

W. C., Oscar Chenoweth; W. K. E., Oran Wright; W. Sc., Jack Schifferdecker; W. K. A., Larry Porter; W. U., Bill Gilpin; W. Sent., Dave McNary. *Chuck Dunham, Jr.*

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Oregon

• Eugene, Ore.—The high spot of the season was the initiation of 12 new members: Dick Allen, James Blackaby, Dave Browning, Ernest Hinkle, Russel Hudson, Bill McKibben, Bob McDonald, Kim McKim, Dick Ralston, Morrell Sharp, Bob Weismandel, and Bob Whitely.

Intramural prospects are bright as the A T O's stand a scant 23 points behind the leaders, and with volleyball, golf, track, and softball coming up, it's still anybody's race.

The A T O volleyball team averages a good six feet in height, and is built around Wayne Scott, Jack Stafford, Darrell Miller, Eldon Wyman, and Fred Farrior.

Pete Lamb has just finished with his job as sophomore basketball manager, and will start in managing sophomore golf this



JIM PICKETT
Oregon's junior class president.

spring. Ernie Hinkle was freshman basketball manager this winter.

Dick Allen made his numerals in swimming this winter, turning in impressive times in the 100-, 220-, and 440-yard distances. Big things will be expected from him next year.

Although most of last year's intramural golf team did not return to school this year, the A T O's will have a strong contingent of divot diggers headed by Jack Hay and Paul Bocci.

This year's softball team will be right in line for the top spot with many of last season's players returning.

Kirman and Ed Storli will demonstrate the 880-yard run in varsity competition, while Jim Buck will run the hurdles.

Wally Rossman was co-chairman of the Crazy, Kopy Krawl, A Δ Σ's annual dance.

Jim Pickett, junior class president, has already started his machine working to produce the most successful junior week-end in Oregon's history.

Alpha Tau Omega's basketball team came through with flying colors as it finished second in the basketball intramurals. Wayne Scott, coach and star player, led the team of Darrell Miller, Doug Hay, Jack Dunn, Jay Graybeal, Ralph Dunn, and Jack Stafford through this successful season.

In the "B" league basketball intramurals A T O tied for third place due the undaunted teamwork of Bob MacDonald, Jack Hay, Bob Payne, Vic Collin, Eldon Wyman, and Gene Cecchini.

Two men were pledged winter term: Elvert Wilson from The Dalles, and Kermit Smith from Portland.

Following the election of officers at the last regular chapter meeting these men were installed: W. M., Harold Ellicott; W. C., James Wilson; W. K. A., Dave Browning; W. K. E., Dudley Walton; W. Sc., Robert Chilcoate; W. Sent., Edgar Storli; W. U., Douglas Hay; P. R., Robert Whitely.

Freshman Jeff Boyer is turning out for frosh baseball and stands a good chance of making his numerals. *Bob Whitely*

THE PALM

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BETA EPSILON

Tulane

• New Orleans, La.—On Feb. 18 initiation was held for Thomas Jordan (the third brother of the family to become an A T O), Frank Pennybaker, Larry Eustis, George Gregory, Claude Trawick, Duncan Stewart, Gelon Doswell, and John Sartin. Down here we were really surprised to get some of those boys. A month before the initiation any active member would have said that four boys was going to be the limit. Grades just weren't good. Those boys really dug in the last month. They not only passed with credit, but they pulled down some real grades. They are a swell lot and we are mighty proud to say that we have brought them into A T O.

The following officers have been elected: Walter "Stogie" Dueease, W. M. (reelected); Henry "Huck" Williams, W. K. E.; Donald Higgins, W. K. A.; Hepburn "Hep" Many, W. Sc.; René Himmel, W. C. and House Manager; Winston Walker, W. Sent.; Robert Schupp, W. U.; and John "Reverend" Jordan, P. R.

On Monday, March 11, we held our Founders' Day banquet. Aside from the banquet being a big success, W. M. Dueease started something that is already bringing results, and which will no doubt develop into a regular, and popular, custom. As a means of stirring alumni interest he suggested that alumni-active lunches be held at least once a month in a place convenient to the alumni. He has turned the idea over to the alumni association. It is worthy of note that the idea was greeted with enthusiasm at the banquet, and that since that time we have seen more of the old boys around the house.

Give credit where credit is due. For several months we have been getting compliments on the appearance of our house—alumni comment upon the fine looks of the interior—guests can't realize that it is a fraternity house. Well, we try to keep it clean, but that is not the reason it looks so good. Nope, it's the B E Mother's Club that does all the work. We got a lot of new furnishings last September, and now it looks as if we are going to get more. The Mother's Club has just held another card party to raise money. The party was a success, hence we are going to be more comfortable. This is put in as a suggestion to other chapters that might not have organized the mothers. It's a good idea.

Joseph B. Miller, '37, school of law has just been elected chairman of the Tulane University moot court board for 1940-41. J. B. ("Country") has served the chapter as Panhellenic representative, as W. K. E., and as Pledge-master. His grades are one of the things that have kept the A T O's on top of the scholarly heap. "Country" is also a likely candidate for nomination to run for president of the law school.

Paul Clark, '37, has been elected president of B M, honorary biological fraternity. Paul has been W. Sc. and House Manager for two years. He is also a candidate for Φ B K.

John M. Jordan

EPSILON ZETA

Louisiana State

• Baton Rouge, La.—Everyone is anxiously awaiting the arrival of the felt wall banner won from the Wisconsin chapter as the result of a wager on the recent Wisconsin-L. S. U. boxing match. Following the bouts, the boys telephoned the results to Madison.

Our graduating seniors include Al Gremillion, John Willis, Guido Grady, Ted Crosby, Red Farmer, Weldon Laiche, Robert Hunter,

and Ace Goldman. Summer will find Al Gremillion, Robert Hunter, and Weldon Laiche at an officers reserve corps camp. Laiche will go on later to geology camp at Colorado Springs. Another busy vacationist will be Charlie Rountree who will attend L. S. U.'s summer forestry camp at Bogaloussa, La.

We are sorry to report that our Worthy Scribe, Gordon Broussard, will be out of school for several weeks due to a serious automobile accident in which he was involved during the Easter vacation. At present he is recuperating in Winnie, Texas, from a broken jaw.

On the scholastic front, E Z chapter ranked fifth in competition with 23 other fraternities on the campus. Charlie Roberts is the new president of M Σ P, honorary scholastic fraternity (petitioning Φ B K). As this letter is being written, Roberts is in the midst of a campaign for president of the college of arts and sciences and we are all looking forward to his victory. John Willis and Ralph Todd were recently initiated into Samurai, interfraternity organization. Ralph Todd was also initiated into A Z honorary agricultural fraternity.

The chapter was represented at the Founders' Day banquet given by the Tulane chapter in New Orleans on March 11 by Major Pickett, our faculty adviser, and several members who accompanied him. Ace Goldman and Charlie Rountree attended the annual Conclave for this Province which was held in Memphis.

Recent visitors were a group from Iowa's Simpson College chapter. They were making a southern tour during their spring vacation. We look forward to many more such visits from other chapters. *Ralph Todd*

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Mississippi State

• State College, Miss.—Arrangements have been completed and bids sent out for our spring dance, which is to be held in the college cafeteria April 13. Francis Craig and his popular band will furnish the music for this gala occasion, which, from all indications, is going to be the largest dance in the history of this chapter and one of the largest fraternity dances ever held on this campus.

The following seniors expect to graduate in May: P. L. Bruton, L. W. Carmichael, J. B. Davis, B. J. Hilbun, J. W. Leigh, W. D. Maxcy, T. M. Purvis, S. L. Ragland, and Merle Wilbourn. Plans have been made by the chapter to have the seniors as guests of honor at an informal party on April 27 at Choctaw Lake, a state park near here.

Work has already been started on rushing prospective students for next year. Bids to our spring dance have been sent out to numbers of them, and steps are being taken toward a summer camp.

The chapter held an initiation recently for B. M. Carson, E. C. Ewing, H. D. Hemmer, H. A. Howard, E. A. Kimbrough, Sam Power, J. G. Saunders, F. M. Sewall, Burney Threadgill, and E. B. Wright.

The chapter feels that its scholastic and campus leadership record is improving considerably. W. H. Thompson, junior in the engineering school, was recently initiated into T B II, honorary engineering fraternity, and into Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity; W. C. Leonard, junior in the school of business, was also initiated into Scabbard and Blade. H. D. Hemmer, recently initiated member, was initiated into Φ H Σ, honorary freshman fraternity based on scholarship. T. B. Cook and Sam Power, juniors in the school of business, were initiated into X A P, honorary business fraternity.

Lenoir Coggins, W. B. Gassaway, W. O. Tucker, Jr., and J. S. Williford, Jr., constitute recent additions to our pledge group.

Dr. George Lang, professor of philosophy at