



The Reporter



Official Publication of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity for the Month of April, 1955

Supreme Executive Board Meets in Los Angeles

Cleveland Convention Invitation Accepted for 1956

The annual meeting of the Supreme Executive Board as required by the Constitution and Bylaws was held this year at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, California on March 29 and 30, pursuant to the call of Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson.

Present were Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson, Supreme Vice-Justice Elwyn Thomas, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray, Supreme Treasurer Anthony A. DiGrazia, Supreme Historian Henry C. Foss, and Supreme Marshal John W. Shuart. Executive Secretary Fredrick J. Weitkamp sat with the Board and took the minutes. Second Supreme Vice-Justice John L. Griffith was absent from the meeting because of a recent operation.

The Board put in two days of intensive work in reaching decisions of moment to the Fraternity. First item on the agenda was the 1955 Professional Directory. The Pantagraph Co. of Bloomington, Indiana, publisher of the 1950 edition, was again retained to publish our directory. After a full discussion was had regarding the Fraternity's financial position, it was decided that the listing of members by Chapters should not be included in the new edition. Complimentary copies will be sent to each active Chapter, each library of the law school where we have Chapters, each District Justice, and to the Supreme Court library of each state, if the respective District Justices so recommend.

Invitations for the 1956 Convention were presented to the Board

from Dallas, Texas, Roanoke, Virginia, and Cleveland, Ohio. The Board considered comparative travel cost figures and it appeared that the cost to the Fraternity would be less to transport the delegates to Cleveland than to either of the other two proposed sites. Taking into consideration the travel costs, the convention entertainment offered, and the hotel rates of all three sites, the Board determined that it would be to the best advantage of the Fraternity to accept the invitation of Cleveland, Ohio. The exact dates for the National Convention were not decided upon other than that it would be held in June rather than in August or September as

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Temple University Chapter Named Most Outstanding for 1954-55



OWEN J. ROBERTS CHAPTER OFFICERS who led the chapter to become the Most Outstanding PAD Chapter for the year 1954-55. Left to right: J. Berenson, Treasurer; John Weglicki, Clerk; Vincent Cirillo, Justice; J. Coate, Vice Justice; and T. Dick, Marshal.

NEW ADDRESS FOR EXECUTIVE OFFICE

The National Executive Office of the fraternity has a new address which should be used for all communications. It is:

**Phi Alpha Delta
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10707 White Oak Avenue,
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The new location is still in the City of Los Angeles, Granada Hills being a suburb thereof. The new telephone number is EMpire 3-3145.

Winner of National Competition

Owen J. Roberts Chapter at Temple University School of Law has been unanimously selected by the Supreme Executive Board as the most outstanding PAD Chapter for the scholastic year 1954-1955. The national competition was inaugurated this year by resolution of the 1954 Convention. Each Chapter throughout the country was given an opportunity to vie for the award. The District Justice of each District selected the district winner and the Supreme Executive Board, at its annual meeting on March 29th and 30th held this year in Los Angeles, had the difficult task of determining the National winner. The award consists of a large and beautiful permanent plaque which is to be placed in the lobby of the law school.

Roberts Chapter has indeed an outstanding record of achievements in all fields of fraternal endeavor.

The Chapter had a total of 100 active members and 37 pledges out of a total law school enrollment of 450 students. Other law fraternities in the school are Phi Delta Phi (20 members), Delta Theta Phi (1 member), Lambda Sigma Kappa (5 members), Tau Epsilon Rho (12 members).

PADs dominated all phases of law school activities. Serving on the Temple Law Quarterly are the following members: Harvey B. Rubenstein, Editor-in-Chief; Edward Biester, Jr., Note Editor; John B. Fellona, Research Editor; Daniel J. Ryan and James J. McCabe, Recent Case Editors; Peter J. Verderame, Book Review Editor and Business Manager; Dennis E. Haggerty, Circulation Manager; Lester Eisenstadt, John W. Ennis, and James Shea, Associate Editors.

High Scholastic Standing

Scholastically, members of the Chapter rank very high, holding the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places in the Second Year Evening Class; 2nd and 4th place in the Third Year Evening Class; 6th, 7th and 8th in the Fourth Year Evening Class, as well as 1st and 3rd through 11th place in the Second Year Day Class, and 2nd and 3rd in the Third Year Day Class.

Brother Daniel J. Ryan is President of the Student Bar Association, while Richard I. Torpey and Dr. George A. Connelly are Secretary and Treasurer, respectively, of the Association. Class officers include Fourth Year Evening Class President, Patrick Casey; Third Year Evening Class President, John Weglicki; Second Year Evening Class President, John Walheim; Second Year Day Class President, Richard I. Torpey; Third Year Day Class Vice-President, Daniel J. Ryan; Second Year Day Class Vice-President, Dr. George A. Connelly; Fourth Year Evening Class Vice-President, William Moran III; and Second Year Evening Class Vice-President, Joseph Dougher-

ty. Representing the Fraternity on the school newspaper, The Temple Law Reporter, are: Frank Hollis, News Editor; Stanley Dolnick, Associate Editor; Richard I. Torpey and Alvin Segal.

The Board of Directors and Student Judges of the Temple Moot Court include the following PADs: Richard Devlin, Associate Director; Jerome Berenson, Douglas Brace, Frank Hollis, Harvey Rubenstein, Edward Beister, James Shea, Paul Cody, William Moran III, Anthony DeFino, James McCabe.

The Legal Aid Society at Temple University was founded by three people, a girl and two PADs. Serving on the Society are the following members of the Board of Directors: Jerome Berenson, Charles Zerbe, Frank Hollis. Student Attorneys for the Society are: James M. Coate, Donald Hayes, Rudolph Pallas-trone, Vincent A. Cirillo.

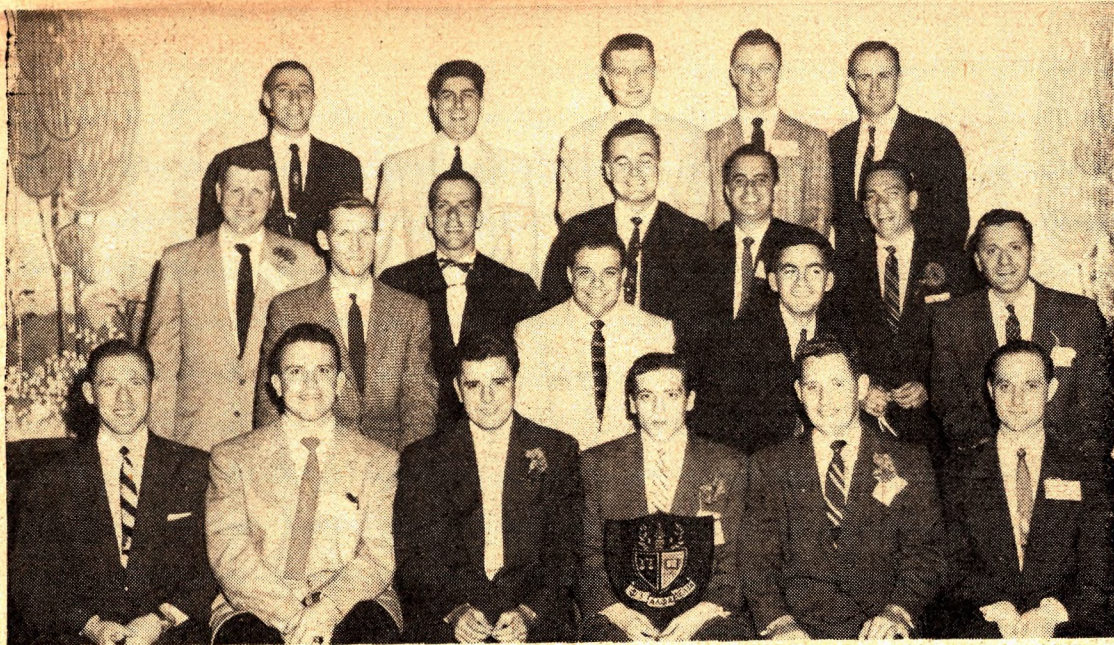
The Temple Research Institute, a research organ for the law school and judiciary in the area, is headed up by the following PADs: Vincent Cirillo, Director; James Garrity, Associate Director; Jerome Orinstein, Treasurer; Frank Hollis, Secretary; Richard Torpey, William Kinzer, Louis Gagliardi, Board of Directors.

Among new projects contemplated for the year 55-56 is the institution of a more effective public speaking program as recommended by the 1954 National Convention.

Faculty members of the Fraternity include Dr. Elden S. Magaw, District XI Justice, George P. Williams II, Warren M. Ballard, Lawrence N. Park, Frederick C. Fiechter, Mr. Romeika and Joseph W. Price III.

Roberts Chapter sustains a large number of diversified professional projects and programs. They initiated a book exchange for the law school and an award

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Above group represents but one-seventh of the total membership, active and pledge, of Roberts Chapter, this year's Most Outstanding PAD Chapter.



PAD WIVES LAW CLUB OF ROBERTS CHAPTER at recent Mask and Wig Party.

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MESSAGE FROM THE SUPREME JUSTICE

These remarks are intended for those of you who are embarking upon your legal careers at this time.

Before you lie opportunities for brilliant careers in the greatest profession. The cities and towns of our nation are experiencing steady growth in population and opportunities exist for you to enter the practice of law in thousands of our communities.

Many inquire as to where they should locate. This decision should be determined by where you would like to live. The need for young lawyers is not confined to a few states or areas—it exists in all areas and your choice is unlimited. You will be happier and success will be more readily yours if you establish your practice in a place where you would like to live. Always remember that a law practice cannot be moved from one state to another and the locale in which you begin your practice will, in all likelihood, be the one in which you will remain.

front you whenever you do decide to launch upon your career and you can better meet them now than when you are older.

If you honestly conclude that you cannot afford to engage in the practice of law, do not be discouraged and do not consider your years in law school wasted ones. Splendid opportunities exist for you in many fields of business, such as insurance and banking. In many instances, these opportunities would not be available to you but for your legal training.

At this time, we, in the alumni ranks, are vitally interested in you and we want you to succeed. In your first bewildering years in practice, you will need the help of older lawyers to answer those thousands of questions which have been so perplexing to all of us, and your brothers in the fraternity will always open their doors to you. When you enter practice, become active in the local alumni chapter and become acquainted with the older members for you will be pleasantly surprised to discover that they are on your team and will frequently be your clients by referring business to you.

Your fraternity will appreciate learning where you locate as we want to continue our contact with you and be certain that we have correct information for mailing, directory listing, etc.

And so, in conclusion, to all of you who are now in the "swim" or about to "jump in," I extend heartiest congratulations and wish for you success and prosperity.

Fraternal yours,
ROBERT D. JACKSON,
Supreme Justice

1955 Directory

If you have not traveled our country, do some exploring now and be certain that the location you select to engage in practice is the place in which you will be content to live and raise your family.

It is an ideal time to enter practice as the economy of our nation is sound and business is prospering and expanding. Whenever such a situation exists, lawyers will be in demand.

Many of you may feel that because of financial problems, entering practice must be delayed. Avoid that delay, if at all possible, as these problems will con-

Be sure your alumni dues are paid for the current fiscal year so that you will be eligible for the new Directory which will be available in August of this year.

Board Finds L.A. A Cordial Host

Los Angeles PADs extended a most cordial welcome to the Supreme Executive Board at its recent meeting in that city. To start things off, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray opened his beautiful Beverly Hills home to the Board for a stag dinner on Monday evening, March 28. In addition to the members of the board, District Justice Henry C. Rohr was present as well as Arthur D. Guy, Jr., Justice of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, Sandy Rae, former National Field Representative and Executive Secretary Fredrick J. Weitkamp. The next day between the morning and afternoon business sessions of the Board, a luncheon at the Nikabob restaurant was held with Ross Chapter at the University of Southern California and Ford Chapter at Loyola University. This informal luncheon afforded the members of these two active Chapters an opportunity to learn something about their National officers and to become personally acquainted with them.

Alumni Dinner

Tuesday evening the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter honored the Board members with a banquet. Presiding was Frederick O. Field, outgoing Justice of the Chapter. A tribute to our late beloved brother Judge Daniel Stevens was paid with the reading of the commemoration ritual by Brother Laughlin Waters (Ross). United States Attorney for Southern California. All brothers present joined in the service for the brother who had given so much of himself to our great Fraternity.

Frank E. Gray introduced the members of the Board to the Alumni Chapter and the principal address of the evening was made by Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson. The installation of new officers by Brother Jackson saw the following men formally take their respective offices in the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter: Arthur D. Guy Jr., Jus-



HON. ELWYN THOMAS, Supreme Vice-Justice, addressing McKenna initiation banquet on March 30. To the left of Judge Thomas are Federal District Judge James Carter (Ross) and William Mathes (McKenna). On the right is L. Dale Coffman, Dean of the UCLA School of Law.

Justice; Bion Vogel, First Vice-Justice; Albert Lee Stephens, Third Vice-Justice; Mark Mullin, Treasurer; James Leeds, Clerk; Sandy Rae, Marshall. The office of Second Vice-Justice would have been filled by our late Brother Judge Dan Stevens, and the officers have elected to keep that office vacant for a year as a tribute to his memory.

Some of the many dignitaries present were Federal District Judges James Carter (Ross) and William Mathes (McKenna), Superior Court Judges Aubrey Irwin (Ross), Herbert Walker (Ross), Joe Raycraft, and Clyde E. Triplett (Ross). Municipal Court Judges present were Newt Carnes (Ross), and Clarke Stephens (Ross). Past Supreme Justice Rex Hardy (Ross) was also present as was Superior Court Commissioner Clint Cladd, recently initiated into Ross Chapter. Also representing the National Fraternity were District Justice Henry C. Rohr (Ross) and Executive

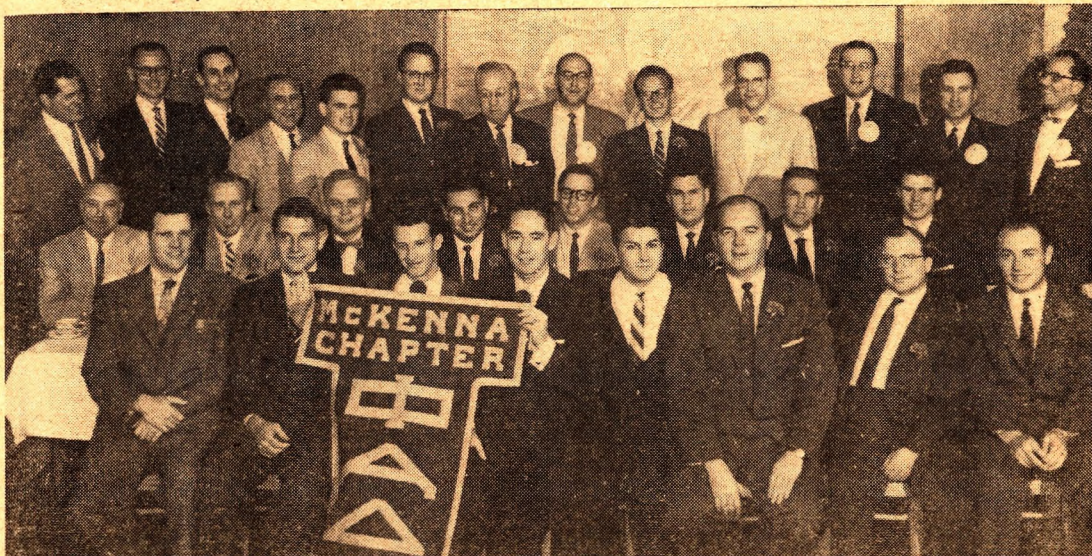
Secretary Fredrick J. Weitkamp (Ross).

McKenna Chapter at U.C.L.A. acted as host to the Supreme Executive Board on Wednesday evening, March 30, when it held its annual initiation dinner. Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray again introduced the members of the Board and impromptu remarks were made by each. Phi Delta Phi, incidentally, was well represented at the banquet with Dean L. Dale Coffman of the Law School and Kenneth H. York, Editor of Phi Delta Phi's Brief, being present. Needless to say, they took their ribbing like the gentlemen they are. Past Justice Jack Arguelles presented the Chapter with a handsome PAD banner which he had made himself.

Many PAD dignitaries were present including Federal Judges James Carter (Ross) and William Mathes (McKenna) and Chapter advisor Oliver Hardy.



LOS ANGELES ALUMNI CHAPTER OFFICERS POSE with members of the Supreme Executive Board at a banquet held in honor of the Board during its annual meeting held this year in Los Angeles. Front row, left to right: Supreme Marshal John W. Shuart, Supreme Treasurer Anthony A. DiGrazia, Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson, Supreme Vice-Justice Elwyn Thomas, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray and Supreme Historian Henry C. Foss. Back row, left to right: Bion Vogel, First Vice-Justice of the L. A. Alumni chapter; Sandy Rae, Marshal; Mark Mullin, Treasurer; Frederick O. Field, outgoing Justice; Henry C. Rohr, District III Justice; Arthur D. Guy, Jr., Justice; James Leeds, Clerk; and Fredrick J. Weitkamp, Executive Secretary.



McKENNA CHAPTER AT UCLA shown with their new banner made by past Justice Jack Arguelles. Supreme Executive Board members also attended the initiation banquet and are pictured. Back row, left to right: Supreme Marshal John W. Shuart, Frank R. Yeakel, Stanley E. Cohen, Supreme Treasurer Anthony A. DiGrazia, Ira Holroyd, Elbert Hensley, Supreme Vice Justice Elwyn Thomas, Phillip McCarthy, John Flett, Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson, District III Justice Henry C. Rohr, Supreme Historian Henry C. Foss, Executive Secretary Fredrick J. Weitkamp. Middle row: Oliver Hardy, Chapter Advisor; Jack Peters, Dave Vinji, Jerry Shutzbank, Jerry Ruddelson, Newell Gardner, James Erickson, John Engman. Front row: Robert Butrey, Roderick Riccardi, Ray Olinger, Jack Arguelles, Arthur Abramopoulos, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray, William Smith, Ned Pearlstein.



DEAN ALBERT J. HARNO

Dean Harno Heads American Judicature Society

Presently serving as the President of the American Judicature Society is Dean Albert J. Harno of the College of Law, University of Illinois. Serving with him as vice presidents are Brothers Thomas F. McDonald (Campbell) and the Hon. Bolitha J. Laws (Taft), Chief Justice of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

The American Judicature Society has as its purpose the promotion of the efficient administration of justice.

Brother Harno is a member of Calhoun Chapter at Yale University and graduated from that law school with his LL.B. in 1914. He holds LL.D.s from Dakota Wesleyan University, Tulane University and Temple University.

He is a former President of the Association of American Law Schools; the Order of the Coif, Illinois State Bar Association and the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.

His experience in the legal education field is extensive and includes the following: Dean of the Washburn College of Law, Professor of Law at the Universities of Kansas and Illinois and Provost of the University of Illinois. He is the author of many legal periodicals and books, including the well-known case book entitled, "Cases and Materials on Criminal Law and Procedure."

He is currently a member of the task force on Legal Services and procedures of the Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government, more commonly known as the Hoover Commission. A news story on the work of this Commission appears elsewhere in this issue of The Reporter.

U. of Utah Professor Honored By District IV Conclave

A testimonial banquet honoring Herbert M. Schiller, professor of law at the University of Utah, was attended by more than 100 members of Sutherland, Hughes and Gunter Chapters and alumni Saturday, April 1st.

Concluding the one-day regional conclave, Brother William G. Andrews of Sutherland Chapter, conclave chairman, presented Brother Schiller with a mahogany gavel banded in silver bearing an inscription expressing the fraternity's esteem for the law professor and former judge of the Third District Court of Utah.

Judge Schiller has taught about 60 per cent of the practicing lawyers of Utah. He is a member of Sutherland Chapter.

The meeting, the first held in two years by the district, was marked by top speakers, including Dr. Daniel J. Dykstra, Dean of the University of Utah Law School, Supreme Marshal John W. Shuart (Benson) and Mr. Justice Henry Henroid of the Utah Supreme Court. In addition, Prof. Obert C. Tanner (Sutherland), a member of the Utah Bar and of the U. of Utah Department of Philosophy spoke on "Religion and the Law," while Milton H. Love, director of securities for the Utah Securities Commission, spoke on "Problems of the Uranium Boom." Harley W. Gustin presented comments on the rules of practice as affecting attorneys.

Overseeing the entire conclave was the District Justice, Teller Ammons (Hughes), former governor of Colorado.

Chancellor Holmes Made Honorary Member

On April 22, 1955, Lamar Chapter at the University of Mississippi formally initiated the Hon. Herbert Holmes as an honorary member of Phi Alpha Delta. Mr. Holmes is the Chancellor of the Third Chancery Court in Mississippi.

A former speaker of the House of Representatives of the state, he also served for 13 years as Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee. He is a former Circuit Judge, President of the Senatobia Bank, and Chairman of the State Democratic Convention.

His many memberships include the Masonic Lodge, Rotary Club and the Methodist Church.

Varied Program Features Successful District XII Conclave

Sen. Alan Bible Becomes Honorary Member

A varied program featured the annual weekend Conclave held March 25 and 26 by District XII. Headquarters of the meeting was the Sheraton Park Hotel in Washington, D.C. and hosts were Jay and Taft Chapters together with the Washington, D. C. Alumni Chapter. Friday evening a reception was held in the Caribar Room to enable the delegates to become acquainted with one another.

Board Meeting

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has been the policy for the past several years. The Executive Office is in the process of obtaining catalogs of all law schools where Chapters are located so that the Board can decide upon the exact dates for the Convention, keeping in mind the law schools' semester termination dates.

In keeping with the policy established at the 1954 Convention, the Board resolved to invite the District Justices to the Cleveland Convention at the Fraternity's expense, with transportation expenses allowed to be equal to round trip air line fare.

Two PAD traditions were continued when the Board allocated some for the holding of receptions at the 1955 American Bar Association Convention and for the 1955 Meeting of the American Association of Law Schools.

Executive Secretary Frederick J. Weitkamp informed the Board that the supply of the blue rushing booklet was running low and that if the booklet was to be reprinted, the Board ought to take some formal action. It was the opinion of the Board that the special feature issue of The Reporter, which was published in October, 1954, practically duplicated the purpose for which the rushing booklet was published. It, therefore, adopted a resolution that the blue rushing booklet be revised and reprinted and that the slick type special feature issue of The Reporter as published in October, 1954, be incorporated therein, insofar as is feasible. The Reporter will, therefore, be published solely in tabloid form for the coming fiscal year.

One of the most difficult items of business on the agenda was the selection of the most outstanding PAD Chapter in the country for the year 1954-1955. After careful examination of all of the district winners, the Board unanimously selected the Owen J. Roberts Chapter at Temple University School of Law as the recipient of the award. (See story on page one.)

presided at the afternoon business session and called for a discussion of various topics of interest to the active chapters and for the delivery of various reports.

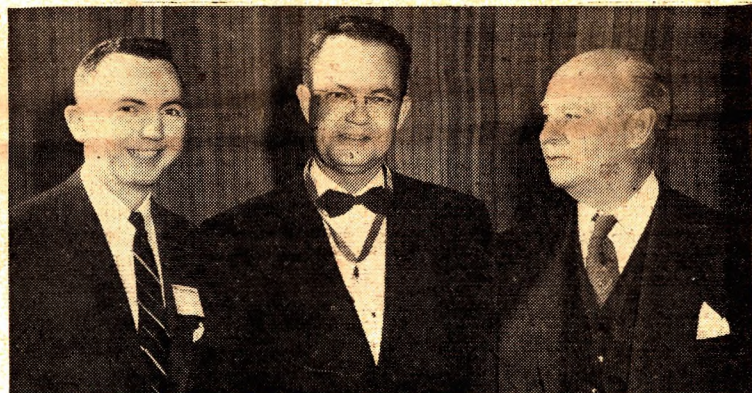
Taking an active part in the business session were the student district officers, Ed Fenwick, Jr. (Jay), Justice, Perry N. Walker (Timberlake), Vice Justice, Michael P. McLeod (Ruffin), Clerk, and James E. Hogan (Taft), Treasurer.

Bible Initiated

Later in the day Senator Alan Bible of Nevada assumed the obligation of Phi Alpha Delta as he was accorded an honorary membership in Taft Chapter. A large number of Washington Alumni and PAD dignitaries were present to extend their congratulations to him.

The Burgundy Room was the scene of the Conclave Fellowship Banquet Saturday evening as the Sixth Annual District XII Conclave began to draw to a close. The large group attending had a rare treat as Past Supreme Justice J. Harry La Brum (Taft), who held that office longer than any other man, was Toastmaster. The honorary initiate, Senator Alan Bible, delivered the principal address.

Represented at the Conclave were the following chapters: Jay (George Washington), Henry Richmond, Jefferson (Virginia), Pinckney (So. Carolina), Ruffin (No. Carolina), Staples (Washington and Lee), Taft (Georgetown), Timberlake (Wake Forest), Wythe (William and Mary), and the Virginia State and Washington D.C. Alumni Chapters.



HONORARY INITIATE UNITED STATES SENATOR ALAN BIBLE of Nevada with Judge Joseph R. Jackson (Taft) of the United States Court of Customs and Patent Appeals, right, and Don Byrne, Justice of Taft Chapter, left.



SOUTH CAROLINA attended the District XII Conclave in force as seen in this picture. Reading clockwise, top center: Senator Strom Thurmond, Pinckney; William H. Jackson, Malcolm M. Crosland, Laune Floyd, Lt. Hugh Rogers, past Justice, Pinckney Chapter; Philip K. Wingard, Justice, Pinckney Chapter; Mrs. Strom Thurmond, and Marion S. Riggs.



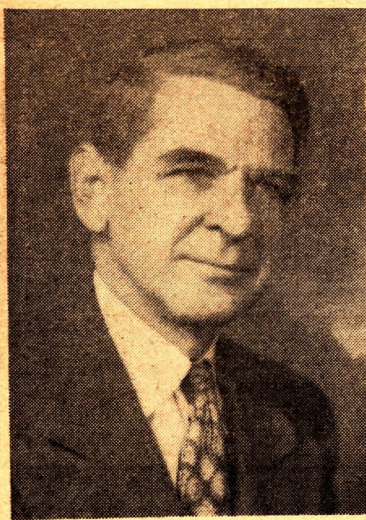
ANOTHER BANQUET TABLE SCENE. Reading clockwise, top center: Professor Charles Benson, Dean George Washington University Law School; Mrs. Charles Mayo; Professor Charles Mayo, Assistant Dean George Washington University Law School; Claude Nicholson (Staples), new District Student Clerk; Ed Rowe (Pinckney), new District Student Justice; and Ed Fenwick (Jay), outgoing District Student Justice.



HEAD TABLE AT THE DISTRICT XII CONCLAVE LUNCHEON. The luncheon was devoted to a presentation on the more effective speaking program of PAD. Presiding was Associate Tribune Robert E. Redding (Taft) shown standing. Others are, left to right: Mike Walsh, Tony Zummer, Don Byrne, Ed Fenwick and Don Campbell.



ALUMNI GATHER TO CONGRATULATE Senator Alan Bible upon his honorary initiation. Back row, left to right: Supreme Historian Henry C. Foss (Rutledge), Ralph Dunn (Taft), Associate Tribune Robert E. Redding (Taft), Ira Hutchins, Ed Fanflik (Jay), Scott Crampton (Jay), John Ewell (Jay), Elwood Dunn (Jay), Grant Stewart (Jay), Harold Nystrom (Jay). Front row: Joseph B. Avery (Campbell), E. B. Van Kirk, J. Westwood Smithers (Henry), Judge Joseph R. Jackson (Taft), J. T. McDonnell, Senator Bible, Robert Freer (Chase), Charles Ireland, Dave Cahoon (Taft), unidentified.



HON. WARREN L. JONES

Warren L. Jones Appointed to U. S. Circuit Court Appeals

Brother Warren L. Jones of Jacksonville, Fla., has been appointed to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit by President Eisenhower. Jones, a member of Hughes Chapter at the University of Denver, has been with the law firm of Fleming, Jones, Scott & Potts in Jacksonville for 30 years. His firm is one of the oldest in the South, it and its predecessors having been in the practice of law prior to and ever since the war between the States.

Brother Jones is admitted to practice before the Supreme Courts of Colorado and Florida, the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, the Supreme Court of the United States, the Treasury Department, the United States Tax Court, the Interstate Commerce Commission and the United States Maritime Commission.

He is a member of the Jacksonville, Fla., and American Bar Associations, having been president of the Jacksonville Bar Association in 1939 and of the Florida Bar Association in 1944. He also holds memberships in the American Judicature Society and the American Law Institute.

Mr. Jones is a director, member of the Trust Committee and General Counsel of the Barnett National Bank of Jacksonville, as well as a director of a number of other corporations. He has been active in Masonry and has been honored by membership in the Order of the Red Cross of Constantine. He was Potentate of Morocco Temple of the Shrine in 1948.

Other of his memberships include the American Legion, Society of American Military Engineers, Florida Chamber of Commerce, Chamber of Commerce of the United States and the Episcopal Church. He also belongs to Lawyers Club of New York, Seminole Club, Florida Yacht Club and Timuquans Country Club.

Williams Authors Georgia Text

Brother Ralph Roger Williams, a former Justice of the Alabama Alumni Chapter, has recently authored a six volume work on Georgia trial and appellate practice. The work will consist of 3600 pages, more than 1,000,000 words on Georgia law, making this is the largest treatise by



RALPH R. WILLIAMS

Cal. Taxpayers Ass'n Has PAD as New Prexy

Milo E. Rowell, a member of Holmes Chapter, and prominent Fresno, California attorney, was elected President of the State-wide California Taxpayers' Association, on February 8.

Rowell, a native-born San Franciscan, is an alumnus of both Stanford University — 1924 (A.B.) and 1926 (J.D.) and Harvard Law school.

During World War II, he served in the Army of the United States, rising from Captain to Lt. Colonel. During the war, he was Military Governor of two provinces of the Philippines, as well as in the military government section in Army Headquarters in Japan, where his main job was assisting the Japanese in organizing their form of government.

Partner of Rowell, Lamberson and Thomas, lawyers, and of the Rowell Company, Rowell is also President of Hobbs-Parsons Company and Rowell-Chandler Company, and Director of the United Warehouse Company, Hesperia Land Development Company and Affiliates, and Midland Savings and Loan Association.

Member of the Fresno County, State, and American Bar Associations, Rowell is active in many civic organizations in the Fresno area, including the Fresno Merchants Association, City and County Chamber of Commerce, Boy Scouts, and Fresno County Taxpayers Association.

Accepting the responsibilities of President, Rowell said:

"The job ahead of the Taxpayers' Association is far greater today than it was when the organization was founded in 1926.

"Population has grown. Inflation has taken hold. The amount of government services has increased faster than the combination of population growth and inflation.

"That taxes are no higher is due to the careful and quiet work of the Association and to the continued cooperation of the press, civic groups, and most public officials.

"In its 29 years of operation, the Association has magnificently accomplished its objectives. Those familiar with its operations recognize its nonpolitical and nonpartisan character, as well as its scrupulous devotion to the doctrines of economy and efficiency in the administration of government.

"Under the guidance of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the Association, I am firmly of the opinion that during the coming years California Taxpayers' Association will continue its effective work in cooperating with State, County, and Municipal Officials in bringing about the greatest possible economies in the administration of government services to the citizens of this State."

a Georgia lawyer. The six volume work is published by the Lawyers Co-operative Publishing Company of Rochester, New York.

Mr. Williams started a career in journalism but is now a practicing lawyer and teacher. He is the holder of four University degrees.

He attended Georgia Southwestern College in Americus and graduated from the University of Georgia in 1941 with an A.B. In 1947 he received his LL.B. from the same university and received an M.A. from Syracuse in 1945. In 1948, the degree of LL.M. was conferred upon him by Stanford University.

He taught pleading and practice courses at the University of Alabama School of Law for five years and is a member of the Georgia, Alabama and U.S. Supreme Court Bars.

Brother Williams who has always been active in P.A.D. was initiated into Stephens Chapter at the University of Georgia and transferred his membership to Holmes Chapter at Stanford University when he was in attendance there.

Ken. Chief Justice Stewart Addresses Clay Chapter

Brother Brady M. Stewart (Clay), Chief Justice of the highest court in Kentucky, the Court of Appeals, delivered the main address on April 25 at a banquet honoring seven new initiates of Clay Chapter at the University of Kentucky. The banquet took place at the Southern Hotel in Frankfort. Brother Charles Landrum Jr. (Clay) was master of ceremonies and Justice Wendell S. Williams of Clay Chapter announced that Landrum had been selected for Clay Chapter's 1955 Outstanding Alumnus Award.

Those assembled were also privileged to hear the Kentucky Secretary of State, Mr. Charles O'Connell. Other honored guests included Judges Porter Sims and Morris Montgomery and Commissioners Osso W. Stanley and Robert K. Cullen of the Court of Appeals. Among alumni present was Joseph Lee, past Justice of Clay Chapter.

The formal initiation took place in the courtroom of the Kentucky Court of Appeals in the Capitol at Frankfort. The judicial surroundings of Kentucky's highest court added great dignity to the occasion. The initiates were: James Goslee Becker, G. Wayne Bridges, Lowell Walker Lundy, Jacob W. Mayer, James Francis Miller, Henry R. Snyder and David L. Van Horn.

W. R. Grace & Co. Names Lutz as V.P.

E. Russell Lutz was recently named as Vice President of W. R. Grace & Co. Brother Lutz is a former Vice President of the Grace Line and has been an Assistant Vice President of W. R. Grace & Co. since 1952. Before joining the Grace organization, Mr. Lutz served for eight years as Executive Vice President of American President Lines, Ltd. During the previous fifteen years he had performed special legal assignments for various federal agencies including the Department of State and the United States Maritime Commission. Brother Lutz is a member of Calhoun Chapter at Yale University.

20 PADs Receive JAGC Commissions

On January 12 of this year, twenty PADs were ordered to active duty and commissioned first lieutenants in the Judge Advocate General's Corps. In all, 56 lawyers received their commissions at this time and PAD had more members of this group than any other law fraternity.

The men are now on temporary duty at the Judge Advocate General's School at Charlottesville, Va. Our brothers and their chapters are as follows:

Marion Edwyn Harrison (Jay), Samuel Kaufman II (Morgan), Frank O. Meade (Jefferson), Frank W. Rogers Jr. (Jefferson), Robert J. Rogers (Jefferson), Robert G. Tallman (Jefferson), Bradford D. Corrigan Jr. (Baylor), James A. McMullen (Tom C. Clark), Robert E. Allen (Timberlake), Ronald L. Penner (Hay), Harmon Hugh Rogers (Pinckney), Thomas L. Wolfe (Harlan), Richard M. Trautwein (Vinson), Thomas E. Pfau (Vinson), C. Benton Musslewhite (Taney), John H. Reese (Taney), Lawrence Herman (Chase), Peter Shebell Jr. (Wythe), David D. Dowd Jr. (Campbell), and Theodore J. St. Antoine (Campbell).



DELEGATES AND OFFICERS of the 1955 District IX Conclave pose for The Reporter at their closing banquet on April 2nd.

District IX Conclave Goes to Kentucky Vinson and Louisville Alumni Are Hosts

The 1955 District IX Conclave was very graciously hosted by Vinson Chapter at the University of Louisville and the Louisville Alumni Chapter on the weekend of April 1st and 2nd. Chapter delegates convened at the call of District Justice James L. Broz, Jr. to make this conclave one of the most successful ever held by the district. Included in the district are Western Reserve University, University of Cincinnati, University of Kentucky, Ohio State University, University of Louisville, University of Pittsburgh and the University of West Virginia.

The Henry Clay Hotel served as conclave headquarters and was the scene of the Friday evening reception and cocktail party. Local alumni as well as Vinson Chapter members turned out to welcome the out-of-townners to the home of the Blue Grass.

The all day business session on Saturday consisted of round table discussions of importance to active chapters. Topics included Pledging and Initiation, Interchapter Relations, Chapter Programs and Social Activities, Placement Ideas and Programs, National and Local, Alumni Relations, and Chapter Scholarstic Assistance. Other official business included the election of student district officers and a conclave forum.

The closing banquet featured two speakers, the Honorable Robert P. Hobson and Supreme Treasurer Anthony A. DiGrazia with District Justice James L. Broz, Jr. as Toastmaster. The delegates applauded DiGrazia's announcement that the 1956 National Convention would be held in Cleveland.

Vitally interested in the conclave were two delegates from the Salmon P. Chase College of Law in Cincinnati. A PAD chapter is to be installed at that law school on May 6th and these men representing the petitioning

group were invited to attend and see PAD in operation.

Justices of the member chapters are: Walter Bortz, University of Cincinnati; Wendell S. Williams, University of Kentucky; Joseph F. Gallo, Western Reserve University; James R. Hamilton, Ohio State University; Charles P. Sutt, Jr., University of Louisville; Richard Nelson, University of Pittsburgh; Charles P. Casey, University of West Virginia.

Chicago Alumni Fete Wives And Sweethearts

The Chicago Alumni honored their wives and sweethearts at their regular February meeting on the 21st. "Wives and Sweethearts Night" is well on its way to becoming a regular annual feature with the Chicago brothers.

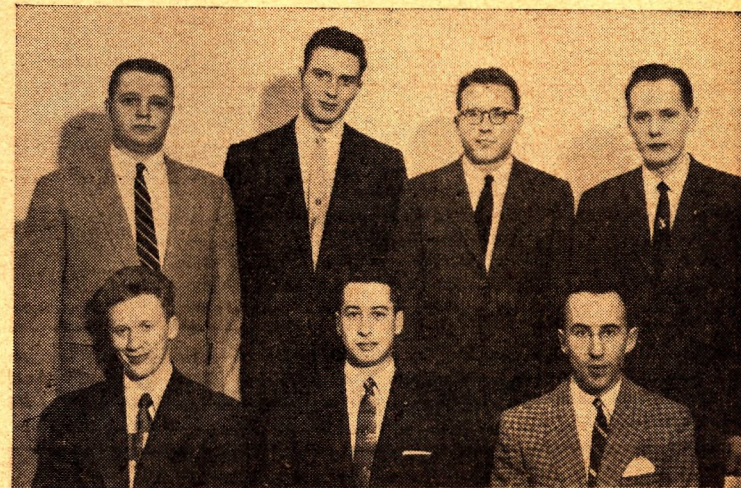
This year the gathering was held at the famous "Blue Note" club in the great City of Chicago. Entertainment was provided by two "compos" and the recording star, Dinah Washington.

To the complete surprise and delight of all assembled, the Chicago group was signally honored by having in attendance Past Supreme Justice and present Justice of the Supreme Court of California, Douglas Edmonds, and our present Supreme Vice Justice and Justice of the Supreme Court of Florida, Elwyn Thomas. Our famous brothers were greeted with the now well known Alumni Welcome Song, and appeared to enjoy the company of all the brothers and their very charming wives.

Not to be overlooked, but really significant to the Chicago Alumni was the presence of our Supreme Treasurer, Tony DiGrazia. A meeting of the Chicago group would only be significant if Mr. "PAD" was not present.



SPEAKERS TABLE at District IX Conclave Banquet. Left to right: Anthony A. DiGrazia (Story), Supreme Treasurer, Robert P. Hobson, Speaker, Charles P. Sutt, Justice Vinson Chapter, James L. Broz (Hay) District Justice.



THE OLD AND THE NEW DISTRICT IX STUDENT OFFICERS. Front row, 1954-55 officers, left to right: Bill Wallace (Vinson), Clerk; Dick Franson (Hay), Vice-Justice; Jack Terry (Hay), Treasurer; not shown Harry Lewis (McKinley), Justice. Back row, left to right: Dick Nelson (Watson), Clerk; Tom Gates (Vinson), Justice; Stephen Booher (McKinley), Vice Justice; Don Farley (Hay), Treasurer.



BANQUET HEADTABLE at District II and III Joint Conclave. Left to right: Executive Secretary Fredrick J. Weitkamp (Ross); Captain Wilterdink (Temple); Justice San Francisco Alumni; Mrs. John R. Griffin; Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray (Ford); Mrs. Robert D. Jackson; Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson (Cole); Toastmaster Alden McClelland (Matt Sullivan); District II Justice John R. Griffin (Temple); Dean Edward I. Hogan (Temple); Mrs. Hogan; Mrs. Henry C. Rohr; District III Justice and Supreme Tribune Henry C. Rohr (Ross).

Combined Dists II & III Conclave Hosted By San Francisco

The beautiful Sheraton-Palace Hotel in San Francisco was the scene of the Sixth Annual Districts II and III Joint Conclave over the weekend of April 1st and 2nd. Opening the two day meeting was the now traditional Friday evening reception which was this year sponsored by the San Francisco Alumni Chapter. Making the evening even more enjoyable were the many wives and sweethearts of delegates who were very much in evidence.

Brother Henry C. Rohr, known to Southern Californians as their District Justice and to brothers across the country as an Associate Tribune, opened the Saturday morning business session

with the introduction of the District III Student District Vice-Justice John Craig who presided for the remainder of the morning. Each chapter had previous-

ly been requested to be prepared with a short report on its most important project for the year.

Chapter Project Reports

First to report was Brother Dick Merrill of Field Chapter who explained the Study-Aid Program which the University of California chapter uses. The advanced students, he stated, operate the program for the first year men and valuable practice examinations and critiques are given.

Holmes Chapter at Stanford University delivered its report through Brother Sam Freshman. Freshman described the award which the chapter has established to be given to the outstanding senior law student at the

University, without regard to his fraternal affiliation. The recipient is chosen by the faculty and receives a handsome certificate and his name engraved on a permanent plaque placed in the law school. The 1955 award is to be made at a banquet at which Governor Goodwin Knight (Holmes) will speak to the chapter.

Matt I. Sullivan Chapter at the University of San Francisco has had a particular problem in integrating its night school members with the day class. Brother Pat Loughran described the plan which was utilized to bring about a harmony within the chapter and which has seen the chapter reach new heights of enthusiasm and energy. One of the most helpful devices used was the formation of a Wives Group which holds regular meetings.

Bob Young of Temple Chapter at Hastings College of Law told of the part which PAD plays at his law school both in giving service to the school and in participating in student activities. Temple Chapter also has an active Wives' Club.

Various projects of Ross Chapter at the University of Southern California were described by Jet Rutter. Among them were an award to the member who has shown the greatest scholastic improvement in the past year, a Christmas Party for underprivileged children, a seminar for third year students and a Judges Day where a PAD judge in Los Angeles takes a third year student with him for an entire day.

Representing McKenna Chapter of the University of California at Los Angeles was Guy Hunt. Pet project of McKenna for the past year has been the building of a scholarship fund which has been donated to the Law School and will be supervised by the University in conjunction with the chapter.

Constitutional Problems

A discussion of constitutional problems and proposed amendments to the Constitution was had and Field Chapter proposed some type of change wherein the single blackball system would be abolished and each chapter would be allowed to set its own requirements for election to membership. Each chapter was called upon to state its views on the subject and any substitute suggestions which it might have.

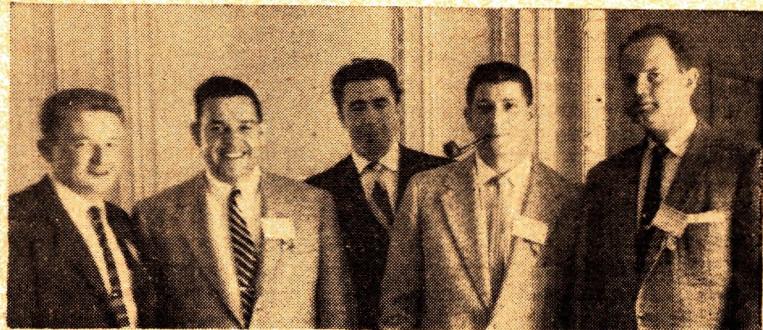
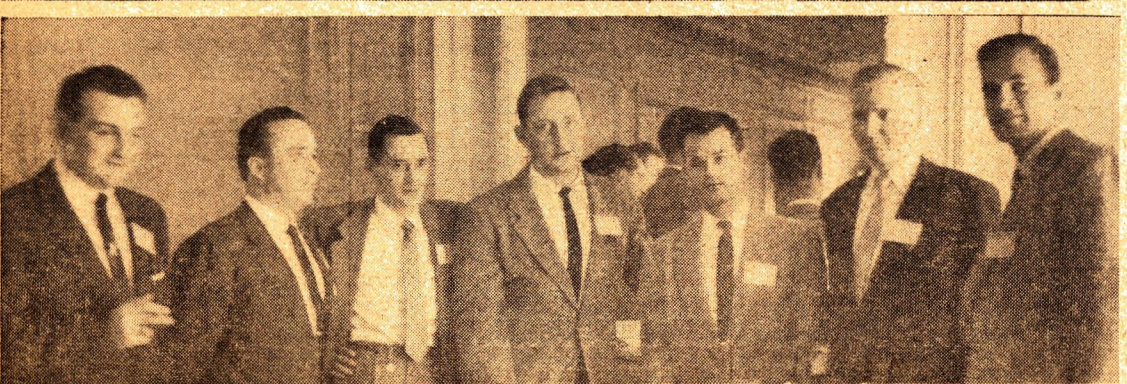
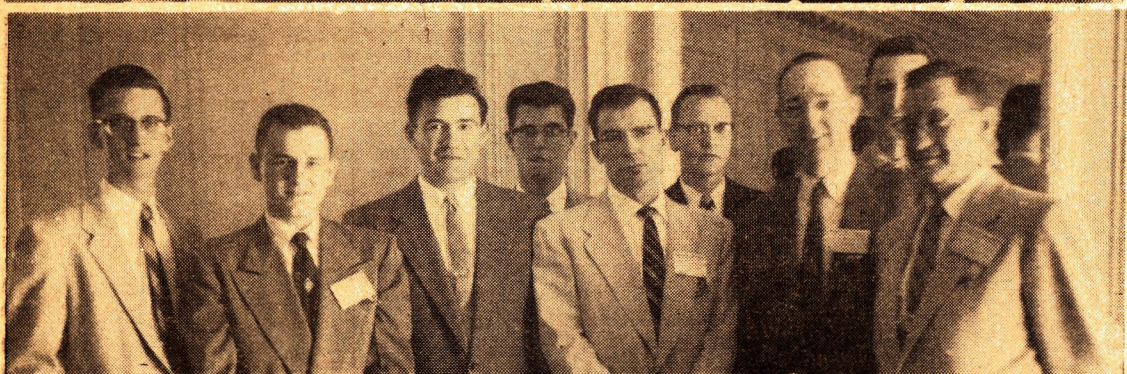
After luncheon the afternoon business session was called to order by District II Justice John R. Griffin who introduced Bob Coyle of Temple Chapter, Student District II Vice-Justice. Lloyd F. Postel (Temple) gave an excellent presentation on the attorney's role in the prosecution or defense of a personal injury claim. Tying in with the presentation was Mr. Harold K. Lipsett who described the role which the private investigator can play. Of particular interest was a miniature tape recorder which can be carried on the person.

Los Angeles in 1956

The formal business conducted saw Los Angeles selected as the site for the 1956 Conclave which will again be a combined meeting. It was recommended that the date of the Conclave be sometime in February with the two District Justices selecting the time. Unanimously elected as student district officers for the coming year were Dick Merrill (Field), District II Vice Justice, Harold Auerbach (M. Sullivan), Clerk, Guy Hunt (McKenna), District III Vice Justice, and Phil Battaglia (Ross), Treasurer.

The closing banquet was held in the Comstock Room of the Sheraton-Palace Hotel. District II Justice John R. Griffin introduced Alden McClelland, an active member of Matt Sullivan Chapter who presided as Master of Ceremonies. A rough approximation would be that Brother McClelland provided 60 laughs a minute with his keen wit and entertaining remarks. Introduced for impromptu remarks were Supreme Justice and Mrs. Robert D. Jackson, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray, District III Justice and Mrs. Henry C. Rohr, San Francisco Alumni Justice Capt. Wilterdink, District II Justice and Mrs. John R. Griffin, Assistant Dean (Hastings College of Law) and Mrs. Edward Hogan (Temple), and Executive Secretary Fredrick J. Weitkamp.

The wives and sweethearts of delegates in attendance were provided an interesting day's entertainment with a luncheon at Di Maggio's at Fisherman's Wharf and a sightseeing tour conducted by wives of the San Francisco Alumni. All in all the San Francisco Alumni are to be congratulated for a most interesting, educational and entertaining weekend.



DELEGATES TO THE DISTRICTS II AND III JOINT CONCLAVE pose in chapter groups for The Reporter. Left, top to bottom: Field Chapter, University of California; Holmes Chapter, Stanford University; Temple Chapter, Hastings College of Law; more of Temple Chapter; Ross Chapter, University of Southern California. Right, top to bottom: McKenna Chapter, UCLA; Matt I. Sullivan Chapter, University of San Francisco.

Chapter Problems Discussed By District XI Conclave

Sen. Knowland Speaks At Banquet

Extensive discussions on problems confronting active chapters featured the all-day business session of the District XI Conclave held April 2, 1955. Host to the conclave was the Owen J. Roberts Chapter of Temple University School of Law. The business meetings took place at MITten Hall at the University.

Magaw Welcomes Delegates

Brother Leonard Silverman (Roberts) of the Magaw Alumni Chapter of Philadelphia and chairman of the conclave program called the meeting to order in the morning. Dr. Elden S. Magaw, Justice of the District, then welcomed the delegates, informing them that the principal purpose of the conclave was the interchange of ideas and information so that stronger and better chapters might result.

The first topic of discussion was "Rushing Techniques and Social Activities," led by Vincent A. Cirillo, Justice of Roberts Chapter. He described the rushing program as promulgated by his chapter with great success. Initially, the chapter sponsors a rushing smoker at which beer and other refreshments are served and to which the entire first-year class is invited. Each active brother is pledged to bring five freshmen.

However, he stated, even before freshmen actually commence their law school studies, they are invited to a picnic which is held in August on the farm of one of our distinguished brothers, the Hon. Harold G. Knight, President Judge of Montgomery County, Pa. This helps to acquaint the freshmen with the activities of PAD so that our fraternity is the first one with which they come into contact. They are given an opportunity to meet the leaders of the school and they can see for themselves that almost all of them are PADs.

The chapter also conducts lectures for freshmen in fundamental first-year subjects. These are led by second and third-year PADs who have finished highest in their classes, the purposes of the lectures being to cover the more difficult points of law with which the first-year student is apt to have trouble.

Columbia U. Directory

Robert Falise of Livingston Chapter raised a novel idea with which his chapter has had good success. They publish a first-year directory containing the names, addresses and background of all first-year students in a brochure form indicating that it was issued compliments of PAD. He stated that the Columbia University administration liked the idea so much that they have volunteered to underwrite the cost while still permitting PAD the use of their name on the brochure.

A particular rushing problem of Calhoun Chapter at Yale University was brought up by Brother John N. Wrinkle, Clerk of the chapter, when he stated that only seniors are permitted in law fraternities at Yale.

Closing off the discussion, Brother Cirillo informed the delegates that Roberts Chapter also had a wives' club which met every time a smoker was held for the active members. The purpose of this group being, of course, to overcome any objections which wives might have to their husbands joining a fraternity.

Law School Activities

The second topic of discussion was "Law School Activities," led by Mario Piazzola, a former Justice of Roberts Chapter and a member of the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter. He pointed out emphatically that no fraternity can actually carry on law school activities itself; it can only nio-ner them.

Of interest was the fact that Roberts Chapter had started such activities as student participation in legal aid and voluntary defender programs. Also students assist in the U. S. Attorney's office, the Philadelphia City Solicitor's office and the District Attorney's office. Reports from these officials indi-

cated that the student's work has been quite satisfactory and of great help to the offices concerned.

Roberts Chapter has also persuaded the Philadelphia Bar Association to place students on its various committees for the sole purpose of participating in discussions of legal problems.

Other pioneering movements which the Chapter has sustained include the institution of a Research Institute which researches current legal problems at the request of the courts, a member of the faculty acting as amicus curiae. The institute also compiles statutes to which the student must have a ready reference.

Other worthwhile activities of active chapters, stated Brother Piazzola, are examination files, the big brother system and a book exchange.

Finances

The all-important topic of "Finances" was ably led by Jerome Berenson, Treasurer of Roberts Chapter. The tremendous progress which Roberts Chapter has made along financial lines in the last year was illustrated when he stated that at the beginning of the last year there was a \$350 deficit and at the present time there exists a \$700 surplus. This surplus was primarily accomplished by changing the system of collection. Assessments for each function, he advised, generally proved unsatisfactory.

Roberts Chapter at the present time has an annual assessment of \$8.00 per person. If the assessment is not paid when due, a notice of delinquency is sent to the individual two months later and if this is ignored, another notice is sent which threatens expulsion if payment is not forthcoming. His experience has been that by the time the last notice is sent, payment is forthcoming. The annual assessment includes admittance to smokers, the annual picnic and annual scholastic prize.

Various of the chapters represented at the conclave discussed their own peculiar problems with respect to the topic under discussion.

The topic of "Alumni" was drawn by the District Justice, Dr. Elden S. Magaw. As usual, his exposition was excellent. He pointed out that oftentimes it is the alumni group which influences the student as to which fraternity he should join. It is, therefore, important to have a strong alumni group.

Dr. Magaw pointed out that all of the alumni and all of the faculty of a law school where an active chapter of PAD exists are eligible to join the fraternity. As an illustration, he pointed out that President Judge Knight, whose farm is used for the annual PAD picnic, is a Temple University graduate and was invited to join the fraternity because of his outstanding ability. Student active chapters should never overlook this valuable source of membership.

District Organization

The Supreme Historian, Henry C. Foss (Rutledge), led the topic of discussion for "District Officers." The principal reason for having student district officers is, he stated, to organize the annual conclave so that each year they become better and better in affairs and more useful and informational to those who attend. District XI, it was pointed out, does not have a district organization. Carmody and Roberts Chapter were in favor of such an organization but the other chapter delegates had not as yet had an opportunity to discuss it with their memberships and the matter was therefore



DELEGATES FROM DISTRICT V at their 1955 Conclave held at the University of Mississippi.

Formal Organization Set Up By District V

Vice-Justice Thomas In Attendance

A step forward in the progress of District V was taken as delegates from the active chapters in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee convened at "Ole Miss" for its annual conclave March 25 and 26. Hosting the meeting was Lamar Chapter at the University of Mississippi under the capable direction of its justice, George Warner, and the Student District Justice, Lauch Magruder (Lamar).

Recognizing the need for formal district organization those in attendance adopted a great postponed.

Following the discussion period, Roberts Chapter was host at the conclave luncheon where the delegates were privileged to hear as the principal speaker, Henry C. Foss, Supreme Historian. Brother Foss spoke on the condition of the fraternity from a national viewpoint.

Conclave Banquet

Probably the highlight of the entire conclave was the conclave banquet which was held in conjunction with the annual Roberts Chapter banquet. Attending were over 200 people packing the ballroom of the Barclay Hotel. Sen. William F. Knowland of California, minority leader of the Senate, was the speaker of the evening. His talk on American foreign policy was enlightening to all.

Delaware Justice Initiated

An outstanding graduate of Temple University School of Law was accorded due recognition when Justice Howard Bramhall was initiated into Roberts Chapter. Justice Bramhall is an associate justice of the Delaware Supreme Court.



HON. HOWARD W. BRAMHALL

Very much in evidence at the conclave were four delegates from the group at Rutgers University School of Law which will be formally chartered on May 18 of this year. Present were Warren Collins, John Hayden, Richard Holten and Henry Wnukowski.

Also representing their respective chapters were B. Brooks Thomas (Calhoun), John N. Wrinkle (Calhoun), Richard H. Buechner (Carmody), John Mahon (Carmody), Robert Falise (Livingston), Michael Higgins (Livingston), Justin P. Carey (Rapallo), Carl M. Erida (Rapallo), Marc Matland (Rapallo), John Weglicki (Roberts), James Garrity (Roberts), Vincent A. Cirillo (Roberts), Jerome Berenson (Roberts) and James Coate (Roberts).

District XI is comprised of the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey and eastern Pennsylvania.

many resolutions which were compiled and put in the form of a Constitution. The Constitution is to be circulated among the active chapters in the district for their approval by mail. Among the more important resolutions adopted were: provisions for officers, a district newsletter to be published three times a year, and an assessment of each active member in the amount of \$1.00 per year to be used to help finance the conclaves.

Interesting to all was the excellent panel discussion by four Lamar Chapter graduates on the topic, "Problems of the Young Attorney." George H. Gulley Jr. chose "Small Town Private Practice," while George P. Hewes III drew "Corporation Practice"; Jay H. Hedgepeth "Large City Firms," and Guy N. Rogers, "Government Service."

Discussion Topics

Various active chapters led discussion on the topics pertaining to specific chapter problems. Brother Dan Self of Lurton Chapter at Vanderbilt University discussed "Alumni Relations and Activities," while Brother Wilshire of Lamar Chapter reported on "Chapter Finances." Albert Lucien Dale of McReynolds Chapter made several suggestions for the improvement of "School Relations" in his talk on his elected subject. Cumberland Chapter had the all-important subject of District Organization and did such a fine job on it that almost all of its suggestions were written into the Constitution.

T. Julian Skinner, Justice of the District, presented a report

Jertberg Succeeds Beaumont on Federal Bench

On April 2, 1955, Brother Gilbert H. Jertberg took the oath as a judge of the Federal District Court for California. Reporter readers will recall that the Hon. Campbell E. Beaumont (Ford) formerly of the same bench passed away November 19, 1954. Jertberg assumed the position which Beaumont held on the Federal bench for 13 years.

Jertberg is a former Justice of Holmes Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta at Stanford University School of Law and attended the national convention in Kansas City in 1922 as a delegate from Holmes Chapter.

He was a Phi Beta Kappa at Stanford where he also received his A.B. and J.D. degrees.

Subsequent to his admission to the California State Bar in 1922, he served Fresno County as its Chief Deputy District Attorney. At the time of his appointment to the Federal bench, he was a partner in the firm of Dearing, Jertberg and Avery.

His memberships include the Fresno County and American Bar Associations and he is a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers.

on the condition of chapters within the district and made numerous suggestions for professional projects which might be sustained by the active chapters. He also explained the system of awards which was set up by the 1954 convention.



T. JULIAN SKINNER, Justice District V, speaking to the delegates from the chapters under his supervision.

Speaking highlight of the conclave came when our Supreme Vice-Justice, the Hon. Elwyn Thomas, Associate Justice of the Florida Supreme Court, addressed those attending the conclave luncheon on Saturday noon. The effervescence of Judge Thomas for PAD and the legal profession was something which each delegate carried home with him.



HON. ELWYN THOMAS, Supreme Vice-Justice, addressing District V delegates at Conclave Luncheon.

An invitation submitted by Hull Chapter at Cumberland University to hold the 1956 conclave at that university was accepted by the delegates. New officers elected for the coming year were: Justice, Mike Barney (Hull); First Vice-Justice, Kenneth Sunne; Second Vice-Justice, Otis Johnson (Lamar); Clerk, Sid Mason (Hull), and Treasurer, Albert Lucien Dale (McReynolds).

A banquet and dance at Sardis Lodge closed out the 1955 District V Conclave.



HON. GILBERT JERTBERG.

North Dakota Site Of District VII Conclave

Hon. Chas. Vogel Receives Honorary Membership

Corliss Chapter of the University of North Dakota played the role of a most gracious host to the District VII Annual Conclave on March 25 and 26.

In conjunction with the District Conclave, the Chapter held its regular initiation of pledges and also bestowed an honorary membership upon the Hon. Charles J. Vogel, Justice of the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

Opening Banquet

The opening banquet and dance was held at the Elks Club on Friday evening with Neil Thompson, retiring Justice of the Chapter, presiding. Brother Thompson introduced to the conclave delegates the newly elected officers of Corliss Chapter and its honorary initiate, the Hon. Charles J. Vogel. Justice Vogel addressed those present by expressing his humility and a feeling of honor at being given an honorary membership in Phi Alpha Delta. He stated that he hoped that in the future he would merit the honor accorded him.



HON. CHARLES VOGEL of the United States Court of Appeals receives his honorary membership key from Neil Thompson, Justice of Corliss Chapter during District VII Conclave.

Many dignitaries were present, including Dean Olaf Thoromsgard of the University of North Dakota School of Law; Leo M. Baker (Hammond) Justice of District VII; Prof. Ronald Davies (Corliss), and Supreme Treasurer Anthony A. DiGrazia (Story).

Richard Wicka, Student District Justice, introduced his fellow district officers, Treasurer Ben Anderson of Reese Chapter and Secretary Richard Stevenson of Hammond Chapter. Presented as the principal speaker of the evening was John A. Zuger, president of the State Bar Association of North Dakota.

State Bar Prexy Speaks

Mr. Zuger's speech gave the historical background, organiza-

tion and purpose of bar associations in general, including a thorough breakdown of the state, county and American Bar Associations. He said that originally the Bar Associations grouped together to protect themselves from the rather unwarranted group of lawyers who were allowed to attain that position because the laws of that day and age only required that a person have good moral character to become a lawyer.

He explained that there are two types of bar associations—the voluntary and the integrated bar. The voluntary is purely optional with its members. However, all practicing attorneys must belong in the case of an integrated bar. He explained that North Dakota was the first state to adopt an integrated bar in 1921. He also explained that some bar associations operate through sections and committees and others operate through committees only.

In further discussing bar associations, he spoke of the advantages and disadvantages of a Federated bar, such as has the medical profession. Thus, all who belong to a state bar must also belong to a district bar and a federal bar. This has, he said, substantial financial advantages.

Some of the purposes and interests of the bar associations are: entrance requirements, Board of Examiners, legal institutes, standards of title, forms and probate, minimum fees, legal aid, professional ethics, legislative activities, code revision, American citizenship, scholarships, public relations and awards of merit. His closing comment was to the students to take part in their bar associations as "they need you and you need them."

Business Session

The next morning, Student District Justice Richard Wicka called the meeting to order and read to the delegates assembled the purpose of a conclave. He then appointed John Daleo of Benton Chapter of the University of Kansas City, chairman of the fraternal administrative af-

fairs committee, and Brothers James O'Keefe, Dave Vaaler, J. Stobbs, George Dynes and Stan Marshall to serve with Brother Daleo.

Kirk Smith of More Chapter at Creighton University was appointed chairman of the fraternity's services committee and serving with him were Bob Rissi, Richard Stevenson, Bob Doyle and Brothers Fosdicker and Bothem.

Donald Kramer of Cole Chapter at Drake University was appointed chairman of the professional activities committee. Others serving with him were Brothers Jerry Mack, Ken Ryi and Harold Andersen.

At the conclave luncheon, Brother Richard Wicka expressed the regrets of Carol E. Day (Corliss), Senator for the Sixth Legislative District of the State of North Dakota, that he would be unable to be with the group at the luncheon. Senator Day was to have been the main speaker but unexpected developments made it impossible for him to return from Washington.

State's Attorney Gordon Caldis (Corliss) was called upon to give an impromptu speech about Phi Alpha Delta at the University of North Dakota. Brother Caldis expressed his pleasure that the conclave was so well organized and that the Corliss Chapter was doing such a fine job.

Placement System

The afternoon business session saw the various committees report on the results of their meetings. Of particular interest was the placement system utilized by Corliss Chapter and which was described by Charles Feste. He explained that a double postcard is sent to practicing attorneys asking three questions:

1—Do you have a full-time opening? 2—Do you have summer work? 3—Do you know of any other openings?

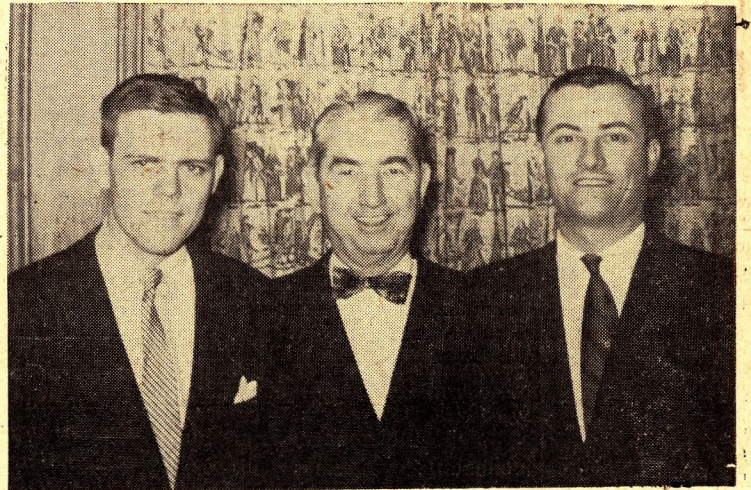
From 600 sent out during the last semester, he explained that they received 200 answers and of these 200 answers about 20 indicated openings available.

Bob Rissi of More Chapter described the informal meetings which Cole Chapter provides to assist freshmen. Assistance is offered on how to brief cases, character and eccentricities of the various professors. Brother Rissi went on to describe various other programs which are sustained by other chapters in the district, such as a book exchange, student outlines, senior review for freshmen courses, furnishing of old examinations and speaker luncheons.

Donald Kramer, reporting on professional activities in the district, stated that several of the schools had set up speakers' clubs in accordance with the more effective public speaking program as introduced at the national convention in 1954.

Many chapters participate in legal aid programs which is generally an all-school project. John L. Sullivan Chapter at St. Louis University, he stated, sustains a moot trial between Phi Alpha Delta and Delta Theta Phi.

District Justice Leo M. Baker, subsequent to the various committee reports, was called upon for a report of Phi Alpha Delta from a national standpoint. He advised that P.A.D. now has more active chapters in the United States than has any other law fraternity and spoke of the



HON. TOM C. CLARK (Taney), Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court with PAD leaders at the University of Virginia School of Law. Flanking Justice Clark are Waverly L. Berkley (Jefferson), left, President of the Class of 1955 and Treasurer of the Student Legal Forum, and Edward O. McCue, III (Jefferson), right, President of the Student Legal Forum.

Hon. Tom. C. Clark Speaks at Virginia

Presented under the auspices of the Student Legal Forum of the University of Virginia, the Hon. Tom C. Clark of the United States Supreme Court, spoke to the student body of the University of Virginia on Thursday, February 17. Brother Clark dwelt primarily upon his experiences in the law and his career in the Department of Justice and related to those assembled the problems of today's law graduates.

Justice Clark, a member of Taney Chapter at Southern Methodist University, was presented by Brother Edward O. McCue III (Jefferson), president of the Student Legal Forum. Also assisting in the meeting was Brother Waverly L. Berkley III (Jefferson), treasurer of the Student Legal Forum and president of the Class of 1955 of the School of Law.

A very popular speaker at

P.A.D. functions, Brother Clark is deeply interested in the work of Phi Alpha Delta. He only recently accepted an invitation to be the principal speaker at the installation of the Robert H. Jackson Chapter at Rutgers University School of Law on May 18.

A graduate of the University of Texas in 1921, Justice Clark received his law degree from that school one year later. In addition he holds five honorary LL.D. degrees.

From 1922 until 1927 he was associated with the law firm of Clark and Clark. It was then that he went into government work, beginning as civil district attorney for Dallas County, Tex. In 1937 he moved to Washington, D. C., to become a special attorney for the Bureau of War Risk litigation in the Department of Justice.

From then until 1949, when he was appointed by President Harry S. Truman (Benton) to the Supreme Court of United States, Justice Clark held various posts in the Department of Justice. They ranged from anti-trust bureaus to the war frauds to work in relocating Japanese aliens.

In the four years prior to his appointment to the bench, he was attorney general of the United States and head of the Department of Justice. In addition to his legal career, Brother Clark also served in the United States Army during World War I with the 153rd Infantry Division. Presently he is a member of the American, Texas, Dallas and Federal Bar associations.

New Chapter at Chase College of Law

As The Reporter was going to press, final plans were being made for the installation of the Frederick W. Hoffman Chapter at the Chase College of Law in Cincinnati on May 6.

The petitioners are a local law fraternity which has been in existence some 25 years, Iota Lambda Pi. Scheduled to be initiated as members of Phi Alpha Delta are 38 actives and 11 faculty members including the dean of the Law School, Ray Hutchens.

Chase Chapter at the University of Cincinnati will supply the initiating team, while Supreme Justice Robert D. Jackson and District Justice James L. Broz Jr. will represent the National Fraternity.

A complete coverage of the installation will appear in the next issue of The Reporter.

three awards which were established last year at the national convention.

Brother Baker described the more effective public speaking program and the great strides which District XII has made along these lines. He explained three different ways of setting up a club, such as (1) consider a Junior Toastmasters Club, (2) utilize Toastmasters' techniques without becoming affiliated, and (3) P.A.D.s can set up their own type of speaking program.

Election of Officers

The election of new student district officers saw the following men take office for the coming year: Justice, Carl Zimmerman (Hammond); clerk, Dale Stobbs (J. L. Sullivan); treasurer, Stephen B. Millin (Benton).

At the closing conclave banquet the delegates were fortunate to have as the principal speaker, Anthony A. DiGrazia, Supreme Treasurer. Brother DiGrazia divided his talk into two parts, first discussing Phi Alpha Delta as a national organization and, secondly, a discussion of hints for the young lawyer just commencing his own practice. All in attendance enjoyed immensely the entertaining and informational remarks of Brother DiGrazia who has given so much of his time to Phi Alpha Delta.

The Reporter Apologizes

To Brother Donald S. Molen, executive secretary of the Colorado and Denver Bar Associations and to Brother Robert Smedley. In the February issue we carried a story regarding Brother Molen's recently taking over these two important positions together with a picture which was captioned with his name. In reality the picture was not that of Molen but of Brother Bob Smedley, his former assistant. A picture of Executive Secretary Donald S. Molen follows.



Donald S. Molen



THIS GROUP of men became members of Corliss Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta on May 26th at District VII Conclave.



SEVENTH DISTRICT DELEGATES assembled in the University of North Dakota Law Library for this Conclave picture.

Hoover Commission Reports On Legal Services and Procedure

On Monday, April 11th, the Hoover Commission forwarded to the Congress of the United States a report on Legal Services and Procedure in the Executive Branch of the Government. The Commission's report was based on an exhaustive ten-month study made by a Task Force of distinguished lawyers, judges and educators. PADs actively connected with the report were Albert J. Harno (Calhoun), Task Force; Hon. Robert H. Jackson (Jay), consultant, and Robert Storey (Taney), commissioner.

The following summary of the report was especially prepared for The Reporter by Henry M. Shine, Jr. (Taney), Assistant to Commissioner Robert G. Storey.

Since February, 1954, the Task Force and staff have engaged in a three-pronged analysis, which constitutes the three parts of the Commission's report. The areas of study were: 1) Legal Services; 2) Representation Before Agencies; 3) Legal Procedure.

A total of 52 recommendations were made by the Commission on the basis of the Task Force report.

The Commission reported a total of 5,400 attorneys were employed in 54 departments and agencies, apart from the Department of Defense. In that department there were 1,300 civilian attorneys and 3,100 uniformed attorneys. The major legal staffs outside of the Defense Establishment are found in the Department of Justice and the Veterans Administration.

Recommendations

In making 20 recommendations in the area of legal services, the Commission proposed:

That Congress review the justification for any legal staffs existing without express statutory authority;

That the Department of Justice conduct all litigation before the courts, and that Congress reduce to a minimum exceptions to this procedure;

That intra-agency conflicts in the interpretation of law be resolved within the Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice. This would be a voluntary procedure, but when employed the decision of the Attorney General would be binding on all parties involved;

That legal staffs in all departments, agencies and regulatory bodies be integrated under an Assistant Secretary for Legal Affairs, or a General Counsel;

That the Guardianship Service of the Veterans Administration be confined to those states which have not adopted the Uniform Veteran Guardianship Act, and that the Veterans Administration's legal staff be reduced accordingly;

That the Department of Justice be reorganized to separate legal administrative functions from litigation functions;

That the General Counsel of the Department of Defense exercise professional authority over the entire legal force within that department;

That a Civilian Legal Person-

nel Committee be constituted within the Department of Defense to direct a career service for civilian attorneys in conjunction with the Office of Legal Services and Procedure in the Department of Justice;

That within the Departments of the Army, Navy and Air Force, a General Counsel, with the rank of an Assistant Secretary, would be the chief legal officer.

That the Judge Advocates General of the three military departments be professionally responsible to the civilian General Counsel;

That a separate legal career service for all civilian attorneys be established in the executive branch, separate and distinct from the Civil Service Commission and be administered by the Office of the Legal Services and Procedure of the Department of Justice;

That an Office of Legal Services and Procedure be established in the Department of Justice to administer such a career service for the Executive Branch of the Government;

That there be an Attorney Classification Act providing for salary ranges to \$17,500;

That the Lloyd-La Follette Act be amended to apply to all attorneys and that a probationary period for attorneys be set for three years;

That a veteran's right to appeal in the matter of separation and reduction in force be limited to the first five years after entry into the Government service;

That the Performance Rating Act be repealed and that reports be made on attorney employees only when deserving meritorious awards or undeserving of periodic pay increases or deserving dismissal;

That attorneys occupying full-time positions in the Executive Branch of the Government should be prohibited from engaging in outside legal practices;

That the Army, Navy or Air Force would have no undergraduate legal education program at Government expense; Marine Corps officers not above rank of First Lieutenant may be so trained, need existing, but must contractually agree to remain on active duty not less than 5 years after completion of law training and seek admission to the bar,

and serve only as officer-attorneys in the Marine Corps.

That separate schools of military justice be discontinued and a joint school for all four services created, to offer a curriculum of military justice and military affairs only.

Representation Before Agencies

In the area of Representation Before Agencies, the Commission made 8 recommendations dealing with the difficult subject of practice before administrative agencies and who shall have the right of representation, as follows:

That any required or entitled participant should have statutory right to appear by or with an attorney-at-law or other qualified representative in any hearing before an administrative agency.

That no representative should be permitted before any agency of the executive branch unless qualified as to character and competence; and none others than attorneys-at-law should be permitted to engage in the practice of law.

That minimum standards of conduct be established by statute and enforced on all persons permitted by an agency to represent others.

That no one be a representative in any matter or proceeding before an agency or court who personally and officially dealt with, passed upon, or gained material information concerning it while an employee of the United States.

That an attorney-at-law should be entitled to appear upon filing a statement with agency of good standing at the bar, and not under suspension by any Federal court; except that an agency may further require the filing of power of attorney as condition to settlement of any controversy involving payment of money.

That an attorney who has the privilege of representation should be subject to disciplinary control (1) by a Federal Grievance Committee, and (2) by each agency, with a one-year suspension privilege.

That agency general rule providing, a person should be permitted to appear for and represent others.

That an agency should have reasonable disciplinary control over any person permitted to be a representative before it.

Legal Procedure

In the third and most controversial area, the Commission made 24 sweeping recommendations, including proposals for an Administrative Court of the United States, major revisions of the Administrative Procedure Act of 1946, and an independent corps of hearing examiners to be called hearing commissioners.

Twenty of these procedural recommendations related to duplicating and overlapping jurisdiction of agencies, legislative delegation of authority, due process, efficiency and economy in administrative procedures.

Perhaps the two most important recommendations were those proposing an Administrative Court of the United States and an Independent Corps of Hearing Examiners. These two recommendations read as follows:

"An Administrative Court of the United States should be established with three sections as follows—

"(a) A Tax Section which should have the limited juris-

DIVINUM JUDICIUM

The Executive Office announces with sorrow the passing of the following brothers:

Baer, George P.: Hay Chapter, Western Reserve University, March 14, 1954.

Baxter, Russel J.: Garland Chapter, University of Arkansas, June, 1954.

Coffman, John H.: Jay Chapter, George Washington University, July 24, 1954.

De Vaul, Abram H.: Hammond Chapter, University of Iowa.

Fowler, Earl W.: Calhoun Chapter, Yale University.

Gibson, Wm. Bryan: Harlan Chapter, University of Oklahoma.

Gillespie, Charles P.: Jefferson Chapter, University of Virginia, March 10, 1954.

Hackney, Ed T.: Green Chapter, University of Kansas.

Kerr, S. C.: Hay Chapter, Western Reserve University, October 9, 1954.

Lide, Lanneau D.: Pinckney Chapter, University of South Carolina.

Lippincott, Eugene T.: Marshall Chapter, University of Chicago, December 5, 1954.

Loveland, Amos W.: Hay Chapter, Western Reserve University.

Lynch, Archibald C.: Marshall Chapter, University of Chicago, September 12, 1954.

Martindale, John C.: Campbell Chapter, University of Michigan, November 5, 1954.

McClure, James A.: Benson Chapter, Washburn University, June 5, 1954.

McIntyre, Willard: Campbell Chapter, University of Michigan.

Meek, Prof. Joseph W.: Knox Chapter, University of Arizona, December 17, 1954.

Nelan, Charles A.: Hay Chapter, Western Reserve University, October 2, 1954.

Newport, W. A.: Hammond Chapter, University of Iowa, January 9, 1955.

Powe, Hon. Edward L.: Brewer Chapter, Stetson University.

Schubert, Raymond H.: Field Chapter, University of California, February 27, 1955.

Senning, Prof. John: Magruder Chapter, University of Illinois, December 4, 1954.

Spencer, Walker: Martin Chapter, Tulane University, September 1, 1954.

Suthon, Archie M.: Martin Chapter, Tulane University, August 4, 1954.

Thompson, Carroll: Reese Chapter, University of Nebraska, September 14, 1954.

Weilepp, Carl N.: Campbell Chapter, University of Michigan, April 16, 1955.

Wiggin, George A.: Taft Chapter, Georgetown University, March 8, 1955.

Wilbur, Hon. Curtis: Temple Chapter, Hastings College of Law, September, 1954.

Attend the ABA Convention

The 1955 American Bar Association Convention will take place August 22-26 in Philadelphia with the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel as headquarters. All PADs are urged to attend this most worthwhile meeting. While there be sure to register at the PAD registration desk and renew friendships at the traditional PAD reception. Co-chairmen for this year's reception are Frederick C. Mechter, Jr., and James J. Convery of Philadelphia.

diction in the field of taxation now vested in the Tax Court of the United States;

"(b) A Trade Section which should have the limited jurisdiction in the trade regulation field now vested in the Federal Trade Commission, the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Federal Communications Commission, the Civil Aeronautics Board, the Federal Reserve Board, the United States Tariff Commission, the Federal Power Commission, the Department of the Interior, and the Department of Agriculture; and

"(c) A Labor Section which should have the jurisdiction now vested in the National Labor Re-

lations Board by the National Labor Relations Act over the adjudication of cases involving unfair labor practices.

"Hearing examiners should be replaced by hearing commissioners who are completely independent of the agencies whose cases they hear, who are appointed by an authority other than such agencies and, to the extent possible, assigned to one agency on a continuing basis. Such hearing commissioners should be under the administrative control and "direction of the Administrative Court of the United States. Their tenure, status, compensation, and removal should be fixed by law."

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HEAD TABLE AT A CAMPBELL CHAPTER LUNCHEON, average attendance at which is seventy members. Left to right: David Wampler, past treasurer; Professor William Leslie (Campbell); Robert Baker, past vice-justice; Robert Scuur, Justice; Ralph Showalter, speaker, of the Unite Automobile Workers of the CIO; Lawrence Brown, vice-justice; Irwin Stern, UAW-CIO; and Professor Russell Smith (Campbell).

Blackstone, Lincoln Chapters Host District VI Conclave

Supreme Justice, Past Supreme Justice Speak

Co-hosts for the 1955 District VI Conclave on March 25th and 26th were Blackstone and Lincoln Chapters in Chicago. Blackstone is located at Chicago-Kent School of Law and Abraham Lincoln Chapter at the John Marshall Law School. Almost 100 delegates from nine active chapters in Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana and Michigan attended the meeting as well as delegates from alumni chapters in Chicago, Milwaukee and Indianapolis.

Following the traditional reception Friday night were day-long business sessions on Saturday which allowed the delegates to exchange valuable information on the problems involved in successfully running a chapter in conjunction with a stiff academic program. Round-table discussions were had on "How to Improve Inter-Chapter Social Functions" (Blackstone), "Chapter House—Good or Bad?" (Campbell), "Improvement in Development and Selection of Chapter Officers" (Fuller), "Extracurricular Activities" (Halleck), and "Rushing Techniques and Programs" (Magruder). Other topics were "Chapter-School Relationship" (Ryan), "Scholastic Help to Chapter Members" (Story), "Improved Chapter Meetings" (Webster), and "Term of Officers—Annual or Semi-Annual" (Lincoln and Story).

Of particular interest were the reports rendered by the Chicago, Milwaukee and Indianapolis alumni chapters.

Jonas Speaks

At a special luncheon the delegates were addressed by the Hon. Edgar Jonas, a Past Supreme Justice and a former member of the United States House of Representatives. His very excellent and inspiring talk was on the importance of

the young lawyer and the legal profession generally to the country in which we live. Toastmaster for the luncheon was Robert Kosin, Justice of Lincoln Chapter.

Dean Noble Lee of the John Marshall Law School was most generous in opening the facilities of his law school for the closing banquet and dance which took place Saturday evening. High point of the dinner was the address by our Supreme Justice, Robert D. Jackson, who explained the present and future objectives of our fraternity.

New student district officers elected were: Justice, Jack Coates, Magruder Chapter; Vice-Justice, Roy Daniels, Halleck Chapter; Treasurer, Bob Spriggs, Magruder Chapter, and Clerk, Brian Parker, Fuller Chapter.

Roberts Chapter

(Continued from Page One) to be given to the Day and Evening students who have led their respective classes scholastically. A Big Brother Tutoring Service is maintained for all freshmen. The Chapter also distributes old examinations to members and to freshmen. Their educational services program includes the rental of legal films for showing

to the entire law school. Freshmen lecture programs are also given, wherein alumni brothers who have obtained some of the highest grades ever achieved on the Pennsylvania State Bar Examinations give resumes of the substantive law courses and on the proper way to write a law examination.

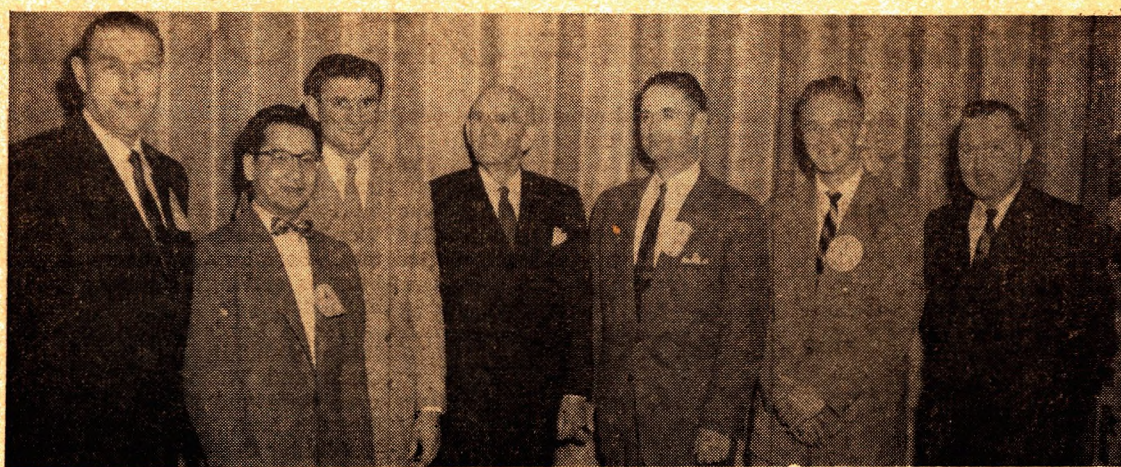
During the past year, the Chapter conferred an honorary membership upon Justice Allen Stearne of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court.

The Chapter participates in the law school's athletic program and emerged the champions of the annual basketball tournament. A large number of rushing and social functions have been held during the past year. In May of 1954 the Roberts Chapter Banquet took place with 13 Judges in attendance, representing the United States Supreme Court, the United States District Court, the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, the New Jersey Supreme Court, and the Common Pleas Court of Philadelphia and surrounding counties.

The Executive Office rated Roberts Chapter "excellent" in its submission of reports and cooperation over the past year.

The relationship with the alumni which Roberts Chapter enjoys is an excellent one. The Elden S. Magaw Alumni Chapter of Pennsylvania is invited to practically all of the Chapter's functions and many of the events are jointly held.

Roberts Chapter was this year the host to the District XI Conclave and did an excellent job in organizing the meeting. Delegates were put up in the homes of the Roberts Chapter members which greatly enhanced the fraternity spirit. At the closing banquet, Senator William F. Knowland of California delivered the keynote address. A large number of members of the judiciary,



SOME OF "THE BRASS" of the District I Conclave. Left to right: Henry C. Rohr, Associate Tribune; Liem E. Tuai, Justice Dunbar Chapter; Harold F. Hanser (Brantly), discussion leader; W. S. Gilbert, speaker; George T. Nickell, Justice, District I; James H. Aston, Justice, Kent Chapter; and Dale M. Green, Dunbar alumnus who led a seminar on legal practice.



BANQUET AT RIDPATH HOTEL Saturday evening, March 26, closing the District I Conclave.

KENT IS HOST TO DISTRICT I CONCLAVE

The Third Conclave of District I was held March 26, 1955, at the Ridpath Hotel in Spokane, Wash., hosted by Kent Chapter. Arrangements featuring a seminar on legal practice were ably effected by Dunbar alums Dale M. Green and John A. Mowery, with the assistance of Brother James A. Aston, Justice of Kent Chapter. Associate Tribune, Henry C. Rohr of Ross Chapter, representing the National Fraternity, welcomed visiting delegates at the morning session. This session featured round-table discussions of active chapter affairs covering "Campus Activities," led by Brother Bill Brauner, Kent; "Rushing," led by Brother Ted Rosenblume, Dunbar, and "District Organization and Conclave," led by Brother Harold Hanser, Brantly.

The luncheon was highlighted by the philosophical and humorous presentation of Mr. Richard S. Munter of the Spokane Bar covering "Professional Standards of the Legal Profession." Mr. Munter is a past president of the Washington State Bar Association and the Spokane County Bar Association and is presently a member of the House of Delegates of the American Bar Association. It was a rare privilege to receive counsel and advice from this distinguished and eminent member of the Bar and his remarks will be long remembered by those privileged to hear him.

The afternoon session, consisting of a "Seminar on Legal Practice," featured presentations by two practicing attorneys in special fields and the trust officer of a bank. Mr. Leslie M. Carroll, professor of law at Gonzaga Uni-

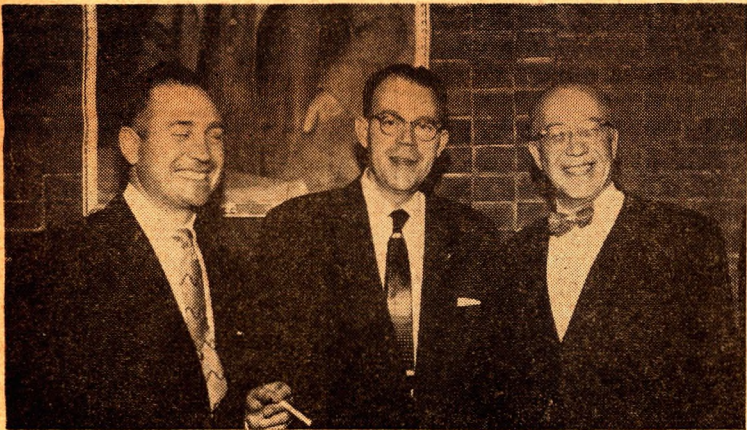
versity and former prosecuting attorney of Spokane County, covered the field of law enforcement, both state and federal. He emphasized the opportunity in public service of obtaining invaluable experience in trial practice, both criminal and civil and of establishing a reputation for honesty, fearlessness and fair dealing in public office.

Mr. Paul Castoldi, professor of taxation at Gonzaga University, specializing exclusively in taxation, outlined the field of opportunity for the young lawyer in taxation and particularly emphasized the potential opportunities in this field for lawyers well grounded in accounting and business law and thoroughly familiar with tax statutes and regulations.

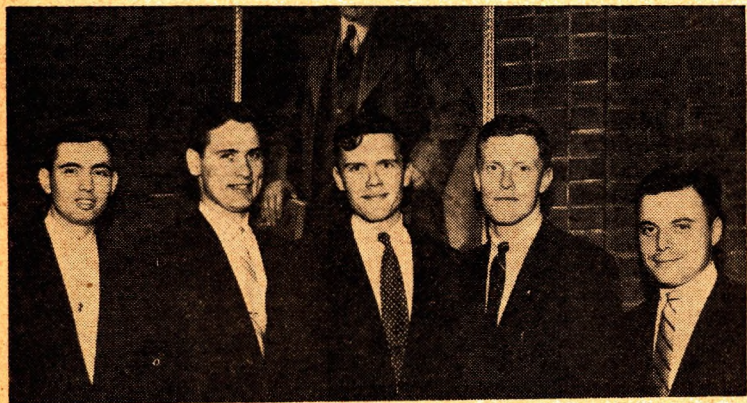
Mr. Phillip W. McEntee, trust officer with the Spokane & Eastern Branch of Seattle-First National Bank, located in Spokane, outlined the field of opportunity in trust law and the security of the future for any lawyer associated with any trust department of financial institutions.

The conclave was concluded Saturday evening by a reception and banquet at the Ridpath Hotel. Mr. W. S. Gilbert, a long-time practicing attorney in Spokane, reviewed many cases in his experience and in the experience of others, which resulted in exceptional pecuniary rewards for the efforts of the lawyer. His remarks were humorously presented and well received.

It was gratifying to District Justice George T. Nickell to learn at the conclusion of the conclave that all delegates were looking forward enthusiastically to next year's conclave and were exceedingly grateful for the new ideas received by them at this year's conclave.



SUPREME JUSTICE ROBERT D. JACKSON (center) chats with Dean Noble Lee (right) of the John Marshall School of Law and District VI Justice Hilmond O. Vogel during the District VI Conclave held March 25th and 26th.



ACTIVELY PARTICIPATING in the District VI Conclave were these five student brothers. Left to right: Lee Richards (Magruder); Bill Smith, Justice, Webster Chapter; Bob Kosin, Justice, Lincoln Chapter; Bob Harman, Justice, Story Chapter; and Ben Vogeler (Halleck).



RECEPTION TIME AT DISTRICT VI CONCLAVE. D. Arthur Connelly, Executive Secretary of the Chicago Alumni Chapter, in the foreground surrounded by all the lovely ladies of PAD.

District Winners — Most Outstanding Chapter Competition

District I

(Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana)

Tie

**Kent Chapter,
University of Idaho**
**Dunbar Chapter,
University of Washington**

So close was the competition in District I that District Justice George T. Nickell had to call it a tie between Kent and Dunbar chapters.

Kent Chapter

Kent Chapter has 28 members out of a total law school enrollment of 51. There are no other law fraternities in the school.

Active in student affairs are: Jay F. Bates, Chief Justice of the Honor Court; Keitner E. Jergensen, President, Bench and Bar (Student Association); Edmund E. Lozier, Vice President, Bench and Bar; Charles McDevitt, Historian, Bench and Bar; Thomas A. Miller, President, Bench and Bar; Francis Mithoug, President, Bench and Bar; and Ramon J. Pritevin, Justice of the Honor Court.

Kent Chapter has probably the most outstanding scholastic leadership of any chapter of PAD. First and second in the freshman class are Gerald Hess and Donald Warden. First through fifth places in the second year class are held by Robert E. Bakes, William B. Taylor, Thomas A. Miller, Wallis W. Friel, and Charles F. McDevitt, respectively. Second through fifth places in the senior class are held by Jay F. Bates, Peter P. Chevis, Francis N. Mithoug, and Keith E. Jergensen.

Among new projects planned are the institution of a speaking program, the publication of an alumni newsletter and a PAD-Senior Faculty Dinner.

The two awards provided for students have been won by PADs. The William E. Borah Memorial Plaque (PAD sponsored) went to Edward Oxendal and the Law Week Award went to Bert Pool.

One of the outstanding events for the chapter during the past year was the Symposium on Criminal Responsibility where guest speakers were invited to a round table discussion. Periodically guest speakers are invited to dinners with the chapter in attendance.

Kent Chapter played host to the District I Conclave on March 25th and 26th this year and an excellent program was enjoyed by all attending.

The Executive Office Rating accorded the chapter was a high one.

Dunbar Chapter

Dunbar Chapter has 32 actives and 8 pledges while Phi Delta Phi has 50 members and Delta Theta Phi 20. Members active in student activities are: Charles Z. Smith, Secretary, Student Bar Association; Edward J. Aamodt, Jr., Editor of the Law School Paper; Laurence S. Moore, Traffic Judge for the University of Washington campus.

The University Law Review has 26 persons who serve on its Editorial Board and the following are PADs: Laurence S. Moore, Stan M. Samuels, Richard W. Bartke, Robert E. Dixon, Layton A. Power, Philip A. Trautman, Hugh McGough, and William Stinnett. Ranking 2nd and 4th in the 2nd year class are Stan M. Samuels and Richard W. Bartke.

The chapter invites practicing attorneys to speak at its luncheons generally on problems which the lawyer will encounter upon graduation and entrance into practice.

In addition to the Editorship of the school newspaper PAD has the business manager, James Rabideau, and photographer Liem E. Tuai.

Among functions sponsored by

the chapter during the past year have been dances, luncheons, stag parties, a New Year's Eve Party and initiation banquet.

An "excellent" rating was awarded the chapter for its fine cooperation with the Executive Office.

District II

(Nevada and that portion of California lying north of the Tehachapi Mountains)

**Field Chapter,
University of California**

One of the closest district competitions was in District II where Field Chapter narrowly won out over Holmes Chapter of Stanford University. Out of a total law school enrollment of 342, Field Chapter has 60 actives and 47 pledges while Phi Delta Phi numbers 77 actives and pledges.

Two very important projects are slated for development during the next year. The first is a more effective public speaking program as promulgated by the 1954 Convention and the second is the setting up of an advanced study aid program for 1st and 2nd year borderline students. In addition the chapter plans to work with local alumni in building up Field Chapter alumni activity and also plans to revive a textbook pool.

In law school activities, Brother John Thorpe is president of the 1st year class, Brother Sterling Osmon is president of the 2nd year class and Brother Giamboni is president of the 3rd year class, ably assisted by vice president, Brother Hurley. Secretary of the Boalt Hall Student Association is Dick Merrill.

Scholastic standings indicate that PADs Don Cahen, Joe Yasaki, and Wallace Peck are 1st, 2nd and 6th respectively in the first year class. In the second year are Bob Christensen (4th), Elliott Pearl (6th) and Jerry Phelan (11th). PAD in the third year is represented by John Mangum (2nd), Horn Rudman (7th) and Sandy Langa (9th).

In the 1954 Moot Court competition PADs Dick Merrill and Dick Sterling Osmon had the best brief while the best team presentation was by Victor J. Van Bourg and his partner.

Nine out of thirteen student members of the library staff are PADs while John Mangum and Norm Rudman serve on the editorial board of the California Law Review.

The chapter sponsors an annual visit for third year men to the California Supreme Court as the guest of Justice Douglas L. Edmonds (Ross). Past Supreme Justice. Outstanding members of the bench and bar are selected as speakers for the chapter's luncheon program. A periodic chapter newsletter is published and a ditto machine was recently purchased by the chapter. A Wives Club is a new innovation for the chapter and is meeting with a great deal of enthusiasm.

A planned program of beer busts, dances, rushing parties and other social functions rounds out the yearly activities of Field Chapter.

This chapter also received an "excellent" rating from the Executive Office for its cooperation over the past year.

District III

(Arizona and that portion of California lying north of the Tehachapi Mountains)

**McKenna Chapter,
U. C. L. A.**

Selected as the most outstanding chapter in District III was McKenna Chapter at U.C.L.A. This chapter numbers 33 actives and 26 pledges. Phi Delta Phi has 60 members and Phi Del-

ta Phi 50.

The principal offices of the Law Student's Association are held by PADs. Sam W. Halper is President, Jim DiGiuseppe is Vice-President, and Tom Flatery, Secretary. William Ambary is serving as Senior Class President.

Marvin Lewis is first in scholastic standings in the Senior Class and Thomas Reilly, Norman Rose and Manly Calof are 5th, 6th and 7th respectively in the Junior Class. Of the 31 members of Law Review the following are PADs: Marvin H. Lewis, Samuel W. Halper, Sanford M. Ehrmann, Thomas Reilly, Bruce Bonne, Kenneth Kulzik, Newell J. Gardner, Norman Rose, Manly Calof and Paul Levinson.

Other law school activities include participation in the Law School Christmas Party with W. Ambary acting as master of ceremonies and 12 members participating out of the total of 25 who were involved in this event, Sandy Ehrmann serving as Chairman of the Student Book Exchange and participation in University intra-mural sports. R. Johnson was a finalist in tennis and the winner in the handball competition. Ten of the 17 persons who have acted as court attaches in the Law School Practice Court are PADs.

One of the most important projects of McKenna Chapter is its Chapter Scholarship Fund. This Fund was instituted in the Fall of 1953 and subsequent donations have been made by the chapter. It is administered by the University and is to be used in assisting deserving law students no matter what their affiliation. Three dollars of each member's initiation fee is added to this fund.

Law review members of the chapter conduct a lecture and seminar program designed to assist freshmen in courses where they are having the most difficulty. Study aids, including reference outlines, are reproduced by the chapter and distributed at cost to the members. Such aids refer the student to materials for clarification of subjects dealt with in the courses and break the courses down into outline form for organization of study.

An honorary membership was conferred last Spring upon United States District Judge William Mathes. Judge Mathes has since been a most ardent and loyal member of the chapter attending its functions with regularity.

Regular speakers' luncheons are an integral part of the chapter's professional and social program. Well known PAD dignitaries in the Los Angeles area are guest speakers and provide both entertainment and education with their addresses. The chapter also conducts a large number of rushing functions throughout the school year.

The Executive Office gave McKenna an "excellent" rating for its cooperation during the past year.

District IV

(New Mexico, Colorado, Utah and Wyoming)

No entry submitted.

District V

(Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee)

**Lamar Chapter,
Univ. of Mississippi**

Although one of the smaller PAD chapters in the country, Lamar Chapter at the University of Mississippi was one of the top contenders for national honors this year. The chapter numbers 21 members out of an enrollment of 91 while Phi Delta Phi has only 6 members.

It can be said without exaggeration that Lamar Chapter members are the lifeblood of the law school. President of the

Student Bar Association is James Pittman, Vice President is Bill Wiltshire, and Treasurer is James Hardin. PAD class officers include George Warner, President of the Senior Class for the Spring of 1955 and David Galtney who held the same office for the Fall of 1954.

Of 17 persons on the editorial board of the Law Review, the following are PADs: Ervin McKay, Charles Pringle, George Warner, Edward L. Cook, Jr., Nathaniel Troutt, James Hardin, James Pittman, Robert Pritchard, and William Wiltshire.

PADS rank 2nd, 4th and 6th in the 6th semester scholastic standings, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th in the 5th semester standings and 2nd and 3rd in the 4th semester statistics.

E. L. Cook and John Keeton were delegates from the law school to the American Law Students Association meeting in the Spring of 1954.

Some of the worthwhile projects which the chapter sustains are a Lending Library which can be utilized by the entire student body, and a law school directory distributed to the entire student body free of charge during the 1954 Spring semester. Also, chapter members participate in the orientation program for new students.

The chapter has recently inaugurated a speaking program similar to that proposed by the 1954 Convention, which program has met with a great deal of success.

Of particular value to the graduating members of the chapter is the public relations committee which the chapter sponsors. Its purpose is to collect information each semester about all of the graduating seniors and forward this information to the individual's home town newspaper.

Lamar Chapter recently was host to the District V Conclave which was described by all concerned as the best yet. Much credit for its success should be given to Lauch Magruder, Justice-elect, for his untiring efforts in organizing the meeting.

Weekly luncheons followed by a chapter business meeting are an integral part of the chapter's efficient operation, which operation was so fine that it earned for Lamar Chapter an "excellent" rating from the Executive Office for its cooperation with the office.

District VI

(Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, and Wisconsin)

**Ryan Chapter,
University of Wisconsin**

Ryan Chapter at the University of Wisconsin was selected the most outstanding PAD Chapter in District VI. The Chapter numbers 42 active members and 15 pledges. Phi Delta Phi has 60 actives and pledges, while Delta Theta Phi has 40 and Gamma Eta Gamma has 35. Two smaller law fraternities, Tau Epsilon Rho and Timlin Leo Fraternity have 15 and 10 members respectively.

Two members of the six-man governing Board of the law school Association are members of Ryan Chapter. They are Robert Zinnen and James Halferty.

The Legal Aid program is under the direction of the law school and of the 28 participating persons, six men are PADs. Brothers Gilbert Harvancik and Maurice J. Miller, serve on the Editorial Board of the Law Review. Several men in the Chapter have an A or better scholastic average and they are Bernard Kubale, who is third out of a class of 130, Gilbert Harvancik, third out of a class of 193, Maurice Miller, nineteenth out of a class of 130, and James Halferty, twenty-first out of a class of 130.

While the law school does not have its own student newspaper,

three PADs are serving on a committee, the purpose of which is to set up such a paper.

A rather unique participation by PAD is in the University of Wisconsin's Student Court, which hears all cases concerning student conduct and traffic violations occurring on the campus. The Chief Justice for the past year has been a PAD, and all three prosecuting attorneys are members of Ryan Chapter. Four of the nine Justices and four of the six defense attorneys are also members of the Fraternity.

One of the contemplated projects for Ryan Chapter for the forthcoming year is the establishment of a Chapter alumni file with the end in mind of contacting all alumni and extending personal invitations to attend Chapter functions.

Judge Alvin C. Reis was initiated by Ryan Chapter as an honorary member in the spring of 1954.

One of the most popular functions of the Chapter is the dinner meeting program, at which time they hear from leaders in various fields of law. Seven or eight such dinners are held each semester. For the most part, the speakers are PAD alumni in the area.

While the Law School Association controls all of the professional projects and programs undertaken in the law school, members of the Chapter participate extensively in the operation of these programs. They include speaker forums, a book mart, an athletic program, picnics, faculty-student advisory program, and job placement.

Over the past year, the Chapter held 17 major luncheons, dinners and social functions. These were in addition to regular business meetings and officers' meetings.

The Chapter's cooperation with the Executive Office received a high rating.

District VII

(Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota and Minnesota)

**Cole Chapter,
Drake University**

Winning top honors in District VII was Cole Chapter at Drake University which has a total of 17 active members and 11 pledges. The only other law fraternity in the school is Delta Theta Phi with 15 actives and 13 pledges. Holding top posts in the law Student Body have been: Robert G. Allbee, President of Student Bar; Harley A. Whitfield, Chairman of Supreme Court Day Committee; Robert E. Drey, Co-Chairman of Supreme Court Day Committee; Harry W. Dahl, Vice-President of Student Bar and Chairman of Student Bar Luncheon Committee; Rex Roupe, Freshman Representative on Student Bar Executive Committee; Jerry E. Hetherington, Chairman Publicity Committee of Student Bar; and Robert W. Callies, Honor Board Member.

Of the five persons on the Law Review Board, two are PADs, Donald Kramer and John Mackaman. PADs rank very high scholastically in their respective classes. Robert Shaw stands 2nd in the Third Year Class, while Donald Kramer, Harley Whitfield and John Mackaman are 1st, 2nd and 3rd, respectively, in the Second Year Class, and Charles Steinmetz is 3rd in the First Year Class.

Gordon Nesbit and Robert Callies are the two Student Editors of the Drake Law Alumni publication.

Delegates attending the 1954 Convention will recall the hard work put in by the members of Cole Chapter as co-host with the Tall-Corn Alumni Chapter for the National Convention in Des Moines. Five pledges of the

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District Winners — Continued

chapter were initiated during the model initiation at the Convention.

Outstanding contributions to the law school included the presentation of a bronze plaque with the inscription of the names of the seniors who present the Supreme Court Day Cases, the employment of the skilled labor necessary to place an inscription in stone over the entrance of the law school building, and establishment of a pledge scholarship award to be made to the pledge with the highest grade-point. The Chapter also prints outlines of various courses for the use of the members.

In the spring of 1954, Cole Chapter was host to the District VII Conclave attended by delegates from all chapters within the district.

Cole Chapter sustained an active and enthusiastic social program in conjunction with their professional functions. This included banquets, picnics, dances, and rushing parties.

The Executive Office rated Cole high in its cooperation.

District VIII

(Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas)

**Harlan Chapter,
University of
Oklahoma**

Selected the most outstanding Chapter in District VIII was Harlan Chapter at the University of Oklahoma. At the time the report was submitted the Chapter numbered 65 actives and one pledge. Phi Delta Phi had 20 members while Delta Theta Phi had 15.

On the Law Review the Chapter has 16 out of the total of 30 contributing editors. The President of the Board of Governors of the Student Bar Association is a PAD as is the Chairman of the Legal Aid and Lecture Series Committee.

Active in the law school student body are Duke Logan, President, Senior Class; Jack Lawter, Treasurer, Senior Class; William Whistler, President, Honor Council; Kent Blaine, Senior member Honor Council; Irl Helms, President, Board of Governors, Student Bar Association; Bill Bevers, Chairman, Guest Speaker Committee; Bill Robinson, Chairman, Legal Aid Committee; Don Dale, Junior Member, Honor Council; Leo Winters, Secretary, Senior Class; Bill Goffe, Vice-President, Junior Class; Harold Lowrey, Secretary, Junior Class; and Don Dale, Executive Secretary of the Law School Alumni Association.

Harlan Chapter members rank high scholastically, with Don Winn, Harold Lowrey, Irl Helms, Fred Percival, Charles Bixler, Henry Tallafiero and Norman Alexander ranking 2nd, 4th, 7th, 9th, 13th, 14th and 16th respectively in the second year class.

Other outstanding accomplishments of members of the Chapter reveal that the recipients of the Liberty National Bank Research Scholarship of \$500, for the past 3 years, have all been PADs. The Nathan Scarret Medal for the highest over-all average was given to Brother Fred Harris. The Bledsoe Prize to the outstanding senior went to John Smith. Receiving an award for the best freshman appellate brief in the Moot Court competition were Harold Lowrey and Bill Goffe.

On April 2nd and 3rd, 1954, Harlan Chapter played host to Hardy, Garland, Clark, Baylor and Taney Chapters at the annual District Conclave. The excellence of the conclave was reflective of the great amount of hard work and extensive preparations which the members of the chapter put in.

A rather unique project of Harlan exists in the Graham B. Johnson Memorial Library. The Library was set up in memory of an honor student who was killed

in an automobile accident. His father contributes \$100 each year to buy books and the members of the Chapter donate others. Any worthy and needy student may apply for the use of the books during any semester. It is not limited to members of the Chapter.

The Chapter's social functions are varied, consisting of the traditional initiation banquet and dance, semi-monthly luncheons and rushing parties.

Harlan Chapter received a "Fair" rating from the Executive Office with respect to its cooperation with the office over the past year.

District IX

(Ohio, Kentucky, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia)

**No entry for National
Competition
Submitted.**

District X

(Georgia and Florida)

**Fish Chapter
Mercer University**

Top chapter in District X was Fish at Mercer University. This chapter, while a comparative small chapter, participated in law school activities and sustained programs to an extent which would not ordinarily be expected of a chapter of its size. It has 13 actives and 11 pledges as compared to 15 actives and pledges for Delta Theta Phi.

All six members of the Law Review are PADs, with Eugene L. Heinrich serving as Editor-in-Chief. Working with him are Stanley R. Segal, Joe R. Young, L. Ray Patterson and Charles M. Cork. Cork ranks 1st and John Bedford 3rd in the senior class while Joe Young is 1st and Heinrich 2nd in the Junior class. L. Ray Patterson is 3rd in the freshman class.

The immediate past president of the Student Government Association, Jose Arsuage, is a PAD as are John Harrison, Vice-President, Eugene L. Heinrich, Parliamentarian, and Malone Sharpe, Chief Justice of the Honor Court. Heinrich was also co-editor of the student newspaper until it became inactive. He has many other honors to his credit, including the Barfield Scholarship, the outstanding Freshman Award and the co-chairmanship for Law Day in 1954. John Denney was the recipient of the Eugene Cook Scholarship.

Fish Chapter annually makes the Outstanding Senior Award to a senior chosen by the faculty without regard to fraternity affiliation. (It is worthy of note that this award has always been received by a PAD.)

Recently the chapter through a program of alumni contact raised funds for the painting of a portrait of the late Henry Searcy Barnes, a member of PAD and faculty advisor for the chapter until his death. This portrait was presented to the Law School by the chapter at the 1954 Law Day celebration.

An active Legal Aid program has been instituted and continuous contact with the local Legal Aid Society is maintained. It is anticipated that much use of the services of the members will be made in the coming year.

An annual custom in the form of a farewell party for all actives and pledges has been established, which is quite popular with all of the members. In addition, the chapter sponsors rush parties each quarter and periodic meetings.

The rating which the chapter received from the Executive Office was "good."

District XI

(Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania)

**Roberts Chapter
Temple University
(National Winner,
see story page one)**

District XII

(Delaware, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Maryland)

**Jay Chapter,
George Washington
University**

Ranking high in the National competition was the District XII winner, Jay Chapter at George Washington School of Law. The Chapter has 90 active members and 31 pledges, while Delta Theta Phi numbers 90, Phi Delta Phi 60, Gamma Eta Gamma 30, and Nu Beta Epsilon 12.

The Chapter has a full project program set up each semester, as well as some projects which go on from year to year. They combine social activities with professional work. At all rushing functions, they have a speakers program drawing on the wide variety of material which is available in the Nation's Capitol.

The Chapter has sustained with active interest the more effective speaking program of the Fraternity and have invited members of other fraternities to this worthwhile activity. The speakers program is somewhat of a joint effort with Taft Chapter joining in most of the speaking functions.

Jay Chapter has sponsored a legal ethics award of \$50 which is given to the individual submitting the outstanding paper on that subject. This contest is open to all members of the law school.

A contribution of \$10 a semester is made to a book fund which is to be used in purchasing supplemental legal materials for the school library.

Active participation in the Student Bar Association is evidenced by the following PAD's holding the indicated offices: Ed Ansell, President; Ed Fenwick, Day Vice-President; William Archbold, Treasurer; John F. Cominguez, Day Delegate; William J. Driscoll, Day Delegate; Ronald W. Mayes, Night Delegate; Arthur L. Branning, Night Delegate; George Hipps, Chairman of Student Directory Committee; James Taylor, Program Committee Chairman; Henry M. Moore, American Law Students Association Delegate; James Taylor, Student Council Delegate.

Brother Melvin Goodweather is National Chairman of the Armed Services Committee of the American Law Students Association, representing 35,000 law students in their contacts with the Armed Forces.

A large number of PAD's are active in the Case Club competition. President is Carter Bledsoe, while William Archbold is Treasurer and Ed Ansell is Night Vice-President.

A few years ago, PAD was also instrumental in setting up a law school Legal Aid Program and furthering participation in this worthwhile activity, working with the D. C. Legal Aid Clinic. A PAD is presently President of Legal Aid, he being Julian Brown.

The Law Review contains a total of 67 persons and 22 of these are PAD's. The law school newspaper, "Amicus Curiae," is principally staffed by members of Jay Chapter. They are: William B. Smith, Editor in Chief; William D. Robinson, Associate Edi-

tor; William Driscoll, News Editor; Stanley Bastacky, Business Manager; Edward Ansell and Richard Dyer, Staff.

Ranking scholastically high in the law school are Robert D. Wallick, who will graduate "With Distinction," and William D. Huddle, and William P. Stallsmith, each of whom rank in the top 5 per cent of his class.

The Chapter's social functions are many and varied and during the past year included dinner dances, a Law Day Dance, initiation banquets, and rushing parties.

New projects contemplated for the coming year are the initiation of a Big Brother System and a more widespread use of functions which can be attended by the members' wives.

Alumni relations of a most cooperative nature have been enjoyed by the Chapter. The Washington, D. C., Alumni have held several receptions, luncheons, etc., inviting members and pledges of the Chapter to attend. They have also furnished upon request, speakers for Chapter functions. One of the most important functions of the alumni Chapter has been their assistance in the organization and furtherance of a more effective speaking program for the Chapter.

Submission of reports and other requested information garnered Jay Chapter a top Executive Office rating.

Chicago Fetes Judges

On April 27th the Chicago Alumni Chapter honored the brothers who are members of the judiciary in the Chicago area. The meeting in Charter Hall of the Chicago Bar Association saw a fine attendance to pay tribute to the men who give so much of themselves to the efficient administration of justice.

1954 ABA Refunds Set Record

David J. A. Hayes, (Blackstone) Secretary of the Committee for the American Bar Association Convention in Chicago for 1954, reports that after all of the bills were paid, there was a surplus of contributions on hand of \$26,450.17. This represented 47.7% of the total contributions by Chicago and related area donors.

Refunds in this percentage were thus made to all of the contributors late in December.

This refund sets an all-time record for refunds in connection with annual Bar Association meetings.

ATTENTION CHAPTER CLERKS

Be sure to enter the new address for the Executive Office in your Clerk's Manual for your future reference and that of your successor in office. It is:

**Phi Alpha Delta
Law Fraternity,
10707 White Oak Avenue,
Granada Hills, California**

Ford Chapter Initiates and Elects Officers

On Friday evening, April 15, Ford Chapter held its annual initiation and election of new officers.

Scene of the initiation was the impressive courtroom of U. S. District Judge James W. Carter (Ross).

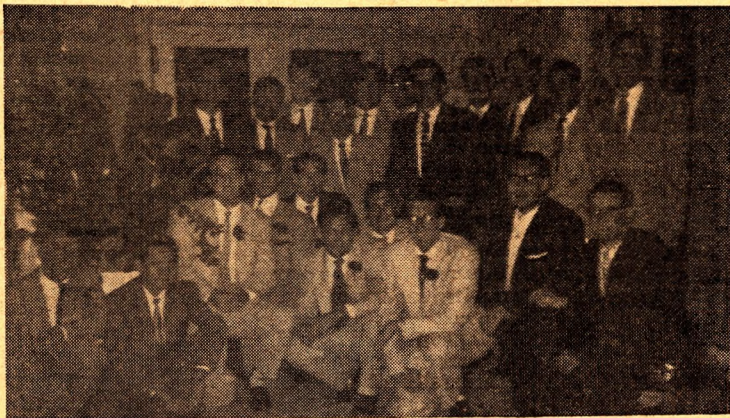
Assuming the oath of Phi Alpha Delta were the following brothers: Isaac Beton, Russell Brodeur, Spencer Brandeis, Edward P. Downes, Jack W. Evarone, William W. Haefliger, John M. McGinley, William Reilly, Ben F. Taylor, Philip B. Wagner, Walter L. Leong.

After the ceremonies, all adjourned to the Los Angeles Athletic Club for the annual banquet. Presiding was Justice Herman H. Hegner, who presented as the principal speaker, a Ford Chapter alumnus, the Hon. Ralph C. Dills, presiding judge of the Municipal Court of Compton Judicial District.

Brother Dills spoke on the many procedural difficulties which confront the young lawyer. In attendance were two national officers, Supreme Secretary Frank E. Gray and Executive Secretary Frederick J. Weitkamp, as well as Ford Chapter's newly appointed alumni advisor, Robert Clinnon.

Justice Hegner officially announced the selection of recipients of Ford Chapter awards for the year 1954-55. Selected as the outstanding alumnus was U. S. District Judge William M. Byrne, an alumnus of Ford Chapter. Milton J. Feinerman was the recipient of the most outstanding Ford Chapter P. A. D. award.

Officers elected to guide the destinies of Ford Chapter for the coming year were as follows: Edward E. Buckner, justice; Jack A. Dahlstrom, vice justice; Thomas W. Patton, clerk; Edward P. Downes, treasurer, and Herbert M. Bregman, marshal.



FORD CHAPTER ACTIVES and new initiates shown at the Los Angeles Athletic Club for their annual initiation banquet April 15, 1955.



FORD CHAPTER INITIATING TEAM. Left to right: Milton Feinerman, Ed Mack, John Duncan, Herman H. Hegner, Ed Buckner, Bob Rose, and Frank Schmehr.

Directory of All PAD Chapters

Active Chapters

BAYLOR CHAPTER—Baylor University, Waco, Texas
Justice—Robert Heard
Clerk—John Webb, Jr.

BENSON CHAPTER—Washburn College of Law, Topeka, Kansas
Justice—Kent Frizzell
Clerk—Dan Slavins

BENTON CHAPTER—University of Kansas City, Kansas City, Mo.
Justice—John Daleo
Clerk—Stephen B. Millin

BLACKSTONE CHAPTER—Chicago-Kent College of Law, Chicago, Ill.
Justice—James Ryan Jung
Clerk—John W. Thompson

BRANTLY CHAPTER—University of Montana, Missoula, Montana
Justice—Glen R. Drake
Clerk—James A. Johnson

BREWER CHAPTER—Stetson University, St. Petersburg, Florida
Justice—William E. Henson
Clerk—James C. Fountain

CALHOUN CHAPTER—Yale University, New Haven, Conn.
Justice—Joel M. Feinberg
Clerk—John W. Wrinkle

CAMPBELL CHAPTER—University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Justice—Ira A. Brown, Jr.
Clerk—William D. Webb

CARMODY CHAPTER—Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York
Justice—Richard H. Buechner
Clerk—John Glowacki

CHASE CHAPTER—University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio
Justice—Paul Yelton
Clerk—Merrill Games

CLARK, CHAMP CHAPTER—Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.
Inactive

CLARK, TOM C. CHAPTER—University of Texas, Austin, Texas
Justice—Richard A. Hall
Clerk—James K. Graham

CLAY CHAPTER—University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky.
Justice—Wendell S. Williams
Clerk—John Prewitt

COLE CHAPTER—Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa
Justice—Dwight I. Martin
Clerk—Jerome Hetherington

CORLISS CHAPTER—University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, N. D.
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Clerk—Francis Breidenbach

DUNBAR CHAPTER—University of Washington, Seattle, Wash.
Justice—Liem Eng. Tuai
Clerk—W. John Sinsheimer

FIELD CHAPTER—University of California, Berkeley, California
Justice—Seymour Rose
Clerk—Richard H. Merrill

FISH CHAPTER—Mercer University, Macon, Georgia
Justice—T. Delano Maurice
Clerk—L. Ray Patterson

FLETCHER CHAPTER—University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla.
Justice—Dana Bullen
Clerk—William Gruman

FORD CHAPTER—Loyola University, Los Angeles, Calif.
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Clerk—Thomas W. Patton

FULLER CHAPTER—Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois
Justice—Charles V. Falkenberg
Clerk—Allen Marrinson

GARLAND CHAPTER—University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark.
Justice—Norman L. Brown
Clerk—Joe Hurley

GREEN CHAPTER—University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas
Justice—Johnny Stang
Clerk—James Wheat

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Justice—Rexford L. Mitchell
Clerk—Jerry Harrison

HALLECK CHAPTER—Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana
Justice—George Mallers
Clerk—William A. Berning

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Justice—J. Patrick Endsley
Clerk—Francis Tucher

HAMMOND CHAPTER—University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
Justice—Richard Stevenson
Clerk—David L. Hammer

HARDY CHAPTER—University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Justice—James R. Head
Clerk—William S. Hagar

HARLAN CHAPTER—University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla.
Justice—William J. Whistler
Clerk—Richard D. Haynes

HAY CHAPTER—Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio
Justice—Joseph F. Gallo
Clerk—Donald W. Farley

HENRY CHAPTER—University of Richmond, Richmond, Virginia
Justice—William Gregory
Clerk—James E. Flournoy

HOLMES CHAPTER—Stanford University, Palo Alto, California
Justice—Harry Hupp
Clerk—Charles E. Goff

HUGHES CHAPTER—Denver University, Denver, Colo.
Justice—Albert A. Carmosino
Clerk—George T. Yates

HULL CHAPTER—Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn.
Justice—Benson I. Hattem
Clerk—Dennis C. Wright

JAY CHAPTER—George Washington University, Washington, D. C.
Justice—Doonan D. McGraw
Clerk—Jack Bonney

JEFFERSON CHAPTER—University of Virginia, University, Va.
Justice—John J. Howard
Clerk—

KEENER CHAPTER—Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.
Justice—Warren C. Fortson
Clerk—James R. Sarver

KENT CHAPTER—University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho
Justice—James Aston
Clerk—John Reese

KNOX CHAPTER—University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona
Justice—Wm. C. Scott
Clerk—Alan Kyman

LAMAR CHAPTER—University of Mississippi, University, Miss.
Justice—George D. Warner, Jr.
Clerk—James E. Hardin

LAWSON CHAPTER—University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.
Justice—David L. Hilton
Clerk—Charles G. Hyler

LINCOLN CHAPTER—John Marshall Law School, Chicago, Illinois
Justice—Steven J. Sendziak
Clerk—Thomas F. Lockie

LIVINGSTON CHAPTER—Columbia University, New York, N. Y.
Justice—Charles A. Ehren, Jr.
Clerk—Wade Kimsey

LURTON CHAPTER—Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.
Justice—Don L. Smith
Clerk—William E. Fortas

McKENNA CHAPTER—University of California, Los Angeles, California
Justice—James Clancy
Clerk—Bruce J. Bonne

McKINLEY CHAPTER—Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio
Justice—James R. Hamilton
Clerk—Charles N. Myers

McREYNOLDS CHAPTER—University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn.
Justice—Charles R. Terry
Clerk—Albert L. Dale

MAGRUDER CHAPTER—University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois
Justice—Lee Richards
Clerk—Donald W. Bornholdt

MARSHALL CHAPTER—University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois
Inactive

MARTIN CHAPTER—Tulane University, New Orleans, La.
Justice—John W. Davies
Clerk—Thomas C. Underwood

MITCHELL CHAPTER—University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.
Inactive

MORE CHAPTER—Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska
Justice—Robert E. Riisi
Clerk—Toshiyuki Honda

MORGAN CHAPTER—University of Alabama, University, Ala.
Justice—Sam R. Shannon
Clerk—Donald G. Mayhall

PINCKNEY CHAPTER—University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C.
Justice—Phillip K. Wingard
Clerk—William H. Jackson

RAPALLO CHAPTER—New York University, New York, N. Y.
Justice—Andrew J. Catinella
Clerk—Carl M. Bryda

RASCO CHAPTER—University of Miami, Coral Gables, Fla.
Justice—Jack Rogers
Clerk—Philip J. Miller

REESE CHAPTER—University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska
Justice—Frank L. Balderson
Clerk—Paul Johnston

ROBERTS CHAPTER—Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa.
Justice—John P. Weglicki
Clerk—Stanley Dolnick

ROSS CHAPTER—University of So. Calif., Los Angeles, California
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Clerk—Jerrold S. Oliver

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Clerk—Alex Warlick, Jr.

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Inactive

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Justice—Maurice Miller
Clerk—Lowell Sweet

STAPLES CHAPTER—Washington & Lee University, Lexington, Va.
Justice—Milton Herndon
Clerk—Charles J. Baldree

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Justice—William G. Scrantom, Jr.
Clerk—John Langley

STORY CHAPTER—DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois
Justice—Robert Harmon
Clerk—Victor J. Cacciatore

JOHN L. SULLIVAN CHAPTER—St. Louis University, St. Louis, Mo.
Justice—W. Joseph Adams
Clerk—J. Dale Stobbs

MATT SULLIVAN CHAPTER—University of San Francisco, San Francisco, California
Justice—Peter J. Coniglio
Clerk—Robert A. Hamilton

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Justice—Clayton Simmons
Clerk—William Richards

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Justice—Elmer M. Walsh, Jr.

Clerk—E. Michael Walsh

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Clerk—Frank W. Rose

TEMPLE CHAPTER—Hastings College of Law, San Francisco, Calif.
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Clerk—Frank Wyland

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Clerk—James E. Johnson

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Clerk—Charles W. Hebel, Jr.

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Clerk—William J. Franks

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Clerk—Donald S. Forst

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Clerk—Billy Burkett

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Clerk—Kendall E. M. Nash

WILSON CHAPTER—Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
Justice—Frank Lehmeier
Clerk—William Hickey

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Clerk—Hugo P. Correll

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Clerk—Joseph Sullivan

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Justice—Arthur H. Stoup
Clerk—George C. Denney

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Clerk—William Groover

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Clerk—James Leeds

LOUISVILLE CHAPTER—Louisville, Ky.
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Clerk—Charles I. Tucker

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Justice—David D. Day
Clerk—Thomas B. Wilson

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Justice—J. Tillman Pearson
Clerk—Joe Jennings

MILWAUKEE CHAPTER—Milwaukee, Wis.
Justice—John M. Reinhart
Clerk—Laurence E. Gooding, Jr.

NEW YORK CHAPTER—New York, N. Y.
Justice—Edward F. Delfoe
Clerk—J. F. Gallagher

OMAHA CHAPTER—Omaha, Neb.
Justice—
Clerk—

PITTSBURGH CHAPTER—Pittsburgh, Pa.
Justice—Francis S. McQuilkin
Clerk—Raymond Scheib

PORTLAND CHAPTER—Portland, Ore.
Justice—Frank S. Sever
Clerk—Richard Carney

ST. LOUIS CHAPTER—St. Louis, Mo.
Justice—R. Forder Buckley
Clerk—Thomas B. Maloney

SALT LAKE CHAPTER—Salt Lake City, Utah
Justice—Paul F. Potter
Clerk—William Frank

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER—San Francisco, Calif.
Justice—W. H. Wilterdink
Clerk—John R. Griffin

SEATTLE CHAPTER—Seattle, Wash.
Justice—Wharton T. Funke
Clerk—Joseph A. Holleman

TALL CORN CHAPTER—Des Moines, Iowa
Justice—Hon. Russell Jordan
Clerk—James E. Steffarud

TOPEKA CHAPTER—Topeka, Kansas
Justice—Lloyd S. Miller
Clerk—John W. Shuart

VIRGINIA STATE CHAPTER—Richmond, Va.
Justice—Jerry Roberts
Clerk—James B. Wilkinson

WASHINGTON CHAPTER—Washington, D. C.
Justice—Eugene L. Stewart
Clerk—Paul M. Craig

WICHITA CHAPTER—Wichita, Kans.
Justice—Robert C. Allan
Clerk—