

VINCENT LARCY, PAST KLEOS EDITOR, DIES

On August 27, 1957, Vincent Larcy, former editor of the KLEOS, passed away, the victim of a heart attack. He was 48 years old. His passing came as a shock to the entire Fraternity. Death came even as Vinnie was preparing to attend the 1957 National Convention at Scaroon Manor. His bags are still packed.

For the past eighteen months Vinnie had been living in Binghamton, New York. In accordance with his wishes, his body was brought to New York City to repose in a funeral home just a few doors away from where he had lived for many years. Many fraternity men were present to pay their last respects to their departed Brother. The New York Alumni Club, which he helped found, turned out en-masse. Burial was on August 31 at Calvary Cemetery in Queens.

Vinnie, a graduate of New York University, was initiated into Alpha Phi Delta in February 1929. He was active in all phases of fraternity life. He held most of the offices in Theta Beta Chapter of which he was a founder. He was instrumental in the founding of the New York Alumni Club in which he held many of the offices. For nearly twenty years he represented Alpha Phi Delta as a delegate to the National Interfraternity Conference; he was a member of the Executive Board of the College Fraternity Editors for several years.

Larcy had been associated with the KLEOS for more than twenty-five years, since the first issue appeared in December, 1929. At that time, Peter Sammartino, then Grand Conul, and now president of Fairleigh Dickinson College, called on Vinnie to assist in launching the national magazine for Alpha Phi Delta. In 1932 he was made an assistant editor to the late Dr. A. U. N. Camera, first editor of the KLEOS. Upon the death of Bro. Camera in 1937, Brother Larcy was asked by Frank Travaline, Grand Consul, to take over the reins as Editor-in-chief. From 1937 to 1955, Brother Larcy served as Editor of the fraternity's national magazine. In 1955, Vincent Larcy retired his editorship.

Vincent Larcy's fraternal activities spanned a good portion of the Fraternity's existence. In his capacity with the KLEOS Vinnie Larcy became, effectively, Historian Emeritus of the Fraternity. His passing is a cause for sorrow for all men of Alpha Phi Delta and of the fraternity world.

2nd District Elects New Governor

At the District Convention held last summer, the 2nd District elected Sam Carrocchi as new Governor for the District. Carrocchi replaces Ernest Coletti who had served in that capacity for several years.



VINCENT LARCY, Theta Beta

APD-Beta Delta Buys House For Philadelphia Area

Augustus R. Sigismondi, 4th District Governor has announced that Alpha Phi Delta-Beta Delta Chapter, Inc. concluded purchase of a fraternity house on October 11, 1957. The house, to be used by the Beta Delta Chapter and the Philadelphia Alumni Club, is located at 1937 N. Park Avenue, Philadelphia. The undergraduate chapter is already occupying the house.

Purchase of the house is the culmination of much effort on the part of the Philadelphia Alumni Club and its members to obtain a house in the Philadelphia area. The Alumni Club took the initiative in the incorporation matter. The undergraduates contributed a percentage of the money required to incorporate and purchase the house, and the alumni put up the balance. There is only a small mortgage on the house.

The alumni raised the monies by subscription to bonds which are to be issued by the corporation. Subscriptions were received in the sum of \$100 up to the maximum of \$300. The bonds to be issued to the subscribers are payable at the expiration of three years and thereafter as money is made available, bearing 3% interest. The undergraduates are lessees of the corporation. Rental has been computed taking into consideration the amortization of the mortgage, taxes, water and sewer bills, amortization of the bonds and interest thereon, repair and insurance funds.

The following Directors and Officers have been elected by the general membership at the first meeting of the corporation to serve for the first year: Dr. Horace Goffredo, President and Director, Joseph D'Urso, Vice President and Director, Joseph Mangano, Secretary and Director, Roland Porreca, Secretary and Director, and Augustus R. Sigismondi, Esq., Counsel and Director.

The venture of the Philadelphia Alumni Club in providing a much needed fraternity house in the Philadelphia area has stimulated much interest in other areas. Inquiries may be directed to Augustus R. Sigismondi, 4th District Governor, 1836 McKean St., Philadelphia, Penna.



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Long Island Alumni Club Installed

Alpha Phi Delta gained another entity on July 13, 1957, when, on behalf of the petition of eighteen founding alumni brothers, Joseph DeGuglielmo, National Secretary, and Carlo Vannicola, National Treasurer, installed the Long Island Alumni Club. The installation took place at the Roslyn Cafe in Roslyn, Long Island.

National Expansion Committee Chairman Frank Cavallaro installed the first set of officers. Gaspar LaSala, Third District Governor, welcomed the new entity into the Third District. The installation dinner arrangements were made by Chairman Joseph P. Giaimo, who was ably assisted by H. Albert Imbro and I. Joseph Catapano.

The Long Island Alumni Club, tenth entity of the Third District, is the result of hard work on the part of Third District Officers, and the able leadership of Al Imbro, Theta and several other Brothers residing on the "Island" who felt strongly for the need of an Alpha Phi Delta organization in that area.

Initiating an active, ambitious program, the LIAC has already held two socials; a fall family picnic and a fall dance. The picnic was held on the estate of Brother Anthony Nittola where a good number of the members and their families enjoyed hamburgers, frankfurters, beer, soft drinks, and Bro. Nittola's hospitality. The fall dance, an informal affair, was held at the Roslyn Cafe, where each guest was greeted at the door with a warm greeting by President Al Imbro and Vice President Joseph Giaimo. Brother Noel Giambalvo and his charming wife gave such an effective course in the "cha-cha" that LIAC is ready to challenge any other alumni club in a cha-cha contest.

COSTANZO, DURSO RE-ELECTED AT SCAROON MANOR CONVENTION



FRANK E. COSTANZO
National President



JOSEPH M. DURSO
National Vice-President

Frank E. Costanzo and Joseph M. Durso were both unanimously re-elected President and Vice President respectively of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity at the 37th National Convention held at Scaroon Manor, New York, last September 2nd through 6th.

Costanzo, Nu '31, served as National Vice-President of the Fraternity in 1954 and 1955 and was also president of the Pittsburgh Alumni Association during 1952-53. Duro, Beta Delta '35, had served as 4th District Governor since 1949 until his election as National Vice President last year.

Both are now serving a second term.

The first elected officers of the Long Island Alumni Club are as follows: President, H. Albert Imbro, Theta; Vice President, Joseph P. Giaimo, Theta Beta; Treasurer, I. Joseph Catapano, Pi; Secretary, G. Vincent Amico, Theta; Historian, Francis Paladino, Phi; Chaplain, Alfred J. Morello, Pi; Metrovox Reporter, Dr. Charles Faverio, Beta Beta.

The LIAC meets every first Friday of the month at the Roslyn Cafe, 2 blocks north of exit 29 on the Northern State Parkway.

The nearly five hundred acres of Scaroon Manor provided a magnificent setting for this year's convention. Its sprawling grounds, its varied facilities and its fine entertainment helped to make this another socially successful convention. Despite the fact that it rained during two of the evenings, the more than 150 brothers, wives, sisters and children who attended enjoyed themselves enormously.

Adding to the general excitement always prevalent at convention time was the presence of the Warner Brothers cast and crew who were there on location for the filming of "Majorie Morningstar". Members of the cast included Gene Kelly, Natalie Wood, Ed Wynn, Claire Trevor, George Tobias and several others. Alpha Phi Delta found them to be very friendly despite the fact that they were very busy people. Several Alpha Phi Delta men and girls also became a part of the movie, hired as extras during some of the bullfight sequences.

Professional entertainment was provided every evening either in the tremendous outdoor theater under the stars which resembled the Hollywood Bowl, or in the indoor theatre where a first-run movie and a summer stock production were presented.

The hotel also sponsored several tournaments to entertain the women.

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Joseph A. DeGuglielmo, National Secretary, calls the Roll at the Opening Session of the 1957 Convention.

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VINCENT LARCY

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the passing of Vincent Larcy, one of Alpha Phi Delta's most beloved Brothers. There is much we could say about Vinnie's fine work over the years and his devotion to Alpha Phi Delta. We think, however, that the best eulogy we could deliver lies with the KLEOS itself, the publication with which he was associated for so many years. We therefore re-dedicate our intentions to continue his fine work in that area of Fraternity activity he loved best.

A Word To The Alumni

We quote from the Dokime:

"Membership in Alpha Phi Delta is eternal and carries with it the obligation of permanent activity and support."

Recent legislation has made it mandatory that any new members initiated into Alpha Phi Delta become Life Subscribers before graduation. Life Subscription provides you with all the publications of Alpha Phi Delta (not just the KLEOS) including the minutes of the Executive Committee Meetings, minutes of the Ground Council in Convention, the directory, revisions to the constitution, etc. And, in order to be an alumnus in good standing, it now costs you \$5.00 per year.

There are at least 5000 members of our Fraternity who, prior to this legislation, never took advantage of Life Subscription. If each of these members were to subscribe now (the cost is \$25 for alumni) it would mean an additional \$125,000 in the Life Subscription Trust Fund. If each of our 7000 alumni were to pay their National dues each year (some now do) this would draw an additional \$35,000 to the treasury this year alone!

Think of what this would mean to your Fraternity! Think of the many sorely needed Chapter houses your money would help buy; houses the chapters needed even while you were an undergraduate. Think of the expanded services your Fraternity could provide—to serve you!

You have received a "new" KLEOS. If you are not a Life Subscriber you have not received a KLEOS since your undergraduate days. We have scrapped our magazine format this year in order to bring news of Alpha Phi Delta to ALL of its Brothers at least three or four times a year. We do this with the frank intention of reaching those Brothers who, for various reasons have lost contact with the Fraternity over the years. We want to keep you informed of what progress your Fraternity is making. We want to continue this service for your benefit and for the Fraternity's; for what benefits you benefits the Fraternity, and vice-versa.

Why not do your part? Become an alumnus in good standing for the coming year by sending your \$5.00 dues to Central Office now. Become a life-subscriber if you have not already done so. — And by all means insure your investment in Alpha Phi Delta by attending the next meeting of your local alumni club and becoming ACTIVE in your Fraternity. Remember, your Fraternity can only be as good as YOU make it!

Pittsburgh Alumni Honor Angelini

On Friday evening, November 1, the Pittsburgh Alumni Club held their 1957 Annual Award Dinner in honor of Nicholas A. Angelini. Angelini, past president of the P.A.C. was chosen by the Award Committee for his outstanding achievements with the club. The award, a plaque, is presented each year by the club to a member of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club for outstanding work both in the Fraternity and in the Community.

Presentation of the award was made by Adam DiVincenzo, past National President. Congratulations and words of praise were given by Father S. J. Federici, National Chaplain, Frank E. Costanzo, National President, Joseph Scoscia, 5th District Governor, Daniel Tamburo, President of the alumni club, and Joseph V. Scotti and Dr. James J. Brungo, both past presidents of the club.

This is the fifth consecutive year that the award has been presented. Previous recipients were Father S. J. Federici, Adam DiVincenzo, Joseph V. Scotti, and Dr. Fred A. Bissel.

BROOKLYN A. C. HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETS

At a recent meeting held by the Brooklyn Alumni Club, the Housing Committee, consisting of Frank Padron, Philip Paterno, Joseph Mistretta, S. Michael Oliva, and Jack Lamantia, chairman, met to discuss plan for a proposed purchase of a building to be used by the Club.

The location of this building would be in the Borough Hall section of Brooklyn; it would be income producing in part, with the balance of the building adequate to accommodate the facilities of the Brooklyn Alumni Club, Delta Chapter, and other Alpha Phi Delta functions.

The committee is presently canvassing Brooklyn and other interested alumni to obtain an expression of interest in this project. Those who have not yet been approached may contact Anthony D'Amato, 8864 16th Avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y.

The Brooklyn Alumni Club holds regular monthly meetings the first Friday of the month at the Delta House, 123 Myrtle Avenue, in downtown Brooklyn. All alumni in the area are invited to attend the meetings and join the club.

1957 WINNERS OF ALPHA PHI DELTA'S NATIONAL AWARDS

Recipients of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity's national awards were announced at the 37th National Convention held at Scarrow Manor, New York. Winners for outstanding performance during the past year are:

Most Outstanding Chapter: Psi Chapter, Duquesne University

Most Improved Chapter: Beta Theta, College of Steubenville

Outstanding Undergraduate: Michael Minella, Beta Theta
Outstanding Alumnus: Joseph Derrico, Beta Beta, NYAC.

Other award winners included Dr. Fred A. Bissel, Pi, who received a certificate for runner-up outstanding alumnus, and Richard Zaloum, Delta, and Andrew Tierno, Psi, both runner-ups in the outstanding undergraduate division.

Campus leadership, scholastic achievement, and an extensive and popular social program won for both Psi and Beta Theta chapters, Alpha Phi Delta's highest honor. Psi, under the able leadership of president Andy Tierno, successfully concluded another fine year. In organizations on the campus, Psi men could point with pride to the president of the Student Government Association, the president of the IFC, six out of twelve seats in the Student Government Association, treasurer of the I.C.G., vice president of the Junior class, and president of the Sophomore class in the School of Pharmacy. Psi men, who will back any worthwhile cause at Duquesne, also sponsored several charity affairs during the past year including the annual Christmas Party for the Orphans of St. Paul, and a benefit for the school's year book. With an eye towards the future, Psi Chapter initiated fifteen new brothers into their ranks the past year.



Look Mom—I'm in the movies. Psi Chapter delegates at the 1957 National Convention. Sitting: R. Bartolacci, C. Augustine, C. Manfresca, J. Orlando, P. Mancini. Standing: R. Mellick, F. Prezioso.

Undergrads Meet Alumni At Columbus A.C. Dinner

The Alpha Phi Delta Alumni Club of Columbus, Ohio played host to the active brothers and pledges of Xi Chapter at the Florentine Restaurant, 709 W. Broad St., Tuesday night, October 15, 1957. It was the first Alumni-Active dinner of this school year.

The new brothers of Xi chapter were introduced to the alumni members by Xi president Frank Starinieri. The alumni brothers introduced themselves individually. Brother Larry Carrocci, Alumni president, thanked the brothers of Xi chapter for attending the dinner and wished them good luck in the coming school year.

Chairman for the affair was alumnus Ralph Antolino.

Beta Theta's achievements are no less impressive. A run-down of the number of offices held by Beta Theta reads like a "who's who" of the campus. They include president, treasurer and secretary of the IFC, president and treasurer of the Student Council, treasurer of the senior class, president of both junior freshman classes, and at least another half dozen positions. The chapter also held many socials which were very popular on the campus, chief among which were the Annual Appreciation Banquet for the College Basketball team, the Iris Ball, and the Annual Dinner Dance. The chapter also conducted the Community Cancer Fund Drive. Scholastically, the chapter rates very high, having won the trophy for the highest scholastic point average among all fraternities on the campus.

Joseph Derrico, this year's most outstanding alumnus, has been active for many years on all levels of fraternity life. A graduate of the School of Engineering of Manhattan College in 1934, Joe held most of the chapter offices as an undergraduate. His contributions as an alumnus have been many and varied. In 1947-48, Joe was instrumental in reactivating Beta Beta Chapter. He has served as president of the New Alumni Club and at present is president of the Alpha Phi Delta Resort Association of New York, Inc. (APDRANY). He was chairman of the Third District Annual Christmas Dance for several years and treasurer of the Christmas Dance Journal. On the national level, Joe is a member of the National House Fund Trustees and has been attending National Conventions and mid-year Executive Committee meetings for years.

Mike Minella, most outstanding undergraduate, is one of the reasons for Beta Theta's fine performance in the past several years. A driving force in his chapter, Mike was president of his own chapter, president of the Junior Class, treasurer of the IFC, president of the Dramatic Club, and a member of the Advisory Executive Board of the Engineer's Club at the College of Steubenville. Under his leadership, Beta Theta received the most improved chapter award in 1956.

The KLEOS joins the entire fraternity in congratulating the cream of Alpha Phi Delta for the past year.

BETA LAMBDA HOSTS FOR 5-D CONVENTION

Beta Lambda Chapter of St. Francis College in Loretto Pennsylvania was host to the annual Fifth District Convention during the weekend of October 25th.

Many of the brothers arrived at the chapter house on Friday afternoon and attended a halloween dance in the college gym that evening. Meetings took place all day Saturday and culminated with a party for the visiting brothers that night.

The Fifth District holds District conventions twice a year, a procedure initiated by District Governor Joseph Scoscia.

COSTANZO SELECTS '57-'58 COMMITTEES

National President Frank E. Costanzo has announced his selection for the various working committees for the year 1957-58. The committee members and their chairman are given below. Communications may be directed to the chairman whose address is also given.

Legislative Committee, Gaspar LaSala, 3rd District Governor, Dr. Fred Bissel, Pi, Howard Hardwick, Beta Xi; John Fidre, Beta Mu; LaSala, Chairman, 792 Hart Street, Brooklyn 21, N.Y.

Resolution Committee, Stephen Cocumelli, 6th District Governor, Joseph Derrico, Beta Beta, Carmine Bellini, Jr., Nu, Gerard Florentine, Mu; Cocumelli, Chairman, 1344 Pennsylvania Ave., Steubenville, Ohio.

Ritual Committee, Adam DiVincenzo, Past National President, Rev. Salvatore Federici, National Chaplain, Louis Olivero, Psi, Fred Cataneo, Eta; DiVincenzo, Chairman, 112 Dunbar Avenue, Bellevue, Pittsburgh 2, Pa.

Expansion Committee, Frank Cavallaro, Past National President, Joseph Durso, National Vice President, John Brunetti, Seventh District Governor, Dr. D. A. Macedonia, Past National President, Joseph Alaimo, Past National President; Cavallaro, Chairman, 55 Stanton Street, New York, N. Y.

Scholarship Committee, Stephen Rubino, First District Governor, Ernest Coletti, Beta Iota, Vincent G. Amico, Theta, Dr. Charles Favero, Jr., Beta Beta; Rubino, Chairman, 3 Kearly Lane, Wakefield, Mass.

PI-MEN HUSTLING ON CAMPUS, FOOTBALL FIELD

Pi is becoming more and more active on the campus of West Virginia, thanks to two men who have become leaders of the student body and three who lead the way on the football field.

John Fuscaldo and Domenic Gaziano are the two who have helped Pi become more outstanding on the campus. John is president of the senior class, the first Alpha Phi Delta man to attain such a position. He is also a member of the Mountain, ranking men's honorary, and past president of the Newman Club. Dom was recently elected president of the Student body on the campus. He is also a member of Sphinx, a men's honorary fraternity. Since Brothers John and Dom have attained these positions, other members of Pi have been elected to serve on most of the better committees.



John Fuscaldo

On the football field, Alpha Phi Delta is represented by Ralph Anastasio, Paul Minanic, and Domenick Trimarki who are members of the first string backfield of the University. All have been outstanding backs. Anastasio broke the punting record at West Virginia this year.

The Chapter is also planning to send two members to the West Virginia Leadership Conference usually held in April. Last year the Chapter was represented by Brothers Joseph Laurita and Domenick Gaziano.

ETA-MEN FIND CENTRALLY LOCATED HOUSE, MOVE IN

A good part of Eta's past semester was spent in search of a fraternity house. Due to the fact the Eta Chapter membership and activities were on the increase, the need for a central meeting place became more and more pronounced. With a limited budget to guide them, the Chapter finally met with success. A house was found, centrally located in Manhattan at 257 7th Avenue, near 25th St.

At first the Eta boys couldn't make out what it was; nor could they figure out who or what had occupied it before; it was that much of a mess. But, with a far stretch of the imagination, they saw it as their beautiful Eta House. The boys worked on it over the summer, painting, scraping floors and walls, and putting up wallpaper to give it the new look. Their first piece of furniture was presented to them by 3rd District Governor Gaspar La Sala and Frank Cavallaro. It was the 3rd District mimeograph machine, affectionately known as "old iron-side". From now on the Eta House will be the hub of Metrovox publications.

The twenty five active brothers of Eta had a very active summer. Besides holding summer meetings, the chapter held a picnic at Belmont State Park and a boatride up the Hudson to Bear Mountain.



Joe Cicio doing his part renovating the New Eta House.

The Chapter is presently busy participating in the Foster Parent Plan whereby a group can support an underprivileged child in some stricken part of the world, and in a broad sense, become a foster parent. The chapter feels that the fraternalism that we so strongly feel for each other should be stretched beyond our intimate group and shared with others who need it so desperately. They decided to adopt the Foster Parent's Plan to support such a child in Europe and are at the present time actively engaged in raising the necessary funds.

Eta's new officers for this year are Michael Cannizaro, President, Carl Rizzuti, Vice-president, Cosmo Montovani, secretary, and Carl DeVito, Treasurer.

Third District Fall Affairs Big Success

The Third District's Social Calendar got off to a good start on Sunday, September 29 when the annual Parent's Party was held at the Delta House, 123 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn. A large group of mothers and fathers, sisters and girl friends were treated to movies depicting the activities of the fraternity, hors d'oeuvres, entertainment, and dancing. The Parents themselves brought the cakes and pies. The party also served as the first opportunity for many of the parents to see the wonderful improvements Delta Chapter made on the Delta House over the summer. Much of the materials and advice was contributed by the parents themselves.

On October 12 the 3rd District participated in the annual Columbus Day parade. The District's entry again consisted of a float depicting Columbus' arrival in America. This is the fifth year the District has participated in what has become a parade of many floats, a tradition initiated by Alpha Phi Delta.

The Third District held its annual Busride and Barn Dance on November 8. This year's affair was held at the picturesque Hill Top Barn in Clifton, New Jersey. Charlie Zintell and his Hillbilly Band supplied the music and called the dances. Pledges were guests of the Third District. Prizes were awarded for the most original and picturesque costumes.

Working through the Third District Metropolitan Committee, the chapters are now hard at work preparing for the 3rd District Annual Christmas Dance, the Districts biggest social event of the year, which will be held on December 7th.

XI KICKS OFF BUSY SPORTS, SOCIAL YEAR

Xi chapter kicked off the 1957 Ohio State University Inter-Mural Touch-Football season by downing Chi Phi Fraternity on a rain soaked field October 16, 14 to 0. Treacherous footing made it difficult for both teams to execute their plays smoothly. Xi's first touchdown came on a sweep around left end by brother Bruno D'Alonzo. The second touchdown came on a short pass in the flat as the final gun went off.

Xi chapter is one of the fifty-two fraternities officially entered in the inter-mural league this fall.

On November 2, the chapter held their annual Homecoming Dance Activities on the Ohio State campus started in the afternoon when the Ohio State Buckeyes entertained the Northwestern Wildcats in State's giant horseshoe. During the half-time ceremonies, the Homecoming queen was chosen from the 16 beautiful contestants.

The Xi affair was held that evening at the Guild Athletic Club in Columbus, Ohio. Music for dancing was provided by The Symballs, a local jazz combo, from 9:30 P.M. until midnight. Favors, consisting of a miniature white football with Alpha Phi Delta Homecoming inscribed in purple, were presented.

Chairman of the affair, which was attended by a large crowd of actives and alumni, was brother George DiSabato.

The Chapter is presently preparing for two of their forthcoming annual socials: The Calypso Party to be held on January 11, 1958, and the Bowery Party to be held on February 8, 1958, both at the Chapter House.



Frankie (Waterfront) Core and John (Blackjack) Falcone and their molls at Xi's last Bowery Party.

BETA THETA INITIATES THREE, ELECTS NEW CHAPTER OFFICERS

Beta Theta Chapter recently initiated three new brothers into Alpha Phi Delta. Those receiving pins were Richard DiPaulo, John Martino and William Rychlick. Attending the initiation ceremonies were Sixth District Governor Steve Cocumelli. Out of town brothers present included the Rt. Rev. Father Salvatore Federici, National Chaplain, and Adam DiVincenzo, past National President.

In recently held elections for the 1957-58 school year, the following were elected to office: Robert Pagnanelli, President; Dario Cardelli, Vice-President; Joseph Scena, Treasurer, and Andrew Qualtiere, Secretary.

BETA LAMBDA CONTINUES HOUSE IMPROVEMENTS

Under the capable leadership of newly elected president John D'Agostino and his chapter officers, Beta Lambda will once again add to the improvement of its house.

Bids are now being made by local contracting companies for work to be done on the interior of the house. This work will consist, primarily, of replastering all the walls and the painting of every room. The chapter hopes to have this work completed by the end of the Christmas recess.

The Chapter also welcomes the new brothers who have moved from residence on the campus to the house. These brothers, who for the most part were activated during the past year, are now taking the place of last semesters graduates.

Beta Lambda has also noticed a pleasant change in its kitchen. It is now headed by their new cook, Mrs. Eckenrode, who is more than pleasing the brothers with her cooking ability. The brothers hope that she is enjoying her stay at Alpha Phi Delta as much as they appreciate her being there.

KEEP YOURSELF IN GOOD STANDING

PAY YOUR ALUMNI DUES NOW!

BETA XI INCREASES CAMPUS, SPORTS, COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

One need only look at the bustling social and sports calendar to see that activity is the byword at Beta Xi this year. The first social success was the Hallowe'en Costume party held on October 27th. Original and unusual costumes were worn by the brothers and their guests, setting everyone in a gay festive mood. The tightening of undergraduate-alumni bonds was attested to by the strong attendance of the alumni at the affair.

The biggest event of the new school year was the 26th Annual Dinner Dance held November 30 at Donahue's Restaurant in Mountain View, New Jersey. This affair serves as a homecoming event, attracting more alumni each year. The effective efforts of social chairman Sal Tobia made this year's dance another successful one.

The chapter is now preparing for the Christmas Party for the orphans of St. Mary's Orphanage which will be held on December 13th. This annual event has made the name of Alpha Phi Delta well known in the community.

In sports, the Newark engineers are constantly on the move. The bowling team, returning intact after winning the college title last year, has so far proved itself the team to beat. Kegglers Nick Cifelli,

Lou Contaldi, Paul Mangiafico, Nick Cocco, and Sal Tobia have set a second consecutive championship in their sights. In basketball, the Beta Xi quintet seems to be the dark horse in the race to recapture the Intrafraternity Council Trophy which was lost last season. This year's team is composed of last season's veterans who are determined to reach their goal.

This year, an aggressive pledge program has been put into effect by pledge chairman Nick Cocco. The practice of more frequent pledge periods is being utilized to offset the expected loss of a large senior class and to push the active total above the present status. The current pledge class consists of four pledges, with initiation slated for mid-December. A very large freshman class this year presents an opportunity to select more pledges than in previous years, a fact that should aid their chapter in their drive.

As in the past, Beta Xi is making itself heard and seen on the campus of the Newark College of Engineering and in the community as well as within the fraternity. Continued fine leadership coupled with the renewed zeal of the brothers will develop the potential of Beta Xi into one of the main pillars of the Third District.

PSI ENDS YEAR WITH A BANG, STARTS NEW ONE LIKEWISE

The evening was beautiful, the girls likewise, the music incomparable, and the men in the white dinner jackets, the Alpha Phi Deltas of Duquesne University, at their superb best. That's the way it was at Psi Chapter's Annual May Ball, the crowning event of a highly successful scholastic and social season. It was a fine event attended by students, faculty, and special guests who danced to the pleasant music of Richard Maltby and his orchestra. Chosen Queen of the Ball was Miss Jean Perrone who was escorted by Brother Vince Manella. Her court included Judy Ward and Ramona Wroblewski, escorted by brothers Bob Palermo and Joe Martella respectively.

It wasn't long after that Psi chapter concluded its scholastic year with the Senior Dinner Dance, included among the honored guests was the Very Reverend Vernon F. Gallagher, President of Duquesne University, who gave a speech in praise of the contributions of Psi chapter in the development of Duquesne. The dinner was held in honor of Psi's 14 graduating seniors.

With a fine year behind it, a year which saw the chapter selected as the outstanding chapter of Alpha Phi Delta, Psi has started its 1957-58 school year with no less an auspicious beginning. The week of the Duquesne Carnival found the chapter assuming the roles of directors, actors, artists, electricians, carpenters, and gamblers. The production this year was Snow White and the Seven Kremlin Gremlins. This work was compensated by a good time for three nights, pecuniary gains, and third prize in the campus competition. Carnival week was climaxed by a joint party of the Alpha Phi's and their sisters, the Sigma Phi Deltas.

PAC Benefit For Metropolitan House

The Pittsburgh Alumni Club and the Ladies Auxiliary held their 2nd Annual Supper-Dance Benefit at the Holiday House on Sunday, October 20, 1957. More than 350 persons were in attendance. The affair is held to raise funds for a Metropolitan Fraternity House in the Pittsburgh area.

The committee, headed by General Chairman Dr. Fred A. Bissel, left nothing undone in order to give all those who attended the event an evening of real enjoyment. The meal was delicious and the floor show was excellent. The affair was a financial success.



Coffee Break. Ed Ferraro, S.G.A. President, Adam DiVincenzo, Past National President, and others at the party following the May Ball.

The chapter is presently engaged in competition to retain the intramural football trophy which they won last year. The Psi boys are complaining of aching muscles, but the chapter expects the cup to stay right where it is, with Psi Chapter.

APD MOURNS..

Judge Alfred E. Modarelli, Beta United States District Judge Alfred E. Modarelli, Beta, passed away on September 23, at Christ Hospital, in Jersey City, New Jersey. Death was caused by a heart attack. He was 58 years old.

Born in Union City, New Jersey, where he lived all of his life, Judge Modarelli received his law degree at Columbia in 1922. From 1925 to 1934 he served as Judge of the Municipal Court of Union City and then as assistant prosecutor for Hudson County until 1944. From 1945 to 1948 he was Special Assistant Corporation Counsel to Union City and thereafter as U. S. Attorney for the District of New Jersey until 1951. He was appointed U. S. District Judge on January 10, 1951 by President Harry S. Truman, the first to be so honored from Hudson County.

Very active in political, social, and judicious circles, Modarelli was one of the most sought after dinner speakers in the State of New Jersey and in law circles throughout the country. His enormous popularity in his own Hudson County was reflected in the large crowds of people from all walks of life who paid their last respects at Keene's Funeral Chapel in Union City. Alpha Phi Delta was represented by a group from the 3rd District who also sent flowers.

Fiore Angelico, Beta Mu

The Brothers of Beta Mu were shocked at the untimely death of one of their recently graduated Brothers, Fiore Angelico. Fiore, who graduated from DePaul University in June 1957, was killed in an automobile accident on August 19.

One of the most active men on the DePaul campus, Fiore's death was mourned by everyone. In addition to being an active APD man, he had also been a member of the Blue Key Society, the Student Activity Council, and was associate editor of the college year book. Most widely known for his activities of Sigma Lambda, DePaul's Speech Club, of which he was a past president, he had starred and directed many of their stage productions.

It is with sorrow that the Chapter also notes the anniversary of the death of another Beta Mu Brother, Joseph Fontana, who died two years ago of leukemia. With Fiore and Joseph in mind, Beta Mu is dedicating two statues to De Paul University in their honor.

INDOCTRINATION OF PLEDGES IS STRESSED AT XI

Five pledges comprise the winter quarter pledge class of XI chapter for 1957. However, it is hoped, that with year round rushing, the class will be greatly increased before initiation time rolls around.

The current pledge class includes: Nino Sferrella, Steubenville, Ohio; John A. DeLuca, Wayneburg, Ohio; Louis Ludovici, Pleasant Valley, New York; Michael Tocci, Columbus, Ohio; and Ralph Kintz, Canton, Ohio.

The pledges meet every Monday evening in the Chapter house. At these meetings they report their classroom standings to the active brothers, who keep close watch on the pledges' scholastic standings. The pledges are also given a written and oral quiz on the Dokime and other specific assignments by the active brothers. On Saturday mornings, the pledges carry out their work assignments which at the present time consist of remodeling the Chapter house.

The newly elected officers of XI Chapter for 1957-1958 are as follows: Frank Starinieri, President; Bruno D'Alonzo, Vice-President; James Bruzzese, Steward; George DiSabato, Secretary and Social Chairman; Gilbert Martello, Treasurer; Matt Jordan, Pledge Trainer; Leo Domenico, House Manager; Adam Giandomenico, Corresponding Tribune and Kleos Reporter; Tulio Belmaggio, Chaplain; and Louis DiRosario, Alumni Advisor.

Pat Trisolini, Theta Beta

Pasquale "Pat" J. Trisolini, Theta Beta, passed away on October 3, 1957, after a long but losing battle with a rare blood disease. He was 37 years old.

Active in the New York area, Pat was a member of the Alpha Phi Delta Resort Association. In the embroidery business, he provided the banner for the Metrovox, Beta Xi, and the Third District. Pat also served in the U. S. Army during World War II, spending considerable time in India.

During the last months, Pat required extensive blood transfusions to which many brothers in the Third District responded. All efforts were in vain. Several brothers from Theta Beta were on hand to pay their last respects. A group from the Third District represented Alpha Phi Delta and also sent flowers.

Eta Smoker Gains Five Prospects

Eta Chapter held its 72nd semi-annual pledge smoker on the night of October 11th, at the John H. Finley Student Center of the College of the City of New York. Refreshments were provided by the smoker committee under the capable leadership of Bro. Jim Tarangelo. Prospective pledges and brothers were able to toast one another with Bro. Mike Franci's delicious "punch."

Bro. Leonard Farano made an informal talk on such topics as "the meaning of fraternalism," "Alpha Phi Delta vs. other fraternities," and "the benefits of a national fraternity." He then turned the floor over to Bro. Dr. Ennio Cellani, who recently returned from the International Dentist's Convention in Rome. Bro. Cellani emphasized the need for social activity in order to balance the rigorous scholastic schedule presented at the college.

Other prominent speakers and alumni present were 3rd District Governor Gaspar La Sala, and Bros. Vincent Giamusso, Alfred Anastasi, Robert Schiraldi, Frank P. Susca, and Louis Ferrari.

Pledge orientation was held according to tradition one week after the pledge smoker, at the home of Bro. John Barbato of 7406 11th Avenue, Bklyn. After interviewing the rushees the chapter decided to pledge five applicants. Their names are Frank Vessuto, Richard Divita, Vincent Landi, Chuck Caputo, and Jerry Cavalizzi.



Eta men at a recent initiation. Back row: Roland Sarti, John Barbaro, Ed Tarangelo, Joe Cicio and Chuck Rizzuti. Front row: Don Divito, Dick Bocchicchio, Joe Panzibianco, John Gerardi and Fred Cataneo.

APD Social Calendar

Xi CHAPTER

Calypso Party, January 11, 1958. The Xi Chapter house will have a calypso motif for this annual affair. A calypso band will beat out the syncopating rhythm of the Latin-American Dance. A lot of shaking will go on when the brothers and their dates use the favors of maracas and hats to make music and merriment.

Bowery Party, February 8, 1958. The house will undergo a metamorphosis for the annual Bowery Party. The pleasant, clean-living atmosphere of the house will gradually change, with the help of the decorating committee, into the dingy, mist-laden waterfront setting for the evening's festivities. Only the well informed "waterfront characters" will find their way through the coves and alleys that will lead to XI's bistro on the water's edge. Past bowery parties have come up with ingenious costumes. If any brothers can "smuggle their way into the country" and land at XI's dock, they are invited to attend.

PITTSBURGH ALUMNI CLUB

Undergraduate Smoker, December 4, 1957. The Pittsburgh Alumni again plays host to the undergraduates of the 5th District in this annual affair. The smoker will be held at the ISDA, regular meeting place of the PAC. All alumni are urged to come and have a good time.

THIRD DISTRICT

Metropolitan Christmas Dance, December 7, 1957. This annual affair, which has attracted as many as 750 people, is the Third District's biggest social gathering of the year. This year's dance will again be held at the Penn-Top room of the Hotel Statler, 33rd Street and 7th Avenue, N. Y. C. Tickets are

\$7.50 per couple. A Christmas journal is also run in conjunction with the dance. Proceeds are distributed proportionally among the chapters. Tickets may be obtained by contacting Frank Cavallaro, 55 Stanton Street, N. Y. C.

Metropolitan Smoker, December 13, 1957. This event is set aside by the Third District to test the initiative resourcefulness and talents of the pledges in the New York area. Each chapter's pledge group will be given the opportunity to try to win a leg on the famous 3D Pledge Trophy. To date, Beta Beta has won 2 legs, Delta and Beta Eta one. The first chapter winning three legs will retire the trophy and thereby place a new one in competition. Cost is \$3.00 for each alumnus and \$2.00 for each undergraduate which includes refreshments. Pledges will be the guests of the Third District. The affair will be held at Werderman's Hall, 158 Third Avenue, N. Y. C., and will start at 8:00 P.M.

Communion Breakfast, February 23, 1958. The Catholic Brothers of the 3rd District are sponsoring their 7th Annual Communion Breakfast. The brothers will again gather to attend Holy Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral, 50th Street and Fifth Avenue, N. Y. C. Breakfast location and full particulars will be announced at a later date.

PI CHAPTER

Annual Formal, March, 1958. Pi's annual formal will take place sometime in late March. Last year's affair was a great success. Held at Elizabeth Moore Hall, the Chapter received a letter from Mr. Joseph Gluck, director of student affairs commending them on its outstanding behaviour. More information to be forthcoming.

"Convention"

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en while their husbands participated in the business sessions. The women's gin rummy tournament was won by Jo Griffo with Maria D'Annibella a close second. The bridge tournament saw Mary Roncone take the honors with Nina Montesano and Mary Gioffredo second and third respectively. Anne Cavallaro won both the ping pong and basketball tournaments (single). The women's shuffleboard tournament was won by Janet Amico. The winning women's volleyball team included Mrs. P. Perma, Arlene Collins, J. Gallo, Connie

Anne DiVincenzo, Clara Giammo, B. Capazolla, and Janet Amico.

In special tournaments for the men, Joe DeGuglielmo scored the lowest gross in the golf tournament with a 76, while L. J. Sevarino cored the lowest net with a whopping 61. The winning men's basketball team included Guy Greco, Joe Motto, John Fusco, Robert Pagnanelli, and Caesar Colista. Joe Giamo captured the men's shuffleboard tournament.

In all, everyone had a wonderful time and those who attended are already looking forward to next year's convention. Those who didn't should start now to keep their calendar open for next September.

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Alpha Phi Deltans and their wives, children, girls, and sisters gathered from all districts of the Fraternity to enjoy themselves at the 1957 National Convention at Scaron Manor, in upstate New York. Will you be in these pictures next year?

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