Cohen, of the English department, now the newly appointed sponsor of the council since Mrs. Helen McKinzie left, had a good chance to become acquainted.

Tea and cakes were served through the arrangements of Reva Matthews and Ethel Witt, with each sorority cooperating fully for the party's success.

Phi Kappa Sigma

Prune pudding and intestinal flu have kept the boys quite busy and away from classes this week. Bud Havlik has tallied up quite a score—he has the all time record for reaching almost any point in the house with unbelievable rapidity.

Jack Brownson has just begun to believe that broad minded women are all they're cracked up to be. "A couple of the boys were whooping it up" . . . but then that's the same story. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays President Jack Boland limits the length of phone conversa-

tions: he does his calling on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Pi Kappa Phi

Last Saturday night an exclusive number of brothers were held spell-bound by the lilting syncopation of the Pi Kappa dance box.

This dance was by no means an everyday run-of-the-mill affair. With all due respect to the excellent music provided by our able social chairman, J. Mark, the main attraction of the evening were the beautiful sweater girls, who seemed to materialized around every corner.

According to all present the dance would have continued until the afternoon of the next day if the needle in the dance box hadn't melted.

After the chapter meeting Wednesday night, the mid-week grind was broken by an engagement party for Herb Hansen, who had announced last week the forging of the final link. Many songs were sung and the party finally broke up as 25 weary-throated crows wended their way to the books.

For the past few days Doug Snyder's brother Jack of the US Coast Guard has been visiting the house before assuming his new post. Brother Russ Freedain is deep in the heart of the old South waiting induction into the army.

With the howls of the wild West, a Western style dance was thrown Saturday night, February 20. Queer games were played by all who attended.

Rho Delta Rho

In a gay festive mood, yet mindful of the gravity of the situation, the entire fraternity spent last Sunday night in wishing Trevor Miner bon voyage. Accompanying him in the Army Air Force is Marvin Berman, while Eugene Nedwick went to the University of Chicago Meteorology School.

For the spring semester we announce the pledging of the following men: Art Berman, Charles Berman, Art Greenwald, Irving Lichtenstein, Bill Stein, Bill Weinsten, and Alex Weiss. To celebrate their pledging, a theater party is being given in their honor. The pledges and their dates will be Rho Delta Rho guests at a performance of "The Eve of St. Mark" on Friday, March 12.

With the payment of tuition and dues over, the boys' financial condition is in excellent shape. Nevertheless, Si Enthman, Ben Livin, and Earl Lichten will run a hard times party for the fraternal body Saturday, March 20.

Sigma Alpha Mu

The call to duty was answered at the "Sammie" House last month. Off to the west coast went graduate Earl Sherman, in aviation engineering, to the job waiting for him at North American Aviation Co. To the Army went Allan Raff, Aaron Steinberg, and Marvin Glaser. Al Raff's assignment is in meteorology. The Army Air Force takes its share of boys by calling Jerry Kaplan to the colors this month.

The vacancies in office left open will be competently filled by Lev Davidson and Morton Paul. Sigma Alpha Mu heartily welcomes the new '43 pledge class which includes: Irving Kornfeld, Wilson Junior College; Bernie Peskin, Wilson; Fred Spector, Wilson; Roy Comart, Eras-

mus Hall High, N.Y.C.; Harvey Mar-der, Lane Tech; and Norm Offender, Armour. The fraternity is now comfortably settled in the new house at 3230 S. Wells St.

Sigma Omicron Lambda

The Sigma Omicron Lambda Sorority held its annual dinner-dance on Saturday, February 20, in the Marine Dining Room of the Edgewater Beach Hotel. Many of the girls invited service men to be their guests. They certainly have the patriotic spirit!

Joanna Altenkamp, an alumna, became Mrs. Charles Kush, on Saturday, February 13. She wore a bridal gown of egg-shell satin. Her veil was finger-tip length. Loretta Grellner, another alumna, was one of the bridesmaids.

Lorraine Hamm Reinhardt recently became the mother of a son, Charles Henry Reinhardt, III. Congratulations! Lorraine is an alumna who graduated from Lewis in 1940.

Myrna Lokay, a co-op active, is now in the hospital recuperating from an appendectomy. Best wishes for a speedy recovery, Myrna!

Gloria Landin is wearing a Daedalian fraternity pin—presented to her by Gordon Campbell. Congrats!

Theta Xi

The roster of Alpha Gamma chapter of Theta Xi was swelled recently by the initiation of nine men. The new brothers include: Donald Johnsen, Harold Scholin, John Weber, Clifford Knauer, Gordon Cole, George Loeffler, Frank Graf, Glenn Runstebm, and Alfred Kautzi. In addition, Irvin Rebeschini, Donald Dahl, James Norina, Salvatore Terranova, and Russell Osman were awarded their pledge pins, and it is probable that several more will be pledged in the very near future.

We'll all regret losing brothers Robert Klein, Howard Smith, Clifford Knauer, and Alfred Kautzi. Klein will soon be wearing the navy blue in the form of a midshipman's uniform, whereas the others expect to be khaki-clad within the next few weeks.

Officers for the new term are John Koza, president; John Cox, vice president; Donald Johnsen, treasurer; John Weber, corresponding secretary; and Gordon Cole, houseman.

Triangle

Triangle is pleased to announce the initiation of seven new men into the fraternity. They are: Hugh St. Clair Christian, ME '46; Thaddeus Majewski, ME '46; Robert Guthrie, IE '46; Robert Ronk, ME Co-op '47; Damon Martin, ME Co-op '47; Thomas Dunsheath, ME Co-op '45; Jack Soderberg, ME Co-op '45.

The initiation ceremony was held at the fraternity house and the initiation banquet took place at the Bismarck Hotel.

A number of Triangle men donated their services and time to help the government distribute ration book number two.

Organizations

Armour Eye

Flash, click, and another picture has been taken by a member of the Armour Eye. The photo will either appear in the Technology News, Illinois Tech Engineer, the Integral, or be placed on exhibit in the Student Union Building. The developing and printing are done in the two laboratories of the clubroom. The equipment and the usual chemicals are purchased from the membership fee of three dollars a semester.

If anyone is interested in the Armour Eye they may obtain additional information on the fourth floor of the second entrance Chapin. One of the members can usually be found there daily between ten and eleven o'clock; the regular meetings of the club, however, are on Fridays.

Members of the club often receive discounts on purchases from outside sources. The only materials a member must buy are the paper, film, and certain special chemicals.

The club received President Heald's permission to have their five rooms remodeled and painted while the decorators were visiting Chapin Hall.

FACULTY BRIEFS

One of Dr. William Krathwohl's hobbies during the past twenty-three years has been the maintenance of the same digits on his automobile license plates. These five numbers, 22449, represent the square root of five expressed to five places. Dr. Krathwohl had intended using the first digits of pi as the plate numbers, but thought better of the idea when he realized that sooner or later some bright students would begin to call his car the "pie wagon."

Professor Rufus Oldenburger lectured to the faculty and student body of McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, last month on "Applied Mathematics." This lecture covered some of the principle techniques used in solving engineering problems by mathematics.

Research Shorts

Mr. Norman C. Penfold, Supervisor of Engine Research, will attend the Cooperative Research Council meeting in Detroit, Saturday, March 6.

Dr. C. O. Dohrenwend, Supervisor of Engineering Mechanics, spent the last week on the West coast visiting plants of the Weyerhaeuser Lumber Company.

Dr. R. G. Spencer and Mr. Ardelle Glaze of the Metals and Minerals Section visited the wire drawing plant of the National Standard Company at Niles, Michigan, on Thursday.

Dr. Martin H. Heeren sent a part

Dance Club

The Illinois Institute of Technology's Dance Club, the club that provides its members with finer feminine forms, is beginning another season.

For the benefit of those persons who have not yet heard much about this organization, a few notes that will be of interest have been inserted here. This club retains a professional dancer to instruct the members in the art of finer ball-room dancing, including the waltz, fox trot, rhumba, etc. The past, highly successful season, culminated with a dance in which the women-folk and refreshments were provided by the club to the full satisfaction of all (the latter statement was made because the guys and gals who coupled up at this party have been seen coupled up at various other socials). There is also a date bureau containing the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and pictures of about one-hundred bits of feminine pulchritude, which is open to the club members.

The club held a meeting last Friday. Newly elected officers are: Ted Pilat, president; Renny Bergren, vice-president; and Ray Gavin, secretary. It was announced that a social will be held in the very near future. All new members will be eligible to attend.

All students who are interested in joining this club should watch the bulletin board for an announcement of the next meeting.

IAeS

Future plans of IAeS call for meetings consisting of movies, lectures by prominent men, and other activities to carry out the organization's purpose of "advancement and dissemination of knowledge of the theory and practice of the aeronautical sciences and provision to students of the opportunity to become acquainted with the personnel and activities of the IAeS, and the fostering of professional consciousness and fellowship."

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