



WINTER FORMAL AT WASHINGTON STATE

Pledge president Harold Thompson was tapped to Scabbard and Blade and elected to membership in $\Phi K \Phi$.

Paul Lindeman, six-foot seven-inch center, is a starter on the varsity basketball team and a two-year veteran. He showed promise for a good year when he rolled up 20 points in his first game. Al Berquist is also on the varsity squad.

Pledge Max Dodge is swishing them in for the frosh team after having already won a frosh numeral in football.

The fellows are very strong in the engineering organizations this year. Past Worthy Master Gil Oswald is president of the associated engineers and Pledge Harold Thompson is vice-president. Jack Dillon is president of the American Society of Civil Engineers. Gus Grant and Harold Ellis are president and treasurer, respectively, of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Robert Carstens is president of ΣT , engineering honorary fraternity.

About 15 men from the chapter have been in the college hospital with the flu. Quite a few more have had mild attacks here at the house.

Ralph Moriarty

Province X

BETA EPSILON

Tulane

• New Orleans, La.—On Dec. 7 B E gave its biggest event of the year—the annual Christmas formal. From all reports it was a huge success, with seven of the brothers from the L. S. U. chapter coming down to the old Crescent City. We of Tulane were glad to return some of the hospitality extended to us by the boys of E Z during the Thanksgiving week-end when Tulane journeyed up to Baton Rouge to play L. S. U.

We are happy to report the initiation of two sophomores held over from last year—Pierre Dupont and Lawrence Stone.

All of our pledges seem to be getting along all right in school, and we hope to be able to initiate the entire pledge class come February. The pledges recently held their election of officers, with Billy Bauman named president.

There was a very gala homecoming celebration at Tulane Nov. 16, when Tulane met the University of Georgia in an annual football clash. The Green Wave was victorious, and much celebration was in order at the alumni dance that night. The week-end was climaxed by the dedication of a spacious new student

center constructed on the campus as a gift of the alumni association. This spring will see the dedication of a new \$500,000 library which will be one of the largest in the South.

We are beginning to make plans for our annual Mardi Gras truck ride and open house at which we usually have the pleasure of entertaining visiting brothers. Yet to come is interfraternity football, campus night, and boxing.

John M. Jordan

DELTA PSI

Mississippi

• University, Miss.—The football season is now behind us and we have the pleasant memory of one of the most successful seasons ever. We expect to get a great deal of studying done from now on for we are slanting toward a stand-out in the interfraternity scholastic race.

Our fall party, which was planned for the Lakeside Lodge of Pledge Duke, was called off at the last moment because of a conflicting date. However, before the Christmas holidays, we will have put it on—bigger and better, we hope, for the delay.

Here is a list of our officers elected last week: W. M., John T. Tucker; W. K. E., Louis Transou; W. C., Henry Lynch; W. K. A., Bergen Merrill; W. Sc., Fred Kelly; W. U., John Price; W. Sent., Walker Sandlin.

We were all mighty proud of John Tucker who last week was initiated into X E, national honorary engineering fraternity.

Delta Psi chapter wishes you all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Fred Kelly

EPSILON ZETA

Louisiana State

• University, La.—Three pledges were recently initiated. They are Overton Beauchamp, '42; Ray Laiche, '43; and Howell Teeples, '43. The following $\Theta K B$ alumni have also been initiated: Clarence Yancey, '29; J. J. Kelley, '33; C. B. Garretson, '29; Karl Weibaecher, '39; and Charles Stucky, Jr., '28. Overton Beauchamp and Bill Sonnier were recently initiated into Samurai, local interfraternity social organization. Brothers Hunter and Rountree are nearing completion of the N. C. A. advance flight school.

The chapter was glad to have visitors from Vanderbilt for the annual L. S. U.-Vandy gridiron battle. We were also happy to have the boys from Tulane visit us for the L. S. U.-

Tulane classic. The two chapters wagered a sheepskin on the outcome of the game. We are hoping to receive the skin from B E before long.

The chapter's social standing has been upheld by the actives and pledges giving house parties in honor of each other. Several of our boys and their dates were guests of B E for their annual formal dance on Dec. 7. We are looking forward to our annual winter formal on Dec. 14, and expect guests from several of the nearby chapters. The annual Christmas party for a score of under-privileged children is being planned.

We have been informed that Lt.-Col. C. Pickett, one of our founders, will be transferred from the R. O. T. C. unit here to an undetermined Army post. The chapter is deeply indebted and unable to find words to thank Brother Pickett for the advice and service which he has given us and wish him all the success and happiness at his new post.

Bill Sonnier

ALPHA EPSILON

Auburn

• Auburn, Ala.—Auburn concluded a fair football season on Dec. 17 with a 13-10 victory over Villanova, the game being a thriller from start to finish. This game has been a dandy for the past two years, Auburn having won by a score of 10-9 last season, and many of the active members and pledges have attended.

The chapter football team has also provided us with much enjoyment during the past season. We were the runners-up in the interfraternity league, having lost 12-6 in the finals, and almost every man on the team has been picked to play in a game featuring the fraternity all-stars versus the fraternity champions. This game is a new feature at Auburn, and the proceeds will go to charity work around the community.

With football a thing of the past, we are engaging in volleyball and basketball. We have good material in both of these sports and should finish near the top.

The chapter claims two of the famous Auburn Knights' most valuable members, Bobby Adair, director, and "Chick" Hatcher, business manager. Under the leadership of Bobby and Chick, the Knights are not only spreading their reputation of being about the best college band anywhere, but are adding to it. Chick, by the way, has just completed his second year as head cheerleader, and has done a swell job.

On March 14, one of the best dances of the year will take place. That is the date of the Orchid Ball given by the chapter each year. It was a whale of an affair last year and promises to be even better this year, because of the excellent spirit shown by the members and pledges.

We are glad to announce the initiation of Ernest Jean and "Doc" McMeans on Dec. 11.

Charles Scott



"CHICK" HATCHER, business manager of the Auburn Knights, orchestra, and varsity cheerleader.