



The Reporter



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D.C. Alumni to Host PAD's in Congress Event Will Climax Active Year

The Washington, D. C., Alumni Chapter of PAD is completing plans for a whirlwind finish to one of the most active years in its history. The social highlight of the year promises to be a cocktail party in honor of PAD members of the 83rd Congress, which has been tentatively set for May of this year. It would not be inaccurate to say that the Congressional P.A.D.'s will have to share the spotlight with the wives and sweethearts of the D. C. Alumni, for this will be the first chapter function in recent years to which the ladies will be invited. However, it is not contemplated that the Congressmen will object to the presence of these more decorative guests.

The Chapter is well pleased with the success of its monthly luncheon meetings, which have now become a chapter institution, at which PADs of all ages and interests have gathered to hear interesting, prominent speakers such as: Judge Barrett E. Prettyman, U. S. Court of Appeals for D. C., Judge Richmond B. Keech (Taft), U. S. District Court for D. C., Judge Boland B. Turner (Jay) Tax Court of U. S., former Ambassador, William S. Culbertson (Calhoun), Rep. Francis E. Walter (Taft) and Rep. Eugene Keough.

Evening Meeting

The program of evening meetings has been restricted to four evening meetings in order to limit Chapter affairs to a reasonable number. However, several successful, evening smoker-business meetings were held, at which such outstanding guests as former Attorney General Homer Cummings (Calhoun) and Judge Joseph R. Jackson (Taft), Court of Customs and Patent Appeals (Ret) informally addressed the group. The last evening meeting is planned for June as a dinner meeting at which the Chapter officers for the ensuing operating year will be installed.

Chapter Accomplishments

From the above review of the Chapter's social activities for the past year, it might be erroneously concluded that the Chapter did nothing but amuse itself. Such a conclusion would be thoroughly unjustified when the following Chapter accomplishments are considered:

1. An employment placement program is actively functioning.

2. A legal aid committee has been actively engaged in formulating the most effective manner for P.A.D.'s to assist in local legal aid work.

3. An expansion committee is working on potential new chapters at law schools in this area.

4. The directory committee is preparing a revision and modernization of the directory of P.A.D.'s in the Washington area which was the first published on June 19, 1952, and anticipate its distribution during the summer.

The Chapter can proudly look back on a truly successful year, which was started so auspiciously under the leadership of Justice Robert E. Redding (currently Justice of District 12) and terminated so capably under Justice William B. Robertson. Each of the other officers and committee members of the Chapter exerted great efforts to put over the Chapter's very ambitious program, which could not have been accomplished without the active cooperation and support of each of the 270 active members.

Wilson W Wyatt Initiated As Honorary Member

Wilson W. Wyatt of Louisville, Kentucky, was made an honorary member of Fred M. Vinson Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta on Wednesday afternoon, March 18, 1953. The ceremony took place in the Landsome oak-paneled Allen Court Room of the University of Louisville School of Law. The officers on this occasion were: David Wagner, Justice; Edwin Schroering, Vice-Justice; Thomas Burchett, Jr., Clerk; Richard B. Linton, Treasurer; and Erwin Sherman, Marshal. Attending this function as a representative of the National Chapter was J. Westwood Smithers, of Richmond, Virginia, Supreme Vice-Justice of the fraternity.

After the ceremonies at the Law Building, the group adjourned to the Henry Watterson Hotel in downtown Louisville for a banquet. The toastmaster of the evening was Mr. William B. Peden, assistant professor of law and alumnus of Vinson Chapter. He presented Dean Absalom C. Russell of the Law School, guest of the chapter at the banquet. Dean Russell complimented the chapter on its contribution to the Law School, and congratulated them on gaining such an illustrious Louisville as a member.

Mr. Peden then introduced Mr. Smithers who brought greetings from the National Chapter and conveyed the regrets of Judge Savarese that he could not be with the chapter at that time. He then spoke briefly on the place that a law fraternity can and should play in the law school.

Mr. Wyatt was then presented to the group and after identifying himself with the "neophyte" brothers of the chapter, delivered an address entitled "The Changing Profession of Law." In an

easy, yet compelling and vital manner, he captured and held the imagination and attention of his audience. It was a speech characterized by broad experience, keen perception, and fluent language.

Wyatt Speech

Mr. Wyatt stated that a major change in the law profession is the new emphasis in law. This change is naturally reflected in the courses offered in the law school such as tax courses, economics, legal accounting, etc.

Today many men take law to prepare themselves for executive positions in business, and it is frequently the general counsel for the corporation rather than the man raised in the business that becomes the president of the organization. This, in itself is a tribute to the profession and to the training which law gives them. This growing importance of the lawyer in business is noted by the trend to "preventive legal assistance" through wise use of advisory counsel.

To the young lawyer starting

Seventy-third Chapter of PAD Installed At John Marshall Law School



ABRAHAM LINCOLN CHAPTER initiation was highlighted by words of welcome from the Supreme Justice.

out, the practice is an "intriguing exciting adventure," and he will find that many factors are unchanged and unchanging. Among those are his INTEGRITY, DILIGENCE AND THOROUGHNESS. The young lawyer must be careful of the dangerous pitfall of making an assumption as to what the degree ought to be. Diligence and thoroughness on the part of the other lawyer may make his assumption false. In his search the lawyer should never forget his primary source material: The United States Constitution, his State Constitution, and the Statutes. Along this same line, he stated that it is well for the young lawyer to practice every type of case to gain a broad knowledge of the law and broad experience. He (the young lawyer) will find that "Knowledge is an unchanged factor" for which there is no substitute.

Finally the lawyer should participate actively in politics and civic affairs.

National Reputation

This "neophyte" honorary brother brings to our fraternity a nationally known and respected man, who by his association with us, adds brilliance to the already illustrious group which Phi Alpha Delta calls its own. Mr. Wyatt as one of Kentucky's most able and competent attorneys, and is a member of the Louisville firm of Wyatt, Grafton and Grafton. He received his undergraduate training at the University of Louisville, and his LL.B. degree from the Jefferson Law School in 1927. In the same year, he was admitted to the State Bar. Shortly thereafter in 1934, he was Trial Attorney for the City of Louisville. During the same period, from 1929 to 1935, he was a member of the Faculty of the Jefferson Law School. From 1941 to 1945, he was the Mayor of Louisville, and received wide recognition for his

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New Chapter Named After Abraham Lincoln

Phi Alpha Delta gained its seventy-third active chapter on Sunday, April 12, 1953, with the installation of the Abraham Lincoln Chapter at the John Marshall Law School in Chicago.

Story Chapter conducted the initiation ceremonies. The Supreme Executive Board was represented by Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray and Supreme Marshal Anthony A. DiGrazia.

The group of seventeen men who constitute the new chapter chose to name their chapter Abraham Lincoln Chapter because "the high ideals which made Lincoln stand far above the rest are the same ideals by which this group has dedicated itself. Honor, preservation, and hard work—towards our school, our profession and our fraternity."

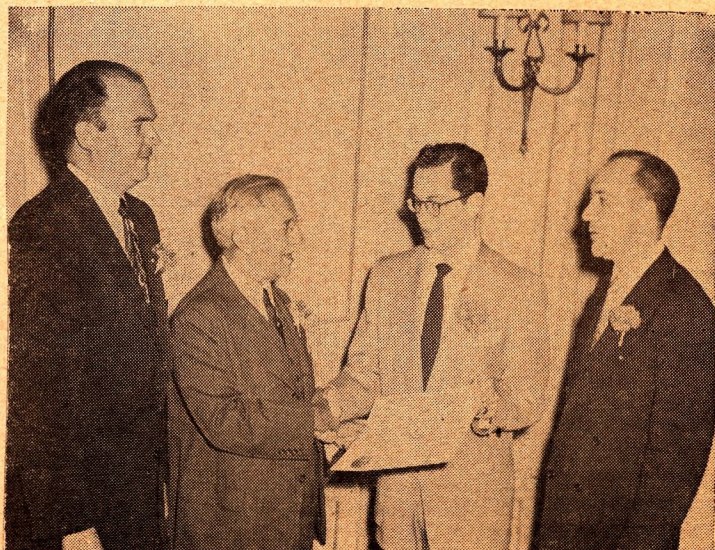
The John Marshall Law School is a non-profit educational institution founded in 1899 and is accredited by the Illinois Supreme Court and the Illinois Board of Law Examiners. The American Bar Association Committee on

Law Schools has given it a class "A" rating, thus indicating that it complies fully with the standards set by the ABA. This is in keeping with the policy of Phi Alpha Delta to only install chapters in class "A" law schools.

Initiation Banquet

A banquet celebrating the installation of the new chapter was held that evening at the Palmer House in Chicago. Brother DiGrazia served as Toastmaster for the evening and introduced Supreme Justice Savarese who welcomed the new chapter and its members into the national organization. Newton Hacker, the

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SUPREME JUSTICE SAVARESE presents charter for Abraham Lincoln Chapter to Newton Hacker, newly elected Justice.

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MESSAGE FROM THE SUPREME JUSTICE

During the last few months the active chapters of Phi Alpha Delta have convened in their various district conclaves for the avowed purpose of exchanging ideas and programs and thus improving and strengthening each individual chapter and the fraternity as a whole. Conclaves have been held in ten of our twelve districts and the remaining two districts have scheduled meetings for the fall. At each conclave local alumni chapters were present and participated actively. In some cases they actually sponsored the event.

Your Supreme Executive Board was represented at every conclave by one or more members of the Board. As your Supreme Justice, I had the privilege of attending several of these conclaves.

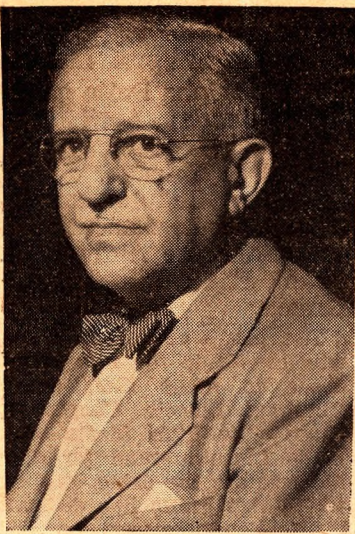
The success of the conclaves this year was a tribute to the long hours of careful and efficient planning of the host chapters and the District Justices.

Each conclave had many outstanding features. One district brought in a new innovation with the presentation of a Placement Symposium which covered many of the major fields of employment for the lawyer. Others presented outstanding speakers, panel discussions and varied programs.

All of our districts appear to be in excellent shape. Much credit for this is due our fine group of District Justices who though they hold responsible positions in the legal world yet give so freely of their time and energies to the fraternity and its problems.

The annual district conclave has done much to strengthen the tie between the active chapter and the National Chapter. It further affords an excellent opportunity for the members of each active chapter to meet with and become acquainted with PAD undergraduates and alumni in the immediate locale. Evidence of the goodwill they breed is the ever-increasing number of joint chapter initiations and other joint functions being held.

A portion of the time at each Conclave was devoted to the discussion of expansion possibilities. The fraternity's policy is to install chapters only at those schools which have been given a Class "A" rating by the American Bar Association Committee on Law Schools. There are presently four such Class "A" law schools where the installation of a new chapter in the near future is quite likely. The feasibility



ANTHONY P. SAVARESE

of new chapters at other schools is currently being investigated.

On Sunday afternoon, April 12th the Abraham Lincoln Chapter was installed at the John Marshall Law School in Chicago, thus bringing our total number of active chapters to seventy-three. A warm welcome is extended to this neophyte chapter and the new brothers it brings to the fraternity. I am quite sure that it will grow in strength and character as have our other chapters.

Anthony P. Savarese
Supreme Justice

Savarese Addresses Calhoun Initiates

At a banquet following initiation ceremonies held by Calhoun Chapter at Yale Law School on April 18, 1953, Supreme Justice Savarese addressed the new brothers of Phi Alpha Delta. His speech emphasized what PAD can mean to its members.

Other guests of honor were District Justice Albert A. Verrilli, Professors Fleming, James, Jr., and Lafayette S. Foster of Yale Law School.

Fredrick J. Weitkamp New Executive Sec'y



FREDRICK J. WEITKAMP

Fredrick J. Weitkamp of Los Angeles, California has been appointed Executive Secretary of Phi Alpha Delta, it was announced recently by Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese.

Brother Weitkamp is a graduate of the University of Southern California School of Law where he was a member of Ross Chapter. While at USC he served the law school as secretary-treasurer of the student body.

The new Executive Secretary took his undergraduate work at Occidental College where he was active in student body affairs, having been a member of the Executive Council; president of Tiger Claws, honorary service organization, and president of Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

His office will be adjacent to that of Frank E. Gray, the Supreme Secretary, and to the fraternity office, located at 202 South Hamilton Drive, Beverly Hills, California. Mr. Weitkamp will also be associated with the law firm of Gray and Guy, composed of Brother Gray and another PAD, Arthur D. Guy, Jr.

Brother Weitkamp is a member of the California, Los Angeles and American Bar Associations, the First Congregational Church in Glendale, the Junior Barristers, the Young Republicans, and is president of the Glendale - Burbank Occidental College Alumni Club.

He is married to the former Marilyn Odell of Pasadena. They have one child, John, age four months.

Magruder Chapter Boasts Large Group of Faculty Brothers

Magruder Chapter at the University of Illinois reports that no less than seven nationally known law professors at the law school are PADs. They are:

Albert J. Harno (Calhoun), Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure; William E. Britton (Magruder), Bills and Notes, Sales, Drafting; George B. Weisinger (Magruder), Torts; Edward W. Cleary, (Magruder), Pleading, Evidence, Practice Court; Alfred F. Conard, Agency, Corporations; J. Nelson Young (Magruder), Federal, State and Local Taxation; Richard J. Faletti (Magruder), Contracts, Personal Property, Wills, Public Utilities.

John L. Sullivan Chapter Initiates

Twenty-two new members were initiated into the fraternity by John L. Sullivan chapter at St. Louis University on March 28, 1953, in the Lindell Room of the Melbourne Hotel. The initiation was followed by a cocktail party and banquet held in the main ballroom.

Guest speaker at the banquet was the Honorable Lawrence M. Hyde of the Missouri Supreme Court and formerly Chief Justice of that high court.

Among the group initiated was Harry Gershenson, a practicing St. Louis attorney and a member of the faculty of the Uni-

Curtis Award Established

By FRED S. SCHMUNK, JR.
Chapter Correspondent

Brewer Chapter at Stetson University has announced the establishment of the Leonard J. Curtis award which is to be given annually to the student at Stetson University Law School who attains the highest academic average for the previous five semesters.

The award will be presented at each annual Law Day Dinner by the Dean of the Law School. It is in the form of a plaque containing the name of each recipient on a separate brass plaque attached to the larger.

Leonard J. Curtis is one of the outstanding legal educators in America today. He holds the degrees of B.S., M.S., J.D., and LL.M. He is also a member of Knox Chapter and is listed in "Who's Who of the World."

Brother Curtis is a man of unbelievable vitality and unsurpassed inspiration to the many students he so painstakingly instructs in the ways of the law. His philosophy of teaching is contained in a statement he recently made: "Every time I meet with a class it is an opportunity for both the students and myself to learn. Teaching is my pleasure."

Washington Boasts PAD Legislators

The 33rd Legislature of the State of Washington which convened January 12, 1953 has just adjourned after an extra week in special session. Among its prominent members in both Senate and House are more than a few members of Phi Alpha Delta.

In the Senate there is Senator Bob Grieve of Seattle, Washington, who was the Democratic Caucus chairman and who is now serving his second 4 year term.

Senator Albert D. Rossellini of Seattle, now completing his fourth term, was again Democratic Floor Leader.

Newly elected to the Senate was former State Representative Neil J. Hoff, of Tacoma, Wash., who was chairman of the Committee on State Institutions.

Serving in the House of Representatives were Marshall A. Neill of Pullman, Washington, a member of the Rules and Appropriations Committees; and Lincoln Shropshire of Yakima, Washington, who was chairman of the Committee of Industrial Insurance.

Also in Olympia, although not as a Legislator, was Brother Joseph A. Holleman, of Seattle, Washington, Clerk of the Seattle Alumni Chapter, who served as the attorney for the Senate Democratic Caucus.

KNOW YOUR OFFICERS These Men Guide Our Fraternity



HENRY CARTER FOSS
Supreme Historian

Henry Carter Foss, our Supreme Historian, was born in Chicago, Illinois, some 37 years ago. Migrating to New Orleans, he attended undergraduate and law school at Tulane University.

Upon graduation he became associated with the firm of Montgomery, Fenner and Brown but in 1944 was called to active duty with the Army Air Corps. Upon discharge from active service he served as attorney for the California Company, a Standard Oil Co. of California subsidiary. Subsequently he reentered Duke University Law School for graduate work and earned his LL.M. While a student at Duke he was initiated into Rutledge Chapter.

Since that time he has held various positions the most noteworthy of which was that of legal and financial counsel to the Petroleum Administration for Defense. Brother Foss just recently resigned this position and entered the private practice of law in Washington, D. C.

At the 1950 National Convention, Mr. Foss was elected a trustee of PAD, and at the 1952 Convention he was elected to the position of Supreme Historian. He is currently very active in Washington Alumni and District XII affairs.

Brother Foss is married to Katherine Davis Bernhardt of Salisbury, North Carolina. They have four children. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Alpha Chi Sigma chemical fraternity, and the New Orleans, Louisiana and American Bar Associations.

versity Law School. Brother Gershenson is a former president of the St. Louis Bar Association.



J. WESTWOOD SMITHERS
Second Supreme Vice-Justice

J. Westwood Smithers, Second Supreme Vice-Justice of Phi Alpha Delta was elected to office at the Golden Anniversary Convention in 1952. Prior to that he had served on the Supreme Executive Board as Supreme Marshal.

Born on June 14, 1909, he was educated in Richmond public schools, and holds a B.S. in Business Administration and an LL.B. from the University of Richmond. He was a member of Patrick Henry Chapter, graduated as president of his class and was awarded the Norman medal as the best all-around law graduate. He has been a member of the law faculty at his alma mater since 1936 teaching Conflicts, Criminal Law, Legal Profession, Agency and Partnership.

Brother Smithers served his country in World War II as a Lieutenant-Commander in the U. S. Navy. He has been active in the American Legion and has held numerous posts in that organization.

His affiliations include Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Omicron Delta Kappa, McNeill Law Society of U. of Richmond, American Bar Association, Virginia State Bar, Richmond Bar Association, Association of American Law Schools and various bar association committees.

He is married and has a seven year old son.

Caplinger Appointed

James J. Caplinger of Sutherland Chapter was recently appointed Assistant Supreme Court Reporter for the Supreme Court of the State of Washington. Brother Caplinger was admitted to the Washington Bar in March of 1953.

A MORE EFFECTIVE RUSHING PROGRAM

By RALPH D. GLENN

Justice, Magruder Chapter

(This speech was given by Brother Glenn at the District VI Conclave. It is reprinted in the hope that other Chapters may benefit therefrom.)

The need for a rushing program is two fold: You must sell the fraternity, and you must secure new members to perpetuate the fraternity beyond your short days in law school. Magruder Chapter has a rushing program which we believe makes strides toward meeting this two-fold need.

There are certain mechanics of rushing which must be present in order to build an effective program, namely, a rushing committee, a system of personal contacts and rushing parties. At Magruder, the Marshal of the Chapter is automatically the rushing chairman. He selects to serve on his committee two or three outstanding young members who are personally acquainted with the new law students. By personal contacts, these committee members invite rushes to the rushing parties, and, after a vote determines those whom we wish to pledge, bids are extended personally to the invitees. The importance of these personal contacts cannot be over-emphasized. The rushing parties serve two major roles: it is here that we of the Chapter may view the rushees as to their personal qualifications, and it is here that the rushees may examine the fraternity in order to decide whether or not PAD is the legal fraternity which they wish to join.

Magruder Chapter incorporates in their program two rushing parties.

Rushing Materials

At a coffee and donut hour certain rushing materials may be displayed for the rushees to examine. The directory of our national organization is always appropriate at this time. It is here that the rushee may look to his home town and see the many PADs practicing there. The directory is bound in an attractive cover and is impressive to the uninitiated, especially when it is noted that Phi Alpha Delta has been acclaimed for having the finest Legal Fraternity Directory in the United States today!

Other items published by our National should also be on display. A copy of The Reporter, our National newspaper shows the binding tie between our alumni and our local chapters. The PAD Booklet, recently revised by our national officers, explains to the rushee our national organization and how it works. It lists the prominent PADs in our United States Government, such as, Richard Nixon, a PAD from the ranks, John Sparkman, Supreme Court Justices Douglas, Jackson, Burton and Clark. A man who wishes to join a legal fraternity looks to these things as quite important and it is only fitting that we should utilize this material in seeking new members. Also on

display can be the key and pin of Phi Alpha Delta.

Thus far we have noted the materials of the national that may be used in our rushing program. Now let us look at some of our local chapter material. At Magruder we maintain a scrapbook of articles, pictures and miscellaneous materials. When this is displayed the rushee is given a look into our past in order that he may see for himself that we have been around for a long time and are stable in our efforts to ever move forward. We also prepare a semester calendar of events which is accompanied by a listing of our officers, our seven faculty members of the Law School and all of our standing committee. (We have about thirteen such committees). The new pledge is interested in what the fraternity offers to him in the way of a program of activities. Also, the new pledge is interested in seeing just how he may contribute to the fraternity and it is through these many committees that such an opportunity is afforded. Magruder Chapter prepares each semester just for rushing, a mimeographed "poop sheet." It is here that the Magruder Chapter is explained and a short history of it accompanied by its meaning to the members at the University of Illinois is presented. The paper also lists the officers, the faculty members and all activities of the chapter. A sufficient number of copies are prepared so that each rushee may take a copy home with him. It is in this "poop sheet" that the Pledge-aid program of our Chapter is presented.

At the coffee and donut hour, we always have a speaker selected from our faculty members of the chapter. This speaker does not emphasize the importance of PAD but rather emphasizes the importance of joining a law fraternity. The mere fact that he is a PAD means more than any words he may say.

This coffee and donut hour is utilized to present the professional side of Phi Alpha Delta and what it means to a PAD. This first party is then followed up a week later by an all-out beer bust. It is here that you should have plenty of beer and good entertainment. Schools of Physical Education have often said that a man is best evaluated when he is playing a game. Well, it is at the beer bust that the rushee gets a good look at the social side of PAD and we, on



JUSTICE ALFRED P. MURRAH of the U. S. Court of Appeals shown addressing the Brothers at the District VIII Conclave on April 10-11.

Judge Murrah Addresses PAD Group

Conclave Hears Distinguished Pad Jurist

Judge Alfred P. Murrah (Harlan Chapter) of the United States Court of Appeals for the 10th Circuit was the principal speaker at the District VIII Conclave held over the weekend of April 10-11 in Dallas, Texas.

Speaking at the closing banquet Brother Murrah based his talk on a book by Sir Edward Perry, an English jurist, entitled "The Seven Lamps of Advocacy." Each of the seven lamps represented a different trait which the successful advocate should possess, such as honesty, wit, industry and fellowship. Judge Murrah elaborated on each lamp and illustrated how the acquisition of each would improve the effectiveness of the advocate. For example, he said, "It is better to wear out at the bar of law than to rust out." The Judge, a popular speaker at PAD functions, held his audience spellbound throughout his very effective presentation.

Brother Murrah also serves PAD as District Justice of District VIII. He is a past chairman of the Judicial Section of the American Bar Association.

Hosts to the Conclave were the brothers from Taney Chapter at the Southern Methodist School of Law. Delegates who attended can now sincerely attest to the oft-mentioned "Texas hospitality" for Taney Chapter truly arranged a weekend that none will forget.

The date for the conclave was well chosen as Southern Methodist University was in the midst of their spring carnival celebration and needless to say the PAD delegates joined in the festivities.

Conclave Chairman

A tremendous bouquet of orchids should be given to Benton Musselwhite of Taney Chapter who as Conclave Chairman so capably and efficiently organized the meeting and entertainment.

The Lawyer's Inn was the scene of the reception for delegates and alumni Friday evening. Following this everyone joined the rest of the university at the carnival. Booths, games and entertainment of every type imaginable occupied the attention of all. (There were even some which were quite unimaginable!)

Saturday morning, however, realizing that they had come to Dallas for a serious purpose the brothers convened early and got down to the business at hand when Dee Brown Walker (Taney) called the conclave to order. Arthur Schroeder, Justice of Taney Chapter, assumed the podium and addressed the convention with a few well-chosen words of welcome which were followed by short remarks from

Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray who was representing the National Chapter at the Conclave.

The morning business session took the form of round table discussions which were as follows: "District Organization"—Taney Chapter; "Chapter Pledging and Membership Problems"—Harlan Chapter; "Alum Relations"—Clark Chapter; "Phi Alpha Delta Projects"—Garland Chapter; "Expansion"—Baylor Chapter.

At noon the conclave adjourned for luncheon which was held at the Lawyer's Inn. The Justice of the Dallas Alumni Chapter, Carlisle DeHay, was the principal speaker.

Law Quadrangle Tour

Before the conclave reconvened the delegates and alumni were conducted on a tour of the Southern Methodist Law Quadrangle which includes four law libraries, a dormitory for law students, classrooms, and administration offices.

The afternoon business session of the conclave consisted of a forum presided over by Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray and business in general. It was agreed that the 1954 conclave would take place in Norman, Oklahoma with Harlan Chapter as host and the 1955 conclave would be hosted by Garland Chapter.

Even though the formal part of the conclave had been terminated Taney Chapter still had a full (and we do mean full!) evening of entertainment planned for the delegates and alumni. To start the evening off right there was a cocktail party at the Hotel Stoneleigh, followed by a banquet which was presided over by Toastmaster Ralph Baker. It was at this banquet that the Hon. Alfred P. Murrah presented his conclave address.

Topping off the evening was the enjoyable time spent by all the campus Spring Dance. The brother from Taney chapter proved themselves the perfect hosts as they arranged many dates and introductions to the fairer sex. Music was provided by Ralph Flanagan and his orchestra.

Participating in the conclave were Baylor Chapter from Baylor University, Harlan Chapter from the University of Oklahoma, Clark Chapter from the University of Texas, Garland Chapter from the University of Arkansas, and Taney Chapter from Southern Methodist University.



PRINCIPALS IN DISTRICT VIII CONCLAVE. Left to right: Benton Musselwhite, Chairman in charge of the conclave arrangements; Arthur Schroeder, Justice Taney Chapter; Carlisle De Hay, Justice Dallas Alumni Chapter; Dee Brown Walker, a member of the Board of Tribunes; Honorable Alfred P. Murrah, U. S. Court of Appeals and District VIII Justice; Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray.



SUPREME JUSTICE SAVARESE conversing with brother jurists and members of the bar at the District VI Conclave.

WISCONSIN SUPREME COURT ATTENDS PAD MEETING

Governor Extends Welcome

"Attorney General Also Present"

Highlight of the District VI Conclave held the weekend of April 10-11 was the presence of a large number of prominent legal personalities including the justices of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, who actively participated.

Others in attendance were Wisconsin's Attorney General Vernon Thomson, Judge F. Ryan Duffy of the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals (Ryan Chapter), former Chief Justice Marvin Rosenberry of the Wisconsin Supreme Court (Ryan Chapter), Past Supreme Justice Frank L. Fawcett (Ryan Chapter), Dean Rundell of the Wisconsin Law School and other law school faculty members.

Phi Alpha Delta Supreme officers also present were Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese, Supreme Marshal Anthony A. DiGrazia, and Carl E. Dietze, chief Tribune of the Board of Tribunes and also a member of the Host chapter.

The town of Madison, Wisconsin served as the site for the 1953 District VI conclave and Ryan Chapter played the role of host to the conclave chapters, alumni and guests.

Wisconsin Governor

District Justice Daniel Costigan opened the conclave by introducing Governor Walter J. Kohler of Wisconsin who delivered an address welcoming the delegates and guests to Madison.

Friday evening saw the brothers turn out en masse for the traditional cocktail party which, this year, was followed by dancing at the Law School's Law Ball at the Nakoma Country Club. For many it was the first attendance at a PAD affair of this nature and all the brothers contributed to the success of the evening.

Saturday morning the business proper of the conclave got underway. Chapter topics discussed were as follows: "Developing interest in and Attendance at Chapter Meetings," Blackstone Chapter; "Sound Financial practices," Fuller Chapter; "A Profes-

sional Program in the Active Chapters," Halleck Chapter; "A More Effective Rushing Program," Magruder Chapter; "Proposed Chapters at Minnesota and Marquette Universities," Ryan Chapter; "Social Programs — Alumni Activities," Story Chapter; "Improvements in the Selection of Officers," Webster Chapter. There was a fine exchange and flow of ideas between the delegates and discussion leaders at all of the meetings which resulted in many enlightening and helpful suggestions being brought to the fore.

Presiding over the discussion sessions were Brothers Costigan and DiGrazia while Supreme Justice Savarese commented on the suggestions. Short speeches were given at the meetings by Brothers Dietze for the Milwaukee Alumni, D. Arthur for the Chicago Alumni, and past Supreme Justice Frank Fawcett, who delivered a stirring eulogy in honor of Past Supreme Justice John Doyle Carmody, recently deceased.

The Business Session was closed with the election of District officers which saw the following brothers take office:

Vice-Justice, Phil Greenberg (Magruder); Treasurer, Charles Eklund (Story), Clerk, Howard Brune, (Ryan).

Late in the afternoon Ryan Chapter held its Spring initiation and pledging ceremonies in the chambers of the Circuit Court. The National Officers and other distinguished PADs witnessed the rites.

Savarese Speaks

The close of the conclave came about Saturday evening in the form of the closing banquet held at the Heidelberg Hofbrau. Attorney General Vernon Thomson delivered one of the principal addresses of the evening while

Supreme Justice Savarese as co-principal speaker pointed out the position of the National organization in relation to the Districts and individual chapters.

The conclave in general was marked by a degree of fellowship and social intercourse among the delegates and was unique for the participation in the Law Ball and the opportunities for comradeship which this event afforded. The success of the weekend evidenced the hard work and planning expended by Justice Fred Huber of Ryan Chapter and the help of the delegates who gave freely of their time and talents.

Phi Delta Phi Trophy Won By PADS

By LEONARD E. ZAK
Chapter Correspondent

In 1952 the Phi Delta Phi chapter at Northwestern University established the Homer Cary Trophy to be awarded to the freshman student who obtained the highest property grade for the semester.

The first time the award was made, a tie existed and it was awarded to Richard Nathan and Robert Southern, both of whom are PADs from Fuller chapter. This year a PAD, Keith Bode, again brought home the bacon. Thus it is that Phi Delta Phi has yet to see the time when a member of their fraternity wins the award. Needless to say, Fuller chapter is determined to keep the Fiddledee trophy in their possession.

Seattle Elections

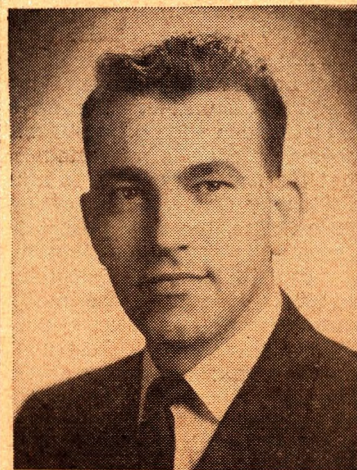
Wharton T. Funke, president of Lawyers' Title Insurance Company, has been elected Justice of the Seattle Alumni Chapter. He will succeed J. Orrin Vining. Joseph A. Holleman was re-elected clerk, and John C. Vertrees was elected Reporter. These elections took place at the regular December, 1952, meeting held at the College Club in Seattle, Wash.

Hill Receives NLAA Post

Dwight E. Hill of Dallas has been appointed Field representative in Texas for the National Legal Aid Association and the American Bar Association Standing Committee on Legal Aid Work it was announced recently.

Brother Hill's responsibility is to assist the Texas State Bar, local bar associations and other civic groups to extend and strengthen Legal Aid and Lawyer Referral Services throughout the state. He will work closely with the Texas State Bar Legal Aid Committee in carrying on a strong program toward these objectives. Legal Aid organizations provide legal advice and services to persons unable to pay fees to private lawyers.

A graduate of Southern Methodist Law School Brother Hill was originally initiated into Dunbar Chapter of Phi Alpha



DWIGHT E. HILL

Delta at the University of Washington where he completed his first year of law school. He is a past Justice of Taney Chapter and was a member of the interfraternity council at Southern Methodist.

In 1951-52 Dwight was National President of the American Law Student Association, which is sponsored by the Junior Bar Conference of the American Bar Association. He is a member of the Dallas, Texas and American Bar Associations and is associated with the Dallas law firm of Storey, Armstrong and Steger.

Supreme Justice Attends Livingston Initiation Banquet

Livingston Chapter at Columbia University initiated five men on Wednesday, March 4, 1953. Present at the initiation banquet was the Honorable Anthony P. Savarese, Supreme Justice of PAD, who addressed the brothers assembled. In his talk he stressed the importance of the work Phi Alpha Delta is doing and the work that lies ahead.

District Justice Albert Verrilli conducted the initiation with the assistance of the officers of the chapter.

Redding Appointed to Appeal Tax Court

Announcement of the appointment of Brother Robert E. Redding to the Montgomery County Appeal Tax Court was recently made public. He will replace Lt. Gen. C. D. Herron, U. S. A., retired.

Bob Redding is well known to PADs for he is presently doing an extremely commendable job as District Justice of District XII. He is a member of Taft Chapter.

Brother Redding's qualifications for his new position are many. He holds degrees from Georgetown and Ohio State Universities and has been practicing law in Washington, D. C. He specializes in aviation matters and tax accounts. His experience also includes three and one-half years military duty at Walter Reed Hospital in legal work, employment in the United States Tax Court and a period of time as assistant to a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board.

His many civic activities include being a past president of

News of PADS in Military Service

James S. McClelland. Pvt. James S. McClelland of Cleveland, Ohio recently arrived in Japan and is now serving as an artilleryman with the 1st Cavalry Division.

Brother McClelland is a 1950 graduate of Western Reserve University where he was a member of Hay Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta.

Albert C. Malone, Jr.: Albert C. Malone, Jr., of Louisville, Kentucky was recently promoted to the rank of Captain in the Judge Advocate Corps of the U. S. Army in Germany.

Brother Malone is a graduate of the University of Louisville School of Law where he was initiated into Vinson Chapter.

He was formerly an attorney with the law firm of Wade and Mapother in Louisville. Malone is with his wife, Patricia, and three children in Frankfurt, Germany.

Edward T. Schilling: Pvt. Edward T. Schilling recently graduated from a leadership school conducted at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, by the 7th Armored Division.

Brother Schilling is a graduate of North Central College in Naperville, Illinois and is a former student at the University of Wisconsin Law School where he was a member of Ryan Chapter.

The leadership course consists of emphasis on military leadership, methods of training new Army men and preparing and conducting instruction periods.

Cabell F. Cobbs: Cabell F. Cobbs was recently promoted to the rank of Captain with the 1st Infantry Division in Darmstadt, Germany.

An assistant staff judge advocate at division headquarters, Captain Cobbs was assigned to the Judge Advocate General School at Fort Myer, Virginia, before arriving in Europe in March of last year.

Brother Cobbs is a graduate of Hampden Sydney (Va.) College and the University of Richmond Law School where he was initiated into Henry Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta.

He is a member of the Virginia State Bar, the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, and Sigma Chi social fraternity.

His wife, Doris, is presently residing with him in Darmstadt.

Alums Celebrate St. Patrick's Day

The Chicago Alumni Chapter held its annual St. Patrick's Day Luncheon at the Steel Room of the Union League Club on Tuesday, March 17, 1953.

E. N. Muldoon, a true son of the "Auld Sod" and General Counsel for the North Shore Railway was the principal speaker.

the Forest Glen Park Citizen's Association, and being a delegate to the Allied Civic Group, Inc., of Silver Spring.

A married man, Brother Redding boasts three children.



ROBERT E. REDDING



DELEGATES, ALUMNI, guests and members of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, dining at District VI Conclave.

Joint Spring Initiation Staged by Jay and Taft Chapters

Two of the best ways to enter the law field are to work in a district attorney's office or for a congressional committee.

This was the advice given by William R. Foley, counsel of the U. S. House of Representatives Judiciary Committee, at a banquet following the joint spring initiation of Taft (Georgetown University) and Jay (George Washington University) Chapters of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity held April 11 in Washington, D. C.

"Before you ask what you want to do, ask yourself what you can do," Mr. Foley told 23 initiates and 30 active and alumni members. He suggested that a district attorney's office is "the greatest school there is." "You deal with raw facts and human nature and you prepare cases for trial and write legal briefs and memorandums," he added.

The U. S. Congress with its many legislative and investigating committees provides another source of learning and advancement for lawyers. Since the 80th Congress committee staffs have been chosen largely on a non-partisan basis. There is little turn over on the staffs of the Ways and Means, Appropriations, Foreign Affairs and Judiciary Committees, Mr. Foley explained.

"It's hard to break into a professional staff position, but once you do the opportunities for learning are unlimited," he said.

Prior to the banquet the initiation was held in the United States Court of Military Appeals. This is the first time a PAD initiation in Washington has been held in a court room.

Bruce N. Goldberg and Elwood Dunn, Justices of Taft and Jay Chapters respectively, presided at the initiation. They were assisted by John Murray, Jordan Tanenbaum, and Daniel King of Taft and Grant Stewart, Jim Bear and Tom Kerwan of Jay.

Robert E. Redding, Justice of District No. 12, administered the PAD oath and served as toastmaster of the banquet. Henry Carter Foss, Supreme Historian, extended greetings to the new members from the Supreme Board and William B. Robertson, Washington Alumni Justice, extended the alumni's hand of welcome.

Those initiated were Edgar T. Bellinger, Raymond W. Bergan, Carter Bledsoe, Martin Breen, John A. Croarkin, John Donoghue, John R. Drayer, E. G. Fenwick, Harold Goodman, Orval Hansen, Marion E. Harrison II, Kenneth Kaul, E. W. Light, Jr., Matthew J. McCartin, Richard P. Milloy, Walter G. Moyle, Jr., Stanley I. Rosen, Sidney N. Rosenfeld, William J. Ryan, Malcolm S. Stevenson, Jim Taylor, Peter B. Walker and Robert V. Wasson.



JOHN W. FREELS

Freels Addresses Magruder Initiates

By HOWARD SNOWDEN
Chapter Correspondent

Magruder Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta at the University of Illinois held their Initiation Banquet at the Urbana-Lincoln Hotel March 16. John W. Freels, PAD, General Counsel for the Illinois Central railroad, was guest speaker. His topic was "Abraham Lincoln, the Trial Lawyer." He was introduced by Prof. William Britton, U. of I. law professor and PAD, at the ceremony in which 22 initiates were feted.

Officers for this year are: Justice, Ralph Glenn; Vice-Justice, Albert Cross; Clerk, Howard Snowden; treasurer, Philip Greenburg; Marshall, Ted Desch.

Williams Initiation

By TOM BRAND
Chapter Correspondent

Williams Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta at the University of Oregon culminated its active rushing program by initiating eight out of the 15 first-year students who pledged a legal fraternity. The initiation ceremony was held in the spacious and impressive new Erb Memorial Student Union on the Oregon campus. Following the short but inspiring ceremony, the initiates and alums attended a sparkling banquet at the Eugene Hotel. While the banquet was in progress, the PAD wives and fiancées sponsored a bridge party at the Student Union.

Major address for the evening was given by Brother Charles G. Howard (Magruder) of the Law School faculty. His topic was: "A Critique of the Legal Profession." Charlie, as he is known to his many friends and students, gave a discussion of legal ethics that will long be remembered by his audience. Due tribute was paid to the speaker by those in attendance not only for his fine talk but also in honor of the recognition accorded him recently upon the printing of the 350,000th volume of his well-known textbook, "Principles of Business Law," by Dilavou and Howard.

Among the prominent Oregon alums in attendance were: Manville Heisel of Medford; Ed Allen, Sam Hughes, Keith Rodman, Herman Hendershott, Ken Poole and Hale Thompson of Eugene; James Daniels of the Law School faculty; Allen Fletcher, Stanton Allison, Rustin Brewer, Bob Snashall, and Bob Jones of Portland. Also present was George Nickell of Seattle, District Justice of the 1st District of Phi Alpha Delta.

Brothers initiated at the February 21 meeting were: Clarence Barrett, Dan Givan, Ralph Hillier, Jesse Himmelsbach, Alan Johansen, Toby McCarroll, Bill Norval and Leo Nuttman. Presiding were Justice Tom Brand, Vice-Justice Bob Boyer, Clerk Leroy Ehlers, Leon Campbell and J. K. Farris.

Much credit is due the Oregon PAD alums and especially Ken Poole, Hale Thompson, Elmer Sahlstrom and Calvin Souther for the successful conclusion of rushing activities of Williams Chapter for the 1952-53 school year.

PAD New Attorney General for Washington

In one of the biggest upsets in Washington political history, Republican State Senator, Donald W. Eastvold, of Tacoma, Washington, was elected the State's Attorney General, on November 4, 1952. He assumed office January 14, 1953, after defeating the twelve year Democratic incumbent. His name was made prominent nationally when he spoke over radio and television at the Republican National Convention in the argument on the seating of the Texas delegation. From then on, after a hard and vigorous campaign throughout the state, he was top man in the primaries and went to the finals by 540,138 votes.

Don is a 1950 graduate of the University of Washington Law School, is married and the father of five children. He has recently been mentioned for a post in the United Nations but has had to decline nomination by reason of the Legislative Session in Washington. Among his assistants, whom he appointed, are PADs Andy Engebretsen of Morton, Washington, and Don Biles of Pullman, Washington.

President of California Bar Addresses L.A. Alumni

New Admittees Honored at Banquet

The Los Angeles Alumni Chapter of PAD honored Southern California brothers recently admitted to practice in California at a dinner held at the Mona Lisa Restaurant on Thursday evening, March 5, 1953.

The festive occasion was presided over by the Alumni Chapter Justice Frank E. Gray who also serves PAD as Supreme Secretary. An effective method of introducing the new lawyers to the group was utilized in that each new admittee was introduced by another PAD who was either on the bench or had been practicing for some time.

Bar Prexy Speaks

Brother Charles (Chuck) Beardsley (Holmes Chapter), president of the California State Bar was present and addressed the assembled brothers. His topic was "Maintaining a Professional Attitude Towards the Client, Judge, and Opposing Attorney." With regard to one's conduct towards his client, he recommended a straightforward approach. For example, he suggested, do not bring any action which to you does not seem meritorious. Also, keeping the client advised of developments is a must as well as immediately disclosing the receipt of any funds which may belong to the client. In order to preserve the respect due the court the judge should be treated with dignity and diplomacy, but at the same time, counsel need not give way to the judge on each and every difference, he explained. Brother Beardsley further emphasized the importance of courtesy towards the opposing attorney in the courtroom while at the same time fighting hard for one's own cause.

Hank Rohr, Justice of District III, gave his report on the 1952 Golden Anniversary Convention, said report consisting of three words "I Was There."

Judges' Program

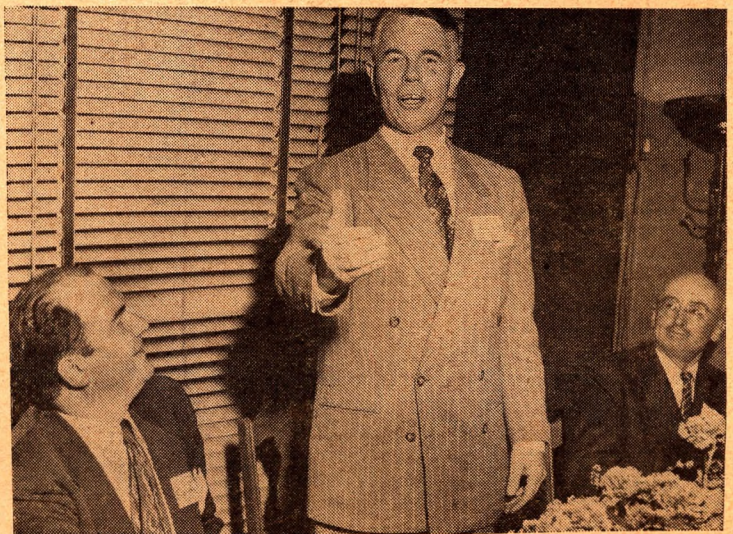
A new program sponsored by the L. A. Alumni Chapter was discussed by Superior Court Judge Dan Stevens. Brother Stevens reported that the Los Angeles judges had agreed to cooperate in a program whereby law students from USC would be afforded the opportunity to spend a day with a judge which would consist of the everyday routine of the judge in chambers, on the bench, at lunchtime, and whatever else might arise. The program was to go into effect in the immediate future.

Superior Court Judge Joe Vickers presided over the installation of the new Alumni Chapter officers which were elected at the dinner banquet. They were Leroy Koos, Justice; Fred Field, First Vice-Justice; Arthur D. Guy, Second Vice-Justice; Bion Vogel, Third Vice-Justice; Judge Dan Stevens, Treasurer; A. A. "Mickey" McDowell, Clerk; Albert Lee Stephens, Jr., Assistant Clerk; Mark Mullin, Marshal.

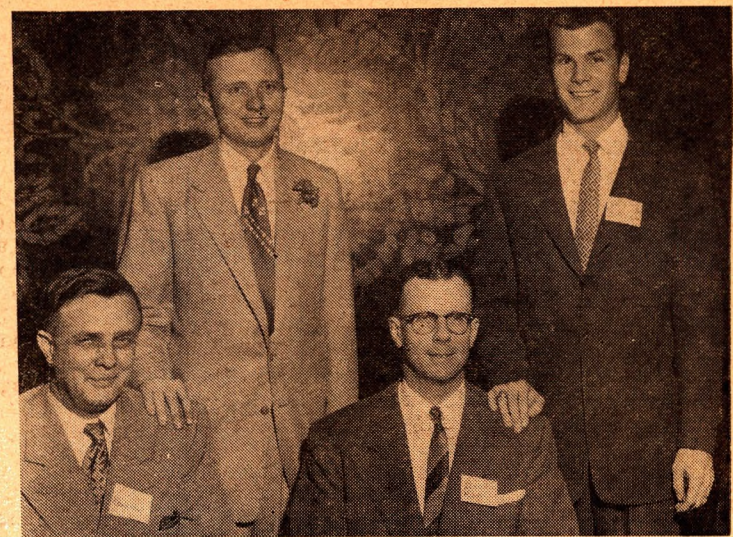
Among the many prominent PADs in attendance were Judge Paul Vallee of the District Court of Appeals, Aubrey Irwin of the State Board of Bar Governors,

George Chatterton, the City Public Defender, Past Supreme Justice Rex Hardy, Dick Loewe, Past Justice of the Chicago Alumni Chapter, former National Field Representative Sandy Rae, Jim Leeds, Justice of McKenna Chapter, and Bill Evans, Justice of Ross Chapter.

The new admittees who were guests of the Alumni Chapter were: James Baldwin, Stan Christensen, Clarence Cook, Bernie Crossman, Howard Culpeper,



HIGHLIGHT OF THE Los Angeles Alumni Chapter's Annual banquet was an address delivered by California State Bar President Charles (Chuck) Beardsley, a PAD, pictured above. Flanking Brother Beardsley are Brothers Frank E. Gray, Supreme Secretary, and Joe Vickers, Judge of the Los Angeles Superior Court.



TWO PAD FATHER-SON combinations were present at the L. A. Alumni Dinner. Left to right: Gerald Knudson, Sr., Gerald Knudson, Jr., Municipal Court Judge Vernon Hunt, Sr., and Vernon Hunt, Jr.



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PADs who were recently admitted to the California Bar shown at the Los Angeles Alumni Dinner on March 5, 1953. First row: Stan Christensen, Arnold Winthrop, Curt Price, Clarence Cook, Herb Smith. Second row: Vince Pagliarulo, Ernie Heimann, Jim Baldwin, Gerry Knudson, Ralph Snyder, John Hall, Bernie Crossman, Jim Fernandes. Back row: Jack Levitt, Dave Etchason, Jim Kenealy, Fred Weitkamp, Bill Taft, Jack Holland, Howard Culpepper, George Thompson.

Legislator Discusses Pensions

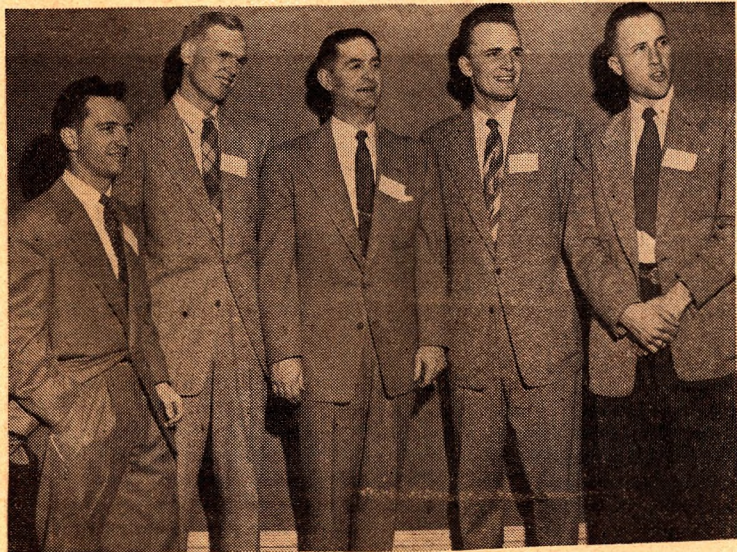
Representative Eugene Keough of New York discussed pending legislation relating to pensions for professional and self-employed individuals at the March luncheon meeting of the Washington Alumni Chapter of the Phi Alpha Delta law fraternity.

Among the honored guests present were the Honorable Joseph R. Jackson, Judge, Court of Customs and Patent Appeals; Honorable Boland B. Turner, Judge, Tax Court of the United States; Bernard F. Garvey, Esq., Professor of Law, Georgetown University.

per, Dave Etchason, Jim Fernandes, John Hall, Ernie Heimann, James Kenealy, Jr., Gerald Knudson, Jr., Jack Levitt, Vince Pagliarulo, Curt Price, Herbert Smith, Ralph Snyder, Jr., William Taft, Fred Weitkamp, Arnold Winthrop, John D. Holland, George Thompson.



A PORTION OF THE BROTHERS attending District I Conclave. Head table, standing, left to right: District Justice George T. Nickell, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray, Ronald Duff, Justice Dunbar Chapter; Judge Donald A. McDonald (Dunbar), Judge Bartlett Rummel (Dunbar), Senator Neil J. Hoff (Dunbar).



FIVE JUSTICES AT DISTRICT I CONCLAVE gather for group picture. Left to right: Archie Service, Justice Kent Chapter; Thomas Brand, Justice Williams Chapter; George T. Nickell, District I Justice; Ronald B. Duff, Justice Dunbar Chapter; William Morse, Justice Brantly Chapter.

District I Conclave Features Symposium on Placement

Mayor of Seattle, a PAD, Extends Welcome

The 1953 District I Conclave took place March 28th at the Washington Athletic Club in Seattle, Washington. In attendance were delegates from Kent chapter at the University of Idaho, Williams Chapter at the University of Oregon, Dunbar Chapter from the University of Washington, and Brantly Chapter from the University of Montana. The latter chapter's delegates traveled over 600 miles to take part. Dunbar Chapter was host to the conclave.

Ronald B. Duff, Justice of Dunbar, presided over the morning session which had as its theme "Chapter Problems and Affairs." A lively discussion ensued with practically all delegates taking part. The brothers decided upon Spokane, Washington, for the site for the 1954 conclave and upon March 27 as the date therefor.

Seattle Mayor on Hand

The luncheon found the Mayor of Seattle, Allan Pomeroy, on hand to extend an official welcome as well as a brotherly welcome to the delegates and alumni. Brother Pomeroy was a District Justice for several years and was in attendance at the Milwaukee convention. He is a member of Dunbar Chapter.

His address centered around his recent trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, for the atom device set-off. He gave an excellent first hand report on what the explosion did to the various houses and automobiles which had been placed in strategic locations for the blast. The mayor also explained what various large cities are doing to prepare against the possibility of such an atomic attack.

All the delegates were extremely interested in the afternoon business session of the conclave, for it took the form of a "Symposium on Placement." District Justice George T. Nickell presided. Outstanding men in different phases of legal life were present to present the advantages and disadvantages of their particular fields.

Speaking for the field of tax-

ation was C. F. Osborn, a partner in the law firm of Bogle, Bogle and Gates, specializing in tax. He presented a short review of how to break into the tax field, which contained three main points. First, he said, each man must be a good general practitioner, for the reason that once you begin to handle the tax problems of a client he usually expects you to handle all his legal work. Secondly, the tax lawyer must keep an eye out for the accountant as he too often delves into the field of tax law which should be kept separate and apart from that of tax accounting. Last, he stated that tax specializing is only prevalent in the larger law firms.

Mr. Osborn emphasized one of the major distinctions of practicing before the Treasury Department or the Tax Court and the ordinary courts. This is that in the tax practice it is not adversary proceeding but rather requires a disclosure of all the facts.

The second speaker for the Symposium was Brother Wharton T. Funk (Reese Chapter), President of Lawyers Title Insurance Corporation. Mr. Funk told of the opportunities in insurance and real estate law. Of particular interest was the story of how he became interested in title work and the openings in title companies for the lawyer.

Opportunities in Government

Discussing the field of Public Offices was Stuart Oles, a PAD

alumni from Dunbar Chapter, who is a former chief civil deputy in the King County Prosecutor's Office. Brother Oles outlined all of the offices in the state where legal positions could be had indicating which were more permanent, which more political, and the compensation for each. "There are generally two ways to get a public office in the field of law," he said. "Either through a recommendation from the law school faculty or through political connections."

The major advantages of holding a public office he stated to be as follows: (1) the lawyer receives trial practice which cannot be obtained in a large law firm plus a knowledge of how the wheels of justice work. (2) The public employee acquires a familiarity with and a speaking knowledge of public law and what the various officials do. (3) He gets to meet and know a large number of other members of the bar and the judiciary. (4) The public position usually carries a higher beginning salary. (5) Upon leaving the public service it is generally easy to obtain a good position because you have become well known.

The disadvantages, Mr. Oles listed to be: (1) A restricted practice. (2) Lower standards of practice (e.g. hours are shorter, overtime usually held to a bare minimum). (3) A lack of guidance from an experienced attorney.

The Law School Placement

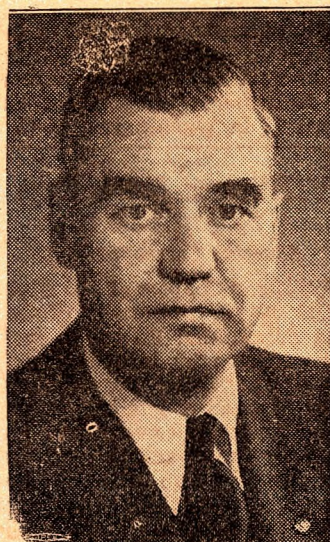
A professor from the law school faculty of the University of Washington, Mr. Harry Cross (Dunbar Chapter) discussed the role that the law school plays in obtaining placement for their law graduates. Brother Cross told the group that although grades are important in original placement they are by no means indicative of success in the field of law. He recommended that the law graduate (1) Keep in touch with the Dean of the law school or the administration even after placement in order that this valuable connection can be utilized in the future should he desire a change, and (2) that the law student get to know the dean or professor personally so that they can give a personal recommendation.

Rounding out the Symposium on Placement Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray discussed what the National Chapter is doing along the lines of a National Placement Program.

That evening the delegates and alumni attended a reception which followed by the Closing Banquet. Ronald Duff presided and District Justice Nickell acted as Master of Ceremonies in introducing the distinguished guests. Present were the Honorable Donald A. McDonald of the King County Superior Court (Dunbar Chapter), the Honorable Bartlett Rummel, Judge of Pierce County Superior Court (Dunbar Chapter), State Senator Neil J. Hoff (Dunbar Chapter), and a delegation of alumni from Tacoma, Washington.

Supreme Secretary Frank E.

DIVINUM JUDICIUM



WILLIAM F. WAUGH

William F. Waugh: The Chicago Alumni Chapter lost one of its most beloved members Friday, March 6, 1953 when Judge William F. Waugh died of a heart attack. The jurist had just finished introducing Governor Stratton of Illinois to an audience at the Executives Club luncheon in the Hotel Sherman when he suffered the attack.

He was scheduled for appointment to the U. S. District Court in Chicago the following week. He compiled one of the finest records ever recorded in his position as Probate Judge. When the Chicago Bar Association was called upon to rate the judges seeking re-election Judge Waugh was rated 99%, the highest in the history of the poll.

Judge Waugh was born in 1892, attended the New York Military Academy, Utah Agricultural College and received his law degree in 1916 from Loyola University. He was a member of Webster Chapter.

In World War II he did valuable work in presiding over spy trials in Italy and supervising organization of Italian courts. Before his election to the Probate Court in 1946 he was one of the outstanding trial lawyers in Cook County.

Brother Waugh was a past state commander of the American Legion and a member of the Foreign Wars and Amvets as well as a member of the American, Illinois and Chicago Bar Associations, and the Law Club of Chicago. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a Shriner.

All Chicago courts were closed at noon on Tuesday, March 10, 1953 for his funeral. The following is a partial list of the PAD's in attendance at the last rites for their beloved brother. Tom Barrett, John Birkland, Capelle H. Damrell, Emmet F. Byrne, Harry Carlson, Robert Cleveland, Thomas Daly, Judge John T. Dempsey, Supreme Marshal A. A. DiGrazia, James Dooley, Past Supreme Justice George Fink, Judge George Fisher, Past Supreme Justice and former Governor of Illinois, Dwight W. Green, Judge Cornelius J. Harrington, Judge Lawrence Jacobs, William J. Lunn, Bernard McDevitt, Harry C. Moran, Frank E. C. Meier, John P. Mulvihill, Appellate Judge Grover C. Niemeyer, Barratt O'Hara, Eugene E. O'Reilly, Judge Stanley Pulaski, Arthur H. Schwab, Elmer J. Tone, Elmer M. Walsh.

Gray (Ford Chapter) addressed the group on the topic "What Kind of An Organization Do We Belong To?" His informative talk included a resume of the history, formation and growth of the fraternity and what it is doing as a national group.

Later in the evening many of the brothers entertained themselves by attending a dance while others engaged in poker, pool and billiards.

The conclave committee consisted of George T. Nickell, chairman; Donald D. Sherfy, Registration; Leo J. Gese, Program, and Ronald B. Duff, Master of Ceremonies.

Orman I. Lewis: Brother Orman I. Lewis passed away Saturday, April 4, 1953 in Henrotin hospital in Chicago, Illinois. He was a graduate of the University of Utah where he was a member of Sutherland Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. He was an active member of the Chicago Alumni Chapter.

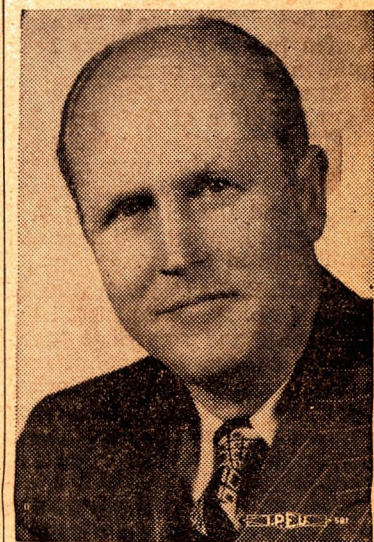
Elmer E. Hall: The Kansas City Alumni Chapter regrets to announce the death of Brother Elmer E. Hall, a member of Lawson Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta.

Richard K. Gandy: Brother Richard K. Gandy, long prominent in legal circles in the Santa Monica, California area was shot to death on March 30, 1953, by the enraged husband of a client in a domestic relations proceeding.

Mr. Gandy's untimely death came as a severe shock to his many friends who knew him to be not only a brilliant lawyer but also a man who took a personal interest in his clients.

The California State Board of Bar Governors, of which he was formerly a member, adopted a resolution in his memory.

Brother Gandy was a member of Hughes Chapter at the University of Denver.



ARTHUR B. LANGLIE

Langlie Assumes Washington Governorship For Third Time

Arthur B. Langlie was recently reelected to the office of Governor of the State of Washington. He is the first Governor of Washington to have been elected to serve three terms. He was first elected Governor in November, 1940, then again in November, 1948, and his latest triumph came in the November, 1952 elections.

His popularity is a tribute to his business-like administration which has stressed rigid economics and the best possible efficiency in government.

Brother Langlie was born in Lanesboro, Minnesota, July 25, 1900, and attended public schools in Bremerton, Washington. He graduated from the University of Washington Law School in 1926 and was admitted to the bar the same year. Following graduation he engaged in private practice in Seattle for nine years.

It was in 1936 that his entry into public service came about, when he was urged to run for City Council of Seattle and was successful in this endeavor. Wide public attention came his way with his persistent efforts to clean up city government. Thus it was that in 1938 he was elected Mayor of Seattle by an overwhelming majority.

Brother Langlie is a member of Dunbar Chapter. He holds honorary degrees conferred by Whitman College, Seattle Pacific College and the College of Puget Sound. He was awarded Norway's Royal Order of St. Olaf in 1940.

Other of his extensive memberships include the Eagles, Moose Lodge, Royal Arcanum, Kiwanis, Lions, Active Club, Norwegian Commercial Club, Scandinavian Fraternity of America, Sons of Norway, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Veterans of World War II, and Phi Sigma Kappa.

Topeka, Kansas, Site of District VII Conclave

Phi Alpha Delta brothers representing the twelve chapters comprising the 7th District converged on Topeka, the capital city of Kansas, over the weekend of March 27 and 28 for their annual spring conclave.

This year, Benson Chapter of Washburn Law School played host and staged a weekend that provided the delegates and the many guests with pleasant memories and the inspiration for devoted fraternity service in the years ahead.

A kickoff dance held on the roof garden of the Hotel Jayhawk opened the conclave Friday evening. Many friendships were developed and renewed during the course of the evening, as happens at such a spirited affair.

Saturday morning found a group of rather deflated but very interested PAD's on hand for the round robin discussion groups. A new method of organization of delegates was instigated this year by District Vice Justice Don Burkley which aided materially in the outstanding success of the discussion sessions. Each Delegate's fraternity experience and interests were determined prior to the conclave and organization of the various groups was based on this information.

Several of the sessions ran over into the lunch hour testifying to the unusual interest which

they generated. Topics discussed included such perennial problems as Alumni Placement, Rushing, Pledging and Fraternity Activities.

Outstanding Luncheon Speech

Alex A. Hotchkiss, Benson, 23, a long time favorite of the Topeka area, spoke to the assemblage at the luncheon at the Hotel Jayhawk. Without a doubt, Alex delivered one of the most outstanding and inspirational speeches heard in the area in quite some time. Being impossible to cap the speech in its entirety, it will suffice to say that every delegate was left with a renewed faith in mankind as well as in the aims and purposes of our fraternity.

During the afternoon plenary session, Cole Chapter of Drake University was selected to be host for the 1954 District VII conclave which will be held in Des Moines on the fourth weekend of

March.

District Vice Justice Don Burkley presided at the session entertaining committee reports of the morning discussion groups. Elections were held with voting proceeding under the unit representation rule.

Officers elected for the forthcoming year are: Vice-Justice, Jim Taylor (Cole); Secretary, Dick Wicka (Corliss); Treasurer, Louis Lombardo, (Benton).

New District Justice Announced

The appointment of John Stuart to the office of Justice of District VII was announced at the session. Brother Stuart is also serving as Secretary-Treasurer of the Topeka Alumni and as Secretary of the Kansas Bar Association.

Wives of PAD's were entertained by Mrs. Lloyd Miller and Housemother Mrs. Earl Wagner with a luncheon at the Topeka Country Club during the afternoon.

Following a cocktail session delegates, alums and guests assembled in the Senate Dining Room of the Jayhawk Hotel for the conclave's principal banquet.

Supreme Justice Savarese presented the main address. Guests included Supreme Treasurer Bob Jackson, Lt. Governor Fred Hall (Ross) and Law School Dean Schuyler Jackson.



THE PRINCIPAL SPEAKER, Herbert F. Sewell, addressing the District XII Conclave.

Ruffin and Timberlake Chapters Host District XII Conclave

Ruffin Chapter at the University of North Carolina and Timberlake Chapter at Wake Forest College combined forces to act as co-hosts to the Fourth Annual Conclave of District XII which was held on March 20 and 21, 1953. The conclave headquarters were at the Hotel Sir Walter Raleigh in Raleigh, North Carolina.

To start the conclave off on the right foot the traditional PAD reception and party took place Friday evening in the Manteo Room.

The Supreme Officers, District Officers, and Chapter Justices met early Saturday morning for breakfast after which the general Conclave convened for the order of business. The Student Justice of District XII, Spencer B. Ennis of Timberlake Chapter called the meeting to order and Charles R. Williams, Justice of Timberlake Chapter and Lacy Thornburg, Justice of Ruffin Chapter welcomed delegates and alumni to the conclave.

Reports of standing committees were given, followed by a report of the Supreme Executive Board by Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese. His summary included an explanation of the purpose and aims of the National Executive Board, the financial situation, rushing, and the National Placement Program.

Various committees were appointed after which a recess was called so that they could meet for discussion.

Lunch time found the brothers assembled at the Virginia Dare Ballroom to hear Hon. I. T. Valentine speak on the subject "Our Trial by Jury System." Donald P. Brock, alumnus of Timberlake Chapter presided as Toastmaster at this function.

The first item of business on the afternoon conclave calendar was the adoption of by-laws. The committee report was made and the by-laws duly adopted. The conclave accepted various resolutions made by the Resolution Committee and reported by Jim McMullen, chairman of the committee.

Officers Elected

The election of district officers for the coming year resulted in the following: Student District Justice, Ken Rogers of Henry Chapter; Student District Clerk, Rudolph Singleton of Timberlake Chapter; Student District Treas-

urer, Dick Maddox of Henry Chapter.

A motion that next year's conclave be held in the fall rather than in the spring was defeated. However, it was decided that the next conclave would be held in Richmond, Virginia, with the University of Richmond and University of Virginia Chapters as hosts.

In order to circulate chapter ideas within the district a motion was passed which provided that within sixty days each chapter clerk in District XII be instructed to summarize by letter to the Student District Justice, its activities which have proved successful in its rushing, members assistance, fund raising and other functions, and the Student District Justice shall have the duty of compiling this information and distributing it to all chapters within the district.

Timberlake Chapter conducted an initiation ceremony following the business session. Four alumni and six students comprised the group initiated.

The conclave concluded with a cocktail hour in the Manteo Room followed by the Fellowship Banquet in the Virginia Dare Ballroom. Three of the National officers were present: Supreme Justice Anthony J. Savarese, Supreme Vice-Justice J. W. Smithers and Supreme Historian Henry C. Foss.

Brother J. Westwood Smithers acted as Toastmaster and introduced the various prominent brothers in attendance. Dean Carroll Weathers of the Wake Forest Law School introduced the principal speaker, the recent Republican candidate for Governor of North Carolina, Herbert F. Sewell, who gave the after-dinner speech.

Delegates represented the chapters at the U. of So. Carolina, Geo. Wash. U., U. of Richmond, U. of Vir., U. of No. Carolina, and Wake Forest College.



HEAD TABLE at District VII Conclave Banquet. Left to right: Ray Walton, Jr., Justice, Corliss Chapter; Jay Kyle, Past Student Justice, District VII; Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese; Donald C. Burkley, Justice, Benson Chapter; Seymour Zaban, Past Treasurer, District VII; Supreme Treasurer Robert D. Jackson; Schuyler W. Jackson, Dean of Washburn Law School.

PAD's Top Scholars At North Carolina

By ROGER B. HENDRIX
Chapter Correspondent

Ruffin Chapter has copped all honors at the University of North Carolina for scholastic achievement as well as fraternity activity.

The fraternity started out the year by claiming all four principal editors of the North Carolina Law Review. This is the first time that the entire editorial board has been represented by one legal fraternity. The editors for the 1952-53 year of the Law Review are: John G. Golding, Tryon, N. C., co-editor in chief; Hurshell H. Keener, Lenoir, N. C., co-editor in chief; Willis D. Brown, Magnolia, N. C., associate editor, and Roger B. Hendrix, Winston-Salem, N. C., associate editor.

Appointments to the editorial board are made on the basis of standing in the class. Since Brothers Golding and Keener, for the first time in the history of the Law School, have exactly tied for the first position in the school, they will serve as co-editors in chief.

Ruffin Chapter has continued its practice of holding its Moot Court trial. This event took place in the Courtroom of the Law School on December 12, 1952. The murder trial, presided over by Judge Hubert B. Olive, Lexington, N. C., finally produced a verdict at 11:30 p. m. that night. Approximately 350 spectators stayed from beginning to end.

The Chapter was also well

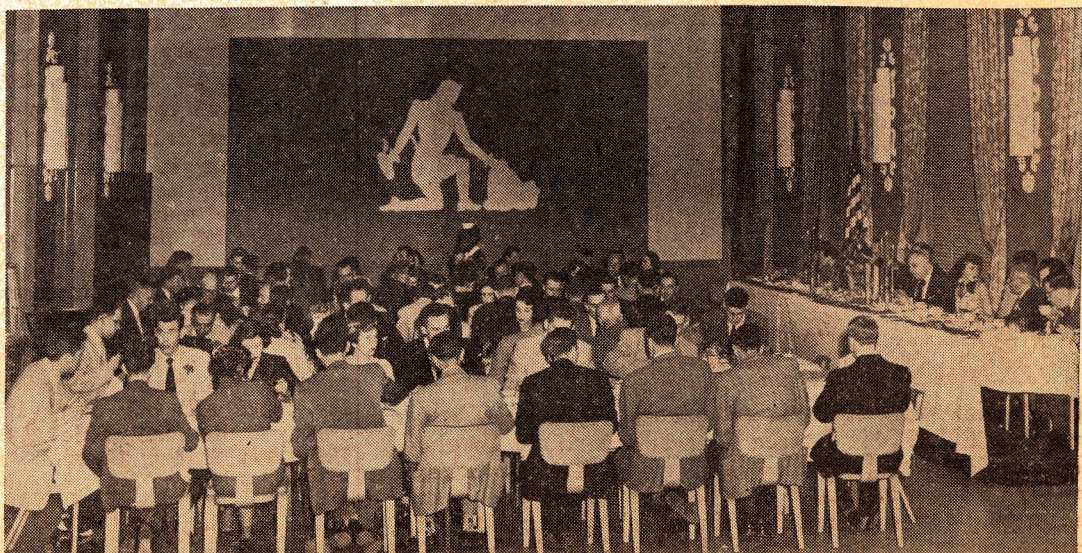


PAD EDITORS of North Carolina Law Review. Front, left to right: John R. Golding, Hurshell H. Keener. Rear, left to right: Roger B. Hendrix, Willis D. Brown.

represented on the Law School team entering the National Moot Court competition. Of the three-member team, which finally bowed to Duke University, Phi Alpha Delta was represented by Brothers Harry E. Faggart, Jr., and John G. Golding.

Ruffin has just completed a highly successful period of pledging and elections. They announce the pledging of 24 members of the first-year class. This represents exactly twice the pledge membership of the two remaining legal fraternities at the University of North Carolina.

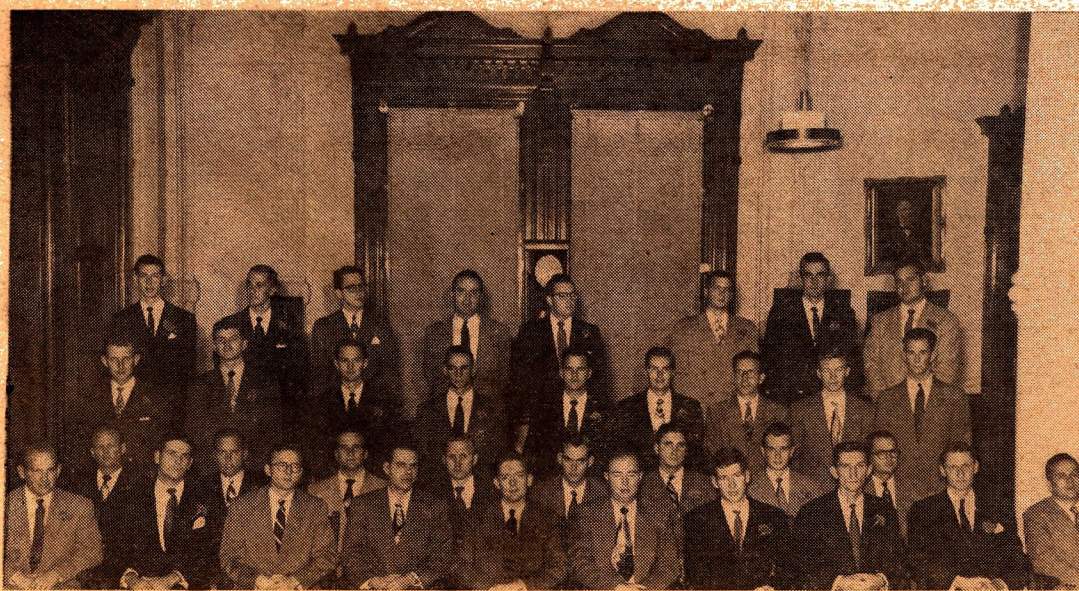
The newly elected officers for the ensuing year are Lacy H. Thornburg, Justice; Durward S. Jones, Vice Justice; Elton Pridgen, Clerk; Robert S. Hight, Treasurer; and Wade Mitchem, Marshal.



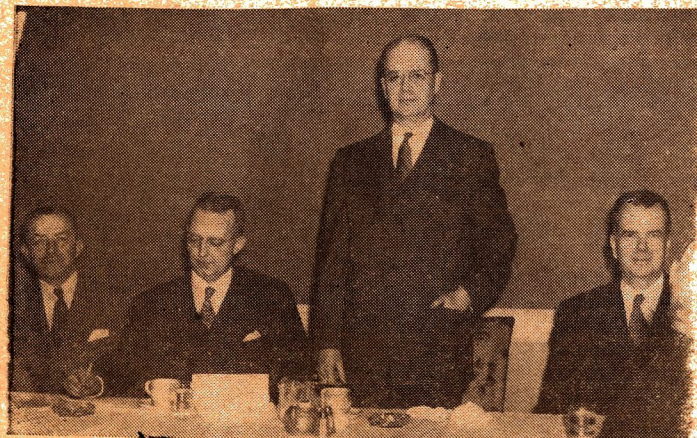
A scene at the Closing Banquet of the District XII Conclave.



Group pictured is that of brothers attending 32nd Founders Day Celebration of Benson Chapter at Washburn College.



CLASS OF THIRTY-FIVE MEN initiated into Tom C. Clark chapter at the University of Texas. Front row, sitting (left to right): Jack Forrester, Jack Brandon, Henry Braswell, Jim Rob Bryan, Carl Bue, Ralph Carden, Dale Carpenter, Harold Curtis, John Donovan, Joe Evins. Second row, sitting: Sam French Pat Gardner, Arthur Gochman, George Greene, Jack Hopper, Franklin Jones, Nat Jones, Bill Kerr. Third row, standing: Jay Frank Kinsel, Jim Llewellyn, Jim McMullen, Bill Patman, Bill Perkins, Lloyd Perkins, James Pratt, Glen Ramey, Risher Randall. Back row, standing: Jim Reed, Pat Reagan, George Shelley, Barney Smith, Grover Stephens, Ronald Stephens, John F. Sullivan and Jack Tidwell.



(TOP) New York PADs in attendance at Alumni Chapter meeting. (BOTTOM) Eustace W. Tomlinson (Cole Chapter), Trust Officer and Counsel to the Personal Trust Department of the Chemical Bank and Trust Company, New York, shown addressing a recent meeting of the New York Alumni Chapter on the subject: "Some Aspects of Personal Trust Preparation and Administration."

Benson Chapter Celebrates Thirty-Second Anniversary

The Roof Garden of the Jayhawk Hotel served as the setting for the 32d annual Founder's Day Banquet of Benson Chapter at Washburn College of Law on February 26, 1953.

Approximately seventy members of the active chapter and Topeka area alumni were on hand to join in the celebration. Special guests included several state senators and representatives who were in Topeka for the biannual legislative session. Also on hand for the festivities were Robert Jackson, Supreme Treasurer of the National Chapter; James E. Smith, president of the Topeka Alumni Chapter, and Dean Schuyler Jackson of the Washburn Law School.

Lloyd Miller, Benson '28, served as Toastmaster for the evening introducing the many guests as well as presenting a few jokes of sterling quality though of doubtful character.

Attorney Alex A. Hotchkiss, Benson '23, of Lydon, Kansas, was present as guest speaker. He recalled many of the incidents and faces of years back that led to the formulation and growth of Benson Chapter. One recollection centered around a piano purchased for the chapter house on the installment plan during depression years. Seems that after delivery the zealous brothers found that no one could play the sturdy instrument. We might add that Chapter life hasn't changed so much after 20 years.

An alumni meeting was held following the banquet at which time Lloyd Miller was elected president and John Shuart secretary-treasurer of the Topeka Alumni Chapter for the coming year.

McKenna Shows Phenomenal Growth

By ERNEST O. HOHMAN
Chapter Correspondent

As a result of the Spring semester's rushing, which was ably directed by Brother Don Ruston, young McKenna Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta, which started the school year with seventeen members, will soon have over sixty names on its active membership list. The chapter is two years old.

McKenna Chapter will hold its semi-annual initiation ceremonies in the U.C.L.A. Law School Courtroom the evening of Thursday, May 7th, with Justice Jim Leeds presiding. Scheduled to follow the initiation is a banquet at which brother Charles E. Beardsley, President of the California State Bar, will be the guest speaker.

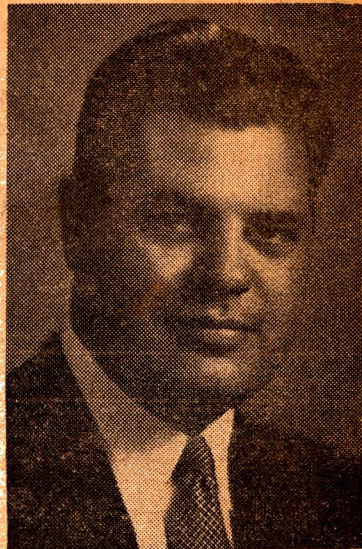
An integral part of the Chapter's rushing plans has been a series of bi-monthly formal luncheons with distinguished PAD figures in attendance. Justices Leo Freund and Paul Vallee, and Dr. Ivan Nemere are some of the persons who have addressed the Chapter at these luncheons. Moreover, the program chairman, Mark Tumbleson, has seen to it that informality has its day by arranging Western style outdoor barbecues and occasional Thursday afternoon beer fests where political-judicial discussions prevail. Another area where the Chapter has rendered service is through its co-sponsorship with the Law Students Association of local bar speakers. One familiar PAD speaker was Hank Rohr, Justice of District 3, who spoke on the practical subject "Ways of Securing Law Business."

New PAD Chapter

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newly elected Justice of the chapter responded on behalf of the new initiates.

Those initiated were: Edward Rosenberg, William Maier, William Jaskula, Rufus Ahern, Sid-



JOHN W. SHUART

John W. Shuart Selected As District VII Justice

Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese recently announced the appointment of John W. Shuart to the post of Justice of District VII.

Brother Shuart was pledged to Benson Law Brothers at Washburn University in Topeka in 1936. In November of 1939 he was initiated into Benson Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. As an active he served as Rush Captain, Vice Justice and as Justice of Benson. In the fall of 1941 he left Washburn Law School to enter Military Service. Enlisting as an apprentice seaman, he served over four years in the Navy during World War II and now holds the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the Naval Reserve. He served in the Panama Canal Zone and saw duty afloat in several theaters on small craft and on a destroyer escort—at one time serving in command of the YP-241.

Upon his release from the Navy in April 1946, he re-entered Washburn law school, graduating in February 1947, and was admitted to the Kansas Bar at that time. He was elected Justice of the Topeka Alumni Chapter in February 1947 and held that office until February 1951. He is now clerk of the chapter.

After graduation from law school he became Personnel Manager for the Hall Lithographing Company in Topeka and continued that work until October 1951 when he was selected by the Executive Council of the Bar Association of the State of Kansas to become the first full-time Executive Secretary of the association.

Shuart is married and has two son and a daughter and lives in Topeka.

Wyatt Initiation

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ability as an administrator. In 1946, he was appointed Federal Housing Expeditor and National Housing Administrator. In the past year he was the personal campaign chairman for Governor Adlai Stevenson. In this campaign, he displayed his political astuteness, for that effort has been characterized as being one of the most dignified and orderly presidential campaigns on record. At the present time, he is the chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University of Louisville. It is fitting that he should hold this office for he is well known to be one of this university's greatest friends. He is a member of the Louisville Bar Association, the Kentucky Bar Association, of which he was secretary from 1930 to 1934, the American Bar Association, and the American Law Institute.

Vinson Chapter feels justifiably proud that it is able to present Mr. Wyatt to the fraternity as a member. While still a young man, he has been singularly honored many times for his demonstrated ability as a lawyer and a politician. He epitomizes the requirement of our National Constitution that honorary membership will only be conferred on those persons who have attained "unusual distinction in the legal profession."

McKinley Pledges

McKinley Chapter at Ohio State University has reaped a choice crop of delegates from the freshman class this year. Out of an entering group of 85, 31 were pledged at a formal pledging luncheon held in February. The majority of these men were initiated into the active chapter in mid-April.

One of the principal reasons for the chapter's success in pledging is the luncheon meeting program which provides for talks by prominent members of the bench and bar every two weeks at the new Ohio State University Student Union.

Theodore Ball was recently elected to the office of Justice of the chapter, replacing Jacob D. Severs who will graduate in June.